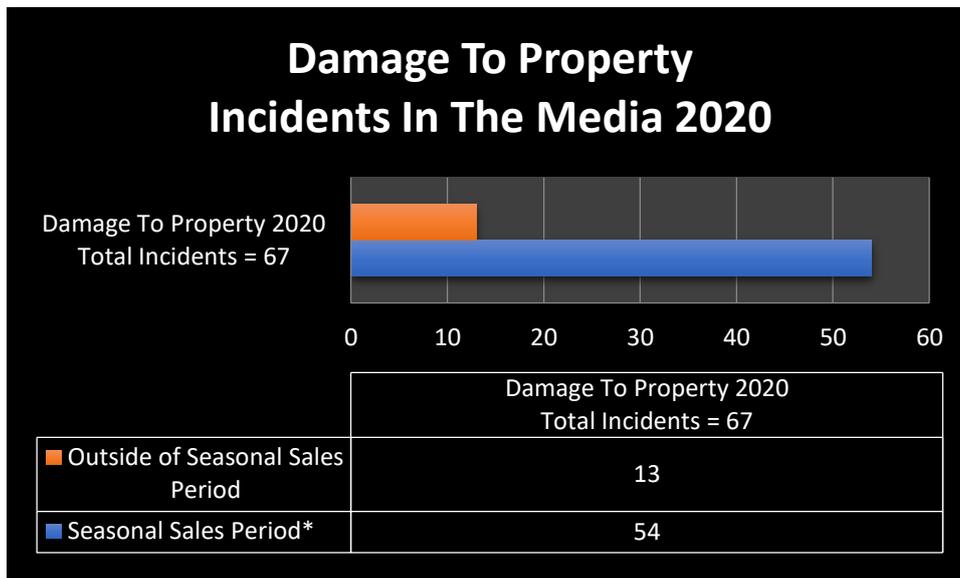


# DAMAGE TO PROPERTY INCIDENTS IN THE MEDIA 2020

*Please note this is NOT a complete list. It represents a cursory perusal of the media by one group.*



**The shaded incidents are within the Seasonal Sales Period**

Chinese New Year 22/01/20 to 25/01/20, Bonfire Night 15/10/20 to 10/11/20,  
Diwali 11/11/20 to 14/11/20 and New Year 26/12/20 to 31/12/20

