

TORRIDGE DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



WEEKLY CRIME REPORT/NEWSLETTER

WEEK COMMENCING THURSDAY 29th October 2020

ISSUE 523

PLEASE NOTE The information below is obtained from Selected Reported Crime Incidents, restricted and sanitised, taken from Crime Sheets prepared by the Police for the Torrington District and are not Official Police Figures, and only refer to crimes of Theft and Damage. We live in one of the safest low crime areas in England and Wales. *To get a more realistic view of all crime committed in Torrington you can visit the Devon and Cornwall Police Website.*

Fear of crime in our area is far worse than the actual crime committed.

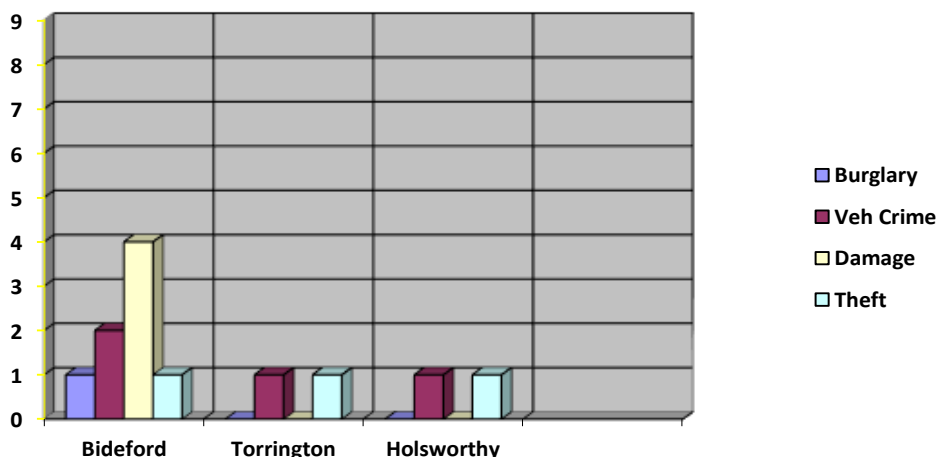


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This Week's Crime Statistic's.

After having 14 reported crimes of Theft and Criminal Damage committed in the whole of Torrington last week, this week we have 12, with crimes recorded on 7 days.



SUMMARY OF CRIME

During the last week 8 crimes were committed in the Bideford area, 2 in the Torrington Area and 2 in the Holsworthy area. We had 1 Burglaries, 4 Vehicle Crimes, 4 of Damage and 3 of Theft.

We had 1 Dwelling Burglary, 0 Non-Dwelling Burglaries, 0 Thefts of Vehicle, 2 Theft from Vehicle, 3 Theft Non-specifics, 0 Theft Pedal Cycle, 2 Damage to Vehicles, 2 Damage to Dwellings, 1 Damage to Building and 1 Damage Non-specifics.

We have had one incident included in the above of "Contained Domestic Incidents" and because they do not affect anyone else, under the Data Protection Act, this restricts us to what information we can pass on.

This last week 6 crimes were committed in our towns and 6 in our rural areas.

Bideford		Torrington		Holsworthy	
Tn	Ru	Tn	Ru	Tn	Ru
4	4	1	1	1	1

CRIMES COMMITTED DURING LAST WEEK

No	CRIME	LOCATION	STREET	AREA	CRIME DETAILS
1	Damage To a Vehicle.	Vehicle	Fore Street	Torrington CT2I	Vehicle parked secure and unattended in car park had side passengers window smashed
2	Damage To a Vehicle.	Vehicle	Ayres Close	East the Water CD2E	Vehicle parked in car park, the aggrieved was in the shower and heard a noise came outside and found that their window had been smashed.
3	Damage Non Specific	Property	Churchill Road	East the Water CD2E	Person whilst under to influence of drugs, in the process of smashing his draws he has broken a teacup belonging to the victim
4	Theft From a Vehicle	Vehicle	Burrough Lawn	Northam CD2C	Vehicle parked outside victim home, address which was secure and unattended had fuel tank emptied
5	Theft From a Vehicle	Vehicle	Western Road	Holsworthy CH2L	Vehicle parked insecure and unattended Overnight bag had been stolen and interior pockets searched
6	Theft Non-Specific.	Secure Compound	No Street Name	Anvil Corner CH2Q	Unknown Offenders have cut padlocks and gained entry to the compound whilst their have stolen several cars batteries
7	Damage to a Non-Dwelling.	Caravan	No Street Name	Bucks Cross CD2J	Male suspect currently staying on holiday in a caravan owned by Bideford Bay Holiday Park. Suspicion is that the suspect has caused damage to two wooden doors in the caravan.
8	Theft Non-Specific.	Domestic	Domestic	Domestic	Domestic Incident
9	Arson	Van	Barnstaple Street	East the Water CD2E	In a secure compound a static burger van was set alight
10	Damage To a Dwelling.	Spotlight	Hilltop Road	Bideford CD3I	Offenders unknown have used an unknown instrument to smash a spotlight
11	Burglary Steal Damage	Dwelling	Atlantic Way	Westward Ho!	Whilst Aggrieved went away on 30 th October 2020 with the house secure, returned later at about 1400hrs on 1 st October found house had been entered by unknown persons, an untidy search had been made but nothing seems to have been taken
12	Theft Non-Specific.	School	No Street Name	Peters Marland CT2K	Juvenile male offender during class had stolen a knife, later the male was searched by staff and the knife was found in the offender's bag

DAILY CRIME RECORD.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>MONTH/YEAR</u>	<u>CRIMES</u>	<u>DAILY CRIME</u>	<u>COMMITTED</u>
Thursday 29th	October 2020	“	No Crime	0
Friday 30th	“ “	“	1 to 5	5
Saturday 31st	“ “	“	6	1
Sunday 1st	November 2020	“	7 to 8	2
Monday 2nd	“ “	“	9	1
Tuesday 3rd	“ “	“	10	1
Wednesday 4th	“ “	“	11 to 12	2
				Total = 12

Please Note – These are the dates of Crimes Reported and not crimes committed.
 PLEASE CONTACT THE POLICE ON 101 IF YOU WITNESSED OR HAVE ANY
 INFORMATION RELEVANT TO THESE CRIMES GIVING FULL DETAILS

NHW ALERT MONTHLY REPORTS LINK.

<https://www.neighbourhoodalert.co.uk/>

This is a national scheme that is growing quickly and is basically the new community messaging scheme.

- **Even comes as an app for smartphones.**
 - **Click on the above website to learn more.**
 - **Keep you up to date with the crime as it is taking place.**
 - **Then you do not have to register again.**
- If you have registered twice could you, please delete one of the accounts.**



POLICE NEWS AND UPDATES.



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CrimeStoppers
 crimestoppers-uk.org
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Devon and Cornwall Police have sent the following message

The following is the email address of the Torridge Police and in future will be in this place each week.

torridge@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk

This is for a routine message that does not require prompt or immediate action as it is not manned 24 hours or 7 days a week.

In emergency phone 999 or non-emergency 101.