

# Trowbridge CPT Area Board Update



December 2021

WILTSHIRE POLICE

Proud to serve and **protect** our communities



@wiltshirepolice

# Your CPT - Trowbridge

**Inspector:** Gill Hughes

## **Neighbourhood Sergeants:**

Sgt James Twyford (Bradford on Avon, Melksham)

Sgt Charlie Chilton (Trowbridge)

## **Neighbourhood Officers:**

PC Louis Bowden (Bradford on Avon)

PC Jennifer Miller (Melksham)

PC Helen Daveridge, PC Simon Partington (Trowbridge)

## **PCSOs:**

Laura Wallace, Maria Badder (Bradford on Avon)

David Rowley, Luke Hosken, Mary Moore, Janet Gould (Melksham)

Liam Wilkins, Kerena Walters, Rhianna Annetts, Jack Thomas, Oliver Gilmour, Sophie Piper, Matthew Till, Robyn Dentry, Tom Storm (Trowbridge)

# Performance – 12 months to November 2021

## Force

- Wiltshire Police recorded crime has been stable with a slight increase by 0.1% in the 12 months to November 2021 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 13.3% reduction in vehicle crime and a reduction of 15.5% in residential burglaries in the 12 months to November 2021.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In November 2021, we received:
  - 7,181 '999' calls, (answered within 9 seconds on average);
  - 11,146 '101' calls, (answered within 10 seconds on average);
  - 11,390 'CRIB' calls, (answered within 2 minutes 20 seconds on average).
- In November 2021, we also attended 1,586 emergency incidents within 10 minutes and 11 seconds on average.

Crime Type	Crime Volume	% of Crime
<b>Totals</b>	<b>39,281</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Violence without injury	6,947	17.7
Violence with injury	5,696	14.5
Criminal damage	4,930	12.6
Stalking and harassment	4,064	10.3
Public order offences	3,687	9.4
Other crime type	13,958	35.5

## Trowbridge CPT

Crime Type	Crime Volume	% of Crime
<b>Totals</b>	<b>5,467</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Violence without injury	1,099	20.1
Violence with injury	870	15.9
Criminal damage	727	13.3
Stalking and harassment	549	10.0
Public order offences	518	9.5
Other crime type	1,704	31.2

### Stop and Search information for Trowbridge CPT

During the 12 months leading to October 2021, 272 stop and searches were conducted in the Trowbridge area of which 68.8% related to a search for controlled drugs.

During 67.6% of these searches, no object was found. In 31.3% of cases, an object was found. Of these cases 72.8% resulted in a no further action disposal; 27.2% resulted in police action being taken; 7.7% resulted in an arrest.

Of the stop and search subjects who defined their ethnicity:

- White – 237 stop and searches.
- Mixed Ethnicity – 4 stop and searches
- Black or Black British – 15 stop and searches
- Asian or Asian British – 1 stop and search

# Local Priorities & Updates

Priority	Update
Melksham Town ASB	<p>ASB in the Town Centre remained at similar levels to previous months, despite the Christmas Break. Only 17 Logs were recorded in the Month of December.</p> <p>We have Charged a Youth with Criminal Damage and a Public Order Offence, following an incident in The Littlebrook Centre. We will also be giving particular attention to this Centre in the coming Month.</p>
Melksham Town -Night Time Economy	<p>The Neighbourhood Team conducted countless Licenced Premises Checks during December; which was a Month of Record Lows for NTE-related issues in the Town. Jordan LUCAS, of Chippenham, has been Disqualified from Driving for 20 months and fined £480 after being caught Drink Driving on Beanacre Road on 19<sup>th</sup> December.</p> <p>Joseph CLARK of Chippenham has been Charged with Assaulting an Emergency Worker, after swinging a punch at a Paramedic who was trying to treat him for a drink-related injury in Melksham High Street on 10<sup>th</sup> December.</p> <p>Two other people remain under investigation in relation to minor Assaults on Christmas Eve.</p>
Shoplifting	<p>Operation Elf has now concluded. The Neighbourhood Team spent a considerable amount of time in and around Retail Premises in uniform and plain clothes.</p> <p>Only six offences of Shoplifting came to light in the Month; of which three are still under investigation. One incident also highlighted a Safeguarding Concern for a child, which has been addressed appropriately.</p>

# Local Priorities & Updates Continued

Priority	Update



# Useful links

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

- PCC's Website - <https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/>
- HMICFRS Website - <https://www.justiceinspectorates.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/>
- Police.uk - <https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/wiltshire-police/>
- For information on what crimes and incidents have been reported in the Trowbridge Community Policing Team area, visit <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/police-forces/wiltshire-police/areas/about-us/about-us/cpts/trowbridge-cpt/> to view a crime and incident map and find links to more detailed data

# Get Involved

Keep up to date with the latest news and alerts in your area by signing up to our **Community Messaging service** – [www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk](http://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk)

## Follow your CPT on social media

- [Trowbridge Police Facebook](#)
- [Trowbridge Police Twitter](#)
- [Melksham Police Facebook](#)
- [Bradford on Avon Facebook](#)

Find out more information on your CPT area at: [www.wiltshire.police.uk](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk) and here [www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk)

