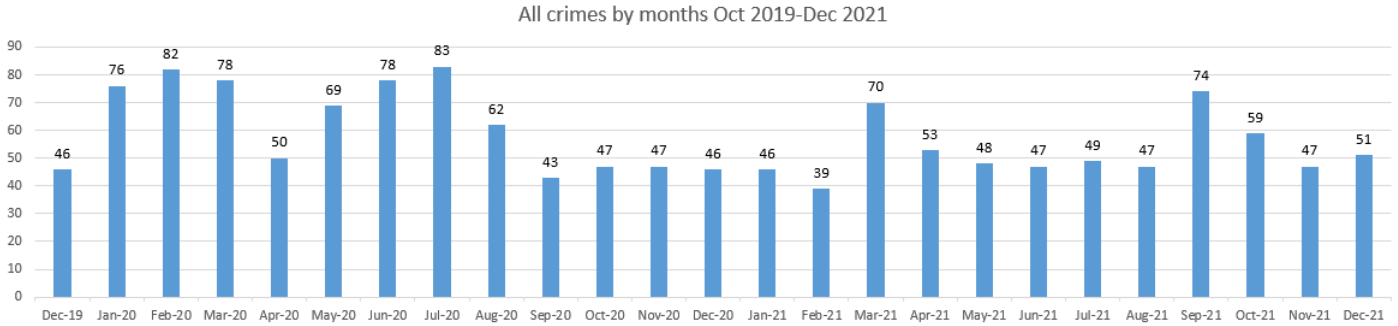


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This report reflects incidents as reported by our team, reported by members of the public to our 24-hour control room or reported via the Obs WhatsApp groups.

PLEASE CALL OUR CONTROL ROOM ON 021 447 1066 OR WHATSAPP US ON 074 636 3353 TO REPORT INCIDENTS



The above graph reflects the total reported incidents per month since December 2019.

For the period 1-31 December 2021 there were 51 incidents reported.

SUMMARY:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 51

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
▶ Theft of Motor Vehicle	1
▶ Theft out of Motor Vehicle	5
▶ General Theft	11
▶ Attempted Theft	1
▶ Attempted Theft out of Motor Vehicle	2
▶ Theft of cell phone/smart phone/tablet	1
▶ Theft from Motor Vehicle / Car parts	3
▶ Theft of Motor Cycle	1
▶ Attempted theft of motor vehicle	1
▼ Robbery	
▶ Robbery Common	2
▶ Attempted Robbery	1
▶ Armed Robbery	1
▶ Robbery with weapon other than firearm	2
▶ Malicious Damage to Property	2
▼ Housebreaking	
▶ Housebreaking and theft	5
▶ Housebreaking and theft business	3
▶ Attempted housebreaking	2
▶ Attempted housebreaking business	1
▶ Trespass	6

Thefts recorded the highest number of incidents (26) of which 3 were attempts only broken down as follows – theft of motor vehicle (1), theft out of motor vehicle (5), general theft (11), attempted theft (1), attempted theft out of motor vehicle (2), theft of cell phone (1), theft of car parts (3), theft of bicycle (1) and attempted theft of motor vehicle (1).

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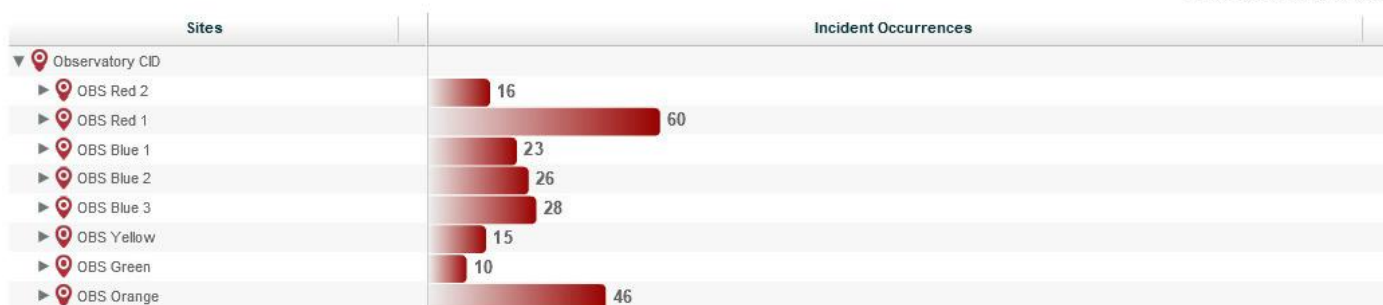
Other reported crimes were robberies / muggings (2), attempted mugging (1), armed robbery (1), malicious damage to property (2), burglary (5), burglary business (3), attempted burglary (2), attempted burglary business (1) and trespassing (6).

