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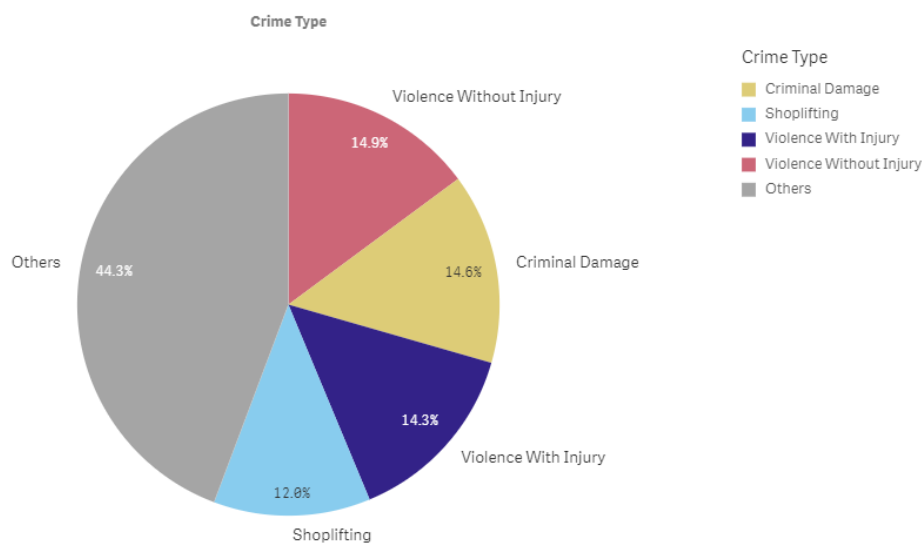


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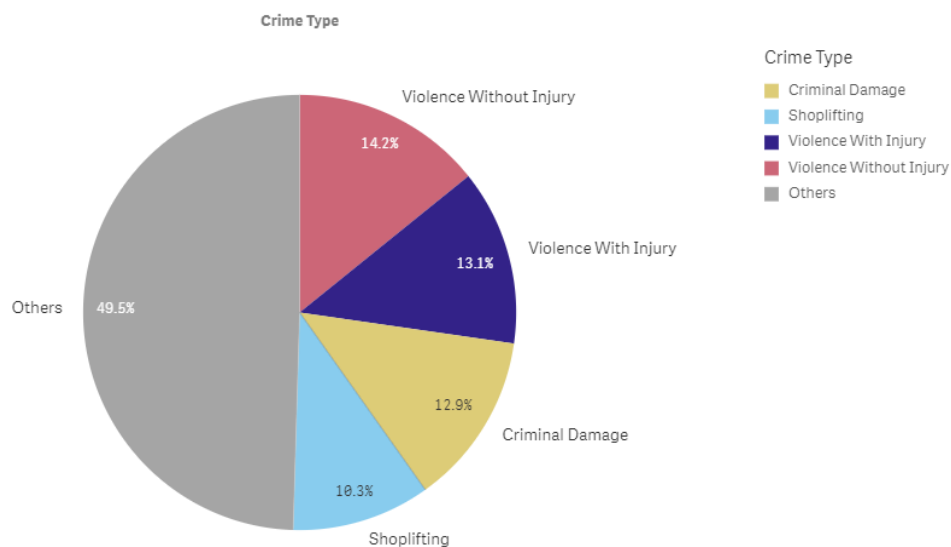
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## PERFORMANCE

Your Area - Five Highest Crime Groups (Previous 12 months)



Force Area - Five Highest Crime Groups (Previous 12 months)



Wiltshire West CPT - crime and incident demand for the 12 months to August 2019

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## Force-wide

- Wiltshire Police has had an increase in the volume of recorded crime by 1% in the 12 months to August 19 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In August, we received 9,198 999 calls which we answered within 4 seconds on average and 13,576 CRIB calls which we answered within 1 minutes 24 seconds on average.
- In August, we also attended 1,823 emergency incidents within 10 minutes and 32 seconds on average.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 22% reduction in vehicle crime and 20 per cent in burglary in the 12 months to August 2019. These are the most improved trends in the country.
- The Crime Survey of England & Wales recently ranked Wiltshire as one of the top forces (78.3%) nationally for public confidence. It covers the 12 months to March 2019.  
The publication can be found here: [WWW.CRIMESURVEY.CO.UK](http://WWW.CRIMESURVEY.CO.UK)

For more information on Wiltshire Police's performance please visit:

PCC's Website - <https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/article/1847/Performance>

HMICFRS Website - <https://www.justiceinspectors.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/>

