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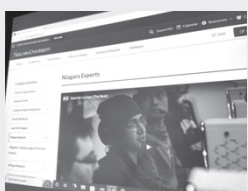
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LEWISTON POLICE BLOTTER

The following activity occurred Monday, Aug. 8 to Sunday, Aug. 14, as reported by the Lewiston Police Department. LPD reported 250 response calls during this period. For more information on arrests and other activity, visit the Lewiston Police Department's mobile app or its page on Facebook.

Monday, Aug. 8

- **1600 block of Upper Mountain Road, animal complaint** – Caller reported encountering a possum while in bed at the residence during the early morning hours. Caller stated the residents did not know how the possum entered the residence and it was now stuck between the bed and a wall; caller said the possum has been trapped for more than an hour. Patrol provided a contact for Wild Critters; meanwhile a friend of the caller was at the residence to assist with getting the animal out. Patrol cleared.
- **4000 block of Creek Road, LPD office, identity theft** – Walk-in complaint. Female reported an unknown subject attempted to open three different credit cards using her personal information. Subject managed to open a Discover Card with the information; complainant said she was notified via mail that she was late on payments.
- **800 block of Foxwood Drive, harassment** – Caller to 911 reported being harassed by another tenant. Patrols responded.
- **Center Street eastbound to Lewiston Road/Niagara Scenic Parkway, traffic complaint/investigation** – 911 caller reported finding a mattress in the roadway. Patrol located and moved the item to the side of the road.
- **700 block of Legacy Drive, forgery** – Caller reported she had paid more than \$6,400 via PayPal to cover a rental agreement on a house and was later informed the agreement was never paid/credited. Report taken.
- **600 block of Center Street, lost/found property** – Caller to 911 reported locating personal items scattered in a church pew. Items reportedly belong to a female party from Brooklyn, New York; caller uncertain on when the items were left.
- **5300 block of Chew Road, assist public** – Patrol reported a 911 hang-up. On call back a female party stated she had locked her purse, keys and a dog inside a vehicle and requested assistance. Caller advised by dispatch that her request was not a 911 provided service; she was advised to contact a towing service to unlock the vehicle. Female replied she did not have funds to cover the service call and requested to speak with patrol. Female later called back to cancel; her dog opened the door.
- **4500 block of Creek Road, trespass** – Male caller reported an ongoing issue with a neighbor trespassing onto their property. Caller said the neighbor's dog relieves itself on the property and the neighbor's son also uses the property for lacrosse; caller fears a lawsuit if he injures himself. Patrol responded and resolved the issue with the neighbors.
- **1200 block of Saunders Settlement Road, MVA-injuries** –

Caller to 911 reported a one-vehicle accident; car upside down, driver is awake and bystanders attempting to extricate subject from vehicle. Patrols responded; call handled. Vehicle towed. Report filed.

- **700 block of Oxbow Lane, assist** – Caller to 911 reported possibly eight teens pounding on doors in the area. Patrol unable locate subjects.
- **3100 block of Saunders Settlement Road, vehicle/traffic stop** – Call officer initiated. Driver cited for speed in zone; driver also warned by patrol for taking so long to respond to an emergency vehicle with its lights on. Uniform traffic ticket issued for Lewiston Town Court.

Tuesday, Aug. 9

- **Creek Road/Foxwood Drive, death** – Patrols on location for a 911 call. Report taken.
- **Locations on the 2500 block of Upper Mountain Road; Lewiston/Creek roads and Lewiston Road/Kenneth Avenue, vehicle/traffic stops** – All calls officer initiated. Violations per stop included driver cited for speed in zone, loud muffler and obstructed plate; registered owner, cell phone use and uninspected motor vehicle; and driver, uninspected motor vehicle. Uniform traffic tickets issued for Lewiston Town Court.

Wednesday, Aug. 10

- **400 block of S. Fourth Street, special detail** – Patrols on location for Artpark concert.
- **900 block of Center Street, MVA/property damage** – Patrols responded to two calls on the incident; one report taken.
- **4900 block of Townline Road, missing person** – Patrol on location for a 911 complaint. No further information.
- **Locations on the Niagara Scenic Parkway/Ridge Road; Center Street/Portage Road; and on Plain/S. Fourth streets, vehicle/traffic stops** – All calls officer initiated. Violations per stop included driver, speed in zone; two drivers cited, one for failure to stop at a stop sign; the second for obstructing traffic at an intersection; and driver, running a red light. Uniform traffic tickets issued for Lewiston Town Court.

Thursday, Aug. 11

- **600 block of Onondaga Street, suspicious activity** – Patrols on scene for a 911 complaint. No further information.
- **800 block of Center Street, theft** – Patrols on location at a gas/convenience business for a 911 complaint. No further information.
- **Ridge/Dickersonville roads, MVA-property damage** – Caller to 911 reported a two-vehicle accident with airbag deployment in the middle of the intersection. Patrols responded; both vehicles towed.
- **Locations at Cayuga/S/ Seventh streets; N. Fifth Street/Kenwood Drive; Saunders Settlement/Walmore roads, vehicle/traffic stops** – Officer initiated calls. Both drivers issued warnings for failure to come to a complete stop at a stop sign.