Pro-active engagement (e.g. reports of suspicious activity / persons / vehicles) from the community is down compared to the previous month (13 reports, 20 less as received by the Control Room during November 2021).

The OBSID public safety team are having to inform owners or residents of unlocked vehicles, open doors, and open garages or premises gates. OBSID's public safety team recorded 224 proactive incidents this month.

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 224



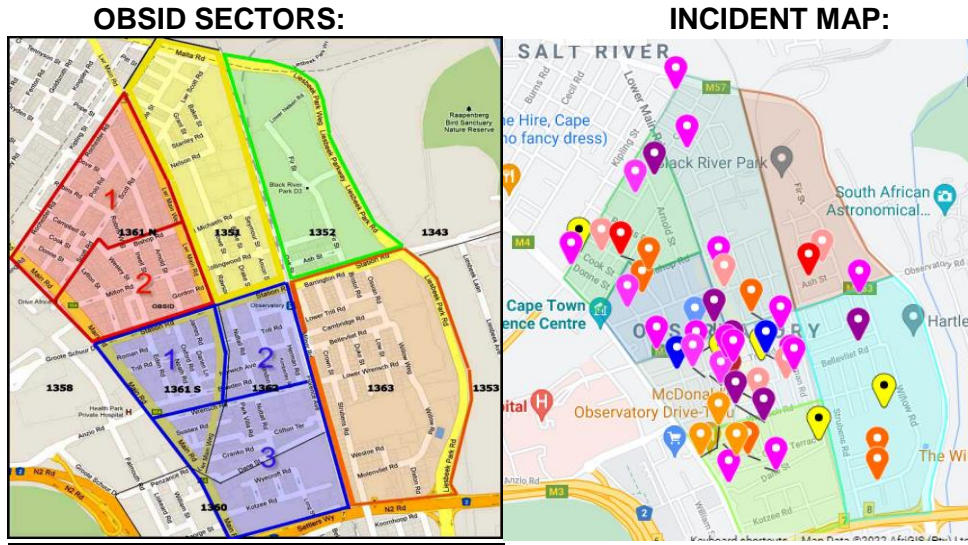
OBSID public safety personnel **supported SAPS in 12 arrests** during the month of December 2021.

- 01 December 2021 – Robins Road, possession of stolen property
- 04 December 2021 – Norwich Avenue, theft out of motor vehicle
- 04 December 2021 – Norwich Avenue, attempted theft of motor vehicle
- 08 December 2021 – C/O Trill and James, mugging
- 09 December 2021 – Rochester Road, mugging
- 11 December 2021 – James Street, trespass
- 20 December 2021 – C/O Trill and Lower Main, theft
- 21 December 2021 – Florence Avenue, robbery with weapon other than firearm
- 30 December 2021 – Wrench Road, trespass
- 30 December 2021 – Lower Collingwood, theft out of motor vehicle
- 30 December 2021 – Cranko Road, attempted theft out of motor vehicle
- 30 December 2021 – Cambridge Road, trespass

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TOTAL INCIDENTS BY CATEGORY AND MAP:



INCIDENTS OF CONCERN:

The below graphs indicates the amount and locations of housebreakings, muggings and vehicle related incidents:

- Vehicle related theft (11) (theft of motor vehicle, theft out of motor vehicle, theft of car parts and attempted theft out of motor vehicle);

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 11

Sites	Incident Occurrences
▼ Observatory CID	
▼ OBS Red 2	
Lytton St	1
▼ OBS Red 1	
Campbell St	1
▼ OBS Blue 1	
Trill Rd - Blue1	1
Oxford Rd	1
▼ OBS Blue 2	
Norwich Ave	2
Kimberley Rd	1
▼ OBS Blue 3	
Cranko Rd	1
Dane Street	1
▼ OBS Yellow	
Collingwood Rd	1
▼ OBS Green	
Lower Collingwood Rd	1

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- Housebreaking (10) (burglaries residential, business and attempts);

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 10

Sites	Incident Occurrences
▼ Observatory CID	
▼ OBS Red 2	
Wesley St	1
▼ OBS Red 1	
Scott Rd	1
▼ OBS Blue 2	
Station Rd - Blue2	1
▼ OBS Blue 3	
Lower Main Rd - Blue3	1
Clifton Terrace	1
Sussex Rd	2
▼ OBS Green	
Ash St	1
▼ OBS Orange	
Molenvliet Rd	1
Westoe Rd	1

- Robbery (6) (muggings, robbery with a weapon other than a firearm and armed robbery);

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 6

Sites	Incident Occurrences
▼ Observatory CID	
▼ OBS Red 2	
Arnold St - Red2	1
▼ OBS Red 1	
Rochester Rd	1
▼ OBS Blue 1	
Trill Rd - Blue1	1
▼ OBS Blue 2	
Trill Rd - Blue2	1
▼ OBS Blue 3	
Florence Ave - Blue3	1
▼ OBS Orange	
Low St	1

