

Getting things done – Ancrum Drive Lock-ups – an update #dundeewestend

Back in January, before the COVID-19 health emergency lockdown, on behalf of residents, I asked Hillcrest Enterprises as factors if it would consider improving the road surface around the lock-ups in Ancrum Drive as it was very potholed and muddy at the lock-ups.

Hillcrest's Housing Manager (Operations) had advised that "... the cost of tarmac would be prohibitive but we can of course look at some practical repairs and maintenance." It was originally hoped to undertake this in the spring but the health emergency prevented this but it has now proved possible to improve the surface as the "after" photos now show.

I am grateful to Hillcrest for undertaking this as the road surface is much improved.

Before :



After :





Case Processing Time for Criminal Cases dealt with at Courts in Northern Ireland 2019/20 published today

The Department of Justice (DoJ) today published a Research and Statistical Bulletin on 'Case Processing Time for Criminal Cases dealt with at Courts in Northern Ireland 2019/20'. It is an Official Statistics Publication.

Minister announces £1million investment by County Down manufacturer Priory Press Packaging

Economy Minister Diane Dodds today announced that packaging manufacturer Priory Press Packaging is investing over £1million in new machinery as part of plans to grow the business into new markets.

Road improvement scheme for A24 Saintfield Road, Carryduff

A £240,000 road improvement scheme on the A24 Saintfield Road, Carryduff will commence on Monday 28 September 2020.

HSC Workforce Appeal recognised nationally

An appeal to boost Northern Ireland's health and social care workforce during the Covid-19 pandemic has been shortlisted for a UK-wide award.