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Keep your presents safe is the message from Bailiwick Law Enforcement and Guernsey Post in the run up to Christmas.

With Black Friday and Cyber Monday heralding an official start to the Christmas Shopping season, both organisations are urging people to make use of secure delivery options offered by Guernsey Post.

Guernsey Post Head of Corporate Engagement Dawn Gallienne said:

“In the run up to Christmas we encourage you to sign up to one of Guernsey Post’s free services to manage your parcel deliveries.

“You can sign up to Safeplace and chose a secure and waterproof Safeplace on your property for postal workers to leave your parcel.

“Or if you prefer you can sign up to the Ebox Collection service and choose to collect your parcels from either Envoy House or Smith Street Post Office.”*

Guernsey Police Crime Reduction Advisor Andy Goodall said:

“As we go through the busiest online and traditional shopping time of the year in the run up to Christmas, it’s common knowledge that people will be ordering presents for their nearest and dearest, and the value of goods in their home will be high. It is therefore vital that people take steps to ensure these gifts are kept safe. I urge everyone to take the time, prevent the crime.

“We don’t want to have to investigate thefts of presents, and that’s why we would recommend Guernsey Post’s delivery schemes – giving you the chance to ensure your parcels are delivered safely to a secure location, and reducing the chances of your gifts ending up in the wrong hands.

“It’s also best not to leave wrapped presents in clear sight through a window, so make sure you close your curtains and lock up when you go out, even if it’s for not very long. You want to make sure this Christmas is remembered for all the right reasons, not all the wrong ones – so please, take a few minutes to follow this advice.”

* Terms and conditions apply. See details online <https://www.guernseypost.com/safe-place-delivery> and <https://www.guernseypost.com/ebox>