

OP Randall Weekly Update

**Period Covered –
Sunday 11th of December – Tuesday 20th December 2022**

Happy Christmas Everyone – Have a lovely festive period.

Hunting investigations/incidents – any offence involving the illegal activity of coursing, hunting, poaching, and lamping

None reported currently – ground has been frozen hard we expect activity to increase over the festive period with softer ground predicted. Please always report illegal hare coursing/hunting on 999 as a crime in progress.

Rural investigations/incidents – any offence involving the damage or loss to agriculture, its practices and the rural working environment, alongside rural community.

10/12 – Shropham (Breckland) – Farm building broken into and large diesel generator stolen.

12/12 – East Tuddenham (Nr Dereham) – Rural infrastructure building broken into a scaffolding stolen from inside

14/11 – 12/12 – Yaxham (Nr Dereham) – Tool shed broken into at some point in last month number of power tools stolen.

9/12 – 12/12 – South Wootton (Nr Kings Lynn) – 8 bales of cavity insulation and scrap lead stolen from a building site

9/12 – 12/12 – Gayton Thorpe (Nr Kings Lynn) – hydraulic mini excavator stolen

11/12 – Raveningham (South Norfolk) – business broken into and safe removed

12/12 – Wymondham – Building site burglary

14/12 – Acle – 600-800 litres of diesel stolen from large excavator

01/12 – 15/12 – Blakeney – during a 2 week period at some point approx. 800 litres of heating oil stolen.

16/12 – Beighton (Broadland) – unknown person has driven a tractor around a field and stolen 200 litres of diesel from it.

16/12 – Wisbech – Padlock with alarm cut off a barn containing a tractor. Nothing stolen believed audible alarm has deterred any theft – very simple idea and cost effective.

16/12 – Catfield (North Norfolk) – Heating oil stolen

17/12 – Wisbech – Golden New Holland tractor AU67AVO and Taiwan Goldenbee Quadbike AU13FJA stolen from property. **Both vehicles remain outstanding currently.**

16/12 – 19/12 – Shorpham (Breckland) – Large generator stolen from farm.

18/12 – Whittington (West Norfolk) – large amount of cabling stolen from commercial premise

19/12 – Bixley (South Norfolk) – GPS System stolen from Combine. (Please remove all GPS systems when not in use especially during the festive period when farms are less active)

20/12 – Wretham (Breckland) – Theft of heating oil

20/12 – Clippesby (Yarmouth) – Theft of heating oil

Wildlife/Animal investigations/incidents – any offences which contravenes current legislation governing the protection of wild animals, plants and domesticated animals

**15/12 – Larsen trap set during extreme weather conditions breaching General Licence conditions and offence under the Animal Welfare act.
Please be mindful of using such methods in extreme conditions.**

Heritage investigations/incidents – any offences involving damage or loss to the historic environment

9/12 – 11/12 – Dunston (South Norfolk) – Evidence of illegal metal detecting found.

8/12 – 12/12 – Oxborough (West Norfolk) – Evidence of illegal metal detecting found.

Any other business

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*Please note this is not designed to be an accurate account of all crime recorded across the county or in rural areas. This is designed to give relevant stakeholders awareness of current issues and trends within rural community.