



## NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING TEAM

# Totton Central Monthly Beat Report October 2020



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Hello and welcome to October's Beat Report for Totton Central. Here I will be covering the main incidents that have happened in Totton Central for October and also be providing crime prevention advice that may be useful to you.

I am PCSO Ailish Setford 17670, one of the Beat Officers for Totton and will be sending the monthly reports out to you.

Here is the rest of the Totton team that you will see out and about in your area:

PS Mike, PCSO Connor, PCSO Amy, PCSO Tina, PC Baxter, PC Peverill, PC Chungh, PC Tomkins, PC Ons & WPC Ford

### Crimes of Note

#### **Burglaries**

This month we have received two reports of business burglaries. No dwelling or shed burglaries have been reported through to us this month.

On Water Lane, J Beavis and Son Undertakers there was an attempt break in. The front door was damaged but no entry gained. On Bagber Road a workshop was broken into, the the offenders have gained entry via a crowbar to the front door. Approximately £1000 worth of items have been stolen.

#### **Here is some crime prevention advice for business burglaries:**

- High value stock should be stored within an inner secure cage when not required, and ensure this is protected by additional security systems such as monitored alarms, beams or tremor alarms when premises are unoccupied.
- Ensure CCTV systems are regularly serviced and periodically review the position of the cameras to ensure fixtures and fitting are not restricting the cameras view.
  - Exterior lighting can assist a criminal break into the premises. Therefore only leave on if it assists neighbouring properties or passers-by to keep an eye on your property.
  - Register assets, such as computers, tills, phone etc for free on [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com) this will assist the police in returning property to it's rightful owner.

## Theft of Pedal Cycle

We have received one report of theft of a bike this month. From a secure garage on Brunswick Place a bike was stolen. The lock was cut and the offender would have had to access the garage through using a key card.

### Here is some crime prevention advice for theft of bikes:

- Ensure you use an approved Sold Secure "D" lock to secure your bike. - visit [www.soldsecure.com](http://www.soldsecure.com) for more information.
- Always lock your bike through the frame to a solid structure that is fixed to the ground, preferably a dedicated bike rack.
- Park your bike in a well-lit busy area that is covered by CCTV.
- If you have any quick-release items on your bike, make sure you take them with you or lock them to the bike.
- Register your bike for free at Bike Register and or Immobilise. The police use these sites to reunite stolen or lost property with its rightful owner.

No vehicle crime has been report through to us this month.

We regularly post on our Totton Police Facebook page with updates and useful crime prevention advice, so please go and give us a like!

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