



Renfrewshire Performance Report 1st January 2023 - 31st March 2023



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Local Fire and Rescue Service Plan Priorities

The Local Fire and Rescue Service Plan has been developed to set out the priorities and objectives within Renfrewshire and allows our local authority partners to scrutinise the performance outcomes of these priorities. We will continue to work closely with our partners in Renfrewshire to ensure we are all **“Working Together for a Safer Scotland”** through targeting risks to our communities at a local level.

The plan has been developed to complement key partnership activity embedded across Renfrewshire Community Plan and associated Delivery and Thematic plans. Through partnership working we will seek to deliver continuous improvement in our performance and effective service delivery in our area of operations.

The Local Fire and Rescue Plan for Renfrewshire identified six areas for demand reduction and is subject to regular monitoring and reporting through the Police / Fire and Rescue Committee. A summary of the priorities and current activity is detailed below with further detail and analysis contained within this performance report.

	Accidental Dwelling Fires	Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties	Unintentional Injury and Harm	Deliberate Fire Setting	Non-Domestic Fire Safety	Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals
Bishopton, Bridge of Weir and Langbank	3	0	1	4	2	12
Erskine and Inchinnan	4	0	0	10	1	24
Houston, Crosslee and Linwood	0	0	1	15	1	7
Johnstone North, Kilbarchan, Howwood, Lochwinnoch	6	0	1	14	1	7
Johnstone South and Elderslie	3	0	2	12	2	22
Paisley East and Central	5	1	1	7	2	33
Paisley Northeast and Ralston	4	0	1	3	2	6
Paisley Northwest	10	3	2	10	5	59
Paisley Southeast	1	1	1	4	0	13
Paisley Southwest	4	0	2	10	0	7
Renfrew North and Braehead	6	0	0	6	4	24
Renfrew South and Gallowhill	0	0	5	11	2	50
Total Incidents	46	5	17	106	22	264
Year on Year Change	◆ 44%	◆ 67%	▲ 0%	● -19%	◆ 83%	◆ 1%
3 Year Average Change	◆ 6%	◆ 43%	▲ -4%	◆ 6%	● -6%	◆ 14%

About the statistics within this report

The activity totals and other statistics quoted within this report are published in the interests of transparency and openness. They are provisional in nature and subject to change as a result of ongoing quality assurance and review. Because all statistics quoted are provisional there may be a difference in the period totals quoted in our reports after local publication which result from revisions or additions to the data in our systems. The Scottish Government publishes official statistics each year which allow for comparisons to be made over longer periods of time.

● Activity levels have reduced by more than 5%

▲ Activity levels have reduced by up to 5%

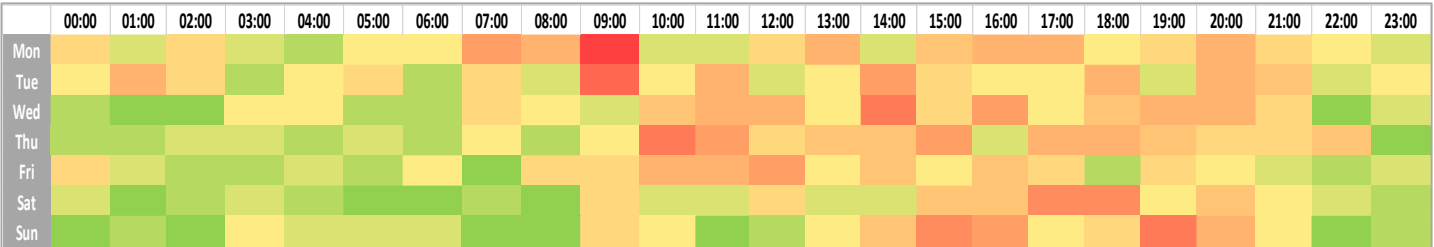
◆ Activity levels have increased overall