County to participate in statewide end-of-summer/Labor Day high-visibility engagement campaign

Sheriff Michael J. Filicetti announced Niagara County law enforcement agencies will participate in a special effort to bring awareness to the dangers of impaired driving. In a combined effort to stop impaired driving, prevent injuries, and save lives, law enforcement officers across New York will take to the roads. The statewide STOP-DWI high-visibility engagement campaign efforts start Friday, Aug. 19, and will end Monday, Sept. 5.

A press release stated, "The Niagara County Sheriff's Office, as well as law enforcement agencies across Niagara County, will be out in force in this coordinated effort to reduce the number of impaired driving-related injuries and death.

"The STOP-DWI end-of-summer/Labor Day high-visibility engagement campaign is one of many statewide enforcement initiatives promoted by STOP-DWI New York and the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee. The statewide STOP-DWI high-visibility engagement campaign also targets Halloween, Thanksgiving, the holiday season, Super Bowl weekend, St. Patrick's Day, Memorial Day weekend and July 4th weekend.

The press release noted, "While STOP-DWI efforts across New York have led to significant reductions in the numbers of alcohol- and drug-related fatalities, still too many lives are being lost because of crashes caused by drunk or impaired drivers. Highly visible, highly publicized efforts like the STOP-DWI high-visibility engagement campaign aim to further reduce the incidence of drunk and impaired driving."

Friday, Aug. 12

- **Expressway Village, noise complaint** – Patrol on location for an anonymous 911 call.
- **4900 block of Indian Hill Road, check welfare** – Caller to 911 reported a two-vehicle accident, EMS needed. Patrols on scene; both vehicles towed.
- **400 block of Morgan Drive, fire** – Patrol responded to a 911 call; no further information.
- **2500 block of Parker Road, unwanted person** – Patrols responded for a 911 complaint; no further information.
- **Saunders Settlement/Walmore roads, accident hit-run** – Caller to 911 reported a dark-colored vehicle had struck hers at the intersection and left the scene. Caller stated she was travelling eastbound and turned left onto Walmore Road when the second vehicle travelling westbound crossed the white line while making a right turn onto Walmore Road; driver struck the rear passenger side of her vehicle and took off. Caller said the second vehicle possibly had passenger side front end damage and blue paint from the accident. Patrols responded; report taken.
- **100 block of N. Fourth Street, assist** – Anonymous caller to 911 reported teens in the park and one subject smoking near kids. Patrols responded.
- **4800 block of Military Road, shoplifting** – Patrols responded to a phone complaint at the address. Report taken.

Saturday, Aug. 13

- **1700 block of Saunders Settlement Road, vehicle/traffic stop** – Officer initiated call. Driver issued warning for a headlight violation. Driver stated she borrowed the vehicle from a friend and was cited earlier for the same infraction by State Police and told to get the vehicle fixed. Patrol advised the driver to correct the problem or face getting more tickets.
- **100 block of N. Water Street, check welfare** – Officer initiated call. Intoxicated male observed wan-

dering by a closed business. Male transported home by patrol.

- **5600 block of Walmore Road, suicide investigation** – Patrols on location for a 911 call. No further information; report taken.
- **1100 block of Saunders Settlement Road, suspicious activity** – Patrols on location for a 911 call; no further information.
- **Locations at Saunders Settlement Road/Griffin Street; the 5500 block of Townline Road; and at Lewiston Road/Meadowbrook Drive, vehicle/traffic stops** – All calls officer initiated. Violations per stop included driver cited for unlicensed operation; driver, uninspected motor vehicle and no/inadequate lights; and driver warned for left side headlight out and tailgating front vehicle prior to pullover. Uniform traffic tickets issued to first two violators.

Sunday, Aug. 14

- **4600 block of Porter Center Road, accident hit-run** – Caller to 911 reported an unknown driver struck their vehicle while they were parked roadside and left the scene. Patrol responded for report.
- **Oak Hill Run/N. Fifth Street, assist** – Officer initiated call. Caller said kids were shooting BBs at a stop sign.
- **4600 block of Creek Road, damage to property** – Caller reported mailbox damage. Patrol located the juvenile responsible; parties handling damage.
- **Townline/Lower Mountain roads, MVA-injuries** – Caller reported a two-vehicle accident; two individuals stuck in vehicle. Patrols responded; parties removed for EMS assessment and vehicle towed. Report taken.
- **5300 block of Townline Road, damage to property** – Caller to 911 reported an individual drove onto their property. Patrols responded; vehicle towed.
- **5100 block of Woodland Drive, harassment** – Patrol on scene for a phone complaint. Report taken.

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