

# Newsletter

## Scarborough has the 3rd highest density of fast food outlets in England

New data from Public Health England has highlighted that Scarborough has the third highest density of fast food outlets per head of population in the country, behind Westminster and Blackpool. Castle ward alone has 58 outlets.



The study looks at the close association between density of fast food outlets and deprivation and aims to support local action towards achieving a healthier food environment.

The data and a map can be found at <https://www.noo.org.uk/visualisation>

## Population estimates for small areas updated

Small area population estimates for mid-2015 are now available. They bring the figures for district council wards, Super Output Areas, National Parks and Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) into line with the most recent local authority level population estimates.

This release of information by the Office for National Statistics provides the first population information for the new district ward boundaries, which were introduced in Craven, Hambleton and Selby in May 2015.

Total population and a breakdown by single years of age are available to download from <http://hub.datanorthyorkshire.org/dataset/population-estimates>

## Update your favourites and links to STREAM

**STREAM**  
Statistics, research and mapping  
for North Yorkshire

Since the early summer our old Local Information System, STREAM, has been part of our new Data North Yorkshire web site. If you need to access statistics about North Yorkshire please remember to use our new web address, [www.DataNorthYorkshire.org](http://www.DataNorthYorkshire.org) and do not forget to update any links or stored favourites in your web browser.

## Road Casualties Annual Report



The North Yorkshire County Council road safety and travel awareness team has published the 'Road casualties in North Yorkshire annual report'.

The report provides a one-stop reference point to access information on collision statistics for the county and each district. It also outlines the work that the team has been delivering in the community over the past year.

This new efficient way of reporting information will make it easier for members of the public, councillors and the media to access the information when they need it.

The report is available from <http://www.roadwise.co.uk/using-the-road/statistics/>

## The uneven impact of Welfare Reform

A new report produced by the Centre for Economic and Social Research highlights the wide variations in the impact of welfare reforms across the county.

The report finds that in a number of rural areas in northern England, including most of North Yorkshire, the impact has been relatively light. However among the hardest-hit places are a number of less prosperous seaside towns including Scarborough, highlighting the disparity within the county.

Links to the report and the source data can be found at

<http://hub.datanorthyorkshire.org/dataset/welfare-reform>



## Crime Severity Scores

The Office for National Statistics have produced a new Crime Severity Score data tool providing Crime Severity Scores for individual police force areas and regions.

The new tool is part of ongoing research to determine whether a Crime Severity Score should be incorporated in Official Statistics on Crime in England and Wales.

It is available to download from:

<http://hub.datanorthyorkshire.org/dataset/crime-and-anti-social-behaviour-asb>

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