Renfrewshire Activity Summary

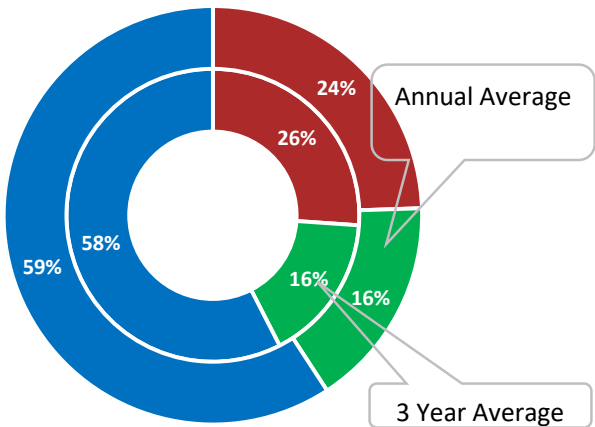


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Activity by Time of Day

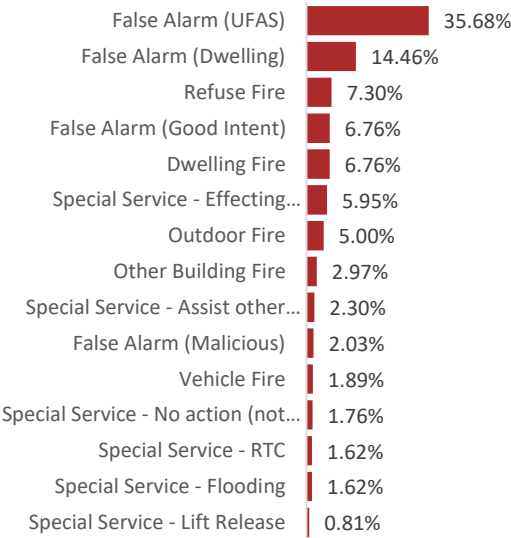


Incidents by Classification

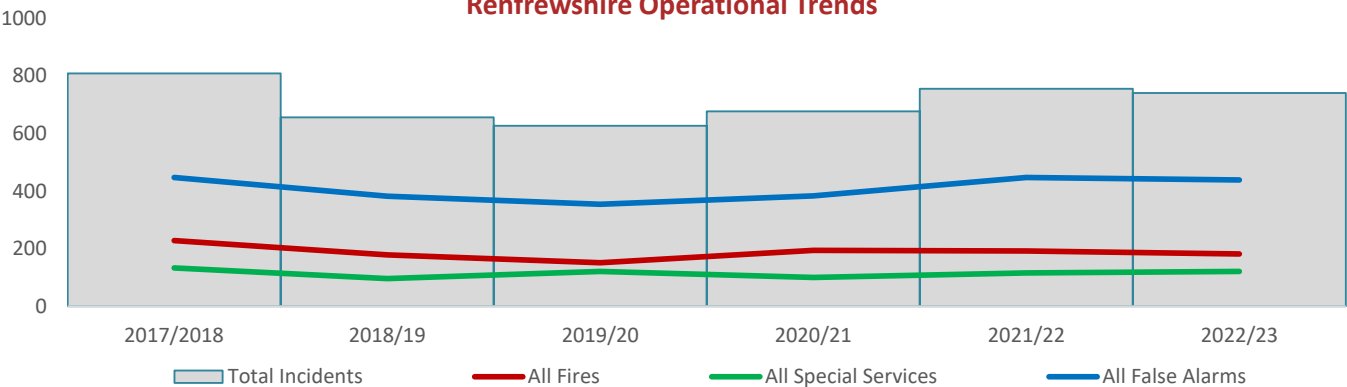


■ All Fires ■ All Special Services ■ All False Alarms

Top 15 Incidents Types by %



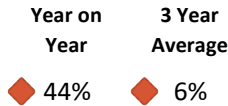
Renfrewshire Operational Trends



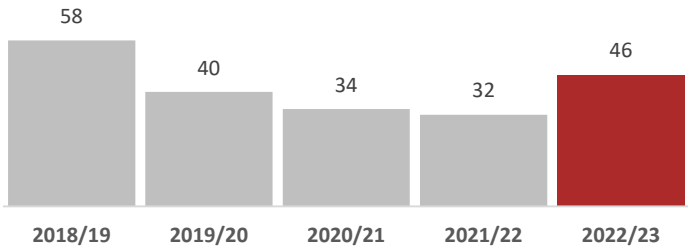
Domestic Safety - Accidental Dwelling Fires



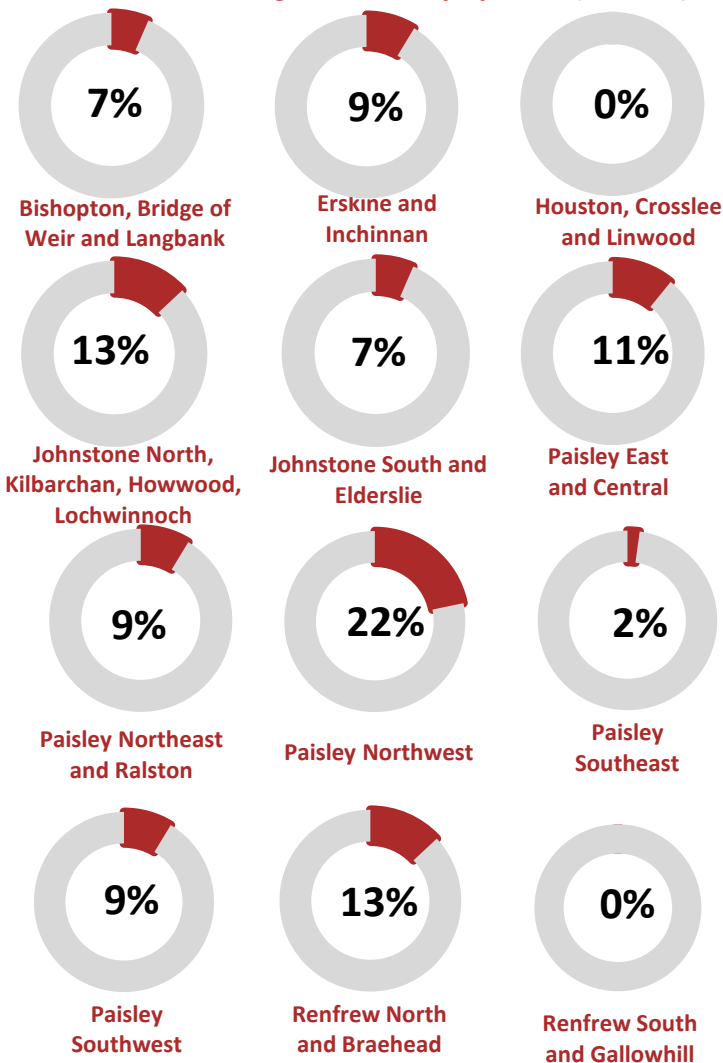
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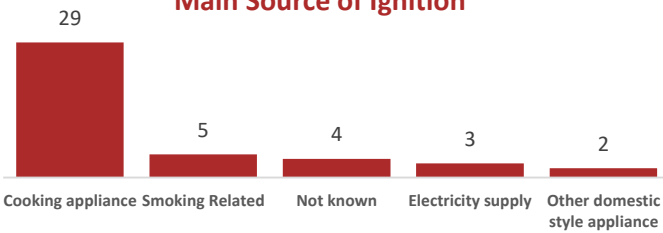
Accidental Dwelling Fires



