



June 2023 Howe of Fife & Taycoast Community Council Report

Introduction

Welcome to June's Howe of Fife Community Council Report from your local officers, PC Mark Lowe and PC Kirstie Haddow.

YOUR COMMUNITY NEEDS YOU!

We continue to appeal for members of the community to participate in the Community Speed Watch Campaign.

We would like to thank the volunteers that have already come forward and would like to encourage anyone else interested to make contact with us.

We officially started our Community Speed Watch during May with a few of our willing volunteers being deployed.

Community Speed Watch involves local resident volunteers being deployed on our roads with speed detection devices to provide a visible presence to deter and identify speeding motorists in hot spot areas.

If you require any further information with regards to this campaign, or would like to be considered as a volunteer then please contact us at the e-mail address listed below.

Email – HoweOfFifeTaycoastCPT@Scotland.police.uk



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Calls Received (up to end of June 2023)

Since 1st June 2023, Police have received 319 calls in the Howe of Fife and Taycoast area resulting in 34 crimes being recorded. This breaks down as follows:

Auchtermuchty

37 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public, Crimes of Disorder, Concern for Persons, Crimes of Dishonesty and Road Traffic Matters

5 recorded crimes –

1 x Crime of Disorder

3 x Crimes of Dishonesty

1 x Vandalism

Strathmiglo

21 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public, Road Traffic Matter, Concern for persons and crime of dishonesty.

2 x recorded crimes -

1 x Crime of dishonesty

1 x Road Traffic Offence

Gateside

6 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public and crimes of disorder.

2 recorded crimes -

2 x Crimes of Disorder

Ladybank

56 calls to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matters, Assist Members of the Public, crimes of disorder, crimes of dishonesty and Concern for Persons.

7 recorded crimes –

3 x Crime of Disorder

2 x Crime of Dishonesty

1 x Vandalism

1 Road traffic Offence

Giffordtown (Giffordtown, Edentown, Charlottetown, Kinloch)

1 call to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matter

0 x Recorded Crime

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Dunshalt

2 calls to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matter and Assist member of Public

1 crime recorded –

1 x Road Traffic Offence

Falkland & Newton of Falkland

24 calls to the police consisting of Assist members of the public, Concern for Persons, crimes of dishonesty and Road Traffic Matters

2 recorded crimes –

1 x crime of dishonesty

1 x crime of disorder

Freuchie

40 calls to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matters, Concern for persons and Crimes of Dishonesty, Assist Members of the public and disorder

5 recorded crimes -

2 x Crimes of Dishonesty

2 x Crimes of Disorder

1 x Road Traffic Offence

Kettle (Kettlebridge, Kingskettle)

12 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public, Concern for persons, Crimes of Dishonesty, disorder and Road Traffic Matters

1 recorded crime

1 x dishonesty

Newburgh

60 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public, Road Traffic Matters, Crimes of disorder, Crimes of dishonesty, Crime of Violence and concern for persons

7 x recorded crimes -

3 x Crimes of Dishonesty

1 x vandalism

2 x Crimes of Disorder

Monimail (Bow of Fife, Collessie, Monimail, Letham)

12 calls to the police consisting of Assist Members of the Public and Road Traffic Matters

0 x recorded crimes

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Creich & Flisk (Creich, Brunton, Luthrie)

5 calls to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matter and Assist Members of the public

1 Recorded Crime

1 X Road Traffic Offence

Abdie & Dunbog (Abdie, Dunbog, Lindores, Grange of Lindores, Den of Lindores)

9 calls to the police consisting of Road Traffic Matter, Crime of Dishonesty and Assist Member of Public

1 Recorded Crime: -

1 X Crime of Dishonesty

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Local News and Priorities

OPERATION PARAMOUNT – Road Safety

Following our recruitment campaign we have received 3 further volunteer applications for community speedwatch which are being processed and candidates should be deployed in the near future.

Summer Village Events

We are attending the Summer Fun day in Strathmiglo on Sunday 2nd July and hope to meet as many of you there as possible.

If you are organising or intending to have any village events that you would like to see your Local Community Officers attend, please contact us at the e-mail address

HoweOfFifeTaycoastCPT@Scotland.police.uk to make us aware of upcoming dates in your respective areas and we will do our best to attend as many as possible.

Nursery Visit

During the month of June, PC's Haddow and Lowe attended Smart Cookies Nursery in Falkland where they met the pre-school children and introduced themselves; allowing the children to dress up as officers, see the equipment an officer uses on a daily basis, including the vehicle equipment – blue lights and sirens. As you see from the photos below they thoroughly enjoyed themselves.



National Campaign – It'll Cost You

PC's Lowe and Haddow have been out during the month of June canvassing local licensed premises increasing awareness of the sale of alcohol to person's underage and purchasing alcohol by proxy. By raising awareness we hope to reduce the number of attempted purchases of alcohol for under 18's, reduce the crime in the area and reduce anti-social behaviour/noise in the area.

Look out for our campaign in your area and find out more at **www.itwillcostyou.com**

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Contact Details

Your local community officers are PC 442 Mark Lowe and PC 189 Kirstie Haddow. Below is the local contact email address for your local community team.

This is not for reporting a crime but if you feel you require to contact your local community officer then the email address is the best way to do so.

Email – HoweOfFifeTaycoastCPT@Scotland.police.uk

If you do not have access to the internet then you can call 101 and the call handler can send an email on your behalf.

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