



Protecting local communities

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April 2019 –
June 2019

Redcar & Cleveland

2019/20 Quarterly District Performance Factsheet



The area covered by Redcar & Cleveland lies to the East of Cleveland Fire Authority Area and consists of twenty-two local wards. These wards range from large built up areas to small rural villages which back onto heavy industry. The current population is 136,005* living in 62,492** dwellings.

Specific risks within the District area include: A66, A174, A171, Wilton International Site, Boulby Potash, and PD Ports Teesport.

* ONS Mid year 2017 estimates
** Non Domestic Rating Stock, 31/03/2016, CLG

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WHAT NEXT?

- We will continue to focus on reducing fires in the home by delivering our Home Safety Strategy and providing fire safety advice to people in their own homes;
- Stations will target hotspot areas based on historical trends in order to reduce the number of fires;
- We will continue to tackle Secondary Fires and Anti Social Behaviour in our neighbourhoods by working alongside local secondary schools to educate youths;
- We will continue to target antisocial fire setting issues in rural forested areas, working with the police and local councils expanding days of action to other areas of concern.

Exceptionally Good Performance

2019/20 compared to 2018/19

- Violence to staff incidents have decreased by 67% from 3 to 1;
- 33% (2) decrease in numbers of Deliberate Dwelling Fires;
- The number of False Alarms in Dwellings has reduced by 23% from 52 to 40;

60.1%

of properties have received a Home Fire Safety Visit in Redcar & Cleveland

Areas for Improvement

2019/20 compared to 2018/19

- The number of Accidental Dwelling Fires have increased by 150% from 2 to 5;
- Industrial and Commercial Fires have increased by 50% from 2 to 3;
- 35% (104) increase in numbers of Secondary Fires;
- 25% (9) increase in numbers of Primary Fires.

What have we achieved?

- Working with multiple agencies in regards to fire setting and anti-social behaviour on Eston Hills, we created a poster competition for local schools with multiple prizes provided by the MP and the PCC's office;
- Wheelie bin campaigns continue to be rolled out across the district issuing wheelie bin stickers and locks to help prevent further wheelie bin fires which is helping to reduce such fires;
- We are a major contributor to the joint service operation for Eston Hills Days of Action. This has involved brigade and police off road vehicles, utilized drones and involved the friends of Eston Hills and resulted in a number of arrests, vehicle seizures, and a massive reduction in hill fires.

Home Fire Safety Visits

- We have completed 971 Home Fire Safety Visits fitting 916 Smoke Alarms across the District;
- We have completed 54 Home Safety Visits to our most vulnerable age range of 65+ (6% of HFSVs completed during period).

Safe and Well Visits

- 87 Safe and Well Visits between April 2019 and June 2019;
- A successful uptake of Safe & Well Visits with 2,952 undertaken since we commenced delivery of this initiative (October 2016).

Referrals

- 10 fall referrals and 3 loneliness referrals have been made between April 2019 and June 2019.

Indicator	2018/19	2019/20	Difference % +/-
Total Fire Calls	335	448	34%
Total Deliberate Fires	293	393	34%
Deliberate Primary Fires	22	28	27%
Deliberate Secondary Fires	271	365	35%
Total Primary Fires	36	45	25%
Accidental Dwelling Fires	2	5	150%
Accidental Dwelling Fire Fatalities	0	0	-
Accidental Dwelling Fire Injuries	0	0	-

COMMUNITY FIRE STATIONS

Grangetown Community Fire Station is located on Slip Road Church Lane/ Trunk Road, Grangetown. It is staffed 24hrs a day, 365 days a year by wholtime firefighters. Contact Grangetown station on: 01642 431210.

Redcar Community Fire Station is located on Trunk Road, Redcar. It is staffed 24hrs a day, 365 days a year by wholtime and retained firefighters. The station has facilities for local people and partners. Contact Redcar station on: 01642 777640

Guisborough Fire Station is located on Park Lane, Guisborough and is staffed by retained firefighters. Contact Guisborough station on: 01287 632242

