

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.

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Week one: 05/31/2023 - 06/06/2023

Week two: 06/07/2023 - 06/13/2023

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DATE: 5/31/2023 – 6/6/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 48 Warnings: 64 Non-Traffic: 7 Parking: 136

ARRESTS:

27-year-old male, 100 block of Warrior Road, Drexel Hill **CHGS**: Possession of a marijuana and drug paraphernalia

LOC: 100 block of Warrior Road

Date: 6/3 @ 0125 hours

INCIDENTS:

Bicycle Theft at the 600 block of Willowbrook Road on 5/31 @ 1009 hours.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 5/31 @ 1440 hours – An unknown female stole approximately \$135.00 worth of groceries.

Identity Theft at the 300 block of Edgehill Drive on 5/31 @ 2113 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open a line of credit through Vive Financial.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 6/1 @ 0935 hours – An unknown male and female stole approximately \$175.00 worth of groceries.

Attempted Theft at Wyndmoor Apartments (100 block of S. Eagle Road) on 6/1 @ 0933 hours – Victim reported that someone attempted to gain access to her vehicle. It appears that someone attempted to "jimmy" the locks.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of W. Langhorne Avenue on 6/1 @ 1015 hours – Victim reported that someone opened a Bank of America account using her identity.

Identity Theft at the unit block of Yale Road on 6/1 @ 1757 hours - Victim reported that someone opened a Bank of America account using her identity.

Public Drunkenness at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 6/1 @ 1718 hours – 38-year-old female, 100 block of Wayne Avenue, Wayne was cited for public drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Attempted Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 6/2 @ 1115 hours – An unknown female attempted to walk out of the store with a shopping cart filled with \$714.39 worth of groceries. The woman left the cart and fled when she was confronted by an employee.

Bomb Threat at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/2 @ 1550 hours.

Identity Theft at the 3300 block of Darby Road on 6/2 @ 0912 hours – Victim reported an AT&T account was opened using her identity. \$225.00 in fraudulent charges were made on the account.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of E. Manoa Road on 6/2 @ 1358 hours – Victim reported that someone opened a Bank of America account using her identity.

Identity Theft at the 200 block of Farnham Road on 6/2 @ 1329 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open a Verizon account.

Theft at the 2400 block of Poplar Road on 6/5 @ 1959 hours – Cell phone was stolen.

Identity Theft at the 500 block of Wales Road on 6/5 @ 1500 hours – Victim reported that someone made two unauthorized purchases with her debit card.

Bicycle Theft at the 700 block of Darby Road on 6/6 @ 0951 hours.

Motor Vehicle Theft at the 300 block of Llanerch Avenue on 6/6 @ 0516 hours.

DATE: 6/7/2023 – 6/13/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 33 Warnings: 58 Non-Traffic: 1 Parking: 158

ARRESTS:

44-year-old female, 2000 block of Dauphin Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and Possession of drug paraphernalia

LOC: Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 6/8 @ 1157 hours

33-year-old female, 100 block of Linton Street, Philadelphia **CHGS**: Retail theft and possession of drug paraphernalia

LOC: Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 6/8 @ 1157 hours

41-year-old male, 100 block of Coopertown Road, Haverford

CHGS: DUI and careless driving

LOC: Phillips 66 (700 block of Haverford Road)

Date: 6/10 @ 0313 hours

13-year-old male was petitioned to juvenile court

CHGS: Indecent assault, simple assault and harassment **LOC**: Haverford Middle School (1700 block of Darby Road)

Date: 6/10 (incident occurred on 4/27)

INCIDENTS:

Theft at the 100 block of Taylor Lane on 6/7 @ 1755 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered. A wallet containing credit cards and a driver's license was stolen. Multiple fraudulent purchases were attempted with the credit cards.

Fraud at the 1600 block of Ridgeway Road on 6/7 @ 1544 hours – Victim reported that someone made an unauthorized purchase with her debit card.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/8 @ 1000 hours – An unknown male and female stole \$1,372.95 worth of merchandise.

Theft at the 600 block of Kenilworth Road on 6/8 @ 1132 hours – Victim reported that her credit card was stolen from her vehicle and five fraudulent purchases were attempted.

Identity Theft at the 300 block of Ardmore Avenue on 6/8 @ 1630 hours – Victim reported that someone used her identity to attempt to open an AT&T account.

Forgery at the 200 block of Highland Lane on 6/9 @ 1045 hours – Two checks were altered and cashed after they were mailed.

Identity Theft at the 200 block of Mill Road on 6/9 @ 1225 hours – Victim reported that two Citizens Bank accounts were opened using her identity.

Criminal Mischief at the 1600 block of Hampton Road on 6/9 @ 2154 hours – Approximately four juveniles were observed pulling a sign from the ground and dropping it in the street.

Vandalism at the 200 block of E. Benedict Avenue on 6/9 @ 1317 hours – Siding was damaged. It appears to have been punched or hit with an unknown object.

Vandalism at the 1300 block of Darby Road on 6/9 @ 2314 hours – Basement window was broken.

