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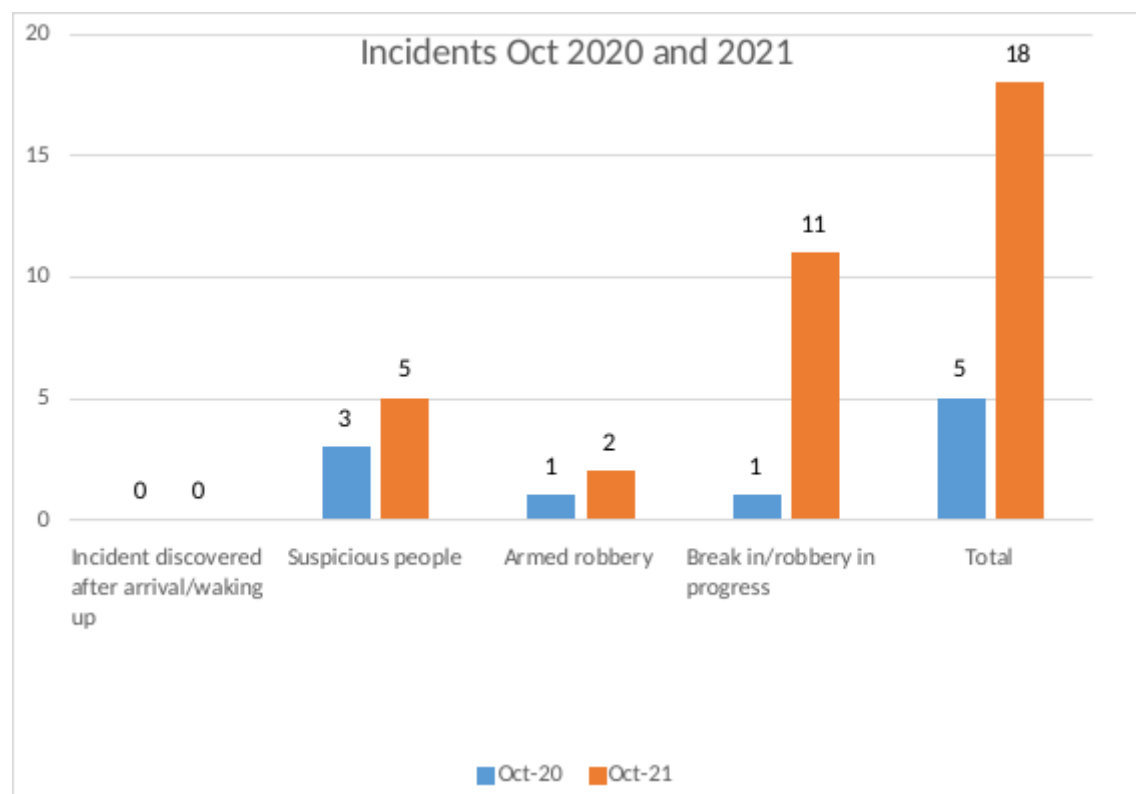
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Good day all.

For October 2021 we had **an increase to 18 incidents reported**. We had 11 break-ins/robberies. 5 suspicious incidents reported and **2 armed robberies**.

October stats



For October we have seen a increase in break-ins and robberies and had 2 armed robberies.

Based on past history it seems that we see increases in crime in September and October. Maybe related to a ramp-up for the December holiday period. Not sure why the numbers where so low in 2019.

Please be on the lookout over the holiday period.

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Looking at previous months of October:

Oct-15	4
Oct-16	11
Oct-17	11
Oct-18	21
Oct-19	1
Oct-20	5
Oct-21	18

Avg: 10



Comparison of total incidents during the years

Comparison of total incidents during the years we have been keeping track of incidents:

Note: We removed 2015 and 2016 to have enough space to show the diagram below. They are available on the web site

