| Police Scotland logo | Freedom of Information Response Our reference: FOI 24-1682  Responded to: 02 August 2024 |
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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

**Please can you provide all information regarding attendances at the park at Nicholson Square Edinburgh Southside Newington**

Please see the breakdown below of all police attended incidents at Nicholson Square, Newington, Edinburgh from 1 January 2021 to 30 June 2024. Please also note the caveats below the table.

| **Initial Incident Type** | **2021** | **2022** | **2023** | **2024** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Intruder | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Personal Attack Alarm | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Audible Only | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Public Nuisance | 10 | 50 | 10 | 4 |
| Drugs/Substance Misuse | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Disturbance | 9 | 15 | 9 | 6 |
| Noise | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Drinking In Public | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Communications | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hate Crime | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Police Information | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Police Generated Activity | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Assist Member of The Public | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Bail/Curfew/Address Checks | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| External Agency Request | 1 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Sexual Offence | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Theft | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Vehicle Crime | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Housebreaking | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Suspect Persons | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Assault | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Other Crime | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Firearms Incident | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bomb Threat | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Animals | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Domestic Incident | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Abandoned/Silent 999 Call | 5 | 8 | 5 | 3 |
| Concern For Person | 3 | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| Child Protection | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Road Traffic Collision | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Road Traffic Matter | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Road Traffic Offence | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| **Total** | **47** | **116** | **51** | **26** |

Data is provisional and should be treated as management information.

Data was extracted from Police Scotland internal systems and is correct as at 23/7/2024.

1. The data was extracted using the incident's raised date.

2. Error and transferred incidents have been removed.

3. Specified areas have been selected using GIS Mapping.

4. Please note, each record will need to be read to confirm the circumstances and location

5. Keyword search was carried out for 'Nicolson Square' to identify the relevant records.

6. Please note, "Attended" Storm Incidents are defined by a valid timestamp within the "At Scene" variable.

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by [email](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by [email](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.