

WILTSHIRE POLICE



Area Board Update

Royal Wootton Bassett Community Policing Team

July 2022



Your CPT – Royal Wootton Bassett

Inspector: James Brain

Neighbourhood Sergeant: Sgt Kate Smith

Neighbourhood Officers:

PC Jo Phelps (Malmesbury and Cricklade)

PC Lucy Wright (RWB, Purton and Lyneham)

PCSOs:

Laura Maplesden / Kelly Hillier (Royal Wootton Bassett Town)

Andrew Singfield (Royal Wootton Bassett Rural)

Monique Beasley (Royal Wootton Bassett Rural / Cricklade and Purton)

John Bordiss (Ashton Keynes and Minety)

Juliet Evans (Malmesbury Rural)

Becky Walsh (Malmesbury Town)

Performance – 12 Months to June 2022

Force

- Wiltshire Police recorded crime reports a YoY increase of 10.5% in the 12 months to June 2022 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country per 1,000 population.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 18.1% increase in violence without injury crimes in the 12 months to June 2022.
- In June 2022, we received:
 - 9,427 '999' calls, which we answered within 8 seconds on average;
 - 11,522 '101' calls, which we answered within 16 seconds on average;
 - 12,522 CRIB calls, which we answered within 2 minutes and 27 seconds on average.
- In June 2022, we also attended 1,718 emergency incidents within 9 minutes and 36 seconds on average.

| Crime Type | Crime Volume | % of Crime |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Totals | 42,401 | 100.0 |
| Violence without injury | 7,456 | 17.6 |
| Violence with injury | 6,268 | 14.8 |
| Criminal damage | 5,139 | 12.1 |
| Stalking and harassment | 4,172 | 9.8 |
| Public order offences | 4,104 | 9.7 |
| Other crime type | 15,262 | 36.0 |

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| Crime Type | Crime Volume | % of Crime |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Totals | 1,847 | 100.0 |
| Violence without injury | 339 | 18.4 |
| Violence with injury | 281 | 15.2 |
| Criminal damage | 226 | 12.2 |
| Stalking and harassment | 226 | 12.2 |
| Public order offences | 156 | 8.4 |
| Other crime type | 619 | 33.5 |

Stop and Search information for Royal Wootton Bassett CPT

During the 12 months leading to May 2022, 58 stop and searches were conducted in the Royal Wootton Bassett area of which 70.7% related to a search for controlled drugs.

During 78.3% of these searches, no object was found. In 20% of cases, an object was found. Of these cases 68.3% resulted in a no further action disposal; 18.3% resulted in police action being taken; 9.2% resulted in an arrest.

Of the stop and search subjects who defined their ethnicity:

- White – 93 stop and searches
- Black or Black British – 9 stop and searches
- Asian or Asian British – 6 stop and searches
- Mixed – 4 stop and searches

Performance – Hate Crime Overview

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Hate Crime is reporting as stable, with a slight loss of seasonality since the impact of Covid. Volumes are now reporting flatter across the year. Year on year reporting increases in Transgender and Sexual Orientation related hate which follows National trends.