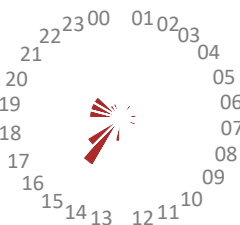
Accidental Dwelling Fires Activity by Ward (% share)



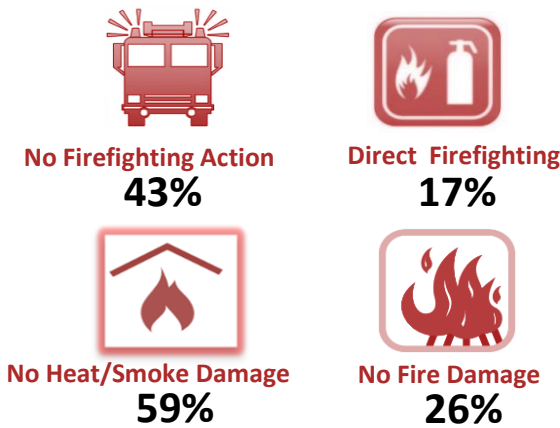
Main Source of Ignition



Accidental Dwelling Fires by Time of Day



Severity of Accidental Dwelling Fires



Human Factors



Automatic Detection & Actuation



Accidental Dwelling Fires show an increase of 44% (14 incidents) from Q4 2021/22. Cooking remains the most common source of ignition within Renfrewshire accounting for 29 of the accidental dwelling fires. 43% (20) of the incidents required no firefighting action, 37% (17) were due to distraction and 13% (6) were due to alcohol/drug impairment. 35 of the 46 incidents had detection installed and 86% (40) of them operated and raised the alarm.

Domestic Safety - Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties

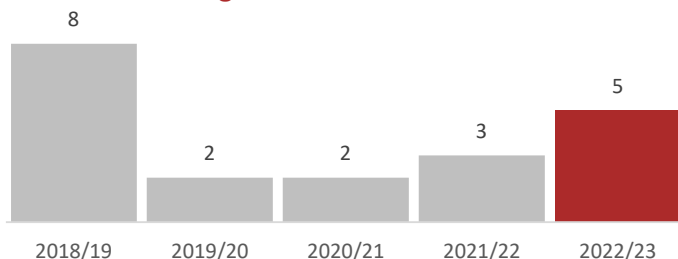
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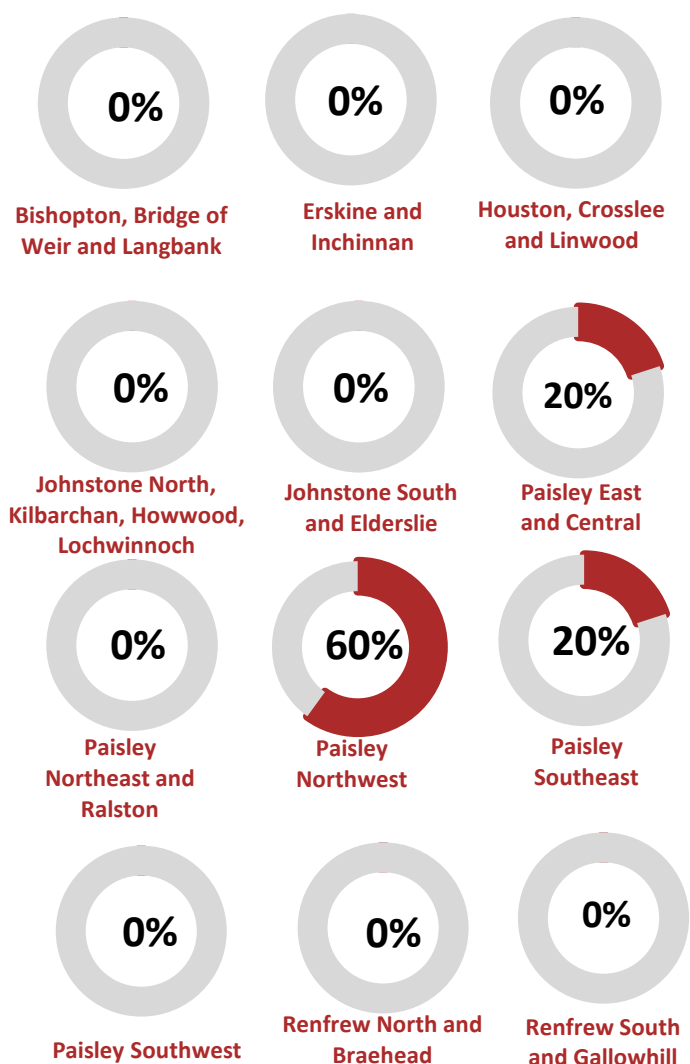
Year on Year
67%

