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Chief of Police



April 2023

Traffic Stops	<u>55</u>
Traffic Citations	<u>7</u>
Traffic Warnings	<u>48</u>
Criminal Arrests	<u>9</u>

DEPARTMENT NOTES: (Significant non-routine types of incidents, just a sample of a few, brief description of the incident and outcome)

**This is traditionally the time of year when pedestrian traffic begins to increase, not only the downtown area, but also in the neighborhoods. Motorists are reminded and advised to slow down, especially during low light, adverse weather, and while traveling in residential areas where pedestrians tend to frequent. Most of the roadways in the Borough are legally set at 25mph. There are many of these roadways located in areas where conditions exist (pedestrians, public events, narrow roadways, etc) that makes the legal speed hazardous. Drive safe, drive slow, pay attention to the roadway and conditions which may be hazardous at the normal speed limit. This can be a violation of the PA Motor Vehicle Code, "Driving too fast for conditions", or "Safe Speed"

**Motorists are required to stop for pedestrians which are located within a crosswalk, regardless the pedestrians location within that crosswalk. I.e. if the pedestrian's crossing is almost completed, the traffic furthest away still must stop.

**Pedestrians are required to wait for a break in traffic before entering the crosswalk.

**Pedestrians cannot enter a crosswalk without making sure that it is safe to do so. I.e.

**pedestrians cannot impede the normal flow of traffic and expect a safe crossing. This is also a violation of the vehicle code and an unsafe act. Pedestrians who are not using a crosswalk to cross a public street is generally not a vehicle code violation, however a violation exists if a vehicle must stop for a pedestrian who is NOT using the crosswalk.

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The Police Department wants to remind the public that you can provide information regarding suspicious drug activity to the Centre County Drug Task Force by calling 1 877-898 -DRUG . The tip hot line is free, 24hrs per day , 7 days a week. ** ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

* Information provided to the hot line goes a long way in assisting the Task Force investigations. No information is considered too small or insignificant. Some of the largest investigations which led to an arrest / prosecution, began as hot line information which was " seemingly small." A community partnership is needed to address the current illicit drug issues facing today's society.

Use of Force: (how many and brief description of each)

Male was arrested for open lewdness. When officers were placing restraints on him, he physically resisted their efforts. Officers used open hand techniques to maintain him. Once handcuffed, officers attempted to place the subject into the patrol vehicle. He kicked the door open and attempted to flee. Again officers used enough force necessary to place him back into the vehicle. No force was used in excess. No injuries were sustained by the subject or officers.

Trainings & Seminars: (Name of officer, # of hours attended, location, course description)

Department All, Firearms training , 3 hours, PA Fish and Boat range, Fisherman's paradise.

Department All, continuous on line professional development courses. Officer electives TAZER Certification, Weaver

Community Relations/Special Events: (will be listed)

Easter Egg Hunt, Officers assisted with traffic control, also patrolled this event as the crowd was huge as always.

Officers assisted PSU for the Blue/White game (4 officers)

Overtime Report Monthly

Hours

Overtime: 78

Sick: 13

Vacation: 43

Hours used by Department 134 hours

Comments:

The Department has not filled the part-time officer vacancy. There are currently 2 possible prospects that have applied for this position. More to follow as their background checks are being conducted.

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Population: 6200

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Total Calls by Call Type From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Call Type	Total Calls
800 PHONE MESSAGE	38
ABANDONED VEHICLE	6
ALARM BURGLAR	7
ALARM HOLDUP	1
ALCOHOL	2
ANIMAL	9
ASSAULT, SEXUAL EARLIER	1
ASSAULT	1
CHILD ABUSE	3
COMMUNITY RELATIONS	24
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	1
DEPARTMENT INFORMATION	6
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	9
DOMESTIC DISPUTE	5
DRUG LAW	6
DUI	1
EMS-MENTAL/EMOT/PSYCH-BLS URG	1
HARASSMENT	4
HEALTH AND SAFETY ELEVATORS	1
HEALTH AND SAFETY EMS ASSIST	53
HEALTH AND SAFETY FIRE ASSIST	8
HEALTH AND SAFETY	14
MISSING PERSON (JUVENILE/RUNAWAY)	1
ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS	1
OUTSIDE AGENCY ASSIST, 35 ROUTINE	1
OUTSIDE AGENCY ASSIST, 35 URGENT	4
OUTSIDE AGENCY ASSIST	7
PARKING,	27
PERSON STOP	3
PFA SERVICE	2
PFA VIOLATION	1
PROPERTY FOUND	4
PROPERTY LOST	5
PUBLIC INTOXICATION, POLICE CUSTODY	1
PUBLIC INTOXICATION, WITH SUSPECT	2
REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE, CIVIL DISPUTE NOW	1
REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE	2
RFA CIVIL DISPUTE	3
RFA ESCORT	2
RFA KEYS IN VEHICLE	6
RFA LOCATE/CONTACT	2

