

WEEKLY REPORT

Notable Items:

- The Newark Police Department has launched a new website for dissemination of information to the press and the public. The website address is: <http://newarkdepolicepress.com>
- This website will allow for easier and faster dissemination of information to the public. The website allows members of the media and the public to subscribe. Subscribers will receive an email when a new post has been added to the site. In addition, postings on the site will easily integrate with both Facebook and Twitter, thereby allowing information to be disseminated among various internet platforms. The site allows the police to more easily release additional photos and video related to incidents.
- Councilmembers are encouraged to sign up through the website no later than 10/15 if they wish to continue to receive police department notifications and press releases. As of October 3rd, Mayor Sierer is the only member of council to subscribe.

Patrol:

- On October 2nd, C Platoon responded to Verizon Wireless and contacted the manager who reported the theft of an Apple iPhone and money by an employee. C Platoon officers obtained a warrant for the employee and, through investigation, the stolen iPhone was found for sale on "Offer Up" for \$600.00. Officers created a ruse offering \$450.00 for the purchase of the iPhone, to which the suspect agreed. A meeting was setup with the employee in the University Plaza Shopping Center and he was subsequently arrested. The phone was recovered, and the employee was arrested for two counts of theft.

Traffic:

- The small sign board is on Old Cooches Bridge Rd for speed/stop sign education in response to a resident complaint. The speed sign is on Apple Road due to a complaint. The traffic counter tubes remain on Christopher Lane. The traffic counter tubes are on S. Dillwyn Rd for a speed survey.
- A resident complained of speeding and stop sign running around Apple Road and Dallas Avenue during the early morning hours. The speed sign was placed around Apple Road. The speed sign has been dark for a week and is now on displaying speeds. The data collected during the time when the sign was dark indicates that there is a speed concern, and the area will continue to be monitored. Patrol has been assisting with enforcement in the early morning hours.
- Complaint of cars passing in the center left turn lane of E. Cleveland Avenue. So far, no violations have been observed, but the area is still being monitored.
- Concern that vehicles are stopping on E. Delaware Avenue at the Green during a green traffic signal to allow pedestrians to cross the roadway.

- The tuning forks have been sent to the radio shop for certification and all speed enforcement for Patrol and Traffic is limited to LIDAR. We will monitor the stop signs and speed issue in the area of Apple Road and Dallas Avenue for any violations. We will begin enforcement on Old Cooches Bridge Road. We will continue distracted driving/seat belt enforcement at W Main/S Main area.

Special Operations Unit:

- M/Cpl. Conover has been working with UDPD for student referrals regarding a problem house on Wollaston Avenue.

Auxiliary Services Division

- Starting this week, Captain Van Campen and School Resource Officer Darryl Saunders will be partnering with Aetna to continue discussions with local schools regarding critical incident responses and preparedness.
- NPD was notified that they were awarded a federal grant through the Department of Justice for Body Worn Cameras in the amount of \$90,000. Only twelve mid-sized agencies were anticipated to be awarded the grant nationwide.

Criminal Investigations Division

- On September 27th, detectives from the Criminal Investigations Division executed a search warrant at a residence in Wilmington in reference to a burglary that occurred at Dash Discount Liquors, 1142 Elkton Road, Newark, on 5/26/18. Detectives arrested Randy Smith for burglary and other related charges after items linking him to the burglary were discovered during the search.

Administration Division

- Sgt. Bryda participated in a webinar on October 3rd sponsored by CALEA. The webinar provided training on the new annual remote web-based CALEA file reviews which Newark PD will be participating in for the first time early in 2019.
- Sgt. Jones held the annual Training Committee meeting on October 3rd. The committee meets to determine training needs for the department for the upcoming year.
- The fall range training began on October 2nd. In addition to qualifications, officers were trained on the use of ballistic shields and had refresher training in first aid and the use of AED.

NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEK 09/23/18-09/29/18

INVESTIGATIONS

CRIMINAL CHARGES

	2017 TO <u>DATE</u>	2018 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK 2018	2017 TO <u>DATE</u>	2018 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK 2018
<u>PART I OFFENSES</u>						
a)Murder/Manslaughter	1	0	0	0	0	0
b)Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kidnap	1	0	0	2	0	0
Rape	5	11	0	0	4	0
Unlaw. Sexual Contact	10	4	0	2	6	0
Robbery	21	16	0	13	24	0
- Commercial Robberies	8	7	0	2	8	0
- Robberies with Known Suspects	0	1	0	0	2	0
- Attempted Robberies	2	0	0	5	1	0
- Other Robberies	11	8	0	6	13	0
Assault/Aggravated	20	16	0	19	24	0
Burglary	32	30	0	13	9	1
- Commercial Burglaries	6	9	0	3	2	1
- Residential Burglaries	18	19	0	9	5	0
- Other Burglaries	8	2	0	1	2	0
Theft	401	410	13	164	150	1
Theft/Auto	38	42	1	4	6	0
Arson	1	0	0	0	0	0
All Other	76	74	0	57	63	1
TOTAL PART I	606	603	14	274	286	3
<u>PART II OFFENSES</u>						
Other Assaults	230	199	9	108	139	2
Rec. Stolen Property	2	0	0	16	16	0
Criminal Michief	156	124	3	42	104	1
Weapons	14	9	1	29	27	0
Other Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alcohol	122	175	7	218	277	10
Drugs	113	106	5	136	152	2
Noise/Disorderly Premise	609	583	18	235	239	4
Disorderly Conduct	121	110	3	114	82	0
Trespass	157	164	7	95	51	1
All Other	336	309	9	297	247	2
TOTAL PART II	1860	1779	62	1290	1334	22
<u>MISCELLANEOUS:</u>						
Alarm	226	138	2	0	0	0
Animal Control	375	375	8	3	2	0
Recovered Property	246	218	4	0	0	0
Service	28297	30201	773	0	0	0
Suspicious Per/Veh	435	364	9	0	0	0
TOTAL MISC.	29579	31296	796	3	2	0

	THIS WEEK <u>2017</u>	2017 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2018</u>	2018 TO <u>DATE</u>
TOTAL CALLS	962	36,181	1,010	38,920



**Newark Police Department
Weekly Traffic Report
09/23/18-09/29/18**



TRAFFIC SUMMONSES	2017 YTD	2018 YTD	THIS WEEK 2017	THIS WEEK 2018
Moving/Non-Moving	6449	8340	317	157
DUI	116	145	3	0
TOTAL	6565	8485	320	157

*Included in the total collision numbers

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS				
Fatal	1	0	0	0
Personal Injury	200	164	8	7
Property Damage (Reportable)	824	847	31	30
*Hit & Run	179	185	6	5
*Private Property	183	222	6	3
TOTAL	1025	1011	39	37

Note: Typically, the YTD numbers are generated by adding the current week statistics to the YTD statistics from the previous reporting period. Periodically, the numbers for this report will be generated from the beginning of the year to capture data that may have otherwise been omitted due to a processing delay or other administrative anomaly, more accurately updating the year-to-date totals.