

# TORRIDGE DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



## WEEKLY CRIME REPORT/NEWSLETTER WEEK COMMENCING THURSDAY 26th May 2022

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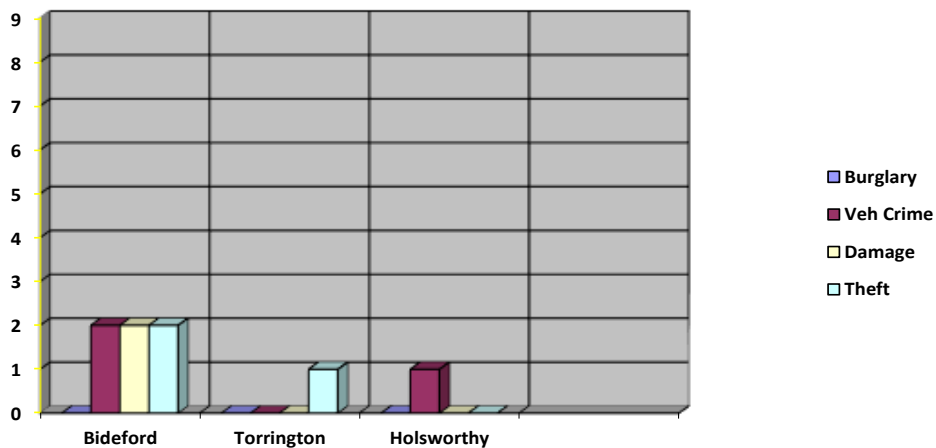
**PLEASE NOTE** The information below is obtained from Selected Reported Crime Incidents, restricted and sanitised, taken from Crime Sheets prepared by the Police for the Torrige District and are not Official Police Figures, and only refer to crimes of Theft and Damage. We live in one of the safest low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

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



### This Week's Crime Statistic's.

After having 15 reported crimes of Theft and Criminal Damage committed in the whole of Torrige last Report, this week we have 8 with crimes recorded on 7 days.



During the last week 6 crimes were committed in the Bideford area, 1 in the Torrington Area and 1 in the Holsworthy area. We had 0 Burglaries, 3 Vehicle Crimes, 2 of Damage and 2 of Theft. 0 Arson

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

We have had 2 incidents 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 7 crimes were committed in our towns and 1 in our rural areas.

| <u>Bideford</u> |           | <u>Torrington</u> |           | <u>Holsworthy</u> |           |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| <u>Tn</u>       | <u>Ru</u> | <u>Tn</u>         | <u>Ru</u> | <u>Tn</u>         | <u>Ru</u> |
| 6               | 0         | 1                 | 0         | 0                 | 1         |

## CRIMES COMMITTED DURING LAST WEEK

| <u>No</u> | <u>CRIME</u>        | <u>LOCATION</u> | <u>STREET</u>  | <u>AREA</u>                | <u>CRIME DETAILS</u>   |
|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1         | Damage to Dwelling  | Garden          | Ford Rise      | Bideford CD3E              | Male suspect has driven into a shard gate causing damage to the gate   |
| 2         | Theft of Vehicle    | Farm            | No Street Name | St Giles on the Heath CH3F | Vehicle was parked up outside home Address in a rural and isolated location keys left in the car Victims mum noticed car was missing when she went to collect the victim by using the car instead had to use her own vehicle. The car was located later by police on a farm near Launceston following it colliding with agate on private owned farmland. |
| 3         | Theft Non Specifics | Domestic        | Domestic       | Domestic                   | Domestic Incident  |
| 4         | Damage to Dwelling  | Garden          | Abbotsham Road | Bideford Cd3E              | In a garden that splits into 3 flats a rotary line was pulled up and bent and garden pots smashed  |
| 5         | Theft Non Specifics | Domestic        | Domestic       | Domestic                   | Domestic Incident  |
| 6         | Theft From Vehicle  | Road            | Elm Grove      | Bideford CD3D              | Aggrieved noticed unknown offender has stolen the exhaust from his car   |
| 7         | Theft Non Specifics | Building        | Limers Lane    | Torrington Ct2I            | Juvenile Aggrieved was playing with a friend and left his scooter outside a building, when he returned the scooter had been stolen   |
| 8         | Damage to Vehicle   | Garden          | Lime Grove     | Bideford CD3D              | Vehicle parked secure and unattended in garden. Dent to bonnet of car believed caused by hammer or similar instrument Causing damaged.   |

### DAILY CRIME RECORD.

| <u>DATE</u>   | <u>MONTH/YEAR</u> | <u>CRIMES</u> | <u>DAILY CRIME</u> | <u>COMMITTED</u> |
|---------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Thursday 26th | May 2022          | “             | <b>No Crime</b>    | <b>0</b>         |
| Friday 27th   | “ “               | “             | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>         |
| Saturday 28th | “ “               | “             | <b>No Crime</b>    | <b>0</b>         |
| Sunday 29th   | “ “               | “             | <b>No Crime</b>    | <b>0</b>         |
| Monday 30th   | “ “               | “             | <b>2</b>           | <b>1</b>         |
| Tuesday 31st  | “ “               | “             | <b>3 to 6</b>      | <b>4</b>         |
| Wednesday 1st | June 2022         | “             | <b>7 to 8</b>      | <b>2</b>         |
|               |                   |               |                    | <b>Total = 8</b> |

**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 the new community messaging scheme.

- It 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.

As if you have signed up via Devon and Cornwall Police or Neighbourhood Watch you will receive the same information, so you do not need to sign up to both

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**[Devon and Cornwall Community Watch Association  
Web Site](https://daccwa.org/)**

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**CrimeStoppers**  
crimestoppers-uk.org  
completely anonymously



**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](mailto: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. Or go on to Devon and Cornwall web Page to report anything and use the web chat