Total Calls by Call Type From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Call Type	Total Calls
RFA OTHER	39
SCHOOL CHECKS	1
SUPPLEMENT	81
SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY	12
TERRORISTIC THREATS	1
THEFT	7
TRAFFIC STOP	55
TRAFFIC	49
TRAINING	2
TRESPASS	2
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF VEHICLE	1
UNSECURED PROPERTY	7
VEHICLE CRASH HIT AND RUN	1
VEHICLE CRASH NO INJURIES	6
VEHICLE CRASH UNKOWN	1
VEHICLE CRASH W/INJ	4
WARRANT SERVICE	3
WEAPONS VIOLATION	1

Total Calls: 549

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Total offenses in Cases From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Offense	Total Cases
ABUSE OF CARE-DEPENDANT PERSON	8
ACCESS DEVICE FRAUD-USE IS UNAUTH FOR ANY REASON	2
CRIM TRES-DEFIANT TRES/FENCE OR ENCLOSURE	1
CRIMINAL TRESPASS - DEFIANT TRESPASSER	1
CSDDCA-POSS SUB/COUNTERFEIT SUB BY UNAUTH PER	1
CSDDCA-USE/POSS W INT USE DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	1
DISORDER CONDUCT-HAZARDOUS/PHYS OFFENSIVE CONDIT	3
DISORDER CONDUCT-OBSCENE LANGUAGE/GESTURE	1
DISORDERLY CONDUCT-FIGHTING/THREATENING VIOL BEH	2
DISORDERLY CONDUCT-UNREASONABLE NOISE	1
DOGS AT LARGE	1
DUI - CONTROLLED SUSBTANCES (SCHEDULE 1)	1
HARASSMENT-COURSE OF CONDUCT/ACTS SERVE NO PURPOSE	1
HARRASSMENT/ PHYSICAL STRIKE KICK	4
INDEC ASSLT-W/O CONS OF OTHER	1
NEGLECT OF CARE-DEP PERSON-RESTRAINTS, MEDS, ISOL	1
NEGLECT OF CARE-DEPENDANT PERSON	1
OPEN LEWDNESS	1
OPERATION FOLLOWING SUSPENSION OF REGISTRATION	1
OPERATION OF VEHICLE WITHOUT OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION	1
POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	1
PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS	5
RESIST ARREST OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT	1
SIMPLE ASSAULT-GENERAL	1
TERRORISTIC THREATS - GENERAL	1
THEFT BY UNLAW TAKING-MOVABLE	1
Totals # of offenses	45

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Non Traffic Citations Total Violations From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Violation	Total
5503-A2: DISORDERLY CONDUCT-UNREASONABLE NOISE	1
5503-A4: DISORDER CONDUCT-HAZARDOUS/PHYS OFFENSIVE CONDIT	1
5505: PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS	3
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Total Violations:	5

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Traffic Citation Totals by Violation From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Violation	Total
1311-A: REGISTRATION CARD TO BE SIGNED AND EXHIBITED ON DEMAND	1
3111-A: OBEDIENCE TO TRAFFIC-CONTROL DEVICES	2
3362-A1: MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS	1
4703-A: OPERATION OF VEHICLE WITHOUT OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION	3
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Monthly Statistics From: 4/1/2023 To: 4/30/2023

Total Part I Crimes:	1
Murder:	0
Rapes:	0
Robbery:	0
Assault:	0
Burglary:	0
Larceny:	1
Motor Vehicle Theft:	0
Arson:	0

Total Part II Crimes:	28
Forgery:	0
Fraud:	1
Embezzlement:	0
Stolen Property:	0
Vandalism:	0
Weapons:	0
Prostitution:	0
Sex Offenses:	2
Drugs:	1
Gambling:	0
Family Offenses:	0
DUI:	1
Liquor:	0
Drunkenness:	5
Disorderly:	12
Vagrancy:	0
All Other:	6

Total Calls for Service:	549
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Total Cases:	32
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Total Arrestees:	10
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Total Suspects:	20
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Total Victims:	19
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DUI Arrests:	1
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Total Warnings:	0
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This report summarizes all crime in the period selected and should not be mistaken for a UCR submission