Attempted Theft at the 1500 block of Steel Road on 6/13 @ 0632 hours – An unknown actor attempted to remove the brake light of a vehicle. Two plastic pieces and two screws for the brake light were observed on the rear bumper.

Motor Vehicle Theft at the unit block of E. Langhorne Avenue on 6/13 @ 0631 hours.

Fraud at the 1400 block of Brierwood Road on 6/13 @ 1248 hours – Victim received a phone call and was told that she won a cash prize and a car. She was advised that she would first have to send \$1,800 in order to receive the prize. The victim immediately recognized the scam.

Identity Theft at the unit block of Fairfield Road on 6/13 @ 1410 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open a credit card account.

DATE: 6/14/2023 - 6/20/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 33 Warnings: 48 Non-Traffic: 0 Parking: 117

ARRESTS:

33-year-old male, 3600 block of 21st Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and receiving stolen property **LOC**: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 6/14 @ 0730 hours

41-year-old female, 1300 block of Berks Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia

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

Date: 6/18 @ 1149 hours

40-year-old male, Homeless

CHGS: Burglary, criminal trespass, simple assault, harassment, recklessly endangering another person, possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia

LOC: 100 block of Wyndmoor Road

Date: 6/17 @ 0709 hours

INCIDENTS:

Identity Theft at the 2400 block of Merwood Lane on 6/14 @ 1448 hours – Victim received an email from someone claiming to be from PayPal. They directed her to make several deposits into a Robinhood account. She became aware of the scam after she deposited \$20,000 into the account.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of Glendale Road on 6/14 @ 2002 hours – They victim accepted a job from Zen Desk. The requested her personal and banking information through email. She was told the company was going to send her a computer to work from home. She never received the computer and began to notice many fraudulent charges on all her accounts.

Vandalism at the 600 block of Hazelwood Road on 6/14 @ 0748 hours – Vehicle window as shattered.

Retail Theft at Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/15 @ 2124 hours – Three unknown actors stole an unknown amount of groceries.

Retail Theft at Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/15 @ 2145 hours – An unknown male attempted to steal \$460.19 worth of merchandise. An employee confronted the subject and was able to recover the merchandise.

Retail Theft at Rite Aid (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/16 @ 1554 hours – An unknown male stole a Frappuccino and candy.

Motor Vehicle Theft at the unit block of W. Langhorne Avenue on 6/16 @ 1041 hours.

Fraud at the 100 block of Fawn Lane on 6/16 @ 1338 hours – The victim was notified by the fraud department from his bank. They advised him that someone presented a forged copy of his drivers license and withdrew \$7,000 from his account.

Retail Theft at Acme (600 block of Lancaster Avenue) on 6/18 @ 1610 hours – An unknown female attempted to pay for \$22.35 worth of groceries at self-check out but the pin was incorrect. The woman ignored the employee and fled the store.

Assault at (Chatham Park) 400 block of Allston Road on 6/19 @ 2113 hours – A juvenile male was assaulted by a group of juveniles. Investigation is ongoing.

Theft at the 2200 block of Haverford Road on 6/19 @ 1733 hours – A firearm was stolen from the trunk of a vehicle.

Motor Vehicle Theft at The YMCA (800 block of N. Eagle Road) on 6/19 @ 1842 hours.

Retail Theft at Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 6/20 @ 1417 hours – An unknown male stole \$28 worth of alcohol.

Identity Theft at the 500 block of Ellis Road on 6/20 @ 1935 hours – Someone attempted to open a credit card account using the victim's identity.

DATE: 6/21/2023 – 6/27/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 36 Warnings: 41 Non-Traffic: 11 Parking: 127

ARRESTS:

20-year-old male, 300 block of Felton Street

CHGS: Accidents involving injury, failure to stop and render aid, red light violation, fleeing from police, suspended registration, no insurance, resisting arrest and careless driving

LOC: N. Eagle and Brierwood Roads

Date: 6/23 @ 1950 hours

28-year-old female, 2700 block of Saint Mary's Road, Ardmore

CHGS: Retail Theft

LOC: Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 6/22 @ 1317 hours

47-year-old male, 500 block of Eagle Road, Havertown

CHGS: Public drunkenness, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia

LOC: unit block of N. Concord Avenue

Date: 6/22 @ 0144 hours

INCIDENTS:

Burglary at the 2300 block of Haverford Road on 6/21 @ 0706 hours – The owner reported the front door glass was shattered and \$300.00 was removed from the cash box.

Public Drunkenness at the 700 block of Naylors Run Road on 6/22 @ 2259 hours – 35-year-old male, 4900 block of State Road Drexel Hill was cited for public drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Disorderly Conduct at the 100 block of W. Eagle Road on 6/23 @ 2140 hours – 31 year old male, 200 block of Long Lane, Upper Darby was cited with disorderly conduct.

Theft at the unit block of Meadows Lane on 6/24 @ 2114 hours – Victim reported

that the charging cable for her Tesla was stolen.