SOURCE	DATE	COMMENT	WEBLINK
Bridport News	01/01/20	Fireworks set beach hut on fire on Marine Parade in Lyme Regis	<a href="https://www.bridportnews.co.uk/news/18133583.fireworks-set-beach-hut-fire-marine-parade-lyme-regis/">https://www.bridportnews.co.uk/news/18133583.fireworks-set-beach-hut-fire-marine-parade-lyme-regis/</a>
Facebook - Spa Valley Railway	01/01/20	Fireworks set off inside the coaches of restored train (Tunbridge Wells)	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/302222139920013/posts/1651063738369173/">https://www.facebook.com/302222139920013/posts/1651063738369173/</a>
Manchester Evening News	27/01/20	Explosion in Salford was caused by a firework which damaged a car	<a href="https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/large-explosion-salford-firework-cordon-17642028">https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/large-explosion-salford-firework-cordon-17642028</a>
Manchester Evening News	20/02/20	Salford street evacuated and bomb squad called after industrial fireworks thrown inside a parked car spark 'bomb' fears	<a href="https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/salford-firework-attack-houses-evacuated-17780132">https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/salford-firework-attack-houses-evacuated-17780132</a>
Kent Online	26/06/20	A 19-year-old man has been charged with causing criminal damage to the Liver Building and firing fireworks in a public place after a firework was thrown amid celebrations after Liverpool won the Premier League.	<a href="https://www.kentonline.co.uk/news/national/man-charged-after-firework-thrown-at-liver-building-amid-title-celebrations-6656/">https://www.kentonline.co.uk/news/national/man-charged-after-firework-thrown-at-liver-building-amid-title-celebrations-6656/</a>
Metro		Liverpool fan who threw firework at building causing £30,000 damage avoids jail	<a href="https://metro.co.uk/2020/08/22/liverpool-fan-who-threw-firework-building-causing-30000-damage-avoids-jail-13162957/">https://metro.co.uk/2020/08/22/liverpool-fan-who-threw-firework-building-causing-30000-damage-avoids-jail-13162957/</a>
Grimsby Telegraph	04/08/20	Blaze rips through the former Scunthorpe market after residents hear bangs 'like fireworks going off'	<a href="https://www.grimsbytelegraph.co.uk/news/local-news/blaze-rips-through-old-market-4393256">https://www.grimsbytelegraph.co.uk/news/local-news/blaze-rips-through-old-market-4393256</a>
Leicester Mercury	11/09/20	Vandals post lit fireworks through letterboxes of Braunstone homes	<a href="https://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/news/leicester-news/vandals-post-lit-fireworks-through-4510197">https://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/news/leicester-news/vandals-post-lit-fireworks-through-4510197</a>
Stoke Sentinel	15/09/20	Braindead' yobs post lit fireworks through letterboxes on these six streets in Crewe	<a href="https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/braindead-yobs-post-lit-fireworks-4522360">https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/braindead-yobs-post-lit-fireworks-4522360</a>
Blog Preston	11/10/20	Lit fireworks put through letterboxes in Ribbleton. One woman was hit by a firework during the incident.	<a href="https://www.blogpreston.co.uk/2020/10/lit-fireworks-put-through-letterboxes-in-ribbleton/">https://www.blogpreston.co.uk/2020/10/lit-fireworks-put-through-letterboxes-in-ribbleton/</a>
Nottinghamshire Live	13/10/20	Hucknall flats evacuated after fireworks set off inside	<a href="https://www.nottinghampost.com/news/local-news/hucknall-flats-evacuated-after-fireworks-4606480">https://www.nottinghampost.com/news/local-news/hucknall-flats-evacuated-after-fireworks-4606480</a>
Lancashire Evening Post	16/10/20	15 year old Chorley boy arrested for posting a firework through a letterbox in Coppull	<a href="https://www.lep.co.uk/news/crime/two-chorley-boys-aged-14-and-15-arrested-posting-fireworks-through-letter-boxes-3022160">https://www.lep.co.uk/news/crime/two-chorley-boys-aged-14-and-15-arrested-posting-fireworks-through-letter-boxes-3022160</a>

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Facebook - Southampton Cops	20/10/20	Appeal after firework put through letter box of Southampton house	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/SouthamptonCops/photos/a.121049752641756/374339873979408/">https://www.facebook.com/SouthamptonCops/photos/a.121049752641756/374339873979408/</a>
Southampton Tab	21/10/20	A lit firework was put through a letterbox of a house in Tennyson Road in Portswood, Southampton.	<a href="https://thetab.com/uk/soton/2020/10/21/a-lit-firework-was-put-through-letterbox-of-a-house-on-tennyson-road-84950">https://thetab.com/uk/soton/2020/10/21/a-lit-firework-was-put-through-letterbox-of-a-house-on-tennyson-road-84950</a>
Manchester Evening News	25/10/20	Firework launched through 62-year-old gran's living room as she sat watching TV	<a href="https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/firework-launched-through-62-year-19172420">https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/firework-launched-through-62-year-19172420</a>
Birmingham Live	26/10/20	Police probe as firework launched through letterbox in Dudley	<a href="https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/black-country/police-probe-firework-launched-through-19169459">https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/black-country/police-probe-firework-launched-through-19169459</a>
Bristol Live	27/10/20	Firework and brick attacks at Bristol Chinese restaurant	<a href="https://www.bristolpost.co.uk/news/bristol-news/firework-brick-attacks-bristol-chinese-4727814">https://www.bristolpost.co.uk/news/bristol-news/firework-brick-attacks-bristol-chinese-4727814</a>
Porstmouth News	28/10/20	Firework launched into bin in Portsmouth	<a href="https://www.portsmouth.co.uk/news/crime/firework-launched-bin-and-smoke-pours-stairwell-amid-bin-fire-spree-portsmouth-3018305">https://www.portsmouth.co.uk/news/crime/firework-launched-bin-and-smoke-pours-stairwell-amid-bin-fire-spree-portsmouth-3018305</a>
BBC	30/10/20	Nottingham letterbox firework 'could have killed someone'	<a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-nottinghamshire-54761288">https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-nottinghamshire-54761288</a>
Facebook - Incidents On Teeside & County Duryam	30/10/20	Fireworks being thrown Tyde Road, Roseworth - one landing in bin and setting it alight	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/incidentsonteessideandcountydurham/posts/1597049297166803">https://www.facebook.com/incidentsonteessideandcountydurham/posts/1597049297166803</a>
Lancashire Evening Post	31/10/20	14 year old Chorley boy arrested for posting a firework through a letterbox	<a href="https://www.lep.co.uk/news/crime/two-chorley-boys-aged-14-and-15-arrested-posting-fireworks-through-letter-boxes-3022160">https://www.lep.co.uk/news/crime/two-chorley-boys-aged-14-and-15-arrested-posting-fireworks-through-letter-boxes-3022160</a>
Spalding Today	31/10/20	Stray firework sparks Kirton hedge blaze	<a href="https://www.spaldingtoday.co.uk/news/stray-firework-sparks-blaze-9128550/">https://www.spaldingtoday.co.uk/news/stray-firework-sparks-blaze-9128550/</a>
Facebook	31/10/20	Fire caused by firework thrown onto balcony	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/Karla.cakes.dean/posts/10160405912113835">https://www.facebook.com/Karla.cakes.dean/posts/10160405912113835</a>
Metro		Family of six 'left with nothing' after firework thrown on balcony destroys flat. An 11-year-old was arrested the same day and bailed to return in January 2021	<a href="https://metro.co.uk/2021/01/09/family-of-six-left-with-nothing-after-firework-thrown-on-balcony-13876210/">https://metro.co.uk/2021/01/09/family-of-six-left-with-nothing-after-firework-thrown-on-balcony-13876210/</a>