3 Year Average
43%

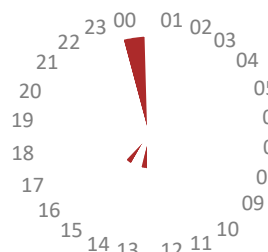
Accidental Dwelling Fires Casualties



Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties by Ward (% share)



Fire Casualties by Time of Day



Nature of Injury

Overcome by smoke



100%



0%



0%



0%



0%



0%

Extent of Harm



Fatality
0%



Hospital - Serious Injuries
20%



Hospital - Slight Injuries
60%



First Aid at Scene
20%

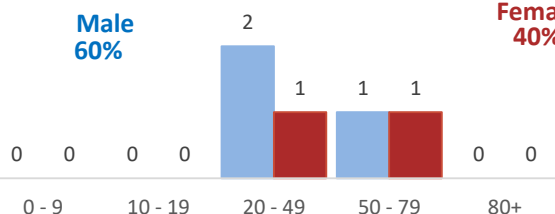
Age / Gender Profile



Male
60%



Female
40%



An increase of 67% from 3 to 5 dwelling fire casualties for this reporting period. The injuries sustained by the casualties were smoke inhalation. 1 casualty sustained serious smoke inhalation while the remaining injuries were deemed slight.

Unintentional Injury and Harm



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Year on
Year



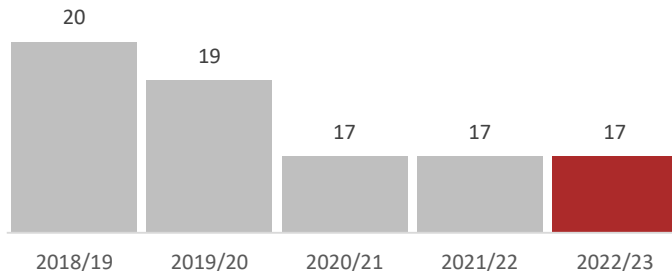
0%

3 Year
Average

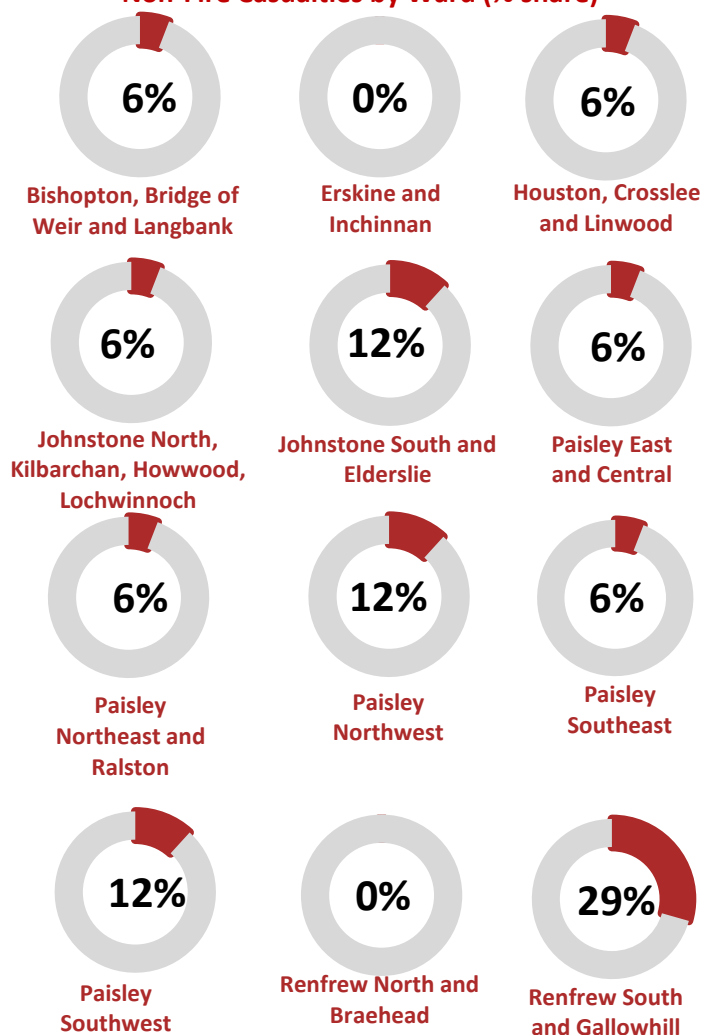


-4%

Non-Fire Casualties

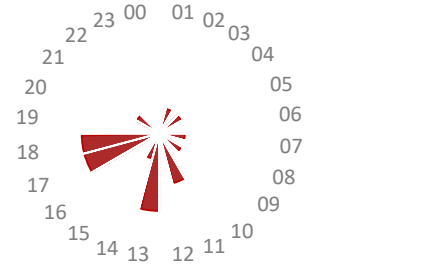


Non-Fire Casualties by Ward (% share)

