



CITY OF MUSKEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM



February 1st, 2019 – February 7th, 2019

Ice?! As in igloos, Eskimos, penguins, and ice?! Officers responded to over a dozen calls for service involving disabled vehicles primarily due to...you guessed it, ICE! Ice or snow, if you must drive, please be careful. Most of us think we are pretty skilled (myself included), but it turns out we most often end up looking like Happy Gilmore trying to skate as opposed to an Ice Road Trucker. Aside from slipping and sliding around, let's take a look at what else has happened last week.

February 1st:

- 1:27 a.m. – A 69 year old resident of the S7700 block of Overlook Bay Rd. called the police department to report that his residence had turned into a Noah's Ark Theme Park attraction, however due to not having the proper flotation devices handy, would prefer if DPW responded to turn off the water. Assistance was provided and a water restoration company contacted, I hope.
- 11:33 a.m. – A 61 year old resident of the S8000 block of Green St. called the department to report an unknown subject threatened to fill his computer with malware if he did not pay an undisclosed amount of bitcoin currency. For those of you who don't know, bitcoin is a type of digital currency that operates separately from a central banking institution. Not the brightest idea; scamming someone for something they don't even know exists. This scammer needs a new gig or to stop being a jerk altogether and get a real job.
- 12:41 p.m. – The DNR contacted the police department to report finding an abandoned and disabled snowmobile on Big Muskego Lake. Further investigation revealed the sled had been reported stolen through Cudahy Police Department. Served the thief right, stealing property that doesn't work. It's too bad the ice wasn't a little thinner that day when the sled quit working.
- 2:36 p.m. – A 35 year old resident of the W16600 block of Jacob Ct. was arrested for 2 active warrants they held through the Waukesha County Sheriff's Department, one for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked driver's license, the other for bail jumping.
- 5:07 p.m. – Apparently in Blaine, MN you're allowed to operate a motor vehicle with an open alcoholic beverage container inside...nahhh. The 53 year old was also cited for not possessing a valid driver's license. Probably a Vikings fan.
- 9:59 p.m. – An employee of a business located in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. reported two unruly subjects arguing inside the business. Contact was made with one party, a 49 year old West Allis resident who indicated there were no problems and the argument was verbal in nature.

February 2nd:

- 5:49 a.m. – Officers responded to the intersection of Denoon Rd. and Crowbar Dr. after a 24 year old Waterford resident hit Rudolph and Clarice. The vehicle sustained damage and the operator found himself on the naughty list.
- 8:30 a.m. – Officers responded to the W19000 block of Janesville Rd. for the report of a utility worker who struck a gas line with a shovel. CALL BEFORE YOU DIG!
- 11:14 a.m. – Officers responded to the parking lot of a business located in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. for the report of a 2 vehicle accident. No injuries were reported between the 83 year old Muskego resident and 76 year old Wind Lake resident.
- 2:27 p.m. – The asset protection manager for a business located in the S6500 block of Moorland Rd. called the department to report a retail theft.
- 2:36 p.m. – A 75 year old resident of the W13400 block of Fennimore Ct. called the department to report receiving a copy of a 1099-R form for an account they did not create. No financial loss occurred. Tis the season! Tax season that is, so make sure you are taking all necessary precautions to protect your identity and assets this year.

- 4:31 p.m. – Two residents of the S7800 block of Overlook Bay Rd. called to report that on two separate occasions, an unknown subject opened their front door, however did not make entry. This could be a case of not so nice people casing the area for potential burglary victims...or just the contraction of a doorframe due to frigid temperatures and the latch not catching. Either way, best practice is to always lock up!
- 6:58 p.m. – A 31 year old resident of the W13200 block of Saroyan Rd. called the department to report that their “boyfriend” had been watching their residence while they were on vacation with family, and a neighbor had reported seeing the “boyfriend” removing property from said residence. Turns out the “boyfriend”, a known drug user, may have also stolen \$1,700 from the residence. Trustworthiness must not have been high on the dating priority list.
- 10:08 p.m. – A chimney fire was reported at a residence in the S7800 block of Kristin Ct. Officers and Tess Corners Fire Department responded and the fire was extinguished.
- 11:48 p.m. – A third party caller contacted the police department to report an altercation occurred between their granddaughter, an 18 year old Muskego resident, and her boyfriend, an 18 year old Hales Corners resident. Investigation revealed the altercation was verbal in nature. Ahhh, young love.

February 3rd:

- 12:28 a.m. – A 53 year old Hales Corners resident was arrested for OWI – 4th Offense, near the intersection of Country View Ct. and North Cape Rd. 4th time wasn’t the charm either.
- 9:02 a.m. – A 16 year old New Berlin resident who had been reported as missing the prior day, was located at a residence located in the W14900 block of Koso Dr.
- 9:42 p.m. – A 61 year old resident of the S8300 block of Hillendale Dr. reported their juvenile daughter was receiving threatening messages via Facebook.
- 10:55 p.m. – A 58 year old resident of the W19900 block of North Shore Dr. was arrested after a domestic violence incident that occurred at their residence involving a 61 year old family member. This is what happens when you never move out. I might still be flushing my sister’s jewelry down the toilet and spraying her with Lysol had we not gone to college, gotten jobs, and moved into our own homes.

February 4th:

- 8:02 a.m. – A 40 year old West Allis resident was arrested near the intersection of Sandalwood Dr. and Janesville Rd. for 3 active warrants he held through the Milwaukee County Sheriff’s Department for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked driver’s license and a sex offender registration violation.
- 6:10 p.m. – A 51 year old Milwaukee resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked license and no insurance for said vehicle near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Tans Dr.
- 9:51 p.m. – A 22 year old Muskego resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with an expired driver’s license and no insurance for said vehicle near the intersection of Lannon Dr. and Woods Rd.

