



WEEKLY POLICE BLOTTER

Week of November 20, 2023 – November 26, 2023



Total Calls for Service: **412**

Traffic Stops: **39**

Citations Issued: **7**

(including citations from Vehicle Accidents)

Warnings Issued: **35**

Fraudulent Tags Seized: **0**

Traffic Enforcement Details: **96**

(Stop sign, intersection, speed, etc. enforcement)

Directed Area Patrols: **36**

(Includes all parks, commercial areas, and areas of concern for illegal activity)

Foot Patrols: **6**

School Walk-throughs: **2**

Vehicle Accidents: **14**

Reportable (requiring EMS or Tow): **1**

Non-Reportable: **10**

Assisting other Departments: **3**

INCIDENTS

11/21/23 – 400 block West Garden Road – Officers were dispatched to the area for a male walking up to various front doors with a flashlight. Homeowners in the area saw the male doing so on their ring cameras and called police. Several Officers responded and canvassed the area but were unable to locate the male in question.

11/21/23 – Unit block Weldy Avenue – Officers were dispatched to a residence for a delayed report of an open door and open yard gate. The homeowner believed that someone possibly entered their home after hearing noises in and around their garage. Due to the nearly 3-hour delay in reporting to police, Officers were unable to locate any subjects due to a lack of description and further information.

11/22/23 – 1000 block Willow Grove Avenue – Officers were dispatched for a hold-up alarm at a local business. Shortly thereafter, a staff member of the business called in to report that a customer was refusing to leave and causing a disturbance over the sale of cigarettes. Officers were able to separate both parties and send the customer on their way without issue.

11/22/23 – 1800 block Bethlehem Pike – Officers responded to a local business for a reported retail theft. Officers quickly located the male actor, and he was subsequently taken into custody. While checking the subject for wants/warrants, it was noted that the male had an active Pennsylvania State Probation Warrant. The male was taken to the Montgomery County Correctional Facility for the retail theft charge as well as the outstanding warrant.

11/24/23 – 7800 block Conwell Road – Cheltenham Twp – Officers responded to assist the Cheltenham Township Police Department for a report of shots fired. Several Springfield Township Officers went to assist with canvassing the area for shell casings, suspects, and/or victims. Springfield Officers were quickly released, and the incident was turned over to the Cheltenham Township Police Department for further investigation.

11/24/23 – Haws Lane/Atwood Road – While conducting a traffic stop, Officers detected a strong odor of marijuana emanating from the vehicle. Officers conducted Standardized Field Sobriety Tests on the driver, and it was determined that impairment was present, and a male subject was taken into custody under the suspicion of DUI-drugs and charges are pending.

11/25/23 – 7800 Old York Road – Cheltenham – Several Springfield Township Officers responded to assist the Cheltenham Township Police Department with a fatal vehicle crash. Members of the Springfield Township Police Department serve as members of the Eastern Montgomery County Area Crash Team and assisted with the reconstruction efforts of the crash. ***This incident is under investigation by the Cheltenham Township Police Department as they are the agency having jurisdiction. ***