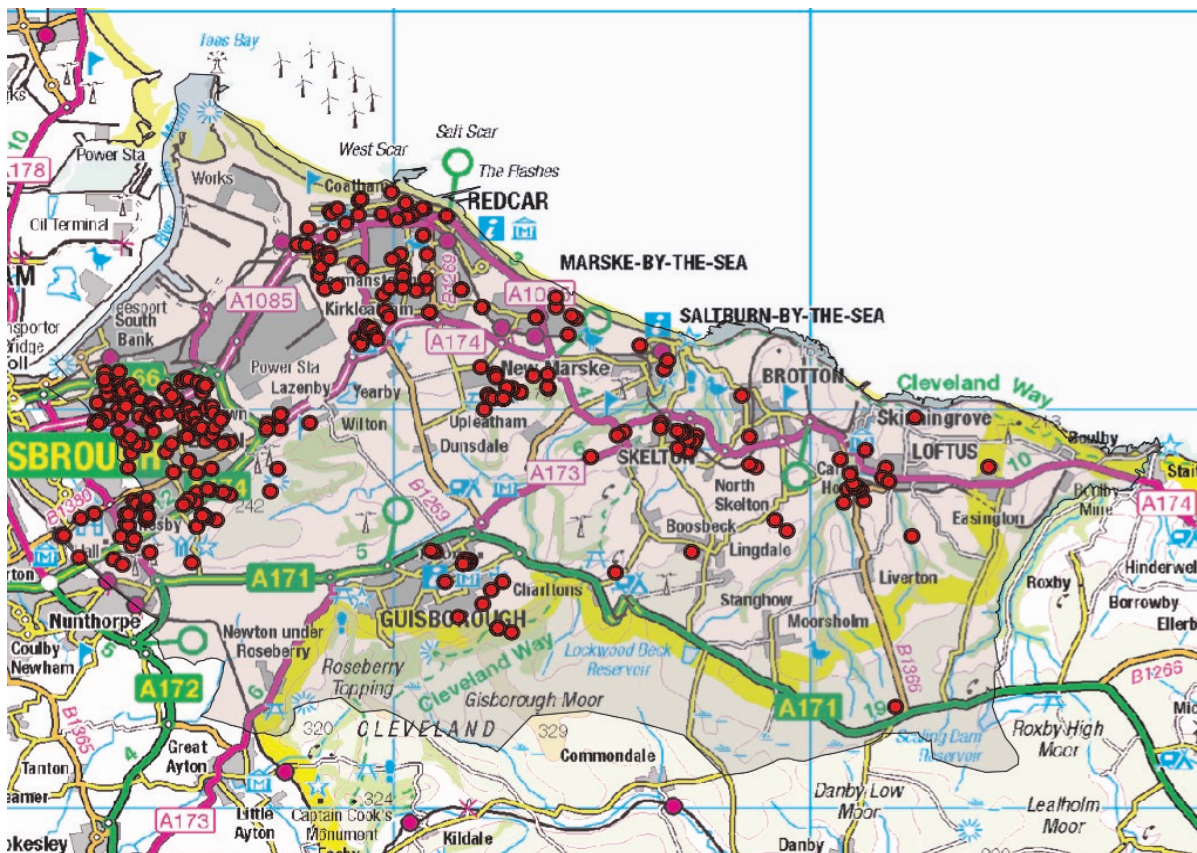
Saltburn Fire Station is located on Leven Street, Saltburn and is staffed by retained firefighters. Contact Saltburn station on: 01287 622076

Skelton Fire Station is located on High Street, Skelton and is staffed by retained firefighters. Contact Skelton station on: 01287 651890

Loftus Fire Station is located on Coronation Street, Loftus and is staffed by retained firefighters. Contact Loftus station on: 01287 640362

Deliberate Secondary Fires in Redcar & Cleveland

The map below illustrates the location of Deliberate Secondary Fires in Redcar & Cleveland District for the period April 2019 – June 2019.



The wards with the highest proportion of

Deliberate Secondary Fire incidents:

- 19% (68) South Bank;
- 11% (39) Eston;
- 10% (35) Grangetown.

The main types were:

- 48% (174) Refuse;
- 46% (169) Grassland.

Did you know we provide the following services in Redcar & Cleveland:

- Schools Education;
- Youth Engagement Programmes like LIFE & SAFE;
- Road Safety Awareness;
- National Citizens Service Programme;
- European Funded Programme 'Youth Employment Initiative' (YEI);
- Specialist Fire Safety Advocates (Disabled, Youth, Elderly, Deaf, Drugs/Alcohol, Bi-lingual);
- Life Support Training;
- Home Safety Initiatives (Home Fire Safety Visits, Safe and Well Visits, Learn & Live Home Safety).
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