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Lad Bible	31/10/20	A two-year-old little girl has been injured after a firework was thrown into her family garden in Newry which struck her on her face causing a large burn. The firework then exploded and set alight the curtains on the patio doors, which were open. The child's coat was also burned. The firework then exploded and set alight the curtains on the patio doors, which were open. The child's coat was also burned.	<a href="https://www.ladbible.com/news/uk-girl-2-burned-by-firework-that-was-thrown-into-garden-by-stranger-20201101">https://www.ladbible.com/news/uk-girl-2-burned-by-firework-that-was-thrown-into-garden-by-stranger-20201101</a>
The Star	31/10/20	Yobs throw firework into block of flats on Sheffied estate putting lives at risk	<a href="https://www.thestar.co.uk/news/crime/yobs-throw-firework-block-flats-sheffield-estate-putting-lives-risk-3022515">https://www.thestar.co.uk/news/crime/yobs-throw-firework-block-flats-sheffield-estate-putting-lives-risk-3022515</a>
Stoke On Trent Live	31/10/20	Firefighters called after yobs stuff fireworks through Stoke-on-Trent care home letterbox	<a href="https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/firefighters-called-after-yob-stuff-4658590">https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/firefighters-called-after-yob-stuff-4658590</a>
Birmingham Live	31/10/20	Stray firework causes devastating blaze at Shard End nursery	<a href="https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/midlands-news/stray-firework-causes-devastating-blaze-19201670">https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/midlands-news/stray-firework-causes-devastating-blaze-19201670</a>
Shropshire Star	31/10/20	Family of four left with nothing but the clothes on their back after firework set their house on fire	<a href="https://www.shropshirestar.com/news/local-hubs/telford/2020/11/04/cash-raised-to-help-telford-family-who-lost-everything-in-stray-firework-blaze/">https://www.shropshirestar.com/news/local-hubs/telford/2020/11/04/cash-raised-to-help-telford-family-who-lost-everything-in-stray-firework-blaze/</a>
Bucks Free Press	01/11/20	A group of youths set off fireworks towards an elderly couple's home which smashed through their lounge window in Hazlemere	<a href="https://www.bucksfreepress.co.uk/news/18839212.police-called-fireworks-smash-window-hazlemere/">https://www.bucksfreepress.co.uk/news/18839212.police-called-fireworks-smash-window-hazlemere/</a>
Liverpool Echo	01/11/20	Firework yobs leave trail of devastation after blaze tears through business on the Moorfoot Road industrial estate in Parr, St Helens	<a href="https://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/firework-yobs-leave-trail-devastation-19355281">https://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/firework-yobs-leave-trail-devastation-19355281</a>
Facebook - Crimewatch UK	02/11/20	Video of thugs putting fireworks through peoples letterboxes In London	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/471607460314277/posts/860152824793070/?vh=e&amp;d=n">https://www.facebook.com/471607460314277/posts/860152824793070/?vh=e&amp;d=n</a>
Facebook	02/11/20	Car damaged by firework set off underneath it	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/emma.k.long/posts/10223247138024136">https://www.facebook.com/emma.k.long/posts/10223247138024136</a>

