

WEEKLY REPORT

08/08-08/14/10

On Monday, August 16th at 11:52 a.m., Officer James Spadola checked the registration of a vehicle parked on South College Avenue to find the license plate on the car was reported as stolen in New Castle County. Officer Spadola observed the vehicle until a male approached it and opened the trunk. The officer questioned the owner of the vehicle who admitted stealing the license plate and placing it on his vehicle. The suspect was arrested and issued a summons to appear in court.

On Monday, August 16th at 4:00 p.m., members of the Newark Police Department Street Crime Unit conducted a motor vehicle stop in the Newark Shopping Center. The officers detected an order of marijuana in the vehicle. A search of the vehicle recovered, 76 grams of marijuana, 16 doses of Ecstasy, and drug paraphernalia.

This past weekend the Traffic Bureau began conducting evening road and seatbelt safety checks in the downtown area. These checks will continue through the first week of September.

Beginning on Friday, August 20th, the Newark Police 2010 Fall Crime Suppression Plan will be implemented. Newark Police Department officers along with University of Delaware police officers will be located in concentrated patrol zones in areas surrounding the university campus and off campus housing areas. Officers will be patrolling in both marked and unmarked vehicles, as well as on foot. This is the third year of our Fall Crime Suppression Plan. As a result of this initiative, since its implementation two years prior the department has seen a significant reduction in street crime. The City of Newark has seen 6 less robberies this year to date, compared to this date last year.

The Newark Police Department has been awarded a \$45,000 grant from the Department of Justice. The grant will pay for two additional surveillance cameras and a "fixed location" automatic license plate reader. The "reader" automatically checks vehicle registrations to see if the vehicle has been reported stolen or wanted.



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TRAFFIC SUMMONSES	2009 YTD	2010 YTD	THIS WEEK 2009	THIS WEEK 2010
Moving	4996	4461	66	160
Non-Moving	2660	2001	75	75
TOTAL	7656	6462	141	235

PARKING SUMMONSES				
Meter Tickets	13380	16240	358	417
Parking Summons/IPR	4021	4886	109	70
Scofflaw Amount Collected	171 = \$30,977	229 = \$41,595	6 = \$915	5 = \$880
TOTAL	17572	21355	473	492*

*1 Full-Time PEO OJI, ACO Vacation

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS				
Fatal	0	1	0	0
Personal Injury	146	131	5	4
Property Damage (Reportable)	234	199	10	7
Property Damage (Non-Reportable)	341	313	6	11
	721	644	21	22

Hit and Run	118	112	3	4
DUI	146	95	2	5

NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

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INVESTIGATIONS

CRIMINAL CHARGES

	2009 TO <u>DATE</u>	2010 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2010</u>	2009 TO <u>DATE</u>	2010 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2010</u>
<u>PART I OFFENSES</u>						
a)Murder/Manslaughter	1	0	0	0	0	0
b)Attempt	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kidnap	0	4	0	2	3	0
Rape	2	5	0	5	2	0
Unlaw. Sexual Contact	1	6	0	3	4	0
Robbery	27	20	0	43	41	0
Assault/Aggravated	23	32	3	32	31	0
Burglary	82	105	1	90	93	0
Theft	541	497	18	238	264	1
Theft/Auto	41	30	1	16	10	0
Arson	5	2	0	4	0	0
All Other	51	51	0	90	124	0
TOTAL PART I	774	753	23	523	572	1
<u>PART II OFFENSES</u>						
Other Assaults	184	229	11	161	135	4
Rec. Stolen Property	0	0	0	11	19	1
Criminal Michief	265	245	4	198	86	0
Weapons	8	3	0	46	31	0
Other Sex Offenses	4	6	0	15	23	0
Alcohol	119	174	2	290	340	4
Drugs	71	97	2	180	217	12
Noise/Disorderly Premise	372	357	6	165	182	2
Disorderly Conduct	422	375	3	80	103	1
Trespass	73	89	2	38	49	0
All Other	280	332	12	128	155	18
TOTAL PART II	1798	1907	42	1312	1340	42
<u>MISCELLANEOUS:</u>						
Alarm	673	802	26	0	0	0
Animal Control	405	353	7	1	35	0
Recovered Property	125	140	2	0	0	0
Service	8962	14543	526	0	0	0
Suspicious Per/Veh	439	383	16	0	0	0
TOTAL MISC.	10604	16221	577	1	35	0

	THIS WEEK <u>2009</u>	2009 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2010</u>	2010 TO <u>DATE</u>
TOTAL CALLS	542	18460	819	23312