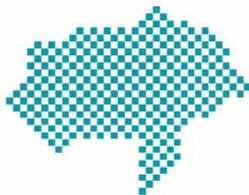


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Police Report

Ryedale Committee Meeting

November 2017

Ryedale District Crime Figures Year on Year 2nd November 2017 to 26th January 2018

_Group	Crime Type	Crime Sub Type	SNT	NYP Sector	25 Jan 2016	25 Jan 2017	25 Jan 2018	Diff 2018 from 2017	% Change
Victim Based	Arson & Criminal Damage				63	75	58	-17	-22.7%
	Burglary				46	46	41	-5	-10.9%
	Robbery				0	1	0	-1	100.0%
	Sexual Offences: Other				5	4	13	9	225.0%
	Sexual Offences: Rape				4	0	4	4	Infinity
	Theft: All Other Theft				41	40	47	7	17.5%
	Theft: Bicycle Theft				5	7	2	-5	-71.4%
	Theft: Shoplifting				27	14	15	1	7.1%
	Theft: Theft From Person				5	2	1	-1	-50.0%
	Vehicle Offences				21	25	24	-1	-4.0%
	Violence: Violence With Injury				58	29	48	19	65.5%
	Violence: Violence Without Injury				53	41	70	29	70.7%
					328	284	323	39	13.7%
Crimes Against Society	Drugs: Possession Of Drugs				15	15	14	-1	-6.7%
	Drugs: Trafficking Of Drugs				1	1	1	0	0.0%
	Misc Crimes Against Society				7	8	4	-4	-50.0%
	Possession Of Weapons				2	0	3	3	Infinity
	Public Order Offences				14	6	9	3	50.0%
				39	30	31	1	3.3%	

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Total					367	314	354	40	12.7%
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Crime:

The crime figures above represent a comparison of part the third financial quarter covering the period 30th August 2017 to 2nd November 2017 from the previous three years

These figures show an increase of 1 crime based on the same period last year, representing a 0.4% increase.

There has been an increase in violent crime with Injury reported in the period. The numbers have increased from 70 in 2016/2017 to 118 in 2017/2018 an overall rise of 59%. This rise is partly due to the way in which North Yorkshire police now records crime and in particular violent crime with and without injury. I have broken down the instances of violent crime into a number of categories to shine light onto the reasons for the increase.

Of the incidents reported 33 were within the domestic setting and include a number of incidents reported through multi-agency partners. Amongst the violent crimes reported are:

10 incidents relate to harassment of a victim or the breach of a restraining order.

15 incidents concern allegations of assault where there were counter allegations, the reports were found to be unsubstantiated or false or the victim declined to complain to the Police.

4 reported crimes were between children with the assaults occurring on the way to or from school premises.

Malicious communications offences are categorised under violent crime and there were 3 incidents in this period.

3 recorded crimes relate to dog bites.

2 incidents are linked to road rage attacks.

4 recorded crimes were linked to the policing of protest at Kirby Misperton.

In relation to this category of violent crime 31 arrests were made in the period and a further 7 people were interviewed under caution.

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Burglary Dwellings are down in the review period from 46 offences in 2016/17 to 41 representing a fall of 35.1% (5 fewer crimes).

There have been 17 sexual offences reported in the period, 4 of which being allegations of rape. This represents an increase of 13 crimes reported over the corresponding period last year.

These crimes can be broken down as follows:

6 reports were historic, the most recent being several months old, the oldest occurring in 1970.

7 crimes are still under investigation.

3 crimes were finalised as the victims declined to prosecute or retracted complaints.

As a result of one allegation a male was charged with offences.

In this period there were 4 arrests for sexual offences.

There has been a reduction in vehicle crime from 25 to 24 crimes in the period. There have been 7 thefts of motor vehicles and 7 thefts from motorvehicles. In this second category the items stolen range from a handbag, tools to car badges and plastic trim. There are not believed to be any patterns to the crimes. This category also covers two offences of diesel syphoning.

The period has seen an increase of one offence in the category of crimes against society. These offences include possession and trafficking of drugs, possession of offensive weapons and public order offences. It is worth noting that of these offences there has been a slight increase in public order incidents from 6 to 9.

There has been a 22% reduction in criminal damage over the period from 75 incidents in 2016/17 compared with 58 in 2017/18.

Proactivity:

The Ryedale Safer Neighbourhood Police Team have ensured a high visibility attendance at a number of public events around Christmas and New Year.

The team are currently undertaking number of surgery visits across the area incorporating crime prevention events at Community halls and local businesses. The team have conducted a crime prevention roadshow event at Moorland ATV at Rosedale and multi-agency crime prevention and public safety roadshows supported by Police volunteers over the Christmas period.

The Safer Neighbourhood Team have additional focus on patrols deterring anti-social behaviour and criminality in our rural communities. In targeting the illegal hunting with dogs on land officers and staff have stopped, searched and disrupted poachers. A number of offenders have been detained and interviewed for poaching offences. A number of dogs have been seized and dispersal authorities granted prohibiting the offenders from entering North Yorkshire.

The impact of poaching upon the local rural community is not underestimated and forms part of our current patrol strategy. There are links between poaching and both associated crime (i.e. collateral damage) and acquisitive crime.

The Safer Neighbourhood Team have also deployed to stop, detain and then disperse doorstep sellers from our communities. Whilst no direct criminality has been uncovered there is no doubt some enterprises use harder sell techniques with the older more vulnerable members of our communities. Dispersal Authorities have been granted to direct such sellers from North Yorkshire.

The Neighbourhood Policing Team continue to provide visibility and reassurance within the Kirby Misperton area during the pre-fracking hiatus under Operation Kingfisher. There have been a reduced number of instances of disorder and disruption to the commercial activities of Third Energy and to the wider community themselves. North Yorkshire Police are committed to the Community-led policing of this protest and there have been some challenges in the resourcing and approach to the protest.

Additional Updates

North Yorkshire Police officers and frontline staff are in the process of being equipped with mobile data equipment and technology with cellular capability. The issue and deployment of such equipment is another step towards increasing the amount of time that officers spend on the street.

Officers and staff are also undertaking training in respect of the banking protocol and ensuring we can proactively combat opportunities for criminals to financially exploit some of the most vulnerable in our community. This is achieved through visits to banks and other financial organisations with Ryedale and alerting staff to signs that customers may be being exploited.



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Registering is safe, secure and easy, and takes less than five minutes via www.nycm.co.uk.

Can You Help

If you know who may be responsible for a crime in your area, or suspect somebody is dealing drugs please contact us on 101, or if you wish to remain anonymous call Crime stoppers on 0800 555 111.

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Data Protection

In order to comply with data protection, whilst details of crimes and anti-social behaviour are included in Parish / Town council reports, North Yorkshire Police may not wish to disclose further information or exact locations of incidents.