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Police Town Council report for Jan / Feb

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

There have been 7 offences of violence against the person, of various forms, none of which were serious. 2 of these were assaults on Police Officers whilst arresting a suspect. The suspect has been detained under the MH Act, and is currently not fit to be interviewed. There are a further 3 offences related to this same incident, including affray (threats of violence), and 2 counts of criminal damage.

A supermarket has had a quantity of DVD's stolen, with one or maybe two males removing the items by placing them in a foil lined bag, thus preventing the alarm from activating. Enquiries are continuing into this as a vehicle has been identified.

There have been two separate incidents of males being found in possession of Cannabis and both were dealt with by means of Cannabis Warnings. One local, one not.

Three offences of making off without paying for fuel from local garages, one male has been arrested for 2 of these (unknown at time of writing what the outcome was)

A local smallholder has had 4 sheep stolen, all were properly tagged and marked, but these have gone without any trace. Local abattoirs and auctions have been attended but the sheep were not there.

A vehicle has been stolen from East Street. It crashed a short time later, and the driver arrested on suspicion of drink driving. Enquiries are continuing with samples being analysed.

Another vehicle has been damaged, with somebody deliberately breaking off both wing mirrors. There are no suspects for this.