



## CITY OF MUSKEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM



March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 – March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Let's play ball! The Brew Crew seemingly picked up right from where they left off last season; Yelich smashin' bombs to center, Lorenzo Cain robbing home runs/diving for pop flies, and more importantly beatin' the NL Central rival red birds on Opening Day (which was above 30 degrees for the first time in a long time I may add)! It's a great time of year for sports fans between March Madness and another new beginning of America's pastime, plus spring is finally in the air, and better yet, it's Friday! Order your fish fry, grab an old fashioned, and let's go over the last week in Muskego.

### March 22<sup>nd</sup>:

- 3:55 a.m. – A 41 year old Franklin resident was arrested for OWI – 1<sup>st</sup> Offense near the intersection of College Ave. and Regency Court. Officers initially stopped out with the vehicle after it was reported as suspicious due to it sitting/running in the same place with the interior dome light on for an extended period of time. For the record, if you're going to break the law (which we don't appreciate) we do appreciate you drawing attention to yourself while doing so. It makes our jobs easier ☺
- 7:05 a.m. – A 75 year old Big Bend resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle hazardously after causing a 2 vehicle accident near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Martin Dr. Minor injuries were reported.
- 9:54 a.m. – A 28 year old resident of the S6700 block of Jewel Crest Dr. dialed 9-1-1 to report a sickly raccoon at a neighboring residence. Officers responded and the raccoon was sent to the big garbage can in the sky. The caller was advised reference the proper use of 9-1-1, a.k.a. emergencies.
- 10:51 a.m. – Officers responded to the W14400 block of Groveway Lane for the report of a suspicious vehicle that has been seen parked along the roadway during times children are entering or exiting their school bus. Upon arrival, the vehicle was unable to be located and there were discrepancies related to the color, make, and model of the vehicle. When possible, please obtain a license plate as well to assist in identifying these creeper cars.
- 3:36 p.m. – A 64 year old Muskego resident called the police department to report being involved in a road rage incident near the S7800 block of Racine Ave. Contact was made with the operator of the suspect vehicle, who lo and behold also claimed to be the victim in this case. Both parties were advised reference their behavior. It always takes two!
- 5:02 p.m. – A 65 year old Pewaukee resident was cited for illegally passing a school bus near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Pioneer Dr.
- 5:36 p.m. – A 66 year old resident of the W16200 block of Woods Rd. reported finding bullet holes in his garage door. Officers responded and confirmed that a projectile had in fact penetrated the interior of the residence. Investigation continuing.

#### March 23<sup>rd</sup>:

- 12:17 a.m. – A 63 year old resident of the W14700 block of Loomis Dr. reported a now ex-girlfriend was posting his personal information on a social media website. Officers responded and the complainant was counseled on his options. One word of advice: post-marriage, not “making it Facebook official”, is probably a good bench mark in the relationship for disclosing such information.
- 2:27 a.m. – A 31 year old Milwaukee resident was arrested for an active warrant held through the Greendale Police Department for failing to pay for a no vehicular insurance citation. The arrest occurred near the intersection of Lions Park Dr. and Janesville Rd. The arrestee signed off on a personal recognizance bond note and was released on scene. Whether they show up for court is TBD.
- 2:30 p.m. – 62 and 26 year old residents of the S6500 block of Lawndale Place were arrested for warrants issued by probation and parole due to violations committed following a drug related medical emergency/arrest of another 24 year old resident of the same address.
- 5:26 p.m. – A 16 year old Wind Lake resident was cited for failing to yield to an emergency vehicle in the S10800 block of Racine Ave.
- 5:32 p.m. – A 45 year old Greenfield resident called the police department to report that their vehicle was struck by the suspect vehicle which subsequently left the scene without notifying the complainant, the classic hit and run. The churlish crime occurred in the W15100 block of Cornell Circle.
- 7:40 p.m. – Fireworks were reportedly seen in the vicinity of the W14400 block of Belmont Dr. Officers responded to the area, however the way-to-early Independence Day enthusiast was not located. By the way, you need a permit for those!

#### March 24<sup>th</sup>:

- 2:15 p.m. – 3 female juvenile subjects reported being asked if they would like ice cream from a male subject seated in a dark colored van. The van reportedly wore a bumper sticker reading “Gut Wheeler”. The suspicious ice cream offer occurred in the parking lot of a business located in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. I have two words: 1. Stranger 2. Danger.
- 2:52 p.m. – Officers responded to a business located in the W17000 block of Janesville Rd. for the report of a 24 year old employee who received threats from customers. The investigation is continuing.
- 4:25 p.m. – A 17 year old Wind Lake resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle without a valid driver’s license near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Cardinal Dr.
- 8:04 p.m. – A 69 year old Muskego resident was arrested for OWI – 1<sup>st</sup> Offense in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. The arrestee was reported as intoxicated by an employee of a neighboring business. Boo too much of a good thing, hooray moderation!

