

# Trowbridge CPT Area Board Update



August 2021

# Your CPT - Trowbridge

**Inspector:** Gill Hughes

## **Neighbourhood Sergeants:**

Sgt James Twyford (Bradford on Avon, Melksham)

Sgt Charlie Chilton (Trowbridge)

## **Neighbourhood Officers:**

PC Louis Bowden (Bradford on Avon)

PC Jennifer Miller (Melksham)

PC Helen Daveridge, PC Simon Partington (Trowbridge)

## **PCSOs:**

Laura Wallace, Maria Badder (Bradford on Avon)

David Rowley, Luke Hosken, Mary Moore, Janet Gould (Melksham)

Liam Wilkins, Kerena Walters, Rhianna Annetts, Jack Thomas, Oliver Gilmour, Sophie Piper, Matthew Till, Robyn Dentry, Tom Storm (Trowbridge)

# Performance – 12 months to July 2021

## Force

- Wiltshire Police has had a decrease in the volume of recorded crime by 8.0% in the 12 months to July 2021 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 20% reduction in vehicle crime and a reduction of 36.4% in residential burglaries in the 12 months to July 2021.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In July 2021, we received:
  - 10,020 '999' calls, (answered within 11 seconds on average);
  - 11,714 '101' calls, (answered within 16 seconds on average);
  - 12,304 'CRIB' calls, (answered within 2 minute and 14 seconds on average).
- In July 2021, we also attended 1,908 emergency incidents within 10 minutes and 11 seconds on average.

Crime Type	Crime Volume	% of Crime
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38046</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Violence without injury	6428	16.9
Violence with injury	5834	15.4
Criminal damage	4823	12.7
Stalking and harassment	3363	9.4
Public order offences	3491	9.2
Other crime type	14000	36.5

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Crime Type	Crime Volume	% of Crime
<b>Totals</b>	<b>5371</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Violence without injury	970	18.1
Violence with injury	899	16.7
Criminal damage	696	13.0
Public order offences	488	9.1
Stalking and Harassment	488	9.1

### Stop and Search information for Trowbridge CPT

During the 12 months leading to June 2021, 284 stop and searches were conducted in the Salisbury area of which 74.6% related to a search for controlled drugs.

During 64.4% of these searches, no object was found. In 34.7% of cases, an object was found. Of these cases 69.7% resulted in a no further action disposal; 30.3% resulted in police action being taken; 9.9% resulted in an arrest.

Of the stop and search subjects who defined their ethnicity:

- White – 238 stop and searches.
- Mixed Ethnicity – 12 stop and searches
- Black or Black British – 12 stop and searches
- Asian or Asian British – 1 stop and search

# Local Priorities & Updates

Priority	Update
ASB, Criminal Damage and Graffiti – Longfield Area	We have been made aware of issues in and around the areas of Worsted Close play park as well as the courts next to Oasis Academy. Reporting of these issues remains low, however high visibility targeted patrols have and will continue to be conducted in the area. ASB surveys have recently been sent out, and responses will be reviewed in due course.
Reports of a male approaching addresses and asking for money	This matter has been reported to the police across all areas of Trowbridge, as well as surrounding towns. Local police are aware, and would encourage the community to report these matters to the police, rather than via social media. Work is ongoing to collate the information, obtain statements and suitable enforcement action can then be taken.
ASB and Public Order Offences – Broad Street Area	Trowbridge Response and Neighbourhoods teams received an increase in reports of ASB and public order offences throughout the end of June / beginning of July, with some reports of Racially Aggravated abuse having been shouted. The teams worked closely together to secure evidence, and as a result a 35 year old male from the area was arrested and charged with a variety of offences. Whilst initially remanded into custody, he has since been released with strict bail conditions not to return to the area. Work is ongoing with partner agencies, such as the housing provider to ensure all parties are supported appropriately.
ASB – Studley Green	Ongoing partnership working is currently taking place in relation to a specific address within the Studley Green area. This address has been brought to our attention following reports that a number of youths were being allowed to use the address to consume drugs and alcohol. Appropriate enforcement action will be taken, and ongoing work to support the young people is being carried out.
Violence against the Crime – all areas	Over a 6 week period Wiltshire Police received 15 + reports of violent type crime relating to a 14 year old individual. Intensive work involving the individual alongside the police, social services and the youth offending team has seen no new reports relating to this youth.

# Local Priorities & Updates Continued

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# Useful links

For more information on Wiltshire Police's performance please visit:

- PCC's Website - <https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/>
- HMICFRS Website - <https://www.justiceinspectorates.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/>
- Police.uk - <https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/wiltshire-police/>
- For information on what crimes and incidents have been reported in the Trowbridge Community Policing Team area, visit <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/police-forces/wiltshire-police/areas/about-us/about-us/cpts/trowbridge-cpt/> to view a crime and incident map and find links to more detailed data

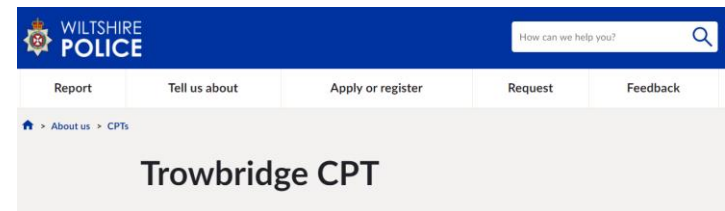
# Get Involved

Keep up to date with the latest news and alerts in your area by signing up to our **Community Messaging service** – [www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk](http://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk)

## Follow your CPT on social media

- [Trowbridge Police Facebook](#)
- [Trowbridge Police Twitter](#)
- [Melksham Police Facebook](#)
- [Bradford on Avon Facebook](#)

Find out more information on your CPT area at: [www.wiltshire.police.uk](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk) and here [www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk)



CPT Trowbridge covers the areas of Trowbridge, Melksham, Bradford-on-Avon and surrounding areas

To contact your CPT about a community-related matter, such as a school visit, then please email [TrowbridgeAreaCPT@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:TrowbridgeAreaCPT@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk). Please note that this mailbox is not monitored 24/7.

You are unable to report crimes of any type via email and please do not report any situations that require an urgent response. In the case of an emergency please contact 999 and for non-urgent crimes and incidents, please call 101 or [Report a crime here](#)

You see a map of crimes in the Trowbridge area [by visiting www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk)

