

Weekly Report

Patrol Division:

- On Friday, January 13th, 2023, at approximately 1251 hours, officers were conducting a follow up investigation into burglaries that occurred on Papermill Road this past week. While in the area, officers observed a male suspect walking who was known to be wanted on 5 active capiases. When the male suspect observed the officers, he locked himself in a vacant garage for a short period before officers were able to take him into custody. Officers recovered stolen property from several of the burglaries which occurred over the past week. The male was committed on \$6,527 secured and \$2,500 cash bail. As a result of the recovered stolen property, additional charges are pending.
- On Saturday, January 14th, 2023, at approximately 0710 hours officers responded to the area of 45 East Main Street for the report that a male was seated in a vehicle that was not his own. Upon arrival contact was made with the male suspect who was highly intoxicated on a combination of alcohol and marijuana and had entered a female's unoccupied vehicle on Main Street. The male was cited for Tampering with a Motor Vehicle, Public Intoxication, and he was referred to UDPD for Student Judicial Review.
- On Monday, January 16th, 2023, at approximately 2355 hours, officers conducted a vehicle stop for a non-moving violation on a gold Chevrolet Tahoe while on South College Avenue. During the stop, officers located heroin and marijuana within the vehicle. The operator was charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance, Possession of Marijuana (Civil), and the non-moving traffic violation.
- On Tuesday, January 17th, 2023, at approximately 2113 hours, a patrol officer conducted a motor vehicle stop on green Dodge Ram on Welsh Tract Road. When the truck came to a stop, the passenger fled into the woods. The operator was issued multiple traffic summonses and the vehicle towed from scene. Warrants were obtained for the male suspect who fled for Resisting Arrest and Crossing at Other than A Crosswalk.

Special Enforcement Division:

- During the week, members of the Traffic Unit will be conducting training on motor vehicle code for a newly hired sworn police officer from the State of New York. Traffic Unit officers also attended a bicycle task force meeting with the Planning Department on Wednesday, January 18th. The unit will conduct enforcement at various locations throughout the city.
- All members of the Special Operations Unit have been reassigned to the Patrol Division due to staffing shortages.

Auxiliary Services Division:

- Capt. Van Campen continues to deploy and train officers on the new Axon Body Worn Cameras. NPD was awarded grant funding under the EDIE and SALLE grant programs to support upgrades in technology and equipment as well as funding towards overtime and drug investigations.

Administration Division:

- Members of the Administration unit continue to finalize 2022 year-end reports. The 2023 police officer hiring process is now open. Anyone interested can visit <https://newarkde.gov/898/Career-Opportunities---Police-Officer> for more information on NPD's hiring process and how to apply.