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POLICE REPORT

PURCELLVILLE, Va. October 4, 2019 -

09/27/2019 5:20 p.m. 1020 E. Main Street DUI/Assault

After staff refused to serve additional alcohol to an intoxicated customer, she left the restaurant and drove away, only to return a few minutes later after realizing she left her cell phone and wallet behind. As she was leaving a second time, a staff member stood in her path in order to deter her from leaving until police arrived. She became angrier and bumped into and pushed past the staff member and left, where she was met by a police officer. As several staff members could place her behind the wheel, she was run through a battery of field sobriety tests that she failed. She was arrested for DUI. The staff member did not wish prosecution for assault.

Arrested was: Tricia Sansevero, 46, of Purcellville, VA

09/28/2019 1:42 a.m. 116 E. Cornwell Lane Phone Threats

The staff at Blue Ridge Vet Associates reported receiving a threatening phone call from a disgruntled pet owner. The investigating officer spoke by phone with the unhappy customer, who denied using threatening language. Soon after that phone call, the customer called staff at Blue Ridge Vets and apologized for being angry. At this point the staff declined pursuing prosecution.

9/28/2019 4:15 p.m. 261 N. 21st Street Credit Card Fraud

The reporting officer spoke by phone with a complainant who reported that she purchased items using her credit card at the Southern States Store on 09-28-19 at 11:27 a.m. At 12:17 p.m., the victim discovered that there were unauthorized charges on three (3) of her credit cards, made at Wal-Mart.com. The victim reported that all of her cards had been in her wallet while she was at the Southern States store. No cloning devices were found in the Southern States store.

9/28/2019 8:05 p.m. 251 N. 21st Street Assault/Destruction of Property

Staff at Monks BBQ reported that two customers unknown to each other had a verbal altercation because one thought the other was "hitting on" his wife. When the single patron approach the counter, the married patron shoved him into the sneeze guard, which shattered. The suspect then left the restaurant with his wife and a third party, and got into a car occupied by a third person, and drove away. The victim of the assault, who declined prosecution, cut his hand on broken glass. The store did desire prosecution for the destruction of property, which included various meats that had to be thrown away due to glass contamination.

The investigation is on-going.

09/28/19 7:26 p.m. 200 Block, Nursery Ave Mediation

Police responded to help mediate an on-going dispute between two families. This is a result of the end of a friendship between two of their daughters, which in turn led to rude behavior between the two families. All seemed to be amenable to the idea for formal mediation.

09/29/19 10:48 p.m. 21st Street and Hirst Rod DUI/Possession of a Firearm under the influence

An officer stopped a car for speeding and upon approach smelled the odor of alcoholic beverage emanating from the driver. The driver, who failed a battery of field sobriety tests, also had a firearm on his person. The driver was charged with DUI and Possession of a Firearm while intoxicated.

Arrested was: Gouthum Kardi, 46, of Alexandria, VA

09/29/19 11:52 a.m. Main Street @ Route 287 Hit and Run

The victim reported that her vehicle, a beige Toyota was struck by an unknown driver operating a white pick-up truck, which fled the scene without stopping.

If anybody has witnessed this incident, they are asked to call Officer Michael Dickson at 540-338-7422 X 124

09/29/19 6:06 p.m. 100 Block of N. 16th Street Domestic Dispute

An officer met with a citizen who reported that when he was dropping his daughter off at with his estranged wife at her apartment complex parking lot, she reached into his car through a partially open window. He pushed her arm away, resulting in a mark on her arm. He indicated that she was intoxicated and was upset because their daughter was exposed to his new girlfriend. The reporting party drove away and called the police. The responding officer interviewed all parties, and both returned to their respective residences.

09/29/19 6:49 p.m. 800 Block of Kinvarra Place Domestic Dispute

A married couple had a verbal argument regarding child care. The parties voluntarily separated but eventually passed in a hallway, where their shoulders collided. The wife called 911 to report the incident. Officers could not demonstrate criminal intent on either party's actions. A protective order was issued, but did not mandate separation of the involved parties. No further police action was required.

09/30/19 8:47 a.m. 220 E. Main Street Hit and Run

The victim reported that she parked her vehicle in the Library parking lot on Tuesday, September 29th at approximately 2:50 p.m. When she returned to her vehicle at 4:45, she noticed a dent and scratches on her right passenger door.

If anyone witnessed this accident or has any other related information, they are asked to call Officer Adam Barnhart at 540-338-7422 x 120

09/30/19 7:30 p.m.

125 Hirst Road

Domestic Dispute

The reporting party responded to the Police Department as a result of an on-going domestic situation. He reported to the police that his ex-girlfriend was calling him and reported that she was coming to his house. He desired neither the phone call nor her visit. The investigating officer gave the reporting party advice as to what to do should she arrive uninvited at his residence. No further police action was required at this time.

10/01/19 1:14 p.m.

600 Block County Club Drive

On-Line

Harassment

The complainant reported that on 09-23-19, she told her ex-boyfriends parents that he had relapsed and was using drugs. The ex-boyfriend lives in Colorado. Soon thereafter, the complainant began to receive numerous calls and texts inquiring about buying a TV, which they saw listed in a Craig's list posting in Colorado. The complainant was not selling a television. The complainant e-mailed a screenshot of the ad to police, who contacted Craig's list, asking that the ad be removed.

10/02/19 4:08 p.m.

On-Line

Credit Card Fraud

The victim reported to responding officers that his credit card had been used in Newark, Delaware to charge food at a restaurant. These charges were flagged as suspicious by the credit card company. The victim was not in Delaware when the purchases were made.

Officers also responded to the following complaints:

911 Hang up	6
Alarm	1
Animal Complaint	0
Assist Fire/EMS	1
Automobile Crash	4
Check the Welfare	1
Civil Complaint	1
Disabled Vehicle	2
Disorderly	0
Domestic Disputes	4
Information Only	3
Juvenile Complaint	0
Parking Complaint	18
Reckless Driver	2
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Event	0
Traffic Hazard	1

In addition, officers also conducted the following:

Building Check	55
Directed Patrol	125
Foot Patrol	13
Traffic Stops	47

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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