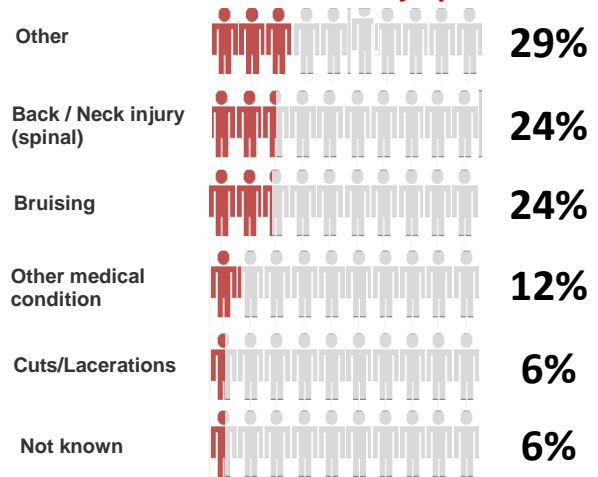


Non-fire casualties remained static at 17 casualties. Of the 17 casualties, 8 were as a result of Road Traffic Collisions (47%). Incidents involving Assisting Other Agencies accounted for 53% (9 incidents) of all the activity within this indicator. Tragically, 2 fatalities were recorded during this period. Both occurred during incidents where the Fire & Rescue Service were assisting ambulance colleagues to gain entry to residential properties.

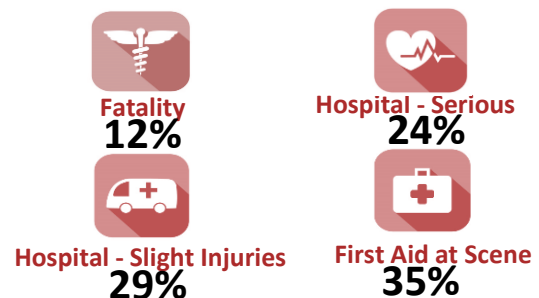
Non-Fire Casualties by Time of Day



Nature of Injury



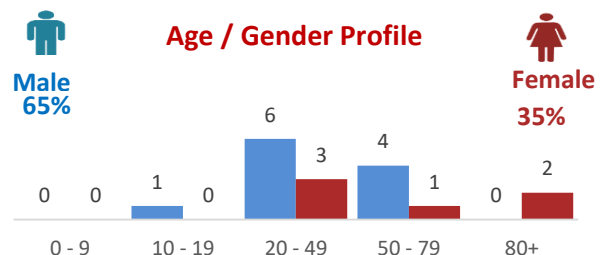
Extent of Harm



Non-Fire Emergency Activity



Age / Gender Profile



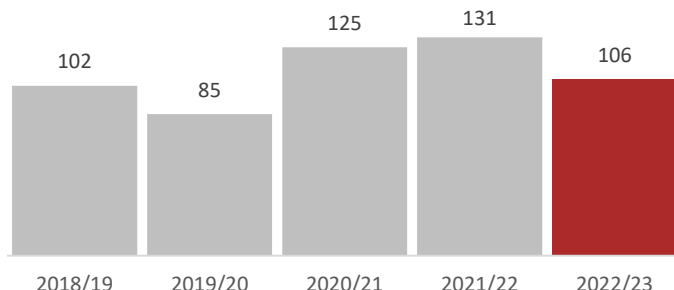
Deliberate Fire Setting



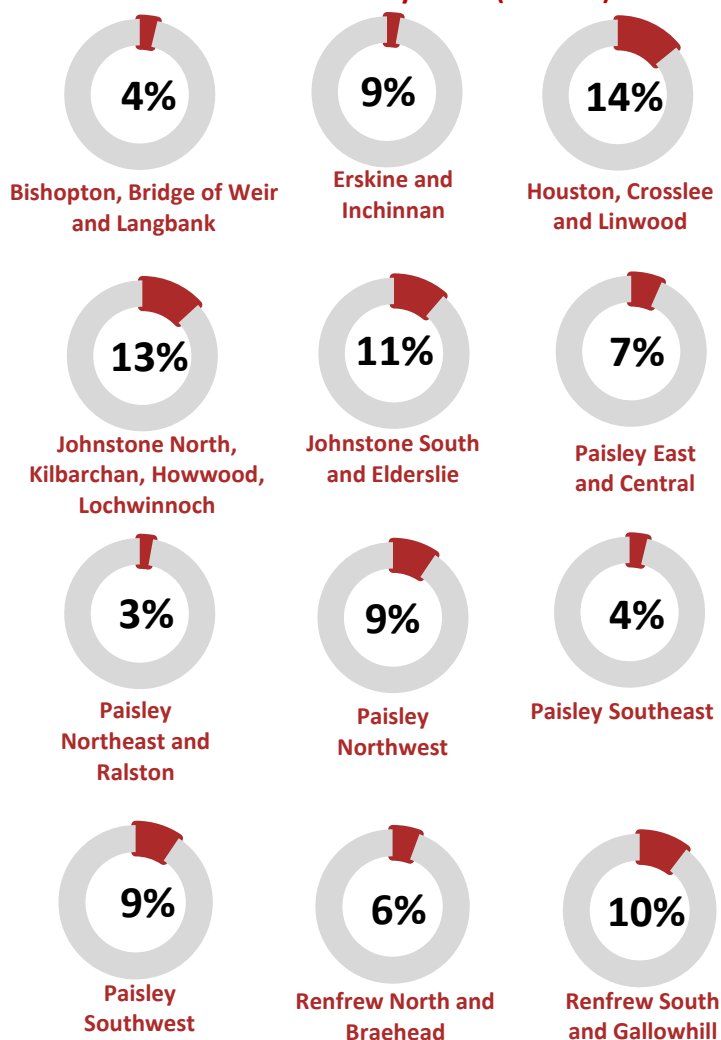
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Deliberate Fires

