

POLICE BLOTTER

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The Haverford Township Police Department now provides an online Police Blotter. This cover page contains information about the blotter and links to the weeks contained in this month's report. These weekly reports contain listings of the various law enforcement incidents, events and other occurrences of interest to residents of Haverford Township.

Please note this document will be updated weekly.

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Week one: 07/05/2023 - 07/11/2023

Week two: 07/12/2023 - 07/18/2023

Week three: 07/19/2023 - 07/25/2023

Week four: 07/26/2023 - 08/01/2023

DATE: 7/5/2023 – 7/11/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 43 Warnings: 36 Non-Traffic: 2 Parking: 153

ARRESTS:

45-year-old male, 2700 block of Venago Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Possession of drug paraphernalia **LOC**: 200 block of Fairlamb Avenue

Date: 7/8 @ 2158 hours

27-year-old female, 600 block of Woodcrest Avenue, Ardmore

CHGS: Simple assault and harassment **LOC**: 600 block of Woodcrest Avenue

Date: 7/11 @ 0940 hours

INCIDENTS:

Theft at Pep Boys (500 block of West Chester Pike) on 7/6 @ 1004 hours – The store manager reported that an employee stole tires.

Vandalism at the 100 block of Garfield Avenue on 7/6 @ 0939 hours – Vehicle window was smashed.

Bicycle Theft at the unit block of Hannum Drive on 7/7 @ 0407 hours – The caller reported that he observed juveniles attempting to steal his bicycle. Three juveniles were arrested.

Attempted Theft at the unit block of Golf Road on 7/7 @ 1053 hours – The victim reported that his vehicles rear windshield was shattered.

Attempted Theft at Haverford Village (700 block of Ardmore Avenue) on 7/7 @ 0407 hours – Three juveniles were in custody for a Bicycle Theft. They were in possession of a screwdriver and had been attempting to enter vehicles.

Fraud at the 400 block of E. Manoa Road on 7/7 @ 1525 hours – Victim reported that he was approached by a man that offered to do work on his roof. The victim

paid him \$13,000 and the work was never completed.

Burglary at the 1200 block of Ellston Road on 7/8 @ 1940 hours – Forced entry was gained. Jewelry and the contents of a safe were stolen.

Theft at the 400 block of Llanerch Avenue on 7/9 @ 0953 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered – a wallet containing credit cards, driver's license and \$60 was stolen.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of Maryland Avenue on 7/9 @ 1220 hours – Victim reported that someome used his identity to attempt to purchase a vehicle.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of Mill Road on 7/10 @ 1634 hours – Victim reported that someone opened a PayPal account using her husband's identity. He was notified by a collection agency that he owed \$11,864,44.

Motor Vehicle Theft at the 600 block of Haverford Road on 7/11 @ 2151 hours.

Identity Theft at the 100 block of Golf View Road on 7/11 @ 1400 hours – Victim reported that someone opened eight credit card accounts using her identity.

Criminal Mischief at Kenilworth and Winchester Roads on 7/11 @ 1707 hours – Vehicle window was shattered.

DATE: 7/12/2023 – 7/18/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 18 Warnings: 23 Non-Traffic: 1 Parking: 108

ARRESTS:

49-year-old male, 1600 block of Conestoga Street, Philadelphia **CHGS**: Retail theft, possession of a controlled substance, and drug paraphernalia

LOC: Lowe's (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 7/16 @ 1212 hours

25-year-old female, 5300 block of Addison Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft

LOC: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 7/17 @ 1824 hours

INCIDENTS:

Fraud at the unit block of Joann Circle on 7/12 @ 1624 hours – Victim reported that he purchased two \$100.00 Apple gift cards from Target in Maryland. When he attempted the use the gift cards they showed a zero balance.

Theft at the 1300 block of Harrington Road on 7/13 @ 1735 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered - \$10.75 was taken from the center console.

Fraud at the 200 block of Sagamore Road on 7/13 @ 0833 hours – Victim reported that he was scammed out of \$18,000. He received a message on his computer that he was locked out and was provided a phone number to regain access. He was told to make a cash withdrawal and deposit into a cryptocurrency account.

Liquor Law Violation at the unit block of W. Manoa Road on 7/13 @ 2322 hours – Two juveniles were cited for underage drinking.

Theft at the 900 block of Railroad Avenue on 7/15 @ 1001 hours – The supervisor reported that narcotics were missing from a locked narcotic box.

Burglary at the Haverford Middle School (1700 block of E. Darby Road) on 7/16 @ 2133 hours – A group of juveniles entered the school and threw eggs in a classroom, hall and water fountain. The eggs were leftover from the egg drop project.

Theft at the unit block of Bennington Road on 7/16 @ 1901 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Theft at the 200 block of Pine Ridge Road on 7/17 @ 1732 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Retail Theft at Rite Aid (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 7/18 @ 1136 hours – An employee reported that an unknown male stole approximately \$400.00 worth of over-the-counter medication.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 7/18 @ 1334 hours – An unknown male and female stole \$570.50 worth of merchandise.

Theft at the 400 block of Twin Oaks Drive on 7/18 @ 0846 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Identity Theft at the 300 block of Kathmere Road on 7/18 @ 1430 hours – The victim reported that someone used his identity to open a credit card account.

Criminal Mischief at the 300 block of Canterbury Road on 7/18 @ 0738 hours – 48-year-old male, 300 block of Canterbury Lane was cited for criminal mischief.

Vandalism at Llanerch Country Club (900 block of West Chester Pike) on 7/18 @ 1210 hours – A group of juveniles were observed entering the course and joyriding golf carts. Damage to the greens and tees were reported.