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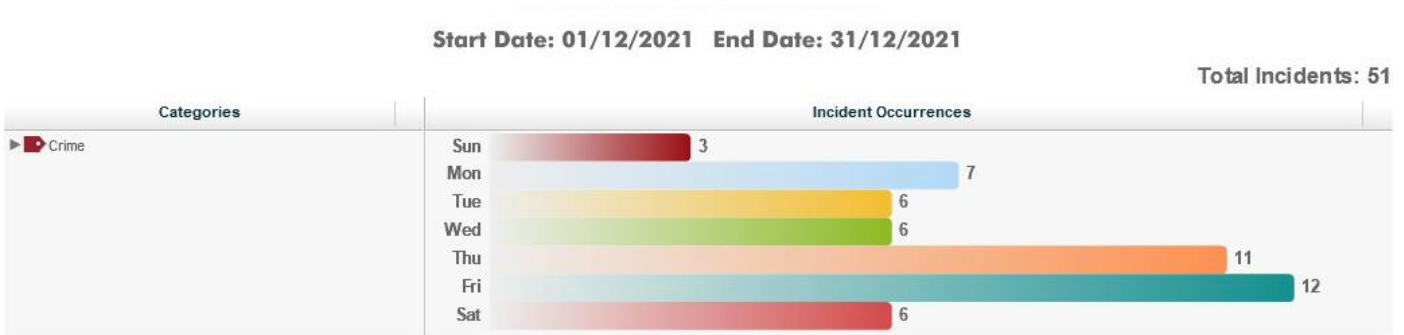
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SUMMARY OF ACTIVE PERIODS FOR THE MONTH:

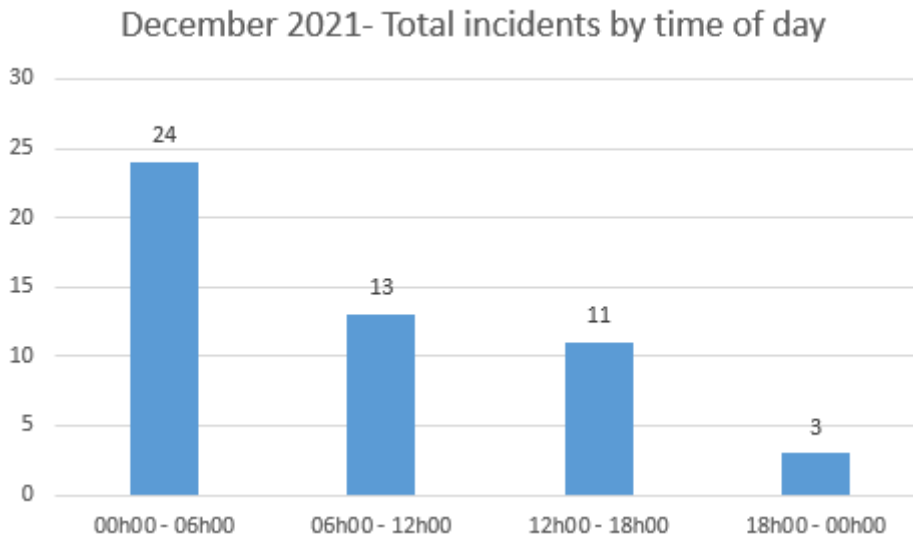
Highest incident periods: (30) incidents were reported as occurring during the week (Monday to Thursday) and (21) incidents over the weekend (Friday to Sunday).

The high number of late reports makes it difficult to accurately determine when incidents occurred – however it appears as if the majority of incidents are taking place between 00h00-06h00.

INCIDENTS BY DAY:



INCIDENTS BY TIMES OF DAY (AS REPORTED):



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NCIDENTS BY SECTOR:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 51

Sites	Incident Occurrences
▼ Observatory CID	
▶ Observatory Red 2	4
▶ Observatory Red 1	7
▶ Observatory Blue 1	11
▶ Observatory Blue 2	11
▶ Observatory Blue 3	7
▶ Observatory Yellow	4
▶ Observatory Green	2
▶ Observatory Orange	5

Sector analyses:

- **OBS Red 1, recorded 6 incidents (6) reported the previous month – 60 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:**

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 6

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
▶ Theft out of Motor Vehicle	1
▶ General Theft	1
▶ Theft of Motor Cycle	1
▼ Robbery	
▶ Robbery Common	1
▼ Housebreaking	
▶ Attempted housebreaking	1
▶ Trespass	1

- **OBS Red 2, recorded 3 incidents (12) reported the previous month – 16 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:**

