

Weekly Report

Notable Notes:

- As mentioned in last week's report, the Newark Police Department completed the CALEA recertification process. During the exit interview, the CALEA assessors gave a verbal report to the command staff before the written report is completed and submitted. The comments from the assessors were outstanding in their praise of the Newark Police Department, its officers, and civilian staff. One assessor has led several police departments across the country as well as performing CALEA assessments for many departments. The assessors commented on the enthusiasm of the police officers, communication officers, and civilian staff. They mentioned the community policing philosophy was evident in everyone they spoke with. The assessors were very impressed that the reforms being called for on a national level in 2020, were already in place in NPD's policies. They were also impressed with our proactive programs such as NPD's "Use of Force Review Committee" and our "HUB" program. Our communication division was also noted for meeting the CALEA requirements after applying for the process a short time ago. I eagerly await the written report and it is a credit to all the men and women of the Newark Police Department. A special thanks goes to our accreditation manager Brandon Walker and communications supervisor Brian Cannon.

Patrol Division:

- On Friday, December 12th, at approximately 1707 hours, officers responded to Suburban Drive for the report of a roll-over single vehicle collision. Upon arrival, officers discovered that a blue Infiniti G35 was traveling northbound on Suburban Drive at a high rate of speed when the operator lost control of the vehicle causing it to strike a curb. After the vehicle struck the curb, the vehicle overturned two times and came to a rest on Suburban Drive. The driver was found to be driving the vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Both the driver of the vehicle and the passenger were transported to Christiana Emergency Room for treatment.
- On December 13th, 2021 at approximately 0006 hours, PFC Urban initiated a traffic stop on a white 2020 Dodge Charger on Capitol Trail. Immediately upon contacting the driver, the smell of marijuana was detected emanating from the Charger. During the subsequent investigation, it was determined that the operator of the vehicle had a .45 caliber handgun in the center console of his vehicle along with 8.5 grams of marijuana. The operator was taken into custody without incident and was charged with Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon, Possession of a Firearm by Person Prohibited, Possession of Marijuana, and Vehicle Tint. The warrant was approved through JP Court #11 and the defendant's bail was set at \$7,501.00 unsecured bond.
- On Monday, December 13th, at approximately 0627 hours, officers responded to Wharton Drive for the report of subject screaming in the parking lot. Upon arrival, officers found a naked male in a drainage ditch splashing around in the water. Due to the cold weather, and the fact the male kept putting his head under water, he was immediately removed from the drainage ditch and detained for the ambulance personnel. The male was transported to the Christiana Emergency Room by Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder.

Special Enforcement Division:

- During the week, members of the Traffic Unit will continue to work on police background investigations. The Unit will conclude a traffic study in the area of Grantham Place and Beverly Road following citizen complaints. The Unit will deploy speed monitoring devices on Old Cooches Bridge Road and West Park Place near West Park Elementary. Traffic enforcement activities during the week will include Capitol Trail, Delaware Avenue, and South College Avenue.
- On Tuesday, December 14th, members of the Special Operations Unit met with a resident in the 200 block of West Main Street who is experiencing reported order maintenance issues with an adjacent student rental property. The unit will work with the resident to develop strategies to address the ongoing issues that they are experiencing.
- Members of the Special Operations Unit will attend a Police Applicant Background Investigators Course during the week. During this course, new police background investigators will be trained how to conduct thorough police applicant background investigations. On Friday, SOU will participate in the “Presents with the Police” community outreach event on East Main Street in partnership with Newark Parks and Recreation. The officers will distribute toys to families that have been identified as needing assistance this holiday season. The K9 units will conduct proactive patrols throughout the community including the 896-hotel corridor and College Park community.

NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEK 12/05/21-12/11/21

INVESTIGATIONS

CRIMINAL CHARGES

	2020 TO <u>DATE</u>	2021 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2021</u>	2020 TO <u>DATE</u>	2021 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2021</u>
<u>PART I OFFENSES</u>						
a)Murder/Manslaughter	0	1	0	0	0	0
b)Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kidnap	5	2	0	3	6	0
Rape	4	5	0	3	2	0
Unlaw. Sexual Contact	6	8	0	5	2	0
Robbery	22	22	0	24	34	1
- Commercial Robberies	3	3	0	0	3	0
- Robberies with Known Suspects	2	5	0	1	4	0
- Attempted Robberies	1	5	0	0	13	0
- Other Robberies	16	9	0	23	14	1
Assault/Aggravated	19	28	1	14	72	0
Burglary	40	32	0	87	13	0
- Commercial Burglaries	12	6	0	45	4	0
- Residential Burglaries	22	23	0	21	6	0
- Other Burglaries	8	2	0	22	2	0
Theft	516	673	10	150	125	3
Theft/Auto	69	60	1	17	15	1
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other	162	14	0	90	73	0
TOTAL PART I	845	844	12	394	341	5
<u>PART II OFFENSES</u>						
Other Assaults	270	238	6	187	201	5
Rec. Stolen Property	2	0	0	9	11	0
Criminal Mischief	128	187	5	55	59	3
Weapons	12	9	1	42	63	0
Other Sex Offenses	0	10	0	0	4	0
Alcohol	40	160	0	42	169	0
Drugs	58	129	3	90	87	0
Noise/Disorderly Premise	582	791	3	202	262	2
Ordinance Violation	76	125	0	94	24	0
Disorderly Conduct	159	409	12	67	109	5
Trespass	306	352	3	49	100	1
All Other	261	437	14	244	253	9
TOTAL PART II	1894	2847	47	1081	1342	25
<u>MISCELLANEOUS:</u>						
Alarm	158	533	12	0	0	0
Animal Control	458	441	5	20	9	0
Recovered Property	181	173	2	0	0	0
Service	26378	31891	649	0	0	0
Suspicious Per/Veh	427	404	4	0	0	0
TOTAL MISC.	27602	33442	672	20	9	0

	THIS WEEK <u>2020</u>	2020 TO <u>DATE</u>	THIS WEEK <u>2021</u>	2021 TO <u>DATE</u>
TOTAL CALLS	577	33,089	820	41,239



Newark Police Department Weekly Traffic Report



12/05/21-12/11/21

TRAFFIC SUMMONSES	2020 YTD	2021 YTD	THIS WEEK 2020	THIS WEEK 2021
Moving/Non-Moving	3973	11964	155	123
DUI	85	164	2	5
TOTAL	4058	12128	157	128

*Included in the total collision numbers

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS				
Fatal	0	1	0	0
Personal Injury	173	173	4	4
Property Damage (Reportable)	735	897	9	13
*Hit & Run	191	179	3	3
*Private Property	174	203	2	2
TOTAL	908	1071	13	17

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.