



January 2025 Howe of Fife & Taycoast Community Council Newsletter

Introduction

Welcome to January's Howe of Fife Community Council Newsletter from your local officers, PC Mark Lowe, PC Kirstie Haddow and Sergeant Nicola Gillespie.

Community Engagement

Throughout the month of January, PC's Lowe and Haddow have continued with their visits to local primary schools assisting with the curriculum talking about transport.



Unipar Deployments



Officers have been carrying out Unipar Deployments within the Howe of Fife area to combat the ongoing issues with vehicles exceeding the speed limit. No offences were detected however the visible presence of police in the area had a positive effect of acting as a deterrent.

How to contact the Police to Report Crime

Always dial 999 in an emergency

By phone – 101 for non-emergencies 0300 426 0101 if calling from outwith the UK. Network charges may apply.

Online – for issues of a non-serious nature using web address:

www.scotland.police.uk/contact-us

In person at your local enquiry office.

Text Relay - 18001101 for deaf, deafened, hard of hearing or speech-impaired callers

In writing – to PO BOX 2460, Dalmarnock, Glasgow, G40 9BA

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COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

We are always keen to engage with members of the Community Council and elected members and would welcome you and the public to get in touch with us regarding any issues they wish to raise. Please contact us on our team email address.

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.

Calls Received (To end of January 2025)

Since 1st January 2025, Police have received 271 calls in the Howe of Fife and Taycoast area resulting in 29 crimes being recorded. This breaks down as follows:

Auchtermuchty

48 calls to the police which resulted in

5 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of road traffic matters, dishonesties, disorder, concern for persons and assist members of public.

It should be noted that 19 of these calls involved two separate individuals which are of no concern to the general public.

Strathmiglo

22 calls to the police which resulted in

3 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of road traffic matters, anti-social behaviour, concern for persons and assist members of public.

It should be noted that 9 of these calls involved one individual which is of no concern to the general public.

Gateside

3 calls to the police which resulted in

0 recorded crime

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Calls consisted of road traffic matters

Ladybank

62 calls to the police which resulted in

6 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of road traffic matters, disorder, dishonesty, assisting members of public and concern for persons.

It should be noted that 13 of these calls related to two separate individuals of which there is no concern for the general public

Giffordtown (Giffordtown, Edentown, Charlottetown, Kinloch)

0 calls to the police

0 recorded crimes

Dunshalt

1 call to the police which was for assist member of the public.

0 recorded crimes

Falkland & Newton of Falkland

12 calls to the police which resulted in

3 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of road traffic matters, disorder, dishonesty assist members of the public and concern for persons.

Freuchie

19 calls to the police which resulted in

3 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of Road Traffic Matters, dishonesty, disorder, concern for persons and assist members of public.

Kettle (Kettlebridge, Kingskettle)

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18 calls to the police which resulted in

2 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of assist members of the public, disorder, road traffic matters wildlife matter and concern for persons.

Newburgh

41 calls to the police which resulted in

7 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of were road traffic matters, disorder, dishonesty, concern for persons and assist members of the public.

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

8 calls to the police which resulted in

1 recorded crime

Calls consisted of road traffic matters, wildlife matter, and the remainder consisted of concern for person.

Creich & Flisk (Creich, Brunton, Luthrie)

6 calls to the police which resulted in

0 recorded crimes

Calls consisted of road traffic matter and assist members of the public

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

3 calls to the police which resulted in

0 recorded crime

Calls consisted of road traffic matter, and assist members of the public

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.

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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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