

**Police Report**  
**Filey Town Council**  
**April 2021**



**Crime Figures 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020 – 29<sup>th</sup> March 2021**

Group	Crime Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Diff 2021 from 2020	
Victim Based	Arson & Criminal Damage	44	52	46	-6	
	Burglary	13	16	24	+8	
	Sexual Offences	9	16	6	-10	
	Theft	51	44	38	-6	
	Fraud	9	39	41	+2	
	Robbery	0	1	0	-1	
	Vehicle Offences	10	13	11	-2	
	Violence against the person	101	155	115	-40	
	<b>Total victim-based crimes</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>-55</b>	
Crimes Against Society	Drug Offences	8	10	6	-4	
	Misc Crimes Against Society	14	11	2	-9	
	Possession of Weapons	3	4	2	-2	
	Public Order Offences	14	15	17	+2	
		<b>Total crimes against society</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>-13</b>
		<b>Total</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>-68</b>

## March 2021

There were 115 incidents reported in Filey during March.

02/03/2021 17:40 - A scam call was received by a resident from someone purporting to be PC Barker from Scotland Yard (Met Police). The scammer stated their bank card had been used to the tune of £800 to purchase a laptop. They were asked numerous questions but became suspicious and put the phone down. This is the correct action, please do not engage with these criminals.

07/03/2021 11:57 - Four covid tickets were issued to visitors from South Yorkshire on the beach at Filey.

08/03/2021 11:00 - A fraudulent call was received in the form of a pre-recorded message. The message stated that it was the HMRC, they had committed tax fraud and the Police were coming to arrest them within the next couple of hours if they didn't press 1. Please continue to share with any elderly or vulnerable residents or relatives the fact that these calls are scams and they must put the phone straight down on them. If you don't engage with them, they cannot take anything from you.

20/03/2021 23:11 - Four covid tickets issued at Filey Country Park to people who had travelled over from West Yorkshire to have a fire and drink beer.

20/03/2021 23:11 - Two covid tickets issued at Filey Country Park to people who had travelled over from Lincolnshire to camp overnight.

20/03/2021 23:11 - One covid ticket issued at Filey Country Park to a person who had travelled in a camper van to stay overnight.

22/03/2021 10:56 - At some point between 19/03/21 and 22/03/21, a shed door was damaged on land off Grove Road in Filey, in a possible attempt to gain entry. Nothing was stolen from within.

We received 12 reports of concern for safety of individuals in your ward area during March. These incidents invariably relate to people in distress. We work closely with the Street Triage Mental Health Team at Cross Lane who carry Police radios with them, we also have support from Mental Health professionals who work in our control room. This is sadly becoming an increasing trend but we always ensure the people receive the best help available at the time and refer them to other agencies. If necessary, they are referred into the weekly meeting we have with other agencies from around the Borough where we can discuss courses of action to provide best support.

The average time taken to answer 101 calls in March 2021 was 252 seconds.

During March we dealt with 802 incidents across the area as a whole, a breakdown of these follows (not inclusive of all incidents):-

- 2 injury/death RTCs.
- 18 damage only RTCs.
- 35 road related offences, drink/drug driving, no insurance/license/dangerous driving/speeding etc...
- 71 reports of suspicious circumstances.
- 1 missing person.
- 0 firearms incident.
- 9 hoax calls.
- 4 Domestic Violence Disclosure Schemes – *commonly referred to as 'Clare's Law' The Scheme was introduced to set out procedures that could be used by the police in relation to disclosure of information about previous violent and abusive offending by a potentially violent individual to their partner where this may help protect them from further violent and abusive offending.*
- 32 domestic incidents/violence.
- 81 concern for safety incidents.
- 2 civil disputes.
- 2 animal incidents
- 13 highway disruptions

- 62 violence crimes.
- 7 sexual offences.
- 18 thefts.
- 0 stolen motor vehicles.
- 30 fraud or forgery.
- 3 drug offences.
- 19 criminal damages.
- 5 dwelling or commercial burglaries.
- 3 auto crimes.
- 168 anti-social behaviour reports.

### **Other News**

Please note that in addition to the traditional 999 or 101 we can be contacted on our email address is [snafiley@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:snafiley@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk). Please do not report incidents to this email, but if you would like to speak to a member of our team for advice then please use it.

If an incident of Anti-Social Behaviour occurs which you would like Police to deal with then please report this as soon as possible after the event to allow Officers the best chance to deal with the culprits. Please do not wait until next time you happen to bump into an Officer or Parish Councillor. It allows us to make connections with other incidents and deal with individuals for patterns of behaviour rather than incidents in isolation. It does not matter if no suspects have been seen or cannot be identified; we may have this reported on another nearby incident and be able to link them.

