



Devon & Cornwall Police
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Ashford, Marwood, Georgeham and Croyde

April 2019 Newsletter

Welcome to Braunton Rural Police's monthly news letter.

PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY THIS SUMMER

EVERY YEAR DURING THE SUMMER SEASON WE RECEIVE REPORTS REGARD-ING THEFT OF PROPERTY, PARTICULARLY FROM UNATTENDED VEHICLES AND BAGS LEFT UNATTENDED ON THE BEACHES.

OUR ADVICE IS TO MAKE SURE THAT ANY PROPERTY / VALUABLES LEFT IN

VEHICLES PARKED AT OUR MANY BEAUTY SPOTS SHOULD BE LOCKED OUT OF SIGHT IN THE BOOT.

NEVER LEAVE YOUR PROPERTY UNATTENDED ON THE BEACH WHILST ENJOYING TIME IN THE WATER.

BETTER STILL, AVOID TAKING VALUABLES SUCH AS WATCHES, PHONES AND JEWELLARY TO THE BEACH IN THE FIRST PLACE.

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER.

April 23rd 2019 is 'My Red Thumb Day' - a multi-agency road safety campaign designed to raise awareness of the risks of distraction specifically associated with using a mobile phone while driving. We are putting our support behind our Strategic Alliance partners, Devon and Cornwall Police, who are themselves supporting the event by encouraging drivers to paint their thumbnail red so every time the driver reaches for their phone while driving, they are reminded of the message.

Drivers who use their phone are four times more likely to crash, injuring or killing themselves and/or other people. They are much less aware of what is happening on the road around them and fail to see road signs as well as failing to maintain proper lane position and steady speed.

My Red Thumb Day is being supported locally by a number of local agencies, including Devon County Council, Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue, Torbay Council, Peninsula Trauma Network, South Western Ambulance Trust, Learn2Live Partnership, Devon Air Ambulance, The Honest Truth Partnership and Highways Agency. Further details can be found at <http://www.myredthumb.com/mrt>



Crimes reported March 2019

Croyde and Georgeham

2 x Theft

1 x Dog not under proper control
–complaint only

Ashford

1 x Send communication/article of an indecent/offensive nature

1 x Theft

Marwood

2 x Criminal damage

1 x Harassment without violence



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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