

TORRIDGE DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



WEEKLY CRIME REPORT/NEWSLETTER

WEEK COMMENCING THURSDAY 18th February 2021

ISSUE 538

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.

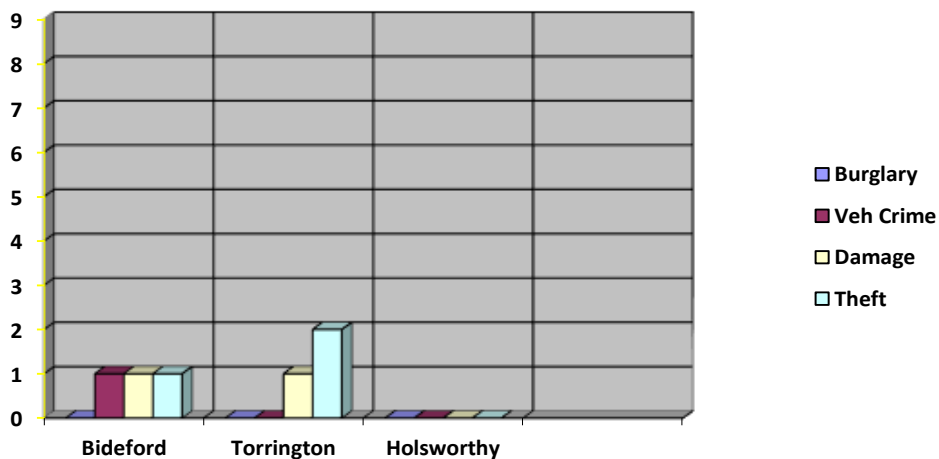


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This Week's Crime Statistics.

After having 9 reported crimes of Theft and Criminal Damage committed in the whole of Torrington last week, this week we have 6 with crimes recorded on 7 days.



SUMMARY OF CRIME

During the last week 3 crimes were committed in the Bideford area, 3 in the Torrington Area and 0 in the Holsworthy area. We had 0 Burglaries, 1 Vehicle Crimes, 2 of Damage and 3 of Theft.

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

We have had 1 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 1 crime was committed in our towns and 5 in our rural areas.

| <u>Bideford</u> | | <u>Torrington</u> | | <u>Holsworthy</u> | |
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| <u>Tn</u> | <u>Ru</u> | <u>Tn</u> | <u>Ru</u> | <u>Tn</u> | <u>Ru</u> |
| 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |

CRIMES COMMITTED DURING LAST WEEK

| No | CRIME | LOCATION | STREET | AREA | CRIME DETAILS |
|----|----------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|--|
| 1 | Theft Non-Specific | Domestic | Domestic | Domestic | Domestic Incident |
| 2 | Arson | Shipyard | New Street | Appledore CD2C | Yard entered by mesh wire being ripped from gate and kicked in, once inside equipment in yard rummaged through insecure shipping container entered and fire started destroying the container. |
| 3 | Theft Non-Specific | Horse paddock | No Street Name | Hollocombe CT3Y | Unknown offender has stolen solar panel, fence energiser fence attachments and the earthing rod from aggrieves horse paddock, the paddock is accessible through aggrieves top gate small dog paw prints have been spotted in the area of the paddock |
| 4 | Theft Non-Specific | Fence panels | A3124/B3219 | Winkleigh CT3Y | Suspects seen to place fence panels into a trailer, they were challenged by a witness suspect stated they were moving stuff got into vehicle and drove off. |
| 5 | Damage To a Vehicle. | Vehicle | Acre Road | Horns Cross CD2I | Vehicle parked secure and unattended in a car park has had all 4 tyres damaged |
| 6 | Damage To a Dwelling | Dwelling | No Street Name | Winkleigh CT2Q | Damaged caused to dry stone wall by removing stones and throwing them in a nearby water feature |
| 7 | | | | | |

DAILY CRIME RECORD.

| DATE | MONTH/YEAR | CRIMES | DAILY CRIME | COMMITTED |
|----------------|---------------|--------|-------------|------------------|
| Thursday 18th | February 2021 | “ | 1 | 1 |
| Friday 19th | “ “ | “ | 2 | 1 |
| Saturday 20th | “ “ | “ | 3 | 1 |
| Sunday 21st | “ “ | “ | No Crime | 0 |
| Monday 22nd | “ “ | “ | 4 | 1 |
| Tuesday 23rd | “ “ | “ | 5 | 1 |
| Wednesday 24th | “ “ | “ | 6 | 1 |
| | | | | Total = 6 |

**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.**
- If you have registered twice could you, please delete one of the accounts.**
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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.