



## **Community Council Report**

This report covers progress we have made in dealing with your priorities for the Kincardine and Mearns Community Council area for the period 1 to 31 January 2021.

The report aims to highlight emerging issues in your area, provide crime prevention advice and guidance to Community Council members and the residents you represent. Our focus is to reduce crime and disorder, help create safer communities and respond effectively to local concerns.

### **Community Policing Priorities**

#### **Antisocial behaviour, Violence and Disorder:**

There has been an increase in the number of Antisocial Behaviour calls within Kincardine and Mearns for the month of January, with 71 incidents reported. 18 related to a neighbour complaining about a specific person who had behavioural issues, 13 related to loud music at a specific location within Portlethen, and 3 related to traveller disputes. The remaining calls related to minor disturbances involving youths.

There were 3 assault Crime Files raised within January, which is a decrease on the previous month. Of those 3 reported, 2 are detected, with 1 undetected yet still being investigated.

There were no serious assaults reported during January.

#### **Acquisitive Crime:**

There have been 3 thefts in the Kincardine and Mearns area this month. All 3 remain undetected, yet are still being investigated.

There has been no reported Housebreakings this month.

### **Road Safety & road crime:**

#### **Drink/Drug Driving**

In January there have been no reports submitted for drink/drug driving.

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### Dangerous Driving

There have been no reported incidents of dangerous driving for the month of January.

### Careless Driving

There have been 2 reported incidents of careless driving for the month of January, both have been detected and reports submitted.

### Community Engagement & Reassurance:

#### Covid-19

Police Scotland continues to use the 4E's; Engage, Educate, Encourage and finally Enforce. This policy has helped to standardise the approach to difficult situations raised by the pandemic. The continued implementation of Tier 4 restrictions has returned the area to a heightened state of vigilance. It is asked that everyone considers their personal accountability, when associating with others and remember the FACTS approach. F (ace coverings) A (void Crowds) C (lean hands regularly) T (wo Metre distancing) S (elf Isolate and book a test if symptomatic)

The frequency of calls relating to COVID non-compliance has reduced and officers within K&M would like to thank our communities for continuing to pro-actively safeguard each other by following the National Guidance.

#### Warrants

2 Drug search warrants were executed within K&M during January, with positive interventions to the supply, possession and distribution of drugs within the area. 1 of the warrants led to a seizure of £20,000 worth of drugs (Street value). Further warrants have been craved and will be actioned in February 2021.

### Contact Us:

Please also remember you can communicate with us using any of the following:

- 📞 101 – Non emergency;
- 📧 Email - [StonehavenLowerDeesideCPT@Scotland.pnn.police.uk](mailto:StonehavenLowerDeesideCPT@Scotland.pnn.police.uk)
- 🐦 Twitter - @NorthEPolice
- 📘 Facebook – [www.Facebook.com/NorthEastPoliceDivision](http://www.Facebook.com/NorthEastPoliceDivision)
- 🌐 Web – [www.scotland.police.uk](http://www.scotland.police.uk)
- 📞 999 – Emergency;
- 📞 0800 555 111 - Crimestoppers;

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