February 5th:

- 7:54 a.m. – Officers responded to the area near the intersection of Denoon Rd. and Racine Ave. to assist the Racine County Sheriff’s Department with a vehicular accident.
- 1:34 p.m. – Officers responded to the library for the report of a vehicle parked on the sidewalk. Contact was made with the 92 year old Muskego resident who indicated there were no more handicap stalls available. The vehicle was removed from the sidewalk and parking assistance was provided.
- 3:50 p.m. – An 89 year old resident of the S8500 block of Manor Dr. called the police department to report being the attempted victim of a scam. The complainant indicated the scammer requested credit card information in order to reward them with a gift card the complainant had won. Yeah...because that makes sense, nice try.

- 3:58 p.m. – A 37 year old resident of the W16900 block of Gregory Dr. called the police department to report being harassed by another 37 year old Muskego resident.
- 6:35 p.m. – Officers responded to the intersection of Moorland Rd. and Small Rd. to assist the New Berlin Police Department with a vehicular accident.
- 7:46 p.m. – An anonymous complainant called the police department to report being followed home by a suspicious vehicle. The operator of the suspicious vehicle then offered to provide them with transportation the following day due to inclement weather. Contact was made with the 58 year old Muskego resident who advised the complainant was operating on the wrong side of the road. Best practice is not to follow anyone home. It's creepy and you never know who is driving the other vehicle and how they are going to react. Call us instead ;)
- 10:41 p.m. – A 38 year old Milwaukee resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked driver's license near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Pioneer Dr.

February 6th:

- 6:11 a.m. – A 19 year old Union Grove resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a suspended driver's license near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Kelsey Dr.
- 11:07 a.m. – Officers responded to the parking lot of a business that provides caffeinated beverages located in the W15000 block of Janesville Rd. for the report of a 2 vehicle accident. No injuries were reported between the 26 year old Muskego resident and 77 year old Waukesha resident. Hopefully they didn't spill their coffee!
- 1:01 p.m. – Officers responded to the approximate S8200 block of Mercury Dr. for the report of a 2 vehicle accident. No injuries were reported between a city worker and a 28 year old Muskego resident.
- 1:17 p.m. – A 21 year old West Allis resident and employee of a business located in the W12900 block of McShane Dr., reported their credit cards were stolen while at work.
- 1:23 p.m. – A 63 year old Waterford resident and employee of a business located in the S8200 block of Mercury Dr. called the police department to report being harassed by an 92 year old Muskego resident. Contact was made with the 92 year old who was advised to desist. It may be noted; this is the same 92 year old resident that parked on the sidewalk at the Library...she's a feisty one!
- 1:34 p.m. – A 44 year old Muskego resident called the police department to report receiving "annoying" phone calls at their place of employment, a business located in the W16800 block of Janesville Rd., from a 42 year old Muskego resident. Investigation revealed the 42 year old believed they were owed money. This is a civil manner.
- 11:04 p.m. – A 16 year old resident of the S7700 block of Nursery Ct. called the police department to report suspicious activity at a neighboring residence. The area was checked and the complaint unfounded.

February 7th:

- 1:11 a.m. – Officers responded to the Town of Vernon to assist Waukesha County Sheriff's Deputies with a domestic altercation.
- 6:29 a.m. – WE Energies was contacted after reports were received of a tree on electrical wires near the intersection of STH36 and Thode Dr.
- 7:27 a.m. – A 32 year old Milwaukee resident was cited for failing to maintain control of his vehicle after causing a head-on collision near the intersection of North Cape Rd. and Boxhorn Dr. The cited driver was transported to a nearby hospital along with 2 other individuals for non-life threatening injuries.
- 10:22 a.m. – Officers responded to a business located in the S7800 block of Pioneer Dr. for an alarm sounding. Investigation revealed the alarm may have been triggered in error by a parcel deliverer.
- 3:20 p.m. – A 19 year old Muskego resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked driver's license near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Bayshore Dr.
- 7:13 p.m. – A 40 year old resident of the W15900 block of Woods Rd. was arrested following a domestic altercation that occurred at their residence.

- 9:19 p.m. – A 33 year old resident of the S7000 block of Cornell Circle was arrested following a domestic altercation that occurred at their residence. The subject was also arrested on charges of bail jumping.
- 9:22 p.m. – A 38 year old Racine resident was arrested for OWI – 1st Offense after failing to stop for a stop sign and disobeying an officer on traffic control at the intersection of STH36 and US45. (All the traffic control lights went out at this intersection for an extended period of time. Talk about a cluster!)
- 10:55 p.m. – A 39 year old Muskego resident called the police department to report being harassed by their ex, a 30 year old Milwaukee resident who was contacting the complainant's family members. There were too many incidents involving harassment and domestic altercations this week. Let's try and be nicer to one another this week...not just for Pete's sake, but for everyone's!

Last week, the following traffic contacts were made:

Citations: 24

Written Warnings: 2

As always, if you have information on these or any other incidents, contact the Muskego Police Department at (262)679-4130.

*****NOTICE*****

Thanks for your patience and understanding, Muskego! Last week's newsletter is being released a tad late due to me being in the Dells this past weekend for a state wide conference/competition that our cadets participated in. We took off around 5 p.m. last Thursday and brought home some hardware on Sunday afternoon! Overall, we are very proud of our cadets who placed in two separate categories. I might add, it was the first competition for 3 out of the 4 team members. They put in countless hours of preparation, so it was great to see them be rewarded for their efforts. If you or someone you know is interested in joining our cadet program or would simply like to know what being a cadet is all about, feel free to contact me for more information. You must be between the ages of 14-20 to join.

Until next time, be safe, be smart, and you stay classy, Muskego.

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