



POLICE BLOTTER

June 20, 2021 to June 26, 2021

Incident Date & Time: 6/23/2021 7:40

Incident Location: Wychview Dr.

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary, Suspicious Incident / Person / Vehicle

Case #: 21-15310

During the course of an investigation, it was determined that a resident was a victim of a burglary to their motor vehicle. The vehicle was parked in the roadway and unlocked at the time of the incident. The resident reported that no items were missing from their vehicle. There are no suspects at this time. This incident was witnessed by another resident and it is an ongoing investigation.

Incident Date & Time: 6/23/2021 7:40

Incident Location: Wychview Dr.

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary - Attempted, Suspicious Incident / Person / Vehicle

Case #: 21-15306

During the course of an investigation, it was learned that the resident had two vehicles in which a suspect attempted to enter. The suspect was unsuccessful as both vehicles were locked. The suspect(s) identity is unknown at this time. This incident was witnessed by another resident. This incident is an ongoing investigation.

Incident Date & Time: 6/23/2021 9:58

Incident Location: 400 block of Central Ave.

Incident Type: Identity Theft

Case #: 21-15323

The manager of a business reported they were a victim of Identity Theft. Specifically, that an unknown actor(s) used their identity to make a fraudulent claim of unemployment in their name to the New Jersey Department of Labor. The victim reported no other suspicious activity. The victim they suffered no monetary loss.

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Incident Date & Time: 6/23/2021 17:03
Incident Location: 100 block of Central Ave.
Incident Type: Shoplifting
Case #: 21-15368

An employee of the 100 block of Central Avenue reports a shoplifting that occurred at its establishment. Caller reports that the unknown actor(s) entered the establishment and remove various items totaling approximately \$10,700.00. The suspects fled on foot and were later observed entering a black vehicle and leaving the area.

Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 5:10
Incident Location: 1300 block of Boulevard
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary
Case #: 21-15445

A resident of the 1300 block of Boulevard reported that on 6/24/2021 at 0510 hours an unknown suspect attempted to gain entry to multiple vehicles in this area. The resident's camera system captured an unknown suspect dressed in all black, accompanied by a white sedan as well as a grey sedan.

Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 5:14
Incident Location: 300 block of Belmar Pl.
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary
Case #: 21-15426

While Officers were conducting a canvass of the area for motor vehicle burglaries, they observed a black Porsche parked in a driveway of a residence that appeared to have been burglarized. Upon speaking with the owner of the vehicle, it was confirmed unlocked and that a Suspect(s) stole approximately \$40.00 in U.S. currency.

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Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 5:14

Incident Location: Falkner Dr. & Summit Ct.

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary - Attempted, Motor Vehicle - Theft - Attempted, Pursuit

Case #: 21-15415

An off duty officer observed a white sedan with a grey sedan with its occupants attempting to break into and or steal parked motor vehicles. Officer Riga responded to the area and located a white Audi with Pennsylvania registration on Moss Avenue. Officer Riga attempted to pull behind this vehicle when it took off at a high rate of speed and a pursuit was initiated when they were on the Boulevard traveling northbound. The suspect vehicle then made a right turn on to Clifton Street and a right turn on to Central Avenue. Officer Riga followed the vehicle into Clark when he terminated the pursuit when the vehicle went through the red traffic signal on Central Avenue and Raritan Road.

Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 5:16

Incident Location: Faulkner Dr.

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary - Attempted

Case #: 21-15434

A resident of Faulkner Driver reported that he observed through his security surveillance system a suspect wearing all black exits the white sedan and attempt to gain entry into his vehicle by pulling on the door handles. The vehicle was locked at the time of the attempt and the suspect did not gain entry.

Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 21:52

Incident Location: 300 block of Hazel Ave.

Incident Type: Suspicious Incident / Person / Vehicle

Case #: 21-15493

A resident from the 300 block of Hazel Avenue report that an unknown person or persons rang their doorbell, entered their rear yard and activated a toy belonging to the homeowner. The actor left the scene prior to Westfield PD arrival. Additionally a dark colored vehicle, possibly a Ford truck was seen driving slowly in the area around this time by the resident.

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Incident Date & Time: 6/24/2021 21:58
Incident Location: 400 block of Central Ave.
Incident Type: Theft, Theft of Services
Case #: 21-15498

An employee of a business on the 400 Block of Central Avenue reported that a green jeep pulled into the business and asked the attendant to fill his vehicle with gas, and that he would be paying in cash. Once the vehicle was completed being refueled, the driver then drove away without paying for the services he received. The driver of the vehicle was described as a white male, wearing a white shirt.

Incident Date & Time: 6/25/2021 13:08
Incident Location: 800 block of Central Ave.
Incident Type: Criminal Sexual Contact
Case #: 21-09813
Arrestee: Jayeshkum Patel, 63, Roselle Park

Jayeshkum Patel, age 61, of Roselle Park, was arrested at 425 East Broad Street where he was charged with criminal sexual contact, a crime of the fourth degree. He was processed and later released on a summons with a pending court date in Union County Superior Court.

Incident Date & Time: 6/25/2021 15:26
Incident Location: 300 block of West South Avenue
Incident Type: Criminal Mischief
Case #: 21-15551

A business owner on the 300 Block of W. South Avenue reported damage to a tamper seal on their oil storage tank. No oil appeared to have been stolen.

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Incident Date & Time: 6/25/2021 21:07

Incident Location: Municipal Lot #4

Incident Type: Criminal Mischief

Case #: 21-15580

The owner of a Telsa parked their vehicle in Municipal Lot #4 and received an alert on their phone that that alarm was activated. When they responded to the vehicle, they observed damage done to the driver side door. The vehicle's on board surveillance system shown two teenaged girls pushing their bicycle tires into the driver side door of the vehicle.

Incident Date & Time: 6/26/2021 3:58

Incident Location: 1700 block of Central Ave.

Incident Type: DUI, Unlawful Possession of a Handgun

Case #: 21-15620

Arrestee: Chealsy Castillo-Espinosa, 26, Carteret

Officers Natale, DiBella and Forcenito, arrested Chealsy Castillo-Espinosa for Driving Under the Influence and for Unlawful Possession of a Handgun Pursuant to an investigation regarding a motor vehicle stop on Central Avenue in Clark, NJ. Castillo-Espinosa was processed and transported to Essex County Jail.

Incident Date & Time: 6/26/2021 5:27

Incident Location: 900 block of Minisink Way

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary

Case #: 21-15631

A resident of the 900 Block of Minisink Way reported that on 6/26/2021 at approximately 0527 hours an unknown suspect attempted to gain entry to a locked Ford F-150 parked in the driveway. The suspect approached the residence, peered into windows and proceeded to the vehicle. The suspect was dressed in dark clothing with light colored gloves and fled to a white Audi Q52 before leaving the area northbound on Minisink Way. This incident was captured on the resident's security system cameras.

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