DATE: 7/19/2023 - 7/25/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 26 Warnings: 23 Non-Traffic: 4 Parking: 140

ARRESTS:

24-year-old male, 1300 block of N. 56th Street, Philadelphia **CHGS**: Access device fraud, identity theft and theft by deception **LOC**: Fulton Bank (1200 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 7/19 @ 1121 hours

56-year-old female, 400 block of Simpson Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and receiving stolen property **LOC**: Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 7/19 @ 1913 hours

24-year-old female, 4000 block of Chester Drive, Aston

CHGS: Retail theft and receiving stolen property **LOC**: Game Stop (1300 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 7/21 @ 1332 hours

INCIDENTS:

Vandalism at Earlington Road and Brookline Bloulevard on 7/19 @ 2108 hours – Vehicle was egged.

Public Drunkenness at 1000 block of Darby Road on 7/19 @ 0832 hours – 40-year-old male, 1300 block of Claire Drive, Birdsboro was cited for public drunkenness.

Public Drunkenness at Waterford Apartments (1900 block of Lawrence Road) on 7/21 @ 2049 hours – 36-year-old male, 1900 block of Lawrence Road was cited for public drunkenness.

Robbery at 7-11 (100 block of W. Eagle Road) on 7/22 @ 0132 hours – Two males wearing masks entered the store and pointed a firearm at the employee and demanded the money from the cash register. The actors took the money, cigarettes and the victims cell phone and fled.

Theft at the unit block of Grove Place on 7/22 @ 1422 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Theft at the unit block of Crescent Hill Drive on 7/22 @ 2155 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered – vehicle keys were stolen.

Identity Theft at the 100 block of E. Marthart Avenue on 7/23 @ 1547 hours – Victim reported that someone opened a credit card using her identity.

Theft at the 2800 block of Haverford Road on 7/24 @ 1857 hours – Vehicle window was shattered – a briefcase was stolen containing \$400.00.

Theft at the 300 block of Oxford Road on 7/24 @ 1516 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Identity Theft at the 300 block of Glen Gary Drive on 7/24 @ 1035 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open a bank account.

Identity Theft at the 100 block of Cedarbrook Road on 7/24 @ 1736 hours – Victim reported that someone opened an AT&T account using his identity. \$1,300 worth of unpaid bills were sent to a collection agency.

Theft at YMCA (800 block of N. Eagle Road) on 7/25 @ 1934 hours - \$300.00 was stolen from an unsecured locker.

Criminal Mischief at Haverford Middle School (1700 block of Darby Road) on 7/25 @ 1125 hours – Graffiti was discovered on the roof of the building.

Disorderly Conduct at the 2500 block of Wynnefield Drive on 7/25 @ 1839 hours – 57-year-old male was cited for disorderly conduct.

DATE: 7/26/23 – 8/1/23

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 19 Warnings: 30 Non Traffic: 4 Parking: 77

ARRESTS:

30-year-old male, 5200 block of N. Marshall Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Forgery, Access Device Fraud, Theft by Unlawful Taking, Evading Arrest

on Foot

LOC: TD Bank (100 block of W. Eagle Road)

Date: 7/28 @ 1230 hours

38-year-old-male, 1900 block of Darby Road, Havertown

CHGS: Possession of Controlled Substance, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia,

Arrest Prior to Requisition

LOC: 1900 block of Darby Road

DATE: 8/1 @ 1736 hours

INCIDENTS:

Fraud in the 300 block of Greenbriar Lane on 7/26 @ 1425 hours – victim reports that an unknown person opened credit cards using her information.

Identity Theft in the 1300 block of Harrington Road on 7/26 @ 1633 hours – victim reports that an unknown person took out a home equity loan using her information; investigation ongoing.

Public Drunkenness in the unit block of Glendale Road on 7/26/23 @ 2208 hours – 32 year old male, unit block of Kent Road, Upper Darby was cited.

Retail Theft at ACME (600 block of Lancaster Avenue) on 7/27 @ 1527 hours – unknown person exited the store with cartful of groceries; investigation ongoing.

Fraud in the unit block of Ralston Avenue on 7/27 @ 1907 hours – victim states that an unknown person gained access to her credit card making unauthorized purchases.

Theft at Panera Bread (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 7/28 @ 1705 hours – unknown person took the victim's wallet with credit cards out of her purse.

Retail Theft at ACME (1300 block of WCP) on 7/29 @ 1543 hours – unknown person stole a bag full of groceries.

Theft in the 800 block of Aubrey Avenue on 7/29 @ 1502 hours – a package was taken from the residence.

Vandalism at E. Darby and E. Eagle Roads on 7/30 @ 1959 hours – victim states that his vehicle was keyed while parked.

Fraud in the 1300 block of Edgewood Road on 7/31 @ 0802 hours – victim's bank account was comprised, money taken.

Fraud in the 1300 block of Dermond Road on 7/31 @ 1422 hours – victim's identity was used for unemployment.

Identity Theft in the 300 block of Glen Gary Drive on 7/31 @ 1715 hours – victim states that an unknown person opened a credit card using her personal information.

Motor Vehicle Theft at Hollow Run Apartments (1900 block of WCP) on 8/1 @ 1838 hours – victim's car was stolen from the apartment complex; vehicle was left unlocked.

Fraud in the 400 block of Glendale Road on 8/1 @ 1028 hours – victim's debit card was compromised by an unknown person; unauthorized purchases made.

Fraud at Dolan Appliances (2500 block of Haverford Road) on 8/1 @ 1552 hours – victim states that his website was hacked; customers were scammed and money was taken.

Fraud in the 700 block of Buck Lane on 8/1 @ 1618 hours – fraudulent purchases were made using the victims debit card.

Criminal Mischief at Llanarch Country Club (900 block of WCP) on 8/1 @ 1539 hours – juveniles gained access to the golf course on motorized scooters; turfed up the green around the 8th hole.