

BRIGG AND WOLDS WARD

Community Issues



APRIL 2013



**A monthly report of issues affecting our area –
Including incidents recorded during March 2013**
A local perspective based on local knowledge

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To contact members of your NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING TEAM

Telephone: **101** and ask for Brigg Police Station

Call in: at the front desk at Brigg Police Station
Mondays to Saturdays: 9.0 am – 1.0 pm and 2.0 pm – 5.0 pm

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Web site: www.humberside.police.uk/my-neighbourhood

To call anonymously about a possible crime, ring the charity Crimestoppers on
0800 555 111

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING TEAM

SAXBY ALL SAINTS – Monday 22 April 7.30pm – 8.30pm
Village Hall

BRIGG – Sat - Mon 25~27 May 9am – 6 pm
Glandford Boat Club Annual Regatta, Island Carr Road

WARD NEWS FOR MARCH 2013

Higher level of crime in Brigg town lifts March total

45 crimes were recorded in the Brigg and Wolds Ward in March 2013. 35 of these crimes were in Brigg town. 24 involved theft (including four from motor vehicles), 6 burglary (just one in a dwelling) and 5 criminal damage.

Other concerns addressed by the Brigg and Wolds Neighbourhood Police Team during March 2013

The greater proportion of the work of Neighbourhood Police Teams relates to public and individual needs and concerns that are not directly crime-related.

In March 2013, 224 concerns were responded to by the Brigg and Wolds team (considerably more than usual) as follows –

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| Concerns about property | 39 |
| Concerns about individuals and safety | 17 |
| Concerns about behaviour | 98 |
| Concerns about traffic | 70 |

Individual incidents vary enormously in the amount of police time required to deal with them. In a good proportion of cases people's legitimate suspicions and concerns prove to be unfounded.

REPORTS FOR MARCH 2013 FROM YOUR LOCAL AREA

Brigg

Recorded crimes in March 2013

35 crimes were recorded in Brigg during the month made up of:

- 3 x Assault ABH
- 1 x Common assault & B
- 2 x Harassment
- 5 x Burglary not in dwelling
- 1 x Burglary in a dwelling

- 4 x Criminal damage (to property)
- 2 x Making off without paying
- 1 x Theft of a pedal cycle
- 1 x Theft of a motor vehicle and TWOC
- 3 x Theft from a (motor) vehicle
- 1 x Theft of other conveyance
- 3 x Theft from a shop
- 1 x Theft in a dwelling
- 6 x Theft (other)
- 1 x Threat to destroy

A total of 129 other incidents and matters of individual or community concern have been reported in March, including:

- 31 civil or domestic or inter-personal incidents
- 10 incidents where there was concern for the safety of individuals, including missing persons
- 10 reports of rowdy or nuisance behaviour
- 23 traffic related matters
- 16 other reports of suspicious activity

A number of hand bags/purses have been reported stolen this month from shoppers within supermarket car parks within Brigg. Police have distributed posters warning shoppers to be vigilant and raise awareness, and also published a press release. Police patrols have been increased. A suspect has since been arrested and enquiries are ongoing.

Similarly a number of shed burglaries have been reported within the Brigg area, and pedal bikes stolen. Some of these bikes have since been recovered. After a number of enquires over past weeks, Police have arrested two local youths who have since been charged for these offences.

Deterring traffic from using the pedestrian zone in the centre of Brigg remains a priority. A number of traffic calming measures are now being considered as part of a long term solution being discussed with North Lincolnshire Council.

Wrawby

Recorded crimes in March 2013

- 1 x Common assault and battery (a domestic incident)

A complaint was received about noise from a pub; police advised a caller about a possible computer scam; two power cuts were reported in case this indicated cable theft. Four traffic related concerns were also addressed.

Elsham

Recorded crimes in March 2013

- 1 x Making off without paying (at Barnetby Top services)
- 1 x Theft from a vehicle (at Elsham Garage Services – number plates)

In the village a caller reported an alleged assault; three reports were also received about snow on Elsham Hill. Elsewhere an injured dog was reported at the side of the A15. Two incidents of fly tipping were reported from Middlegate Lane, and seven traffic related incidents were attended to,.

Barnetby

Recorded crimes in March 2013

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| 1 x Criminal damage | Damage to fencing |
| 1 x Possession of a controlled drug | |
| 1 x Theft (other) | Gates |

42 other concerns have required police attention. 28 of these were traffic-related. Other calls included three domestic disputes, three suspicious vehicles and two incidents where there was concern for the safety of individuals.

Bonby

Recorded crimes in March 2013

1 x Theft (other)

A caller reported a domestic incident. A waste spreading vehicle had left mud on the road – but no offence had been committed.

Worlaby

No recorded crimes in March 2013

5 other matters have required Police attention, including snow on the road and three reports of a suspicious van around the village.

Saxby All Saints

No recorded crimes in March 2013

Police were called in an argument over access to children in a divided family.

Horkstow

No recorded crimes in March 2013

An elderly dog was found wandering the streets. Police were also called re a civil dispute over property.

South Ferriby

Recorded crimes in March 2013

1 x Burglary in a dwelling (South Ferriby Hall)

Of 10 other matters, seven involved calls relating to just two issues – a dispute about the management of an elderly person's finances, and a civil dispute between two individuals.

Melton Ross and New Barnetby

Recorded crimes in March 2013

2 x Theft (other) Same location – different dates

Four traffic incidents were dealt with; a large dog was reported loose on the A18; A caller reported that her daughter had been assaulted at school; police also advised the victim of a computer scam.