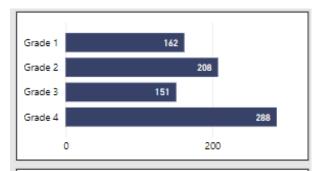
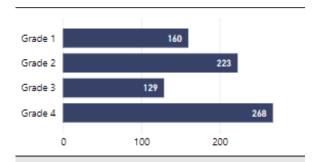
Congleton ASB Stats

This report will provide the Town Council with key Crime figures for the Period between 01/08/2023 - 30/09/2023. It will also provide a comparison for the same period in 2022.

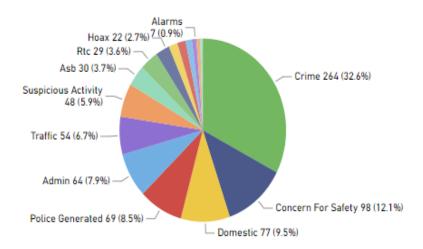
Total Reported incidents 01/08/2023 – 30/09/2023:- Incidents for same period in 2022



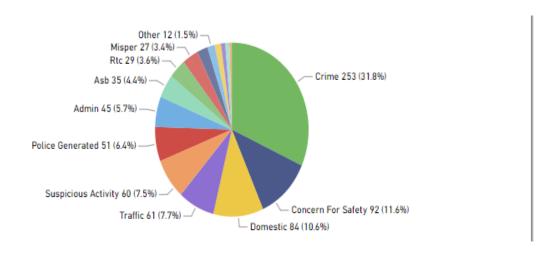
Opening Group	No. of Incidents
Admin	64
Advice	6
Alarms	7
Asb	30
Concern For Safety	98
Crime	264
Domestic	77
Hoax	22
Misper	13
Other	10
Police Generated	69
Public Order	14
Rtc	29
Sudden Death	4
Suspicious Activity	48
Traffic	54
Total	809



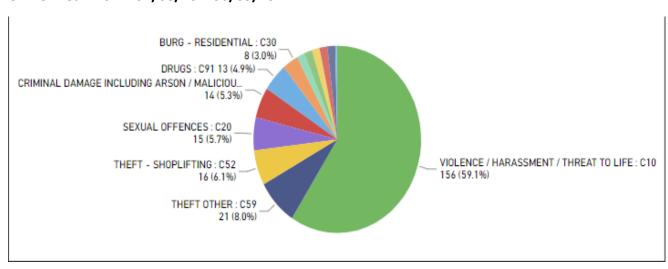
Opening Group	No. of Incidents
Admin	45
Advice	4
Alarms	7
Asb	35
Concern For Safety	92
Crime	253
Domestic	84
Hoax	18
Misper	27
Other	12
Police Generated	51
Public Order	11
Rtc	29
Sudden Death	7
Suspicious Activity	60
Traffic	61
Total	796



Overall, the crime reporting for the town remains consistent with last year. Slight increase in incidents and overall crime.

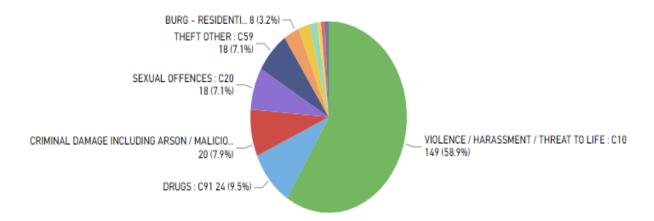


Crime Break Down 01/08/23 - 30/09/23



Violence = 156 Sexual Offences = 1 Burglary = 8 Residential Theft Shoplifting = 16

Crime Break Down 01/08/22 - 30/09/22



Violence = **149** Sexual Offences = **18** Burglary = **8 Residential** Theft (Shoplifting) = **6**

Slight increase on violence offences and slight decrease on Sexual Offences, I have added the figures for shoplifting which shows a significant increase during the same period last year. We have dealing with a prolific offender who recently moved to the area where we have experienced some significant challenges in bringing him to justice. The team and I are attending court next week in the hope of securing a conviction and along with it a Criminal Behaviour Order which will ban him from the Town Centre

2023 Sexual Offences Break Down

Of the 15 offences reported during August – September 2023 several reports made by the high schools – No emerging patterns found, and no incidents logged around Nighttime Economy.

Domestic Incidents 01/08/23 - 30/09/23

Domestic Incidents Congleton = **77** Total Domestic Arrests in Congleton = **38**

2022 Incidents

Domestic Incidents Congleton = **84** Total Domestic Arrests = **43**

ASB in Congleton

01/08/23 – 30/09/2023 ASB – 30 incidents

Top Repeat Location:- Congleton Park (3 Incidents)

2022 ASB:- ASB – 35 Incidents

Roads Policing:-

August - Sept 2023

Highway Disruptions (17 Reports) Reported Traffic Offences (37 Reports)

2022

Highway Disruptions (21 Reports) Reported Traffic Offences (40 Reports)

Overall:-

Congleton continues to perform well, the statistics for the Town are stable with low crime figures, with only the concern with the significant increase in Shoplifting, I believe that we will get these reduced with our continued work with businesses in the town.

Challenges remain around staffing and ensuring that my team are focusing on the right areas at the right time.

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

My Teams focus will be for the Autumn Period is Congleton Town Centre and Congleton Park, with a robust focus on several addresses and persons who continue to cause issues for our town.