On Friday, February 19th, Officer Marsilli and Cpl. Maurer were on patrol in the Newark Shopping Center when they observed three subjects acting suspiciously. The officers stopped the subjects and found a gold metallic spray paint cap. The officers search the shopping center and found graffiti painted on the wall with gold paint. The juvenile suspected of painting the graffiti was released to his mother pending charges.

On Sunday, February 21st, a two-year old girl was found abandoned in the rest room at the Shell Service Station located on South College Avenue. This case became the focus of much of the department’s activity for the next three days. Following extensive media coverage, the child was identified on February 24th. This complex investigation is continuing.

On Monday, February 22nd, members of the Newark Police Department assisted the University of Delaware Police Department with order maintenance and crowd control during a “Futhur” concert at the Bob Carpenter Center.

On Wednesday, February 24th, Chief Tiernan and Captain Williams attended a security camera seminar in Baltimore.

Lt. Brian Henry has been asked to be an evaluator on the Sergeant promotional board of the Delaware Capitol Police.