If you wish to look at crime statistics, along with stop-searches, news & events and other information for your area, then please visit [www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk). There is a multitude of information on this website.

- Still always phone 999 in emergency and 101 to report incidents or crimes.
- 999 text service - <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/contact/emergency-sms-text-service/>
- Local Station but likely not get same day response at present - [snafiley@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:snafiley@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk)
- General NYP email address - [generalenquiries@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:generalenquiries@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk)
- Who to contact for any issue & other agency contact details <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/do-it-online/report-it/>
- NYP service directory - <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/do-it-online/service-directory/>
- General Police advice - <https://www.askthe.police.uk/content/default.mth>
- Silent solution system, helps victims of domestic violence/stalking who cannot talk - <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/contact/the-silent-solution-system/>



# Derwent & Hertford Rural Watch – April

Thieves, poachers, burglars, scammers never stop – not even for lockdown - and the Rural Safer Neighbourhood Team and Off-road Motorbike team have been stepping up their great works within our areas. They have carried out regular patrols, responded to calls, also carried out patrols in the Wykeham forestry areas to deter off-road vehicles/cyclists/motorbikes, especially on weekends.

It is also up to us to do our own part by staying alert and keeping an eye out for anyone or anything suspicious and reporting incidents to 101 or 999; please do not share explicit information on social media as this could cause problems for any future prosecution and possibly get you into trouble for libel if what you post is found to be untrue!!



Poachers do not only take game and fish, they also destroy crops and farm property; as they are often armed, you are strongly advised not to approach any poachers but either report using the #ProjectPoacher app ([projectpoacher.com](http://projectpoacher.com)) which will talk you through how to report a crime and #What3Words ([what3words.com](http://what3words.com)) which is a great app; if you are not sure of your exact location and need to report an incident #What3Words is a great app to use!

And of-course there are the scammers/phishers/catfishers online also waiting to bait us with their wily websites, too-good-to-be-true deals or tax returns, those who are just waiting for the lost and lonely to be reeled in by either pretending to be someone they are not (catfishing) or by just taking advantage of those who are vulnerable and scamming them out of their hard-earned savings.

It is not an all-bad world out there though!

If we -

- are careful of what links we click on,
- double-check information that is supposed to be from everyday websites, they can be so deceiving – often the sites look genuine, but they could have been cloned, and
- ensure you do not give out personal information online or over the phone unless we are 100% certain that the source is trustworthy – the slightest doubt, break contact and double check.

then all these things can all go toward keeping you safe, both online and offline. **But it cannot be stressed enough – you MUST call the Police to report things, not putting things on social media. If you are unsure which number to call, ring 999 if something is happening and 101 if you are calling with information.**

If you wish to become a member of the Derwent & Hertford Rural WhatsApp Group, please contact Trish on [trishcolling@gmail.com](mailto:trishcolling@gmail.com) or 07974 913105.

Until next time.....

#StayHome #ProtecttheNHS and “StaySafe”



### **Community SpeedWatch**

If you wish to make a complaint about speeding, please email – [communityspeedwatch@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:communityspeedwatch@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk) and they will get in touch to discuss what options are available. This can range from enforcement from speed vans to members of the Community being trained in the use of a speed gun!

### **Community Messaging is “Live”**

If you wish to receive community news via messaging, please visit the North Yorkshire Police website – Community Messaging and sign up or speak with a member of the Safer Neighbourhood Team

### **Crimestoppers**

If you have any information you would like to pass on in confidence, please contact Crimestoppers on **0800 555 111**



### **Property Marking**

Consider marking your expensive property – such as laptops, iPads, game consoles and TVs. Your local Neighbourhood Team will be happy to assist with this.

Also, register your new property at [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com)

## **Local News**

Here is where you will see local news posted – could be a forthcoming fete, Show or roadshow. Contact [Matthew.Hazelwood@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Matthew.Hazelwood@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk) to “advertise” your event here !!

For any complaints regarding 101 or other issues, please go to the North Yorkshire Police Website, click – Contact us at the top of the page, then ‘complain to us box’

Or go straight to it by this link - <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/contact/complain-to-us/>



# Contact NYP



## Your Local Team

### Beat Manager

PC 250 Walton

PC 500 Sim

### PCSOs

PCSO 5509 Almond

PCSO 3571 Leeson

PCSO 5590 Pearce

PCSO 3844 Jennings

PCSO 3886 Ridley

PCSO 3680 Weatherley

## Useful Contact Numbers

Highways	01609 780 780
NHS	111
Local Dog Warden	01723 232323
Action Fraud	0300 123 2040



Local Twitter – [@NYP\\_FileySNA](#)

Force Twitter – [@NYorksPolice](#)

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**Local Page** – Filey Police

**Force Page** – North Yorkshire Police