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Daily Record	03/11/20	Scots mum-of-two says Christmas is ruined after 'firework' started home blaze	<a href="https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/scottish-news/scots-mum-two-says-christmas-23187990">https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/scottish-news/scots-mum-two-says-christmas-23187990</a>
Stoke Sentinel	04/11/20	Firefighters called to outbuilding blaze caused by firework	<a href="https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/firework-outbuilding-fire-wistaston-garden-4672929">https://www.stokesentinel.co.uk/news/stoke-on-trent-news/firework-outbuilding-fire-wistaston-garden-4672929</a>
Shropshire Star	04/11/20	Careless' firework display sparks fire in neighbouring Market Drayton garden	<a href="https://www.shropshirestar.com/news/local-hubs/north-shropshire/market-drayton/2020/11/04/firework-display-sparks-fire-at-market-drayton-garden/">https://www.shropshirestar.com/news/local-hubs/north-shropshire/market-drayton/2020/11/04/firework-display-sparks-fire-at-market-drayton-garden/</a>
Leeds Live	04/11/20	Blind woman left shaken as yobs launch fireworks into Leeds bus in 'mindless' attack	<a href="https://www.leeds-live.co.uk/news/leeds-news/blind-woman-left-shaken-yobs-19231875">https://www.leeds-live.co.uk/news/leeds-news/blind-woman-left-shaken-yobs-19231875</a>
York Press	05/11/20	Couple said they "were lucky" after a firework crashed through their conservatory on bonfire night. They awoke on Friday morning to see two holes in the roof and several fireworks in the conservatory.	<a href="https://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/18854981.couple-lucky-fireworks-crash-conservatory/">https://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/18854981.couple-lucky-fireworks-crash-conservatory/</a>
Northamptonshire Telegraph	05/11/20	Discarded sofa ignited by a firework	<a href="https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768">https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768</a>
Northamptonshire Telegraph	05/11/20	Stray firework set a pine tree aflame	<a href="https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768">https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768</a>
Northamptonshire Telegraph	05/11/20	Stray firework set a shed on fire	<a href="https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768">https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768</a>
Northamptonshire Telegraph	05/11/20	Wheelie bin set alight by firework	<a href="https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768">https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/emergency-services-northamptonshire-recorded-least-35-incidents-involving-fireworks-week-bonfire-night-3032768</a>