Police.uk - <https://www.police.uk/wiltshire>

## Area specific

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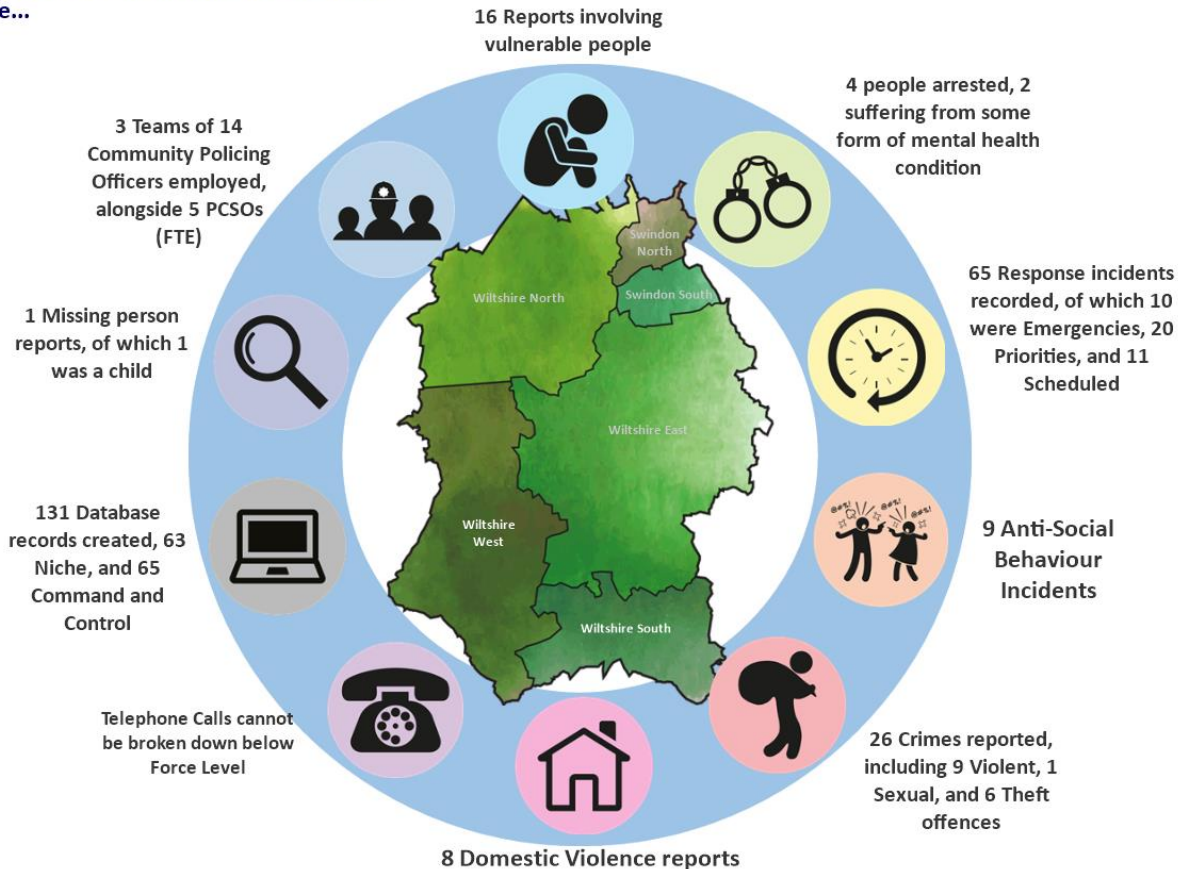
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On an average day in Wiltshire West there were...



Wiltshire West CPT Demand Overview – 12 months to August 2019

Every 2 weeks, 4 Community Speedwatch Schemes across West Wiltshire are selected by the Community Speedwatch Team for CPT support (additional targeting, enforcement and patrols) to supplement the CSW team planned sessions.

These are included in our weekly tasking document for action and update. All the results from the supplementary speed checks conducted are fed back to the relevant town and Parish Councils.

The speedwatch teams that were supported throughout August were :

Bratton, Westbury – 2 x checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

Chitterne, Warminster – 4 x checks completed, 8 drivers were issued words of advice with regards to their speed and 4

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drivers were issued with Traffic Offence Reports (TOR's)

Maiden Bradley, Warminster – 1 x check completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit.

Dilton Marsh, Westbury – 2 x checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit.

Bitham Park, Westbury – 1 x check completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit.

## **PCSO Turnbull and PCSO Tscherniawsky.**

Hare coursing season is upon us again. Those involved in coursing are also often involved in other types of Rural Crime as well

Hare coursing is illegal under the Hunting Act 2004. It is illegal to participate, attend, knowingly facilitate or permit land to be used for a hare coursing event.

Hare coursing with Lurchers or Greyhounds - generally referred to as sight hounds - involves dogs pursuing a live hare. Bets are placed on whether a dog will turn or catch the hare.

They sometimes use vehicles to flush hares out and then they chuck a dog out the door. Other times they will park up and walk and then release a dog

If you see coursing taking place please contact police on 999 at the time and quote "OP ARETEMIS

When calling Police try to provide as much detail as possible to help us deal effectively with this crime. Things that are useful are:-

Date/Time of incident even if your reporting after the incident on 101

Persons – number, ages, description of what they look like including clothing

Vehicles (please, if possible, include Make/Model/Colour of Vehicle. Full index or part index)

Items within vehicles

Dogs – breed, colour, number of dogs

And a finally a description of what the occupants and dogs are doing.

Locations

And Routes taken.

