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POLICE REPORT

PURCELLVILLE, Va. September 27, 2019 -

09/20/2019 8:51 p.m. 100 Block of N. 16th Street Domestic Dispute

Officers responded to a residence where one of the occupants had obtained a protective order (PPO) against a roommate. An ambiguity in the PPO language caused a misunderstanding of the scope of the order, which led to the police being summoned. Officers explained the parameters of the PPO, crafted a temporary solution and directed the petitioner back to the Court. No further police action was necessary.

09/21/2019 6:36 a.m. E Bound Harry Bird Hwy DUI

A vehicle passed an officer working stationary radar on E bound Route 7 at a high rate of speed. Upon stop and approach, the officer noted an odor of alcoholic beverage emanating from the driver, who admitted to drinking tequila. After failing a battery of field sobriety tests, the suspect was arrested.

Arrested was: Dolores Edgardo Flores-Ayala, 47 of Winchester, VA

9/21/2019 4:15 p.m. 143 N. 21st Street Petit Larceny

Officers responded to It's Bazaar for a report of a petit larceny. A porcelain Dr. Pepper sign was stolen from a metal soda cooler, which was on the porch of the business, sometime on September 16th or 17th.

09/22/2019 1:06 p.m. 300 Block S. 32nd Street Suspicious Incident

At approximately 11:00am medics transported a subject for a head injury. The subject had no recollection as to what happened and medics observed dried blood at a different location in the residence from where the subject was located. Police were called subsequent to the transport to determine if foul play was afoot. The investigation ultimately determined that this was an accidental fall.

09/22/19 6:13 p.m. 100 Block S. 26th Street Domestic Dispute

An estranged couple share ownership of a residence although only one currently resides there. Following a family outing one half of the couple with their children went to a restaurant, while the other half went to the home to get some vehicle keys and personal effects. Finding the door locked and without keys, the subject kicked in the door and retrieved his belongings. He called a handyman to respond to fix the door, temporarily secured it, called his estranged spouse to inform her of the situation and left the area. Police documented the incident but no other action was necessary.

09/23/19 1:01 a.m. 600 Block of Dominion Terrace Possession of Marijuana

An officer stopped a car for a traffic violation and upon approach smelled the odor of marijuana wafting from the car, which was occupied by three subjects. Located in the vehicle were marijuana and a case of White Claw alcoholic beverage. The three subjects were cited for the following offenses:

Parker Wilson, 18, Ashburn VA, Distribution of Marijuana
Ahad Alam, 23, Purcellville, VA, Purchasing Alcohol for Minors
Madison Demello, 19, Chantilly, VA Possession of Marijuana

09/23/19 5:20 p.m. 220 E. Main Street Grand Larceny/Arrest

The victim reported that he placed his unlocked bike in the rack in front of the library at 10:20 a.m. and after spending all day in the library, returned to the bike rack at 5:20 p.m. and discovered that the bicycle was gone. A look out for the missing bike was broadcast.

On 9-24-19, an officer on patrol observed a subject who matched the description of a person wanted for trespassing from another Purcellville case, riding a bike on the W and OD trail, near Loudoun Valley High School. He was able to detain him and confirmed that the subject was wanted on an outstanding warrant for trespassing from a recent Purcellville case. The officer also confirmed that the bike the subject was riding was the bike stolen from the library on 09-23-19.

On 09-25-19, officers responded to the Loudoun County Adult Detention Center and interviewed the suspect in reference to other unsolved cases. During the interview the suspect admitted to committing several crimes in Purcellville and Leesburg and other locations in Loudoun County. The information was shared with other law enforcement agencies in the region.

Arrested was: Michael Weaver, 28, no fixed address.

09/24/19 5:21 p.m. 600 Block E. Main Street Civil Dispute

An officer met with a citizen who reported an incident where property was given to a merchant who was to estimate a repair cost. After several weeks, the complainant went to the business as she had yet to receive a firm estimate. Upon arrival, the estimate was more than the potential client wished to pay, so she asked for her property. According to the complainant, the merchant refused to return the property until she threatened to call the police. The officer explained that this issue constituted a civil, not criminal complaint. No further police action was necessary.

09/24/19 12:11 p.m. 760 E. Main Street Hit and Run

A business owner reported that on 09-23-19, at approximately 7:00 p.m. a large truck pulled down a power line, which in turn pulled down the power box, gutter and downspout. There were no witnesses. Dominion Power responded and deactivated the powerline into the building. Another responding officer viewed the scene and indicated that it appeared that the damage was a result of building rot.

09/25/19 11:49 a.m.

118 E. Main Street

Larceny from Auto

The victim reported that she dropped her car off for repair on 7/23/19 at 5:20 p.m. She returned to the vehicle on 7/24/19 at approximately 7:30 a.m. and discovered that someone had rifled through the contents of her car. The only thing missing was loose change.

09/25/19 12:39 p.m.

800 E. Main Street

Grand Larceny

Staff at Browning Equipment noticed a large space on the display lot and discovered that two zero turn radius mowers were missing. Staff also recalled that no one had locked the chain across the driveway the night before. The responding officers learned what was missing and recalled seeing two similar mowers in the lot at 871 E. Main Street. A check of the serial numbers revealed that these were the missing mowers. The investigation is on-going.

09/26/19 06:27 p.m.

109 Bailey Lane

Drunk in Public

An intoxicated passenger boarded a Virginia Transit bus at an unknown location and passed out, missing her stop in Reston. She remained on the bus until it arrived at the bus depot in Purcellville. Still intoxicated, she was arrested for Drunk in Public and transported to the Adult Detention Center to be safely held until sober.

Arrested was Angelica Garcia, 52, of Reston, VA

Officers also responded to the following complaints:

911 Hang up	10
Alarm	4
Animal Complaint	4
Assist Fire/EMS	2
Automobile Crash	8
Check the Welfare	0
Civil Complaint	2
Disabled Vehicle	1
Disorderly	1
Domestic Disputes	2
Information Only	2
Juvenile Complaint	0
Parking Complaint	6
Reckless Driver	3
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Event	6
Traffic Hazard	8

In addition, officers also conducted the following:

Building Check	55
Directed Patrol	136
Foot Patrol	13
Traffic Stops	60

The Town of Purcellville, Virginia

“Purcellville-your small Town, where history and progress intersect and people prosper,” is an award-winning town of over 10,000 residents located in Loudoun County, approximately 50 miles west of Washington, DC. Having received the prestigious Siemens Sustainability Award for Small Communities, Purcellville continues to be honored for its green initiatives with most recently being the Tree City USA recipient for the 12th year. The Town was reaffirmed as a AAA rated community by S&P Global Ratings, the highest credit rating possible, and is recognized as one of the safest towns in Virginia. Once a stop along the W&OD rail line, which has been converted to a multi-use trail from Alexandria, VA to Purcellville, the town has maintained its historic old-town feel through the restoration and maintenance of its many downtown structures, reflecting the Victorian architecture popular during the early 1900s. Today, Purcellville is the economic hub of western Loudoun County and a popular weekend destination for antiquing, equestrian activities, farmer’s markets, wineries, breweries, distilleries and restaurants. More info at www.purcellvilleva.gov.

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