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Edinburgh Live	05/11/20	Officers had to deal with a large group of youths throwing fireworks and bricks at them in Hay Avenue - a police vehicle was damaged	<a href="https://www.edinburghlive.co.uk/news/edinburgh-news/inquiry-launched-after-bricks-hurled-19240738">https://www.edinburghlive.co.uk/news/edinburgh-news/inquiry-launched-after-bricks-hurled-19240738</a>  <a href="https://www.edinburghnews.scotsman.com/news/crime/edinburgh-police-officers-targeted-firework-thugs-bonfire-night-3054227">https://www.edinburghnews.scotsman.com/news/crime/edinburgh-police-officers-targeted-firework-thugs-bonfire-night-3054227</a>
Glasgow Live	05/11/20	A police officer was struck with a firework and a police car had its car windscreen smashed as police and firefighters came under attack across Glasgow on Bonfire Night last night.	<a href="https://www.glasgowlive.co.uk/news/glasgow-news/bonfire-night-glasgow-police-fireworks-19238768">https://www.glasgowlive.co.uk/news/glasgow-news/bonfire-night-glasgow-police-fireworks-19238768</a>
Facebook	05/11/20	House in Parkhead set on fire by fireworks set off in garden	<a href="https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=1039683443146158&amp;id=100013135355584">https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=1039683443146158&amp;id=100013135355584</a>
Scottish Sun	05/11/20	Around 200 youths were allegedly throwing fireworks and bottles at illegal rave bonfire. A number of police vehicles were damaged. One 15 year old lad arrested	<a href="https://www.thescottishsun.co.uk/news/scottish-news/6248197/greenock-bonfire-police-teenager-arrested/">https://www.thescottishsun.co.uk/news/scottish-news/6248197/greenock-bonfire-police-teenager-arrested/</a>
BBC	05/11/20	Two homes in Motherwell were set alight after being hit by fireworks	<a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-glasgow-west-54837040">https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-glasgow-west-54837040</a>
Daily Record	05/11/20	Sick thugs post lit fireworks through letter boxes and fire them at homes in Paisley	<a href="https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/scottish-news/sick-thugs-post-lit-fireworks-22964452">https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/scottish-news/sick-thugs-post-lit-fireworks-22964452</a>
Wales Online	05/11/20	A carer's car has been completely destroyed after windows were smashed and a firework was set alight inside it while she was working in Cardiff	<a href="https://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/wales-news/whitchurch-cardiff-fireworks-carer-police-19232942">https://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/wales-news/whitchurch-cardiff-fireworks-carer-police-19232942</a>
Express & Star	05/11/20	Firework went through an upstairs window and set fire to house causing significant damage	<a href="https://www.expressandstar.com/news/local-hubs/wolverhampton/penn/2020/11/14/dangers-of-fireworks-highlighted-after-stray-rocket-believed-to-have-caused-house-fire/">https://www.expressandstar.com/news/local-hubs/wolverhampton/penn/2020/11/14/dangers-of-fireworks-highlighted-after-stray-rocket-believed-to-have-caused-house-fire/</a>
Telegraph & Argus	05/11/20	Police are appealing for information after a gang of youths let off fireworks and caused criminal damage in a park area in Bradford	<a href="https://www.thetelegraphandargus.co.uk/news/18854808.police-hunt-gang-youths-let-off-fireworks-play-area/">https://www.thetelegraphandargus.co.uk/news/18854808.police-hunt-gang-youths-let-off-fireworks-play-area/</a>

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Yorkshire Evening Post	05/11/20	Emergency services were called after youths threw a firework through a letterbox in Halton Moor, Leeds	<a href="https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/youths-throw-firework-through-letterbox-halton-moor-bonfire-night-3027042">https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/youths-throw-firework-through-letterbox-halton-moor-bonfire-night-3027042</a>
Yorkshire Evening Post	05/11/20	Several vehicles hit and taxi driver knocked out after rocks and fireworks thrown onto A64 York Road	<a href="https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/several-vehicles-hit-and-taxi-driver-knocked-out-after-rocks-and-fireworks-thrown-a64-york-road-3027763">https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/several-vehicles-hit-and-taxi-driver-knocked-out-after-rocks-and-fireworks-thrown-a64-york-road-3027763</a>
Hull Live	05/11/20	A two-house blaze in Orchard Park where a home was destroyed and 1 dog and 2 cats killed was caused by a firework being thrown through a letterbox, Humberside Fire and Rescue Service have confirmed.  Man arrested	<a href="https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/fire-orchard-park-house-fireworks-4674712">https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/fire-orchard-park-house-fireworks-4674712</a>  <a href="https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/man-arrested-orchard-park-fire-4676827">https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/man-arrested-orchard-park-fire-4676827</a>
Facebook	05/11/20	Damage to house - fascia boards and guttering - caused by fireworks	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/jo.jones.79219/posts/10225005172905253">https://www.facebook.com/jo.jones.79219/posts/10225005172905253</a>
Daily Record	06/11/20	Paisley police investigating FIVE separate fireworks attacks at homes	<a href="https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/local-news/police-investigating-five-separate-fireworks-22967233">https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/local-news/police-investigating-five-separate-fireworks-22967233</a>
Hull Live	06/11/20	Orchard Park carnage as '50-shot' firework box thrown inside car	<a href="https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/orchard-park-carnage-firework-car-4679607">https://www.hulldailymail.co.uk/news/hull-east-yorkshire-news/orchard-park-carnage-firework-car-4679607</a>
Wandsworth Guardian	09/11/20	Homes were evacuated in Tooting after a stray firework sparked a fire that ruptured a gas pipe	<a href="https://www.wandsworthguardian.co.uk/news/18862673.tooting-residents-evacuated-following-stray-firework-damage/">https://www.wandsworthguardian.co.uk/news/18862673.tooting-residents-evacuated-following-stray-firework-damage/</a>
Facebook - South Staffordshire Council	09/11/20	Disaster narrowly avoided when used fireworks were found to be the source of a bin lorry fire after being disposed of in a blue bin. The fireworks ignited in the back of the vehicle which was filled with flammable materials such as paper and card.	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/southstaffs/posts/1692723097555085">https://www.facebook.com/southstaffs/posts/1692723097555085</a>
Chronicle Live	11/11/20	Redheugh Boys' football pitch in Gateshead ruined after vandals throw fireworks onto playing field	<a href="https://www.chroniclive.co.uk/news/north-east-news/gateshead-football-pitch-vandals-fireworks-19590409">https://www.chroniclive.co.uk/news/north-east-news/gateshead-football-pitch-vandals-fireworks-19590409</a>

