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## Snaith, Rawcliffe, Airmyn & Marshlands Provincial Update – December 2022

### 1. Crime and ASB.

You can obtain Crime and ASB data for your own area by visiting [www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk), clicking on "whats happening in your area" and entering your postcode.

### 2. Crime issues of particular note.

The following list shows some of the crimes that have occurred in the previous month in your area:

- There was an attempt to break into a transit van parked on a driveway at a property in West Cowick.
- Front and rear number plates were stolen from a vehicle in Rawcliffe.
- Entry was gained into a shed at a property near Rawcliffe Bridge and 2 electric bikes and various tools/equipment stolen.
- A motorbike has been stolen overnight from a property in Rawcliffe Bridge.
- A vehicle parked on the Main Street in Gowdall has been damaged.
- Number plates have been stolen from a vehicle parked in Rawcliffe.
- Entry was gained into 2 vehicles parked on a driveway of a property in East Cowick and various items were stolen.
- Diesel has been stolen from a tank at a farm near Gowdall.

### 3. Community Priorities.

We have been patrolling Snaith and the surrounding rural areas during our shifts and will also continue to monitor the following: the Market Place in Snaith, Villa Fields, South Parkway, Tablers Wood, Croda, the water pumping station and Snaith quarry.

### 4. Crime Reduction Advice.

#### **Keep your presents off the burglars list this Christmas.**

Well it's nearly that time of year once more. Yes, Christmas is not far away. It's a time when everything goes up a gear: we're in a hurry; we need to do loads of things; we have so much to plan. However, if we're not careful, whilst doing all of these things, we can lose sight of those simple crime prevention measures that we practice all year.

Just as Christmas is a busy time for everyone, it can equally be a time of plenty for the opportunist thief if we let them take advantage of our rushing around. Follow these simple steps to avoid becoming a target for crime and have a crime free Christmas and New Year.

- If out shopping, don't leave any shopping bags, coats, sat navs or other items on view in your car, always ensure that they are out of view by placing them in the car boot.
- Always try and park in a well lit car park or street and check that your car is secure!
- Consider your home security too - don't leave the curtains open and all your presents and Christmas tree on display whilst you're out.
- If you can, leave a radio on and put lights on timer switches to ensure that it looks like that someone is at home.



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- Ensure your property is secure by making sure that your garage door, house doors, garden sheds/outbuildings and windows are all locked. Try not to leave any keys in locks as glass can be smashed, keys taken and then used to open doors or windows to gain entry.
- If you are going away over the festive period then consider asking a trusted neighbour or family member to come round and open and close curtains, plus move the post, so it looks like people are coming and going at your home. Also don't advertise that you are away. Social networking sites can be a risk if people know you are away and your home is empty.
- Remove and secure items that may be used to break in or climb into your home (e.g., spades and ladders). Garden tools, DIY equipment and leisure items such as fishing and golf equipment should ideally be locked away in storage cupboards within outbuildings to form a second line of defense to thieves.
- Motorbike and pedal cycles should also be locked even when they are in a secure shed or garage.
- If you have a household alarm, consider extending it to cover your outbuildings, fit a bespoke shed/garage alarm or buy an inexpensive, but effective battery-operated shed alarm. Anything which makes a loud noise will send a thief running!
- Lastly for reference, record a description and add photographs of your bicycles, golf clubs, fishing equipment, tools, jewellery and any other valuable property on [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com).

## 5. Drop in Surgeries at Snaith Town Council Offices

PCSO Chandler will be available on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December (10:00-11:00hrs). Please call in if you would like to discuss any concerns that you may have or need any advice, or if you prefer to telephone, then please call 01405 862 663.

### Stay informed.

Stay informed through our social media channels, find us on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#):

<https://www.humberside.police.uk/teams/snaith-airmyn-rawcliffe-and-marshland> , Twitter - Humberside Police – East Riding of Yorkshire West - @Humberbeat\_ERYW, Facebook – Humberside Police – East Riding of Yorkshire West.

For incidents that don't require an immediate response call our non-emergency 101 line. You can also report [non-emergency crimes online](#) via our reporting portal. In an emergency always dial 999.