



If you think a crime may be in progress, about to happen or that offenders are still nearby - regardless of the time of day or night - call **999**.

When reporting a crime please call the following numbers:

**General enquires number and crime reporting 101**

OR

**In case of emergency 999.**

Or

**CRIME STOPPERS on 0800 555 111**

Your call cannot be traced and you will not be asked your name.

For more information and for more advice on all the above and much more  
Please visit

**[www.avonandsomerset.police.uk](http://www.avonandsomerset.police.uk)**

Good evening to you all, since the last Police report we have remained busy, dealing with the usual and the unusual things that occur in our Town and surrounding villages.

Over the last 30 days, I can report the following have occurred within Ilminster.

5 Thefts from shops / businesses etc.

2 x Assaults,

1 x Criminal damage

4 x counts of harassment

3 x Public order offences

On top of that there have been 3 reported sexual offences.

1 whereby a male has exposed himself to young girls walking home from school. Local schools have been made aware and briefed children accordingly. This investigation is currently live.

I can also report that a male from Ilminster has been arrested for making 55 x 999 calls in one day, none of which were a genuine emergency. He was also arrested for exposing himself, as he decided to walk from his home address around Ilminster, totally naked. He was remanded in custody overnight and sent to Court the next day, whereby he was sent to prison for 4 weeks. I believe that by the time this reports gets read, the male will have been released.

The 3rd incident, is also currently under investigation, and I am unable to elaborate at this time.