

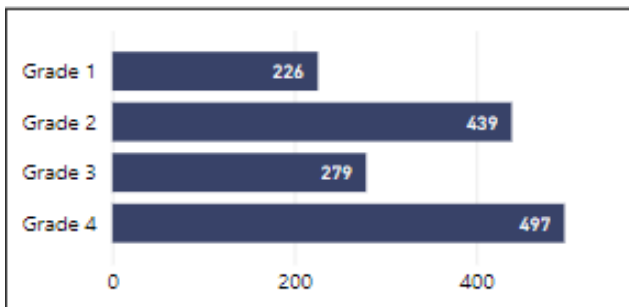
## AGENDA ITEM 7      Community Committee      3/8/23

### Congleton Crime Report – supplied by Congleton Policing Unit

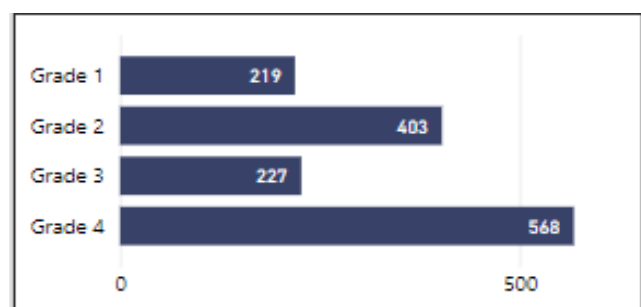
This report provides Congleton Town Council with key Crime figures for the period between 27/03/2023 – 17/07/2023. It will also provide a comparison for the same period in 2022.

Total Reported incidents

**27 March – 17 July 2023 (THIS YEAR)**



**27 March – 17 July 2022 (LAST YEAR)**



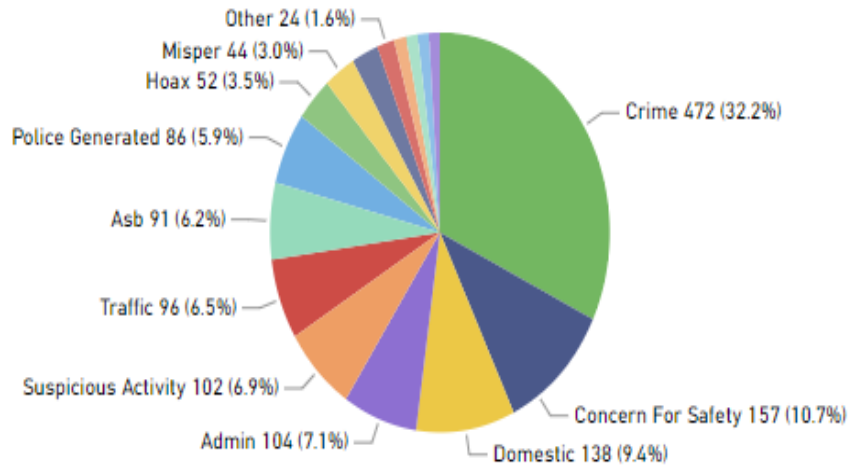
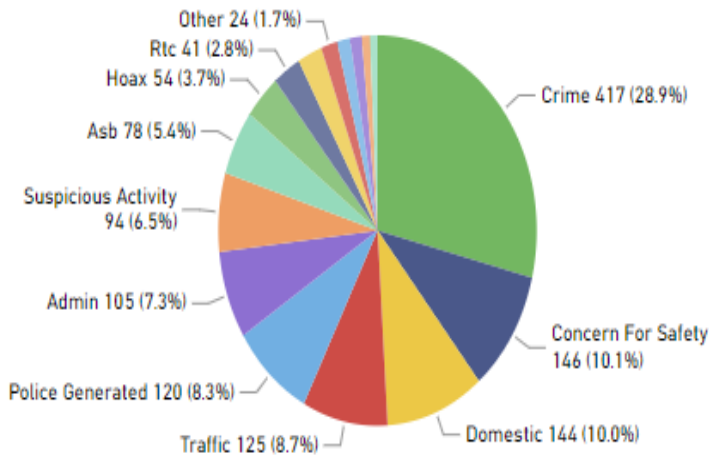
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Admin	105
Advice	11
Alarms	17
Asb	78
Concern For Safety	146
Crime	417
Domestic	144
Hoax	54
Misper	36
Other	24
Police Generated	120
Public Order	19
Rtc	41
Sudden Death	12
Suspicious Activity	94
Traffic	125
<b>Total</b>	<b>1443</b>

Opening Group	No. of Incidents
Admin	104
Advice	16
Alarms	15
Asb	91
Concern For Safety	157
Crime	472
Domestic	138
Hoax	52
Misper	44
Other	24
Police Generated	86
Public Order	16
Rtc	38
Sudden Death	17
Suspicious Activity	102
Traffic	96
<b>Total</b>	<b>1468</b>