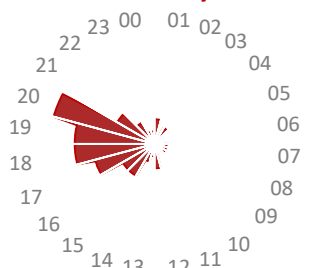


Deliberate Fires by Ward (% share)

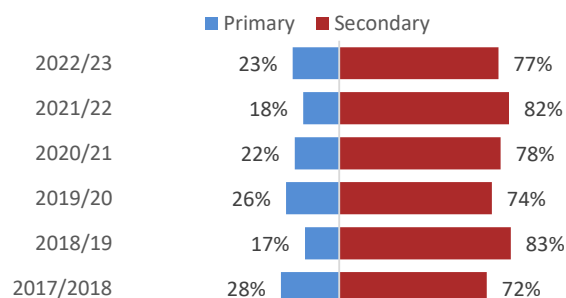


Deliberate fire setting shows a decrease of 19% (25) incidents from Q4 last year. Secondary fires accounted for 77% (82) of the incidents within this indicator.

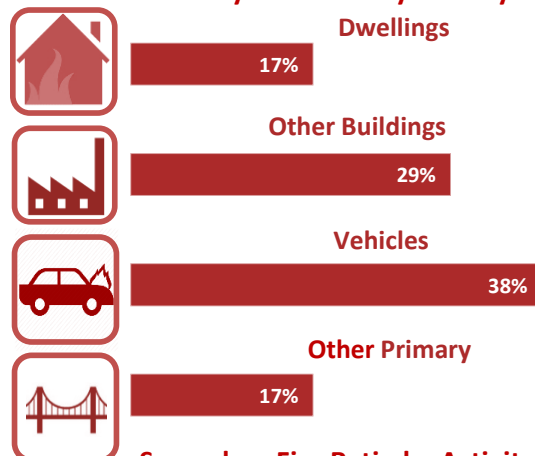
Deliberate Fires by Time of Day



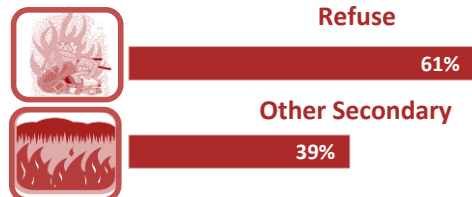
Deliberate Fires by Classification



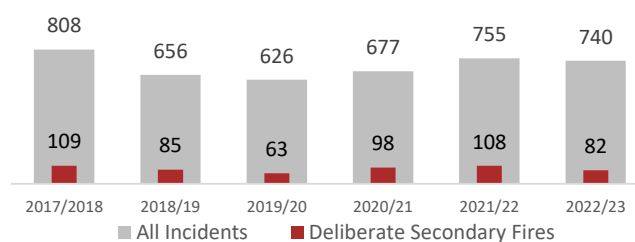
Primary Fire Ratio by Activity Type



Secondary Fire Ratio by Activity Type



Deliberate Fires Compared to Operational Activity



Definitions

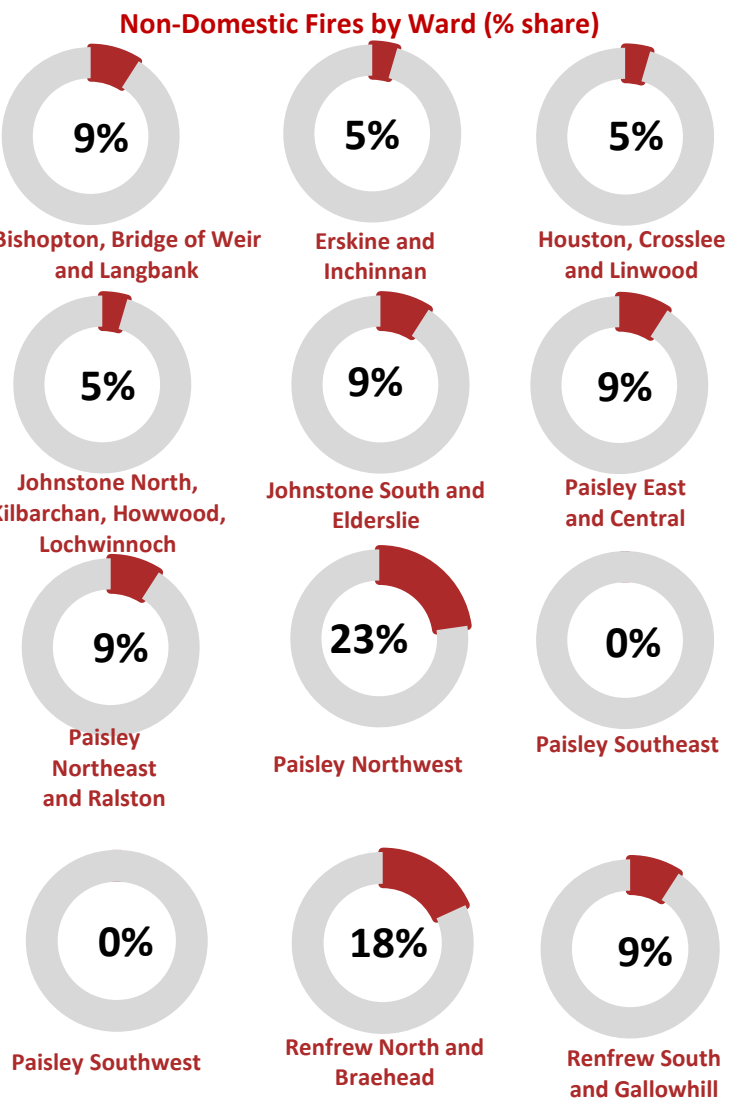
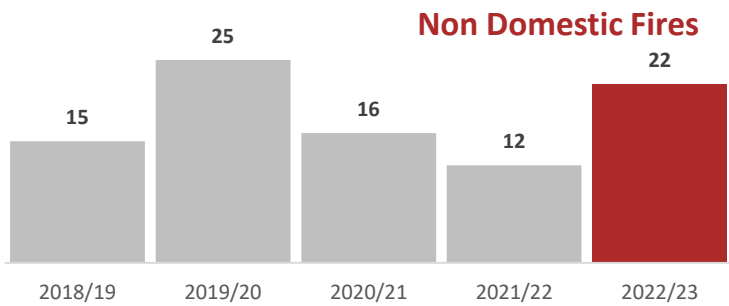
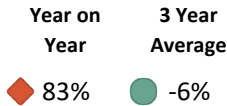
Primary Fires – all fires in buildings, vehicles and outdoor structures or any fire involving casualties, rescues or fires attended by five or more appliances

