WEST FIFE AREA COMMANDER

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COMMUNITY SERGEANT: David Bell

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North Queensferry

Inverkeithing

Dalgety Bay

Aberdour

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CRIMES / INCIDENTS

Crimes recorded between 01/04/2026 and 30/04/2026.

North Queensferry – There were 11 crimes recorded during this period. All but 1 crime relates to driving offences or the FRB. The sole crime in the village is for a theft of a pedal bike.

Inverkeithing – There were 31 crimes recorded during this period. Within these numbers 13 crimes relate to 3 separate incidents with the remaining crimes identified as crimes of dishonesty, crimes of violence and 7 traffic related offences.

Dalgety Bay/Hillend – There were 16 crimes recorded during this period. Some of the offences include theft by shoplifting, vandalism, fraud and driving offences.

Aberdour – There was 8 crimes reported for this period. This includes crimes of dishonesty, drug offences and a breach of the peace.

There has been an increase in anti-social behaviour related incidents which include vandalism to the Kirk in Dalgety Bay and a Breach of the Peace incident in Aberdour.

CALLS TO POLICE

Dates: 01/04/2026 to 30/04/2026

41 calls relate to North Queensferry. Within this number, 5 calls relate to the village and are not connected to the motorway network.

125 calls relate to the Inverkeithing area. This figure is similar to last month's figure. Within this nu
19 calls were made to Police from two separate households.

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51 calls relate to the Aberdour area. Police received 14 calls from members of the community rega the disturbance with youths on the 7th April.

77 calls relate to the Dalgety Bay/Hillend area.

Remainder of the calls were miscellaneous matters / information only

COMMUNITY WARD UPDATE

During the month, community officers have assisted response, been abstracted for several High-Risk missing persons and increased anti-social behaviour patrols.

On 6th April, PC Thomson attended Sands, A Place by the Sea for Coffee with a Cop. This allowed locals the chance to speak to Police in an informal setting. A huge thank you to the staff for allowing Police to use their facilities'. There will be similar events soon which will be published online in advance.

There has been an increase in off road bike related calls across Southwest fife. This includes quad bikes and E-scooters riding on the coastal path. Not only is this illegal but is highly dangerous due to heavy pedestrian footfall on the coastal path. We are reaching out to the community to help identify the drivers of the vehicles so enforcement action can be taken. We can be contacted on the Police Scotland website or anonymously via Crimestoppers.

With the lighter evenings and warmer weather, it is anticipated there will be an increase in anti-social behaviour calls. The recent incident in Aberdour which attracted national media attention is an example of unacceptable anti-social behaviour. This incident has resulted in several youths being charged for a number of offences and reported to the appropriate authorities'.

Community officers, along with safer communities and the countryside trust, will be completing anti-social behaviour patrols in Aberdour and Inverkeithing Quarry engaging with all parties whilst providing appropriate advice and guidance. Enforcement action will be taken when required.

CONTACT US

Ward Officers would like to remind members and the public of the importance of reporting matters to the police should you require police assistance. This will assist in directing resources to problem areas and help build an accurate picture of issues within the community.

There are various ways to report crimes or incidents to the police, including anti-social behaviour. These include contact via phone on 101 however there is various other ways such as reporting matters online through our contact form.

This can be found at - https://www.scotland.police.uk/contact-us/

However please always contact 999 in an emergency.

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