



Combe Martin, Berrynarbor and East Down Police Newsletter November '18

Welcome to Ilfracombe Police's monthly community newsletter.

Your Policing Team



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There are many ways to contact the police. Choose the right one for you?

Have a question? Need an immediate response? Use WebChat.

Devon & Cornwall Police's online service – WebChat allows you to ask us a question, report non-emergency crime or incident, find out or provide the latest update on an existing crime, or provide more information about a missing person - all at your own convenience and without any waiting time.

Simply visit our website – dc.police.uk and click on the WebChat icon to begin chatting with a member of our contact centre.

Empty your car before someone else does

Devon and Cornwall Police are urging Christmas shoppers to be on their guard for opportunist thieves looking for presents left in vehicles.

As the festive period approaches, police are recommending that people take care by keeping car windows closed and doors locked, and by keeping presents and valuables out of sight. PFCSO Pete Hyde said: "Theft from vehicles in Devon and Cornwall remains low but the opportunity for this type of crime traditionally rises during Christmas.

"Shoppers should be aware and keep purchases with them rather than leave them on display in vehicles. This will reduce the opportunity for crime."

Police suggest shoppers follow simple precautions when out and about during the festive season:

- Lock your vehicles and close windows.
- Park in a well-lit and recognised car park.
- Leave nothing on display in your vehicle.
- Plan shopping so that bulky items are collected at the end of the day rather than being stored in your vehicle.
- When you get home make a note of any serial numbers of valuable items on the guarantee slip.
- Register valuables using the free service at <u>www.immobilise.com</u> which enables police

Crimes reported October '18

Combe Martin

Violence With Injury	1
Violence Without Injury	2
Other Theft	3
Criminal Damage	1

Berrynarbor

Violence without injury	2
Other sexual Offences	1
Other Theft	1

East Down

Crime Recorded



Ask NED is a Non-Emergency Directory. It is a new service that combines the questions that members of the public have asked with contact details of those that can help.

Ask NED includes the **Ask the Police** database and common questions asked of our partner organisations.

www.devon-cornwall.police.uk/askned



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