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## **Willerby & Kirkella, Tranby & Anlaby November 2021**

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##### **1. CRIME & ASB**

Detailed crime and ASB data for your area can be obtained by visiting [www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk) and following the 'Find your Neighbourhood' link.

##### **2. What's happening in Your Area**

**Burglary reports** – Just two reports of burglary across Tranby Ward one of which was to a semi-detached property with a garage and an outbuilding used as a shed. Unknown persons enter victim's garden and smash security light before making an attempt to gain entry to the garage. Persons then having failed to gain entry to the garage have gone to the outbuilding forcing the lock to gain entry and stealing items from within before making off. An attempt was made to a garage after unknown suspect cuts out a panel from the door, no access was gained.

**Vehicle crime** – Four reports made last month across Willerby and Kirkella Ward, two of which were damage related, one vehicle had its rear nearside door keyed with an unknown sharp instrument and another vehicle had its side door handle pulled off dinting the passenger side of the front bumper. A motorcycle which was parked and secure in pub car park was stolen by unknown means and another vehicle had its rear window smashed in order to gain entry, stealing fishing gear from within. Enquiries are underway. A further several reports were made across Tranby Ward during October, two of which are theft of mopeds. A Land Rover Discovery which was parked outside victims home had both its wing mirrors and rear number plate stolen. A further two vehicles in the vicinity of Manor Way had their wing mirror deliberately kicked. At least several company vehicles which were parked on site at MKM Buildings were entered, stealing phones, fuel cards, driver cards as well as bank and credit cards. Finally two youths entered victims garden and steal number plate from moped before making off.

**Check Your Fob has done its Job!** Don't assume your vehicle is secure – always check doors are locked before you walk away and recheck before you settle down for the night. Consider a faraday pouch to keep your keys/fob safe and never leave them in range of your vehicle – think about keeping them at the other side of the house. Please remove all valuables from vehicle when left unattended and leave the glove-box open and empty to reduce the opportunity of becoming a victim.

**Shop theft** – Four reports made last month, 3 of which occurred across Willerby & Kirkella Ward.

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**Criminal damage** – Just two reports across Tranby Ward last month which saw a male in drink causing criminal damage to the windows of a Methodist church with a rock. Male is later arrested for the offence and enquiries continue. At least four youths were seen to throw what appeared to be stones at the MKM Storage Facility resulting in a window shattering. Meanwhile across Willerby & Kirkella Ward at least fourteen properties within Well Lane had their garden walls deliberately damaged by unknown persons. Enquiries are underway. Another property off Ashgate Road had their front garden and wall damaged by pushing the wall over.

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### **3. Community Priorities for November 2021**

#### **Halloween and Bonfire Night**

Thank you to all for making Halloween safe for all. This period is always one of our busiest, and understandably this year we expect it to be busier than last, due to more people being out and about. However, we would like to offer reassurance to those who are looking to enjoy Bonfire Night or those that prefer not to, and a stark reminder to those intent of causing harm or committing offences, that we are out in force and ready to act against anyone spoiling others' fun.

You will see a clear police presence on patrol in and around your neighbourhood over this period. We really want everyone to enjoy themselves, but we will be there to ensure we deal with any incidents quickly.

#### **Preventing Residential Burglary**

As the nights get darker and longer, it is usual for us to see crimes such as burglary and theft rise, particularly if houses and vehicles are unattended whilst you gather at firework displays. Burglars are often opportunistic thieves who prey on houses, garages, sheds and outbuildings. They seek out any opening that they can take advantage of, specifically doors and windows that are left open or unlocked or are easy to force.

Please follow our security routine and check windows, doors and vehicles are secure before settling down for the evening. Visit our website for further advice [www.humberside.police.uk/information-advice](http://www.humberside.police.uk/information-advice). Please continue to report suspicious activity to the Police on 101 and in the event of an emergency – call 999

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## My Community Alert – sign up for free

“My Community Alert” is a, free messaging system operated by Humberside Police and Humberside Fire & Rescue Service, giving you live information about incidents happening in your area.

Choose how you receive messages, by either phone or email, how often you want to hear from us and about the issues that matter to you.



When something happens that you've told us you want to hear about, your local officer will send you the details, whether that's notice of a road closure due to a collision or a burglar who has been caught in a nearby garden.

Subscribe to My Community Alert to be the first to know about issues that might affect you or your family.

## Drugs

We are seeing an influx of intelligence from members of the public with regards to drug use and drug dealing. Please continue to send this in.

The more information we receive the greater the chance we have to act on it.

We would encourage anyone with information about drug dealing to call 101 or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

**CrimeStoppers.**  
Speak up. Stay safe.

**0800 555 111**  
100% anonymous. Always.

Drug dealers usually operate from busy locations to supply drugs to buyers. Things to look out for are:

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- Increased traffic from cars and pedestrians that only stops for short periods.
- Activity or noise that is heavier at weekends, late at night or around paydays.
- People loitering around a property during periods of heavy traffic.
- People waiting in cars before or after visiting a property.
- People parking around the corner or a few streets away and approaching on foot.
- Money or parcels being exchanged through windows, letterboxes or under doors.
- Small packets being exchanged for money
- Debris including tin foil, small plastic bags, 'wraps', blister packs or syringes.

### **Operation Yellowfin**

Op Yellowfin is a police operation to tackle the crime associated with motorbikes and off-road bikes. Front line officers continue to work alongside CID and our intelligence units to gather information about people we suspect of carrying out thefts and motorcycle related nuisance and crime.



### **Meet your officers:**

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