

WILTSHIRE POLICE

Malmesbury CPT Area Board report



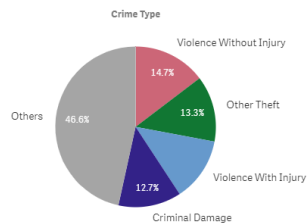
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Update for Community Policing Teams to present at Area Boards and public meetings.

PERFORMANCE

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



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Wiltshire North CPT - crime and incident demand for the 12 months to May 2019

Force-wide

- Wiltshire Police has reduced the volume of recorded crime by 1% in the 12 months to March 19 and has one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In May we received 8,429 999 calls which we answered within 3 seconds on average and 13,294 CRIB calls which we answered within 1 minute 3 seconds on average.
- In May, we also attended 1543 emergency incidents within 10 minutes and 13 seconds on average.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 46% increase in cybercrime (includes stalking & harassment, sexual offences and public order) in the 12 months to March 2019. This shows one example of the changing nature of demand on the police.
- The Crime Survey of England & Wales recently ranked Wiltshire as one of the top forces nationally for public confidence. It covers the 12 months to December 2018 The publication can be found here: 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>

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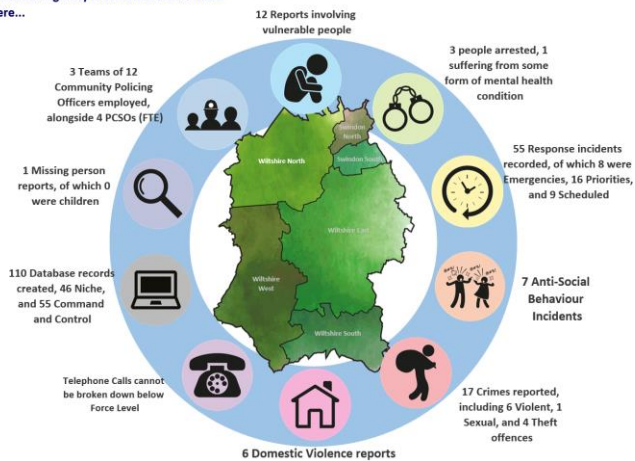
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HMICFRS Website - <https://www.justiceinspectors.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/>

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

Area specific

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



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HIGH LEVEL CPT UPDATES:

Incidents to note:

Unfortunately, there have been reports of burglaries across the North Wiltshire Sector. High visibility patrols have been put in place, which includes our Firearms / Dog section Officers. We have also reached out to our Parish Councils and Neighbourhood watch schemes so they can offer home security advice to their members/residents.

Burglary: 11th May between 06:00hrs – 21:00hrs – Loiret Crescent, Malmesbury
Unknown suspect(s) have removed the plastic surround and caused chips to paint work around the window. No entry was gained and no items taken.

Burglary: 21st May between 01:00hrs – 02:00hrs – Bransdown Hill, Pinkney.
2/3 unknown males seen on CCTV at the rear of the injured parties property. Suspect(s) have gained entry to the property via a side window. Nothing stolen, the suspects were deterred by owner's dog.

Burglary: 25th May 2019 – Brook Hill, Sherston
Unknown suspect(s) have gained entry to the IP's home via a small window by the front door. A set of keys have been removed from inside the property and used to steal the victim's car. The stolen car was later recovered in Malmesbury.

Burglary: 20th June 2019 between 18:00hrs on 19th June and 13:00hrs on 20th June. – Honey Lane, Norton.
Unknown suspect(s) has smashed a small pane of glass to gain entry to the property. Suspect(s) have then broken into a cupboard inside the property and stolen a clock. Suspect(s) has attempted to break into a stable where a lawn mower is stored, but failed to gain access.

There have been various reports of anti-social behaviour in Malmesbury that have been reported to the police in the last few weeks. Young people have been seen to enter the Library grounds after dark and possibly smoking cannabis whilst on the grounds. Other reports of youths causing minor damage to vehicles parked in the Cross Hayes car park. The Cloisters behind the Abbey continues to cause some concerns in relation to under-age drinking and anti-social behaviour.

On 25th May – a large group of youths were reported to be causing issues in the Cloisters. An ambulance had to be called due to one male being intoxicated. When Police arrived a 16 year old male was arrested for Public Order offences. This male is now working closely with our Youth Offending Team and has also agreed to work with Motivate.

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On 28th June – Local Police Officers and Police Community Support Officers will be carrying out a planned action day in Malmesbury. Our aim is to tackle any anti-social behaviour in the town centre and to engage with the youths. Part of this day will also be to carry out Licencing checks on the pubs in the town centre. The result to this will follow in our next report.

YOUR CPT – Wiltshire North



Inspector Mark Luffman



Sergeant Don Pocock



PC Rachel Davies community coordinator Malmesbury, Royal Wootton Bassett and Cricklade



PCSO Juliet Evans Malmesbury rural



PCSO John Bordiss
Malmesbury, Ashton Keynes, Minety

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PCSO Jordan Rose Malmesbury

You can find out more about Wiltshire North CPT, including news stories and contacts for local officers, on our website: www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireNorth

LOCAL PRIORITIES

PRIORITIES FOR WILTSHIRE NORTH CPT	UPDATE
Priority 1: ASB Malmesbury Town centre and The Cloisters	
<p>Increased Police patrols in The Cloisters and town centre of Malmesbury, due to reports of underage drinking and anti-social behaviour.</p> <p>Police are working closely with Wiltshire council to address the issues.</p>	

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HIGH LEVEL PCC UPDATES

- **101 call charges dropped** - At present 101 callers are charged a 15p connection fee by the telephony company. From next year this charge will no longer apply and calls to 101 will be free, after the Home Office pledged £5 million each year to cover the cost.
- **Recruitment** - To update on the additional officers and staff promised earlier this year, we had three transferees police officers start this month and another ten due to start in September. Police officers currently have five months initial training and a two-year probation period. It takes time to recruit and train officers to a high standard. During May 20 new police officers began their training and we are planning for a double intake of 40 students in October. From then our police officer recruitment is changing with three new entry routes, including a new three-year Police Constable Apprenticeship Degree, starting in June 2020. We are also on track to have 12 additional Community Co-ordinators in post across the county to focus on improved visibility and community engagement.
- **Domestic Violence campaign** - As part of a joint campaign with Wiltshire Police the PCC wrote an open letter to residents last month outlining what constitutes domestic abuse, the support available to victims and promoted Clare's Law which allows individuals to enquire about their partner, friend or family member's past. In 2018, 299 people used this scheme.

HIGH LEVEL FORCE UPDATES

- **New ACCs appointed** - Wiltshire Police has appointed two new Assistant Chief Constables. ACC Mark Cooper joined the Force from Dorset Police on 20 May and is due to be followed by ACC Maggie Blyth on 4 June. You can read more about them both on our website: <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/article/4482/New-appointments-to-Wiltshire-Police-leadership-team>
- **National Volunteers' Week** – During the first seven days of June we will be celebrating those who support Wiltshire Police by giving up their time and skills for free. We will be highlighting the invaluable support we receive from various groups, including our Specials and Community Speed Watch.
- **Recruitment** – We are currently recruiting into a wide range of police staff roles. This includes Police Community Support Officers, Contact Centre Operators and Local Crime Investigators. If you are interested in a career with Wiltshire Police please go to our website for more details.

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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
- 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 and here www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk

FEEDBACK/ACTIONS TAKEN