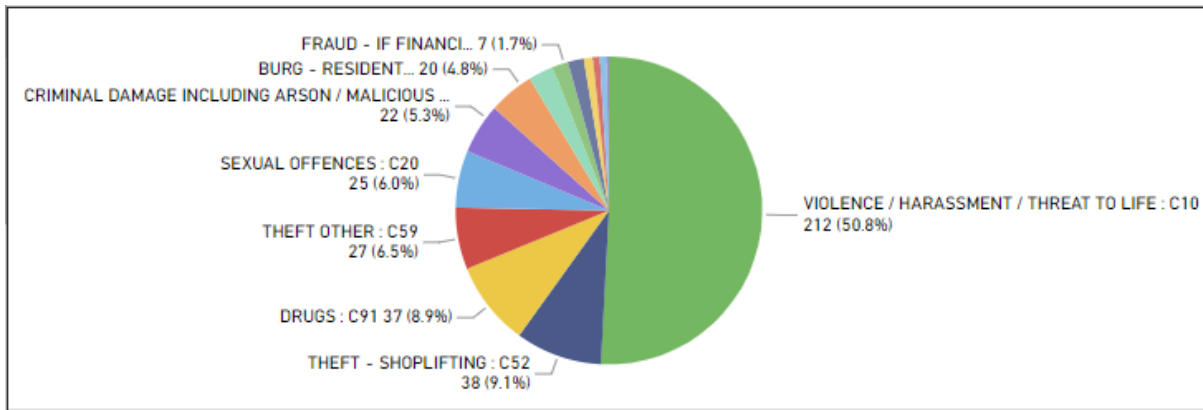
Incident reporting for the town remains consistent between the two years slight increase on Domestic Violence incidents reported. Decrease in ASB and recorded Crime.

27/03/2023 – 17/07/2023:-

Same period for 2022 Comparison:-

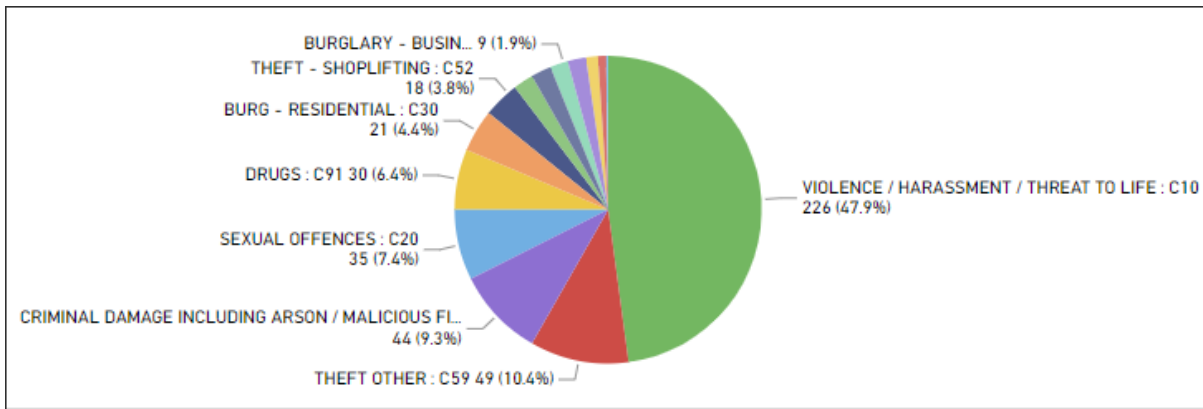


**Crime Break Down 27/03/23 – 17/07/23**



Violence = 212      Sexual Offences = 25      Burglary = 20

**Crime Break Down 27/03/22 – 17/07/22**



Violence = 226      Sexual Offences = 35      Burglary = 21

## **2023 Sexual Offences Break Down (March to July 2023)**

Of the 25 offences reported during March – July 2023, 7 relate to reports from High Schools about a number of Indecent Exposure incidents around the town (A male has been arrested and charged in relation to these). No Sexual Offences incidents were logged around the Night Time Economy.

### **Domestic Incidents 27/03/23 – 17/07/23 - figures for same period in 2022 in brackets.**

- Domestic incidents for the Policing Unit = **496 (409)**
- Domestic Incidents Congleton = **144 (138)**
- Total Domestic Arrests (for all the Policing unit) = **181 (11)**

### **ASB in Congleton**

#### **27/03/23 – 17/07/2023 - same period 2022 in brackets**

**ASB – 78 incidents (91)**

#### **Top Repeat Locations:-**

- Morrisons (5 Calls)
- Astbury Lake (2 Calls)
- Congleton Park (2 Calls)

#### **Roads Policing:-**

##### **March – July 2023 - 2022 figures in brackets)**

- Highway Disruptions 49 Reports (29)
- Reported Traffic Offences 76 Reports (67)
- Road Traffic Collisions 41 Reports (38)

The increase in Highway Disruptions and Traffic offences is down to an increase in patrolling via our Roads Policing Team, where Congleton had been nominated for a Hot Spot patrolling, this meant that there was an increase in self-generated incidents created by the Roads Policing Team.

#### **Overall:-**

Congleton continues to perform well, the statistics for the town are stable with low crime figures, compared to other areas. Challenges remain around staffing and ensuring that my team are focusing on the right areas at the right time.

As always, I encourage reporting via 101 or 999, alternatively to report online or to give information via Crimestoppers.

My team's focus will be for the Summer: - Congleton Park, Morrisons, Traffic offences in and around the town centre and drug activity focusing on Biddulph Valley Way.