

Police Town Council Report

Since the last report, the following things of note have occurred:

There has been one incident of possession of cannabis this was dealt with by means of a cannabis warning.

There have been three offences of making off without payment from local garages, one was a genuine mistake and the fuel was later paid for, the other two are still being investigated.

A male was given a penalty ticket for a Public Order Offence at a local garage. The male was seen taking chocolate bars and trying to leave without paying, however he was challenged by staff. He then paid for the items but became abusive towards staff, who called Police.

There have been seven offences of violence / assault against a person, a male was arrested for one, another dealt with via a caution. Most were domestic related.

There has been a dwelling burglary in the town to a property that is currently being renovated, nothing was believed taken.

Access was gained into a yard at Horton Cross whereby tools and a mini bus were stolen, this is currently under investigation. A press release has been done, as the minibus is easily identifiable, as are some of the heavy items inside it at the time it was taken. These include 6 x 100kg bales of wool in green plastic sacks. These are marked.

An attempt of theft was made to a vehicle in Ilminster, there is no suspect for this.

A male has been arrested for persistently making 999 calls to the Police that were not an emergency he is currently on bail. This is the same male who has already been prosecuted on two previous occasions for the same offences.