

FAIRFIELD POLICE

Monthly Report – October 2018



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Overall Activity

Calls for Service - Total

Alarm Response Summary

Calls for Service – Detailed

Motor Vehicle Activity

Motor Vehicle Accidents

Motor Vehicle Enforcement - Action

Motor Vehicle Enforcement - Violation Type

Parking Ticket Summary

Criminal Activity

Criminal Incidents by Patrol

Criminal Activity by Month

Criminal Arrests by Month

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Letters of Recognition

A note of appreciation was received from David Ebling, Headmaster of Fairfield Warde High School. He thanked Lieutenant Weihe and Officer Braham for their presentation to the PTA on security plans and resources.

Noteworthy Police Work

Sergeant Paris recognized Officer Wells and K-9 Jagger for their work assisting the Bridgeport Police in searching for several subjects wanted in connection with motor vehicle thefts. Officer Wells and K-9 Jagger located one suspect hiding from police.

Lieutenant Bloch recognized Sergeant Kline, Officer Renaldi, Officer Matejek and Officer DeAngelis for their work locating two suspects breaking into a vehicle.

Sergeant Zdru recognized the following officers for their work locating and taking into custody several occupants in a stolen vehicle that rammed a patrol car before fleeing on foot. Sergeant Riendeau, Officer Matejek, Officer DeAngelis, Officer Rubis, Officer Renaldi, Officer Zerella, Officer Greenfield, Officer Ricco.

Lieutenant Perez recognized Sergeant Irizarry and Officer Jenkins for their work apprehending two shoplifters. The suspects attempted to flee in a vehicle and strike a patrol car.

Lieutenant Bloch recognized Sergeant Riendeau, Officer Kaesmann and Officer Gorton for their assistance to Westport Police during a pursuit that entered Fairfield. Officer Kaesmann was able to deploy spike strips. The vehicle eventually struck a telephone pole and the operator ran from the vehicle. He was taken into custody a short time later.

Sergeant Nook recognized Officer Bok, Officer Kalson and Officer Burke for their assistance to an unresponsive individual in a vehicle. They removed the person from a vehicle and administered Narcan.

Sergeant Kline recognized Officer Young for locating a stolen motor vehicle on Post Road. With the assistance of other officers, the vehicle was stopped and the operator taken into custody. Stolen goods were recovered from the vehicle.

Sergeant Gunter recognized Officer Alex MacNamara for his work locating and detaining a suicidal female who ran into Long Island Sound in order to try and evade the officer.

National Drug Take Back Initiative

Fairfield Police participated in the 16th National Drug Take Back Initiative on October 27, 2018. This is a one day collaborative drug take-back initiative coordinated by the DEA and involves federal, state and local jurisdictions to help remove potentially dangerous controlled substances from homes. It provides an opportunity for the public to surrender controlled substances and other medications to law enforcement for disposal. This year the Fairfield Police received over 100 pounds of drugs during this event.

Retirement

Chief Gary MacNamara



After 30 years with the Fairfield Police Department, Chief Gary MacNamara retired on October 26, 2018.

Support Services Bureau

Training

- Firearms Qualifications
- Motorcycle Operator Course
- Search and Seizure for Active Officers

Animal Control

Complaints: **74**

Wildlife related complaints: **22**

Animals tested for rabies: **1**

Wildlife testing positive for rabies: **0**

Animal bites: **6**

Enforcement:

Written warnings: **5**

Infractions: **1**

Misdemeanors: **0**

Lake Mohegan

- 10/24/2018: Investigated complaint regarding a person walking too many dogs. Unfounded
- 10/27: Conducted directed patrol. No violations found

Special Services Division

Traffic Safety Unit

Traffic Stops: **366**
Infractions: **236**
Misdemeanor Summons: **12**
Accidents Investigated: **46**
Child Seats Installed: **11**

Traffic Crash Investigations

Total Accidents Investigated: **111**
Total Accidents with Injuries: **11**
Search Warrants: **1**
Arrest Warrants: **0**
Misdemeanor Summons Issued: **76**
Infractions Issued: **19**

Traffic Enforcement Targeted Areas

Kings Hwy East / Osborne Place
Beach Rd / Sunnieholme Dr
Round Hill Rd
Westport Tnpk
Redding Rd
Bronson Rd
Davis Rd / Lisbon Dr
Hulls Farm Rd

Lovers Lane
Brentwood Ave
Holland Hill Rd / New England Ave
Jefferson St
Burr St
Congress St
Alberta St / Windemere St
Mill Plain Rd

Other Activities

- National Coffee With A Cop - Chips
- Southport Neighborhood Meeting at Mill Hill School
- Beach Area Special Events Meeting
- Walk-To- School North Stratfield School
- Harvest Fall Market - Old Town Hall Green
- Black Rock Tpke Meeting
- Meeting wth B. Gross @ Spt. Woods
- Meeting at Southport Woods Condominium
- Town Green - Vigil Honor of Victims of Domestic Abuse
- K9 Unity Charity Dog Walk at Jennings Beach
- Northfield Road Community Meeting
- North Stratfield School 3rd Grade - 3 Classrooms
- North Stratfield School Police Tour 2nd Graders
- Crash reconstruction team assisted Westport Police
- Crash reconstruction team assisted Bridgeport Police
- October Distracted Driving Campaign conducted