Secondary Fires – fire incidents that did not occur at a primary location, was not a chimney fire in an occupied building, did not involve casualties (otherwise categorised as a primary incident) and was attended by four or fewer appliances.

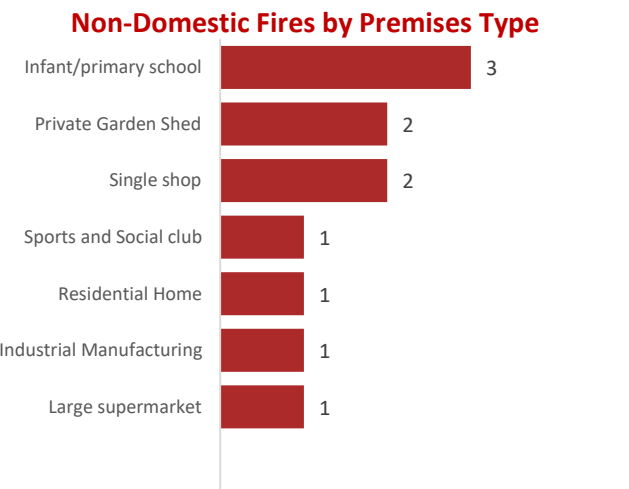
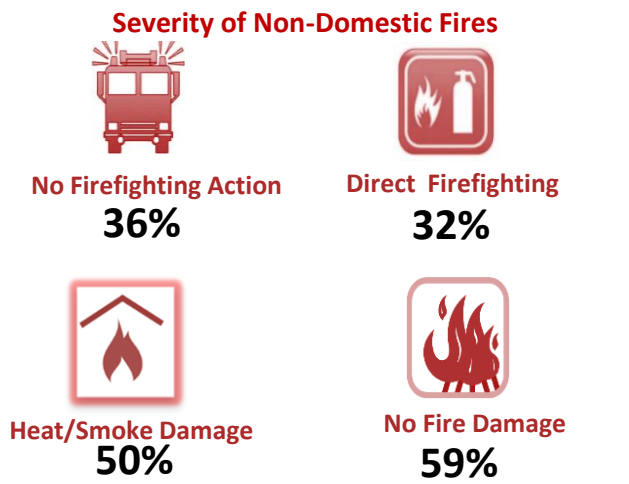
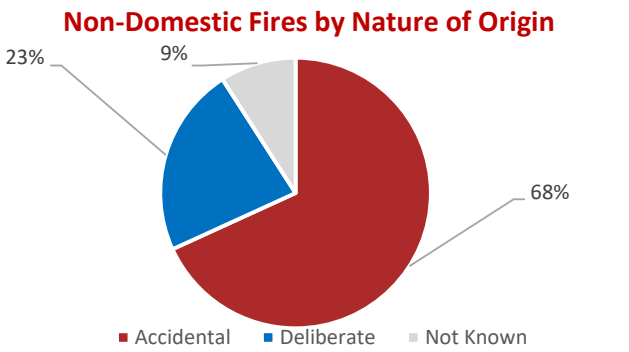
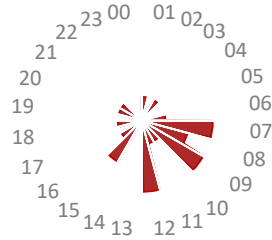
Non Domestic Fire Safety



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Non-Domestic Fires by Time of Day



An increase of 83% (10 incidents) for the year on year measure. 8 incidents required no firefighting action and 13 incidents resulted in No Fire Damage.

