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Dear Requestor

REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2019/02752

I write in connection with your request for information received on 24th April. I note you seek access to the following information:

- Details of 'illegal raves' attended by officers from your force in 2018.**
- What actions were taken by officers in regards to the monitoring and termination of each event.**
- Details of what section/s (if any) were issued and the procedures executed.**
- Number of arrests made in relation to each event.**
- Details of any sound equipment seized in relation to any event .**
- Details of any vehicles seized at each event.**

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (The Act) to handle all requests in a manner that is blind to the identity of the requestor. Any information released in response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore, in the public domain without caveat.

RESPONSE - Following enquiries conducted by Bedfordshire Police with their incident and crime recording systems please see our response below.

Attended Date	Incident Description	Final Desc	Location Street Name	Location / City
09/06/2018	ILLEGAL RAVES AND DRUGS	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	WATLING ST	KENSWORTH
15/06/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Anti-Social Behaviour - Nuisance	AMPTHILL RD	SHEFFORD
16/06/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	FALDO RD	BARTON-LE-CLAY
24/06/2018	LAST 90 MINUTES	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	KINGSLEY AVE	STOTFOLD
06/07/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	WYMINGTON RD	PODINGTON
01/01/1900	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	WOBURN RD	ASPLEY HEATH

01/01/1900	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Administration - Duplicate	STATION RD	AMPTHILL
23/09/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	SAND LN	SANDY
30/09/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	ROPE WK	BEDFORD
06/10/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Public Safety/Welfare - Protest/Demonstration (spontaneous)	FORDFIELD RD	MILLBROOK
04/11/2018	RAVE OR ANTICIPATED RAVE	Crime - Other Offences	CARDINGTON RD	BEDFORD

The incident system has a category for recording calls where the caller suspects there might be a rave. Whether this turns out to be a formally organised illegal rave is not captured on the incident system and neither are any subsequent arrests or seizures relating to the incident.

No equipment or vehicles have been seized.

The numerical data presented in this response is an un-audited snapshot of un-published data sourced from "live" systems and is subject to the interpretation of the original request by the individual extracting the data.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter please do not hesitate to contact me quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

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Bedfordshire Police provides you the right to request an independent review of this response under its review procedure. If you require such a review you must notify us within two months from the date of this letter. After lodging a complaint with Bedfordshire Police if you are still dissatisfied with the decision you may make an application to the Information Commissioner. For information on how to make a complaint please visit their website at <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/> or contact them on 0303 123 1113.