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In another outbreak of violence, six people have been reported killed by unknown gunmen in Ngalda town in Fika Local Government Area of Yobe State, northeast Nigeria.

Ngalda, an agrarian and commercial settlement in Yobe state, is a border town between Yobe and Gombe state, 172 Kilometres south-west of Damaturu, the Yobe state capital.

An eye witness account claim that the gunmen stormed the town around 8pm, Saturday night and started shooting sporadically to scare residents before robbing various shop owners of their money and other valuables.

Some residents who pledge anonymity said the hoodlums were sighted at suburb of Ngalda town hours before the attack but for fear of reprisal attacks, security men could not be alerted.

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