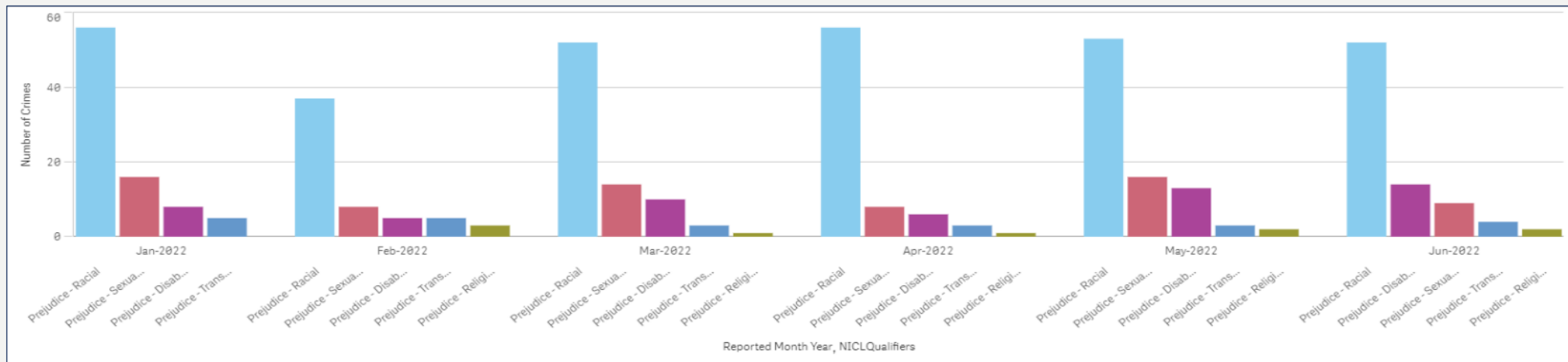
Work by the Hate Crime Silver Scrutiny Panel on hate crime video to raise awareness of Hate Crime and how to report it, including details surrounding how the Criminal Justice System responds to it is ongoing. There is an increased focus on Out of Court Disposal outcomes relating to Hate Crimes.

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| | Number of Crimes | Change (number) | Change (%) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|
| Total | 31 | 11 | 55% |
| Prejudice – Racial | 28 | 16 | 133.3% |
| Prejudice – Sexual orientation | 3 | -3 | -50.0% |
| Prejudice - Disability | 0 | -2 | -100.0% |
| Prejudice - Religion | 1 | 1 | 0.0% |
| Prejudice - Transgender | 0 | 0 | 0.0% |

Year on year comparison June 2021 to June 2022 (note: an individual crime can be tagged with more than one prejudice type e.g. sexual orientation & transgender)

Force Hate Crime (6 months to June 2022)



Local Priorities & Updates

| Priority | Update |
|-------------|--|
| ASB | ASB patrols within the Town Centre including investigation into series of graffiti incidents across the town . Several suspects have been identified and interviews planned (RWB) |
| ASB | Ongoing issues with criminal damage to rolling stock and stations and trespassing on the line at Cricklade Railway – Targeted patrols to identify individuals (Purton / Cricklade) |
| ASB | ASB Patrols Cricklade High Street late in the evening / early morning following reports of ASB within the vicinity of local Public House (Cricklade) |
| OP Staysail | Police Operation to prevent illegal car meets within rural Wiltshire Towns (RWB / Cricklade) |

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 Royal Wootton Bassett Community Policing Team area, visit <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/police-forces/wiltshire-police/areas/about-us/about-us/cpts/royal-wootton-bassett-area-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

Follow your CPT on social media

- [Royal Wootton Bassett Police Facebook](#)
- [Royal Wootton Bassett Police Twitter](#)
- [Malmesbury Police Facebook](#)
- [Malmesbury Police Twitter](#)

Find out more information on your CPT area at: www.wiltshire.police.uk and here www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk

The screenshot shows the Wiltshire Police website. At the top is a blue navigation bar with the Wiltshire Police logo and a search bar. Below the navigation bar are five menu items: "Report", "Tell us about", "Apply or register", "Request", and "Feedback". The main content area has a breadcrumb trail: "Home > About us > CPTs". The heading is "Royal Wootton Bassett Area CPT". The text below reads: "CPT Royal Wootton Bassett covers the areas of Royal Wootton Bassett, Malmesbury, Cricklade, Ashton Keynes and surrounding areas. To contact your CPT about a community-related matter, such as a school visit, then please email RoyalWoottonBassettAreaCPT@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk. Please note that this mailbox is not monitored 24/7. You are unable to report crimes of any type via email and please do not report any situations that require an urgent response. In the case of an emergency please contact 999 and for non-urgent crimes and incidents, please call 101 or [Report a crime here](#). You see a map of [crimes in the Royal Wootton Bassett area](#) by visiting www.police.uk".