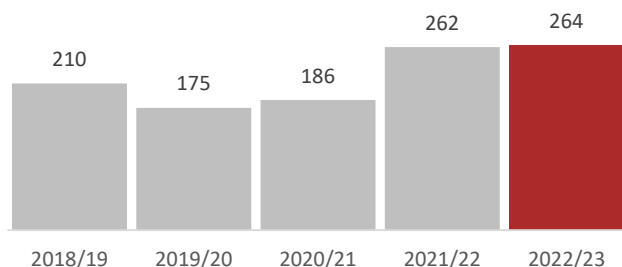
Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals



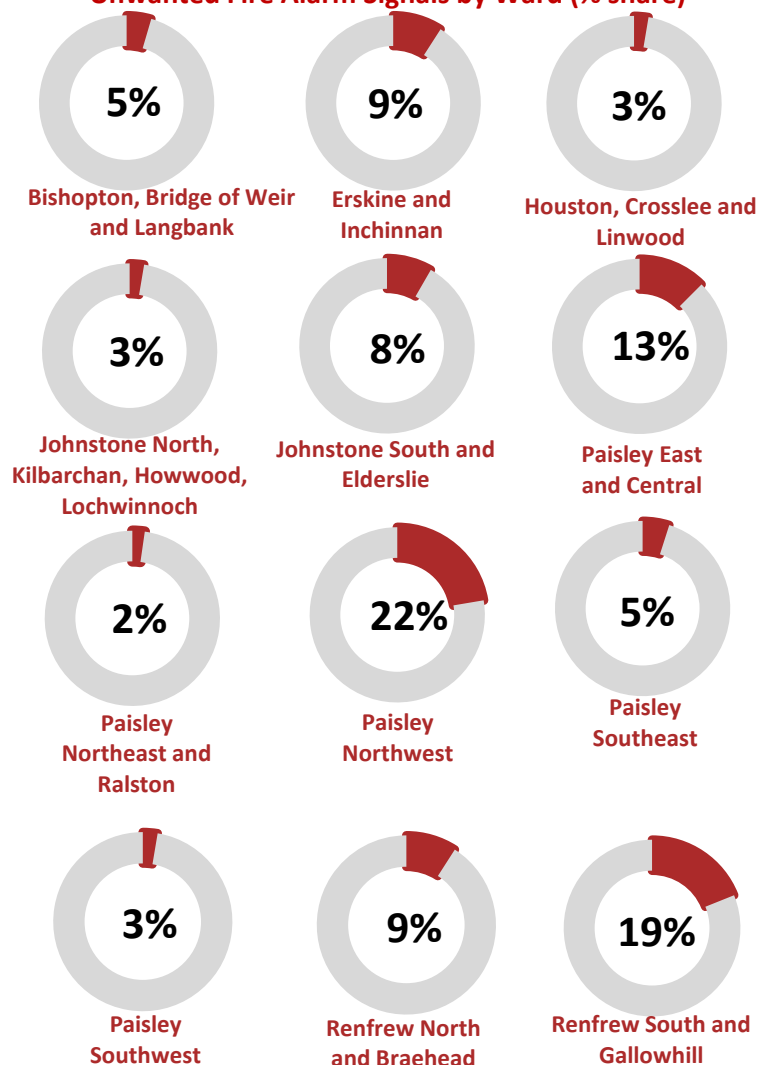
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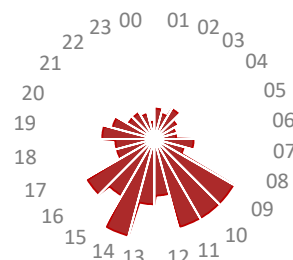
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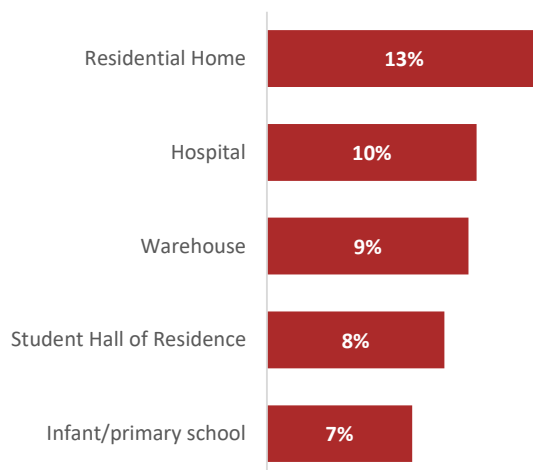
Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals by Ward (% share)



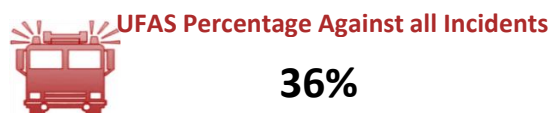
Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals by Time of Day



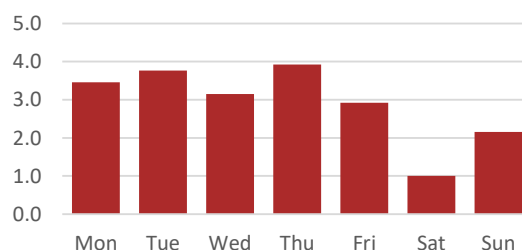
Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals - Top 5 Premises



Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals Activity Ratios



Average Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals per Day



Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals (UFAS) show an 1% (2 incidents) increase year on year. Residential Care Homes accounted for 13% (34) of incidents in this category. 43% (114 incidents) were found to be as a result of human interactions i.e. not isolating the system before testing, cooking, smoking etc.