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Peterborough Matters	14/11/20	Family has 'lucky escape' as fireworks smashes through window of son's bedroom	<a href="https://www.peterboroughmatters.co.uk/local-news/peterborough-family-has-scary-experience-after-fireworks-smash-window-26342">https://www.peterboroughmatters.co.uk/local-news/peterborough-family-has-scary-experience-after-fireworks-smash-window-26342</a>
Facebook	14/11/20	Car hit with a firework which went through the rear window, exploded inside the car and set it on fire causing a lot of damage	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/x.susie.poo.x/posts/10158693050198043">https://www.facebook.com/x.susie.poo.x/posts/10158693050198043</a>
Yorkshire Evening Post	17/11/20	Police launch investigation after firework posted into postbox in Pudsey	<a href="https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/police-launch-investigation-after-firework-posted-postbox-pudsey-3039527">https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/crime/police-launch-investigation-after-firework-posted-postbox-pudsey-3039527</a>
York Press	12/12/20	Windows shattered after was thrown from a vehicle in York	<a href="https://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/18942295.windows-shattered-reports-explosion-york/">https://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/18942295.windows-shattered-reports-explosion-york/</a>
BBC	21/12/20	Five people were rescued from a 13th floor flat after fireworks were pushed through a letterbox and set alight in Elswick, Newcastle	<a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-tyne-55414532">https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-tyne-55414532</a>
Coventry Live	30/12/20	Hunt for arsonist who hurled firework through window in Nuneaton	<a href="https://www.coventrytelegraph.net/news/coventry-news/hunt-arsonist-who-hurled-firework-19696196">https://www.coventrytelegraph.net/news/coventry-news/hunt-arsonist-who-hurled-firework-19696196</a>
Portsmouth News	31/12/20	Devastated Southsea man loses £15,000 and left homeless after firework nosedives into bedroom window	<a href="https://www.portsmouth.co.uk/news/people/devastated-southsea-man-loses-ps15000-and-left-homeless-after-firework-nosedives-bedroom-window-3125178">https://www.portsmouth.co.uk/news/people/devastated-southsea-man-loses-ps15000-and-left-homeless-after-firework-nosedives-bedroom-window-3125178</a>
Ealing Times	31/12/20	Firefighters are warning people not to use industrial fireworks for private displays following a blaze which damaged sheds and a fence in Northolt	<a href="https://www.ealingtimes.co.uk/news/18981258.blaze-northolt-prompts-warning-use-industrial-fireworks/">https://www.ealingtimes.co.uk/news/18981258.blaze-northolt-prompts-warning-use-industrial-fireworks/</a>
Eastern Daily Press	31/12/20	House damaged by New Year's Eve fireworks in Great Yarmouth	<a href="https://www.edp24.co.uk/news/crime/new-year-fireworks-damage-yarmouth-house-6899600">https://www.edp24.co.uk/news/crime/new-year-fireworks-damage-yarmouth-house-6899600</a>