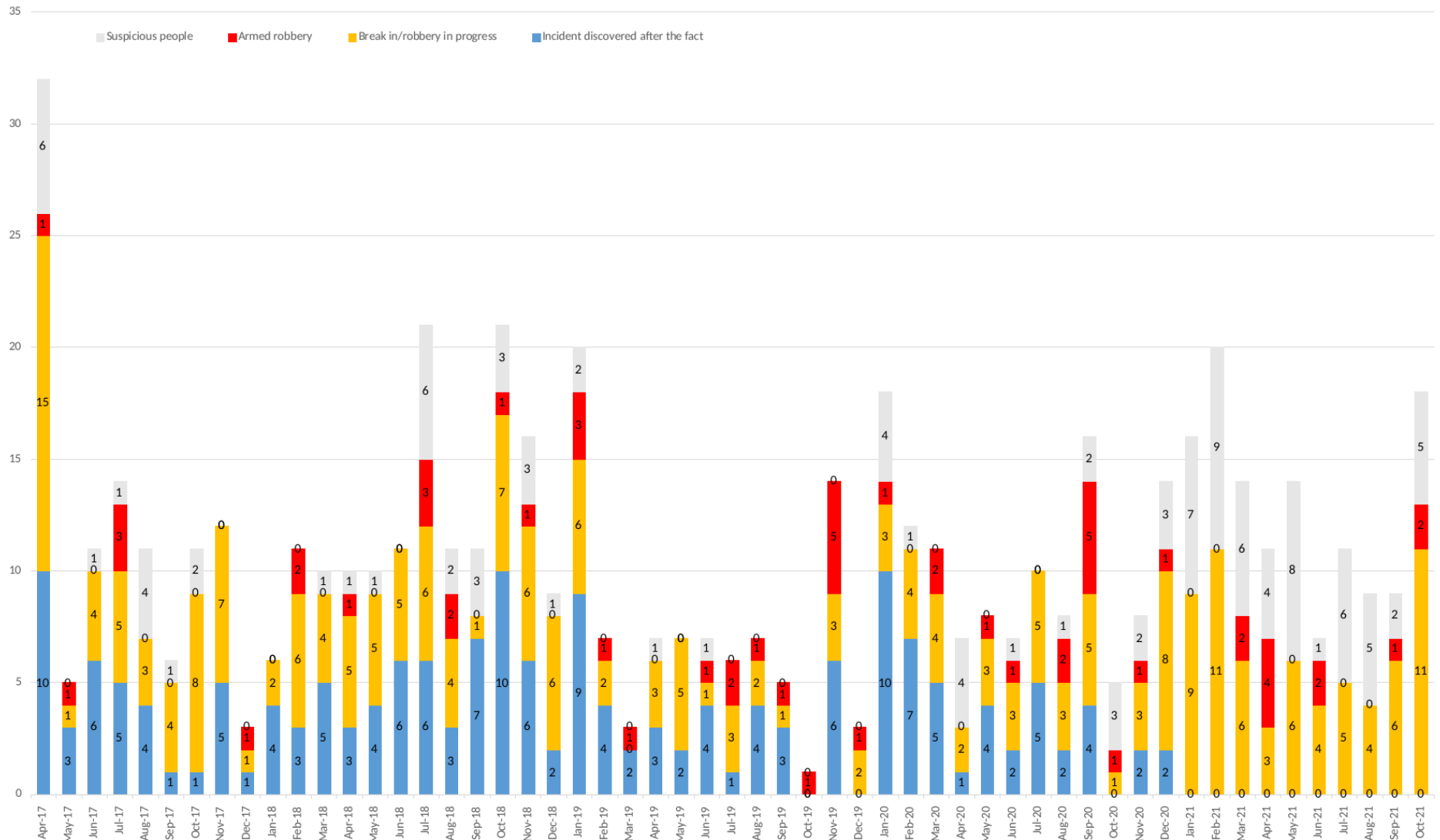
Crime is slightly higher than the lower levels we saw in 2019 but not as bad as spikes we saw in 2017 and 2018.

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Comparison of incidents





Interesting initiatives outside our community

Waterkloof closure

<https://safewaterkloof.co.za/>

<https://www.facebook.com/safewaterkloof.co.za/>

Camera Project

There has been no new announcement since September wrt to the progress of the Camera project

Final Note

As always, keep safe and vigilant this month. Report suspicious people or activities to Interactive security, **ADT, or SAPS. Please report all incidents to incidents@muckleneukhill.co.za** even if you might think it insignificant; report it in any case and we will investigate further.

All incident reports are also available on the MHSI web site:

<https://muckleneukhill.co.za/crime-statistics/>

Regards

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Appendix A: Summary of data

DATE	AREA	Type	Mapped Type for Summary Report	Suggested New types	Time Of Incident	DESCRIPTION
01/10/2021	DOUGALL STREET	Break-in: no theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	03.00.00	At 3 o'clock alarm went off. Residents found office door broken open and wet marks on the floor. Perpetrators thought there was money in the small safes, found the keys, but luckily it was empty. After triggering the alarm, they left before residents could see them.
04/10/2021	ORMONDE STREET	Break-in: with theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	03.00.00	Two men came from Sibelius Street. The one man was wearing a duvet/eiderdown - camel and black around his shoulders. When they got to 48 Ormonde they looked around for a while and then cut the electric fence. One stayed outside whilst the other man entered the property. He used the pedestrian gate as a stepping "ladder" to enter the yard. After approximately 20 minutes the lookout helped his friend on the inside of the yard to lift the bicycles over the wall. They then attempted to ride away, but one bicycle could not be ridden. The man then carried it whilst his friend rode on the other bicycle.
04/10/2021	ORMONDE STREET	Break-in: with theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	06.15.00	Electric fence was cut and two children bikes were stolen.

