

MANNINGHAM NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

2023/2024 Business Plan

OBJECTIVES:

- Objective 1 Support the programs of the Manningham Police
- Objective 2 Conduct activities throughout the LGA to assist the community with crime prevention
- Objective 3 Participate in activities to enhance the relevance of NHW to the community
- Objective 4 Recognise the efforts of our volunteers
- Objective 5 Undertake actions to recruit new members to NHW
- Objective 6 Form strategic partnerships with other community organisations
- Objective 7 Undertake sound management of the LGA's finances

PROJECTS:

Higher Priority Projects

Project	Description	Obj
Print two-monthly editions of the NHW newsletters	Produce 28,000 newsletters for each edition to cover 70% of the residences in Manningham.	1, 2, 3, 5, 7
Hold one-way screw (Safe Plate) fitting days. Possible additional small events at churches etc	Undertake 3 fitting days over the 12-month period. These could be held in conjunction with one or more car dealers.	1, 2, 3, 6
Undertake "monthly" letter-boxing events at crime hotspots.	Events to take place in all months except January and December.	1, 2, 3
Hold NHW/Police information stands at shopping centres	Regularly provide displays to expose more of the community to the work of NHW and support Neighbourhood Policing.	5, 2, 3
Continue to progress the Connect-up project	Improving the safety in high-rise buildings.	2, 3, 5, 6
Undertake the Scam prevention project for Chinese speakers	Presentations and the production of brochures in Chinese	1, 2, 3, 6
Maintain Manningham NHW Facebook page	Continue to broaden the appeal of the Facebook page to interest more followers.	2, 3, 4
Maintain Manningham NHW web site	Develop a web site further to provide a resource for newsletter editors and an event calendar for volunteers	2, 3, 4
Produce a regular E-News for subscribers	Produce and distribute a monthly E-News	1, 2, 3, 5
Refurbish NHW street signs	Continue the replacement of damaged and missing signs to enhance the image of NHW	2, 3, 5
Seniors Safety Presentations	Undertake another round of presentations on safety to the seniors groups in Manningham.	1, 2, 3, 5, 6

Lower Priority Projects

Project	Description	Obj
Encourage car dealers to install one-way screws in car number plates	Continue to work with car dealers to have them install the screws in number plates of cars passing through their premises	1, 2, 3, 6
Develop techniques to bring NHW to parts of the municipality not currently serviced	Develop alternative ways to provide NHW services in locations where traditional "Areas" did not operate	5, 2, 3
Develop and print local NHW marketing materials	Provide a range of materials that encourage involvement in NHW	3, 5
Trial the distribution of security information by different means	Broaden the distribution of NHW information by different means eg utilise the TV kit at a "stand" in some local shopping centres	1, 2, 3, 6
Support NHW Victoria projects	Provide volunteers to support NHW projects undertaken outside Manningham	3, 5, 6