Disorderly Conduct at Haverford College (300 block of Lancaster Avenue) on 6/24 @ 2358 hours – Two juvenile males were cited for disorderly conduct and violation of township curfew.

Theft at the 1300 block of Roosevelt Avenue on 6/25 @ 1335 hours – Victim reported that someone stole a small garden flag and stand from the front of his residence.

Bicycle Theft at the 2500 block of Wynnefield Drive on 6/26 @ 1509 hours.

Identity Theft at the unit block of W. Manoa Road on 6/26 @ 1503 hours – Victim reported that someone used her identity to file for unemployment benefits.

Fraud at the 200 block of Valley Ridge Lane on 6/26 @ 1609 hours – Victim reported that someone gained access into her American Airlines Advantage account and stole 112,000 airline miles.

Identity Theft at the 300 block of Greenbriar Lane on 6/26 @ 1415 hours – Victim reported that someone used her identity to open an AT&T account.

Theft at the 700 block of Ardmore Avenue on 6/27 @ 1351 hours – Victim reported that her purse and key fob was missing from her residence.

Motor Vehicle Theft at the 800 block of West Chester Pike on 6/27 @ 1909 hours.

Disorderly Conduct at Merwood Park (2500 block of Wynnefield Drive on 6/27 @ 0925 hours – 57 year old male, Homeless was cited for disorderly conduct.

DATE: 6/28/2023 - 7/4/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 33 Warnings: 28 Non-Traffic: 22 Parking: 98

ARRESTS:

57-year-old male, 600 block of Wood Street, Conshohocken

CHGS: Possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia, suspended registration, no insurance and failure to operate motorcycle lamps

LOC: Haverford Road and College Avenue

Date: 6/27 @ 2201 hours

49-year-old male, unit block of Harvin Road, Upper Darby

CHGS: DUI

LOC: Manoa Shopping Center (1300 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 6/29 @ 1922 hours

30-year-old male. Homeless

CHGS: Theft by unlawful taking, receiving stolen property and driving without a

license

LOC: Park's Best Car Wash (1900 block of Old West Chester Pike)

Date: 7/3 @ 1820 hours

INCIDENTS:

Criminal Mischief at the 2200 block of E. Darby Road on 6/28 @ 1355 hours – Vehicle side mirror was cracked.

Public Drunkenness at Hathaway and Merwood Lanes on 6/28 @ 1257 hours – 35-year-old female, Homeless was cited for public drunkenness.

Theft at Haverford Hills (400 block of Glendale Road) on 6/30 @ 1737 hours – Victim reported that his mother's Wells Fargo account was hacked and \$10,000 was removed.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 6/30 @ 1348 hours – An unknown male stole \$100 worth of health and beauty products.

Identity Theft at the 400 block of Llanerch Avenue on 6/30 @ 1122 hours – Victim reported that someone took out a loan using her identity.

Vandalism at the unit block of Ralston Avenue on 6/30 @ 1309 hours – Grafitti was reported on the basketball court.

Vandalism at the 200 block of Farnham Road on 7/1 @ 0730 hours – Victim reported that two of their vehicles were hit with paint balls.

Vandalism at the 400 block of Pilgrim Lane on 7/1 @ 1209 hours – The building maintenance supervisor reported damage to the buildings exterior. The building had fresh tire marks across the front grass, broken glass in the parking lot, damage to the gutter, a broken window and damage to the central air conditioning unit.

Theft at the 1000 block of Crest Road on 7/2 @ 1023 hours – Two unlocked vehicles were stolen – a wallet and loose change was stolen.

Theft at the 800 block of Powder Mill Lane on 7/2 @ 1538 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered – a handgun was stolen from the center console.

Theft at the 100 block of Signal Road on 7/2 @ 1456 hours – Vehicle was entered – a backpack containing a fanny pack and Apple watch charger was stolen.

Attempted Theft at the 100 block of Signal Road on 7/2 @ 1426 hours – The victim reported that his blink camera captured two unknown actors attempting to enter his vehicle.

Attempted Theft at the 100 block of Signal Road on 7/2 @ 1611 hours – Unlocked vehicle was entered – nothing was reported missing.

Public Drunkenness at the 1400 block of Darby Road on 7/2 @ 0256 hours – 23-year-old male, 1500 block of Robinson Avenue was cited for public drunkenness.

Theft at Hav-a-burger (1000 block of Darby Road) on 7/3 @ 1225 hours – The owner reported money missing from the register.

Motor Vehicle Theft at Park's Best Car Wash (1900 block of Old West Chester Pike) on 7/3 @ 1543 hours.

Identity Theft at the 600 block of Ellis Road on 7/3 @ 1435 hours – Victim reported that someone attempted to open three credit card accounts using her identity.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 7/4 @ 1200 hours – Loss prevention officer reported that a male and two females stole \$2,782.25 worth of merchandise on 6/22.

Criminal Mischief at Wynnewood and Haverford Roads on 7/4 @ 0824 hours – 30-year-old male, 2300 block of Haverford Road was cited for criminal mischief and disorderly conduct.