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## HIGH LEVEL CPT UPDATES:

### **TISBURY**

#### **Theft of Tools, metals and red diesel.**

There have been 6 reported incidents in August 2019. Please keep reporting suspicious activity with as much detail as possible to help us identify who is in the area and linking to offences.

If you have not signed up consider joining Community Messaging. If you have CCTV on site please register this with the site. It helps in investigations if Police know where there might be additional evidence (e.g. CCTV). This registration that you have CCTV is only shared with Police and requested in conjunction with an investigation.

[www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk](http://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk)

### **MERE**

#### **Robbery Update**

3<sup>rd</sup> August 2019 a Robbery occurred in East Knoyle. Daniel MONK 34 years old has been charged for this offence and pled guilty. He will be sentenced on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2019.

**Local policing news** – A resident raised the issue of speeding in the Mere area. Individual incidents of speeding reported will be dealt with by an Officer at the time they occur. If residents would like to raise a general concern please contact your Parish Council, who can ask for a "Traffic Count". If residents would like to consider starting a Community Speed Watch please see

[www.wiltshire.police.uk/article/782/Community-Speed-Watch](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk/article/782/Community-Speed-Watch)

Or contact Rodger Fooks - Community Speed Watch Coordinator

[rodger.fooks@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:rodger.fooks@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk)



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## YOUR CPT – Wiltshire West



Inspector Andy Fee

Sergeant Dan Green

### Community Co-ordinators:



PC Charly Chilton (Trowbridge)



PC Helen Daveridge (Westbury, Warminster, Tisbury and Mere)



PC Lee Pelling (Melksham)



PC Darren Foulger (Bradford on Avon)



PC Rich Salter (Warminster)

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- MERE -PCSO Peter TSCHERNIAWSKI - [peter.tscherniawsky@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:peter.tscherniawsky@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk)
- TISBURY – PCSO Neil Turnbull [Neil.turnbull@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Neil.turnbull@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk)
- PC Helen Daveridge – Community Coordinator (covering Mere and Tisbury in absence of PC Richard Salter)– [helen.daveridge@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:helen.daveridge@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk)
- [CPTWest@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:CPTWest@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk)
- PCSO Turnbull now offers drop in surgeries at The Nadder Centre in Tisbury. For the latest dates and times please see Nadder Centre Website and Tisbury Police Facebook page

You can find out more about Wiltshire West CPT, including news stories and contacts for local officers, on our website: [www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireWest](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireWest)

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## LOCAL PRIORITIES

PRIORITIES FOR WILTSHIRE WEST CPT	UPDATE
<b>Priority 1:</b>	
Hare Coursing and other rural concerns	As PCSO Turnbull's comments above Page 4), Wiltshire Police response is an Operation called OP Atremis. This operation Links actions and resources from Wiltshire Police, Rural Crime Partnership and Farmwatch
<b>Priority 2:</b>	
Theft from outbuilding (Farms and residential sheds	As part of rural patrols we are focusing on theft of metals/tools and fuels. Looking out for unusual activity and vehicle and building a picture of those criminals out and about not only stealing items but causing damage to premises in the act of theft
<b>Priority 3:</b>	
<b>Priority 4:</b>	



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## HIGH LEVEL PCC UPDATES

- **Recruitment** - A national recruitment campaign has now begun to recruit the additional officers promised by Prime Minister Boris Johnson. We still don't know what numbers we should expect in Wiltshire and await further detail from the Home Secretary.
- **Mental Health** - In recent years Wiltshire Police has seen an increase of almost 300 per cent in incidents related to mental health. In part, this is because of additional officer training in mental health and our mental health triage team which sit alongside call handlers correctly assessing and categorising these types of incidents. We have built strong working relationships with our partners, and I will continue to challenge them to make sure that gaps in mental health provisions are addressed.
- **Annual Report** - My annual report for 2018/19 has recently been published updating on the work of my office and the police against the priorities I set and can be found on my website. Highlights include officer recruitment, public engagement and the development of cyber-crime team.

## HIGH LEVEL FORCE UPDATES

- **Force Management Statement** – We have recently published a 20-page document which gives the public an easy to read summary of our Force Management Statement 2019. It is available on our website and breaks down the challenges and demands facing Wiltshire Police and what we are doing to combat them. We are encouraging people to make sure they read it to get more of an insight into modern policing.
- **Tasers** – There has been a national focus on officer safety over recent weeks, particularly around the debate about training more police officers to carry Tasers. This is a complex issue, and our Chief Constable and Police and Crime Commissioner are closely following a national evidence-based review into the matter. Updates on this will be published on our website.
- **Who You Gonna Call** – A social media campaign has been taking place throughout August to highlight the demand on our 101 and 999 call handlers. It has been designed to educate the public about the best ways to contact police, whether that be over the phone or online, and when it is more appropriate to contact partner agencies such as the local authority. Please have a look at our Facebook and Twitter pages for more information.

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## GET INVOLVED

- You can keep up to date with the latest news in your area by signing up to our Community Messaging service – [www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk](http://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk)
- You can follow your CPT on social media <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/Followus>
- More information on your CPT area can be found here: [www.wiltshire.police.uk](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk) and here [www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk)

## FEEDBACK/ACTIONS TAKEN