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06/10/2021	DEVENISH STREET	Break-in: no theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Attempted Robbery	01.45.00	Suspects climbed over an electric fence which was not armed. Once they entered the property they set off the alarm / triggered the beams, suspects then fled the property.
07/10/2021	ST PATRICK	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	08.00.00	BM dark clothing grey tekkies looking into houses
12/10/2021	FLORENCE RIBEIRO AVENUE	Break-in: with theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Attempted Robbery	03.30.00	Resident heard noises. First thought it was from the neighbours, where youngsters regularly smoking openly all sorts of stuff. Alarm was triggered. ADT responded immediately. By that time they were in the lounge and breaking down the inter linking door. They'd breached the garage security and certain beams and broke a window and burglar bars after failing at other doors. ADT arrived and they ran over the wall into FR 35 and their alarm went off. Somehow they vanished into thin air, leaving some deadly tools they were using, some theirs and others the owners tools from the garage including a pick axe and shears. Most stuff found back in the yard, except for a camera. ADT saw one intruder whom they chased. He dropped a hat which ADT took. The cutter they left in the lounge was taken by the police.
13/10/2021	LEYDS STREET	Theft: without break-in	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	17.20.00	While having a parent meeting, owner spotted some activity on the camera's. She went to investigate, but saw nothing. After the meeting it was discovered that of the parents car, the lock was broken, battery and chrome tow bar stolen. Silver /metallic Toyota. Possibly a Corolla.
15/10/2021	BEREA WEST (<360)	Off premises incident	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	19.50.00	Resident saw a vehicle was driving recklessly and suspiciously. It had very dark tinted windows and a small boy was in the back who

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						<p>looked somewhat out of it and had been crying. The driver of the vehicle appeared to be on drugs and behaved aggressively on the road. The vehicle took several detours to try and shake us to finally get to its destination (Berea between 279 and 297, cream coloured wall and black gate) No proof but bad feeling about the situation. Resident went to SS police station but they were unable to access the property. white VW Caravelle NUR72456, dark tinted windows</p>
16/10/2021	LEYDS STREET	Robbery: attempted	Break in/robbery in progress	Attempted Robbery		Tried to break into the Telkom Tower office
18/10/2021	SIBELIUS STREET	Street mugging/violence	Break in/robbery in progress	Mugging	09.30.00	Person mugged in front of Crawford College. White Polo KDL 4Z8 GP
20/10/2021	RIDGE STREET (WEST)	Trolley/dustbin related	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	10.00.00	Possibly 2 men that stole the dustbin
21/10/2021	BEREA EAST (360+)	Break-in: with theft	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	13.00.00/04.00.00/	<p>Suspect perpetrators hid on the premises during the day and came out late at night. Broke garage window on street frontage to gain access. Disconnected Electric fence batteries and allowed them to run flat. Removed car battery from vehicle. Stayed in bottom section of garden when the fence was flat they accessed the top section. They broke into the main house, were in the house for only 10 minutes, triggered different alarm, neighbours alerted security but because they are not clients of security companies they could not access the property, only look from the street. They stole a laptop and left their personal items behind which included drug paraphernalia.</p>

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22/10/2021	SIBELIUS STREET	Robbery: attempted	ARMED ROBBERY	ARMED ROBBERY	20.00.00	Perpetrators jumped gate to open it manually, to let in a White A class Merc. 3 men, 1 armed went into the house, locked up resident + 2 kids in a room, stole tv, laptops / cells. The resident pressed the panic, ADT arrived, got shot at(5-6 times). ADT reversed, Merc reversed and sped into Sibelius. The car was hit. No one was hurt
22/10/2021	BEREA	Suspicious vehicle	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	17.50.00	Grey Toyota Carolla no number plate standing in Berea Street and then moved to Leyds Str
23/10/2021	LEYDS STREET	Theft: without break-in	Break in/robbery in progress	Robbery	03.00.00	3 BM clearly seen on footage, were walking in the street, checking out walls and premises. They stole the camera from the wall. They are the same gang as from 21-10-21
26/10/2021	SMITH STREET	Robbery: confirmed	ARMED ROBBERY	ARMED ROBBERY	13.45.00	Resident was working from home. 2 BM broke open entry and as the resident heard the noise, they were inside already. Crow bar and at least 1 armed suspect were involved. Perpetrators pulled a weapon and cocked the gun and marched him into the lounge and forced him to lie under the table, the other perpetrator proceeded to steal a Plasma tv, 4 laptops, 1 cell phone and an X box. Stole 4 laptops, cell phones etc. Panic button was pressed, perpetrators left, saw ADT and waved. Interactive still gave chase, but no luck. Fled in a Toyota Etios hatchback
28/10/2021	LOVEDAY STREET	Suspicious vehicle	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	08.30.00	2 BM in Opel Corsa Utility trying to steal cars. Been seen on several camera's. BJ 18 BR GP

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28/10/2021	KRUIN STREET	Suspicious vehicle	Suspicious people	Suspicious people	09.00.00	Silver Hyundai CZ 07 BC GP, with 2 occupants checking Kruin / Smith / Berea area.
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