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 3

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
▶ Theft from Motor Vehicle / Car parts	1
▼ Robbery	
▶ Armed Robbery	1
▼ Housebreaking	
▶ Housebreaking and theft	1

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- Blue 1, recorded 11 incidents (11) reported the previous month – 23 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 11

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
General Theft	3
Attempted Theft	1
Theft of cell phone/smart phone/tablet	1
Theft from Motor Vehicle / Car parts	2
▼ Robbery	
Robbery Common	1
Malicious Damage to Property	1
Trespass	2

- Blue 2, recorded 11 incidents (9) reported the previous month – 26 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 11

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
Theft out of Motor Vehicle	2
General Theft	3
Attempted theft of motor vehicle	1
▼ Robbery	
Attempted Robbery	1
Malicious Damage to Property	1
▼ Housebreaking	
Attempted housebreaking business	1
Trespass	2

- Blue 3, recorded 7 incidents (3) reported the previous month – 28 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 7

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
Theft of Motor Vehicle	1
Attempted Theft out of Motor Vehicle	1
▼ Robbery	
Robbery with weapon other than firearm	1
▼ Housebreaking	
Housebreaking and theft	1
Housebreaking and theft business	3

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- Orange recorded 5 incidents (6) reported the previous month – 46 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 5

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
General Theft	1
▼ Robbery	
Robbery with weapon other than firearm	1
▼ Housebreaking	
Housebreaking and theft	2
Trespass	1

- Yellow recorded 4 incidents (7) reported the previous month – 15 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 4

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
Theft out of Motor Vehicle	1
General Theft	3

- Green recorded 2 incidents (1) reported the previous month – 10 proactive actions had to be conducted in this area:

Start Date: 01/12/2021 End Date: 31/12/2021

Total Incidents: 2

Categories	Incident Occurrences
▼ Crime	
▼ Theft	
Theft out of Motor Vehicle	1
▼ Housebreaking	
Attempted housebreaking	1

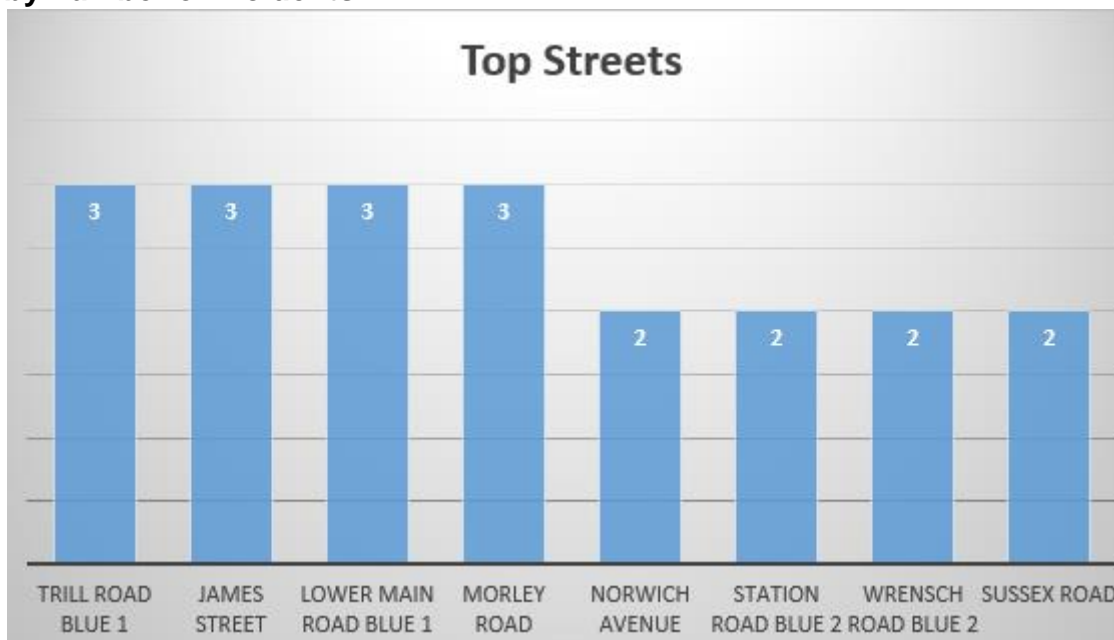
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INCIDENTS BY STREET:

The incidents were scattered throughout the area. Streets that recorded more than one incident were not on the same day and occurred on separate days throughout the month.

Top streets by number of incidents:



OBSID RESPONSE TEAM DEPLOYMENT STRATEGY DURING THE MONTH:

OBSID is continuing with focussed actions intended to minimise the opportunities for crime incidents to occur.

We urge the community to increase their vigilance and to report any unusual or suspicious actions / movements of vehicles or people to help us keep Observatory safer.