#### March 25<sup>th</sup>:

- 11:52 a.m. – A 21 year old resident of the S6700 block of Sherwood Circle reported a 24 year old South Milwaukee resident had created a fake Facebook page in their name, without their consent. Contact was made with the fake page creator who indicated the page had already been removed and would desist contact with the complainant.
- 11:53 a.m. – A 43 year old Lake Geneva resident had their vehicle repossessed in the S6400 block of Whittier Terrace.
- 3:54 p.m. – An employee of a business located in the S6600 block of Commerce Dr. reported multiple counts of check fraud.
- 4:21 p.m. – Juveniles playing near the now closed Muskego Elementary were called in as reportedly trying to enter the building. Officers responded and made contact with the yoots who were attempting to retrieve a ball that had been kicked on to the roof. The juveniles as well as their parents were advised reference the complaint and obvious safety issues of scaling a two story building.

- 4:48 p.m. – A 47 year old Muskego resident was arrested for disorderly conduct following an incident that occurred in the S8000 block of North Cape Rd.
- 7:47 p.m. – Officers responded to the intersection of Woods Rd. and Kurtze Ln. following a car vs. deer accident. The car won and the 15 year old operator gained more driving experience than anticipated while out practicing with their father.
- 8:14 p.m. – A 16 year old was transported to a nearby hospital for non-life threatening injuries following a single vehicle accident that occurred in the S8400 block of Woods Rd.

#### March 26<sup>th</sup>:

- 5:42 a.m. – The police department received a U/I complaint that a vehicle was operating recklessly at a high rate of speed, almost striking mailboxes on Golden Country Dr. Contact was made with the newspaper carrier who was advised of the complaint as well as their efficiency in newspaper delivery.
- 3:14 p.m. – A 28 year old Wauwatosa resident reported damage to his storage unit that appeared to be caused by an arrow. Officers responded to the W19500 block of Tans Dr. to observe the damage. Investigation is continuing.
- 4:05 p.m. – A 65 year old owner of a business located in the W16800 block of Janesville Rd. reported being the victim of the “pay us an astronomical amount of money for ‘unpaid’ energy bills or we’ll turn your energy off” scam.
- 5:25 p.m. – A 39 year old Muskego resident reported being harassed by a 37 year old resident of the W16900 block of Gregory Drive.
- 8:37 p.m. – A 29 year old resident of the W18900 block of Lions Park Dr. reported suspicious activity at the nearby park. Officers responded to the park, which was vacated, however severely vandalized and littered with evidence of drug use. This is why we can’t have nice things.
- 9:23 p.m. – A 50 year old construction employee working at a business located near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Lannon Dr. reported being asked if he “likes to party” by an unknown passerby. The complainant believed the passerby to be intoxicated, which was not a good thing considering the passerby was also operating a motor vehicle. Officers checked the area, but were unable to locate the mysteriously lonely fiesta inquirer.
- 11:53 p.m. – Officers responded back to the park located in the W18900 block of Lions Park Dr. after receiving reports that more suspicious activity was underway. Officers made contact with a 16 year old Muskego resident who was later cited for being out past curfew, being in a park past hours, and possession of tobacco products and a vape. Officers also made contact with a 17 year old Muskego resident who was arrested for possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia. The 17 year old was also cited for being in the park past hours. It was undetermined as to whether or not the two subjects were the vandals from the previous incident, but I’ll let you all decide for yourselves.

#### March 27<sup>th</sup>:

- 7:54 a.m. - A 47 year old resident of the W14400 block of Easy St. called the police department to report junk vehicles (wait for it)...on his own property. Apparently this was an effort to rid himself of some of his own children’s vehicles; however the compliance orders are issued to the property owner, not the vehicle owners. We won’t tell his kids that though...unless they’re reading this, in which case help your old man out!
- 8:38 a.m. – A 50 year old Hales Corners resident apparently no longer wanted the bumper and license plate for their vehicle as they left it in the S8100 block of Racine Ave., where it was found. Arrangements were made for the bumper and plate to be returned because yes, you’re going to need those.
- 5:34 p.m. – A 23 year old Oshkosh resident was cited for having window tint on their vehicle that was too dark. The traffic stop occurred near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Moorland Rd.



\*\*\*\*\*DOGS IN PARKS\*\*\*\*\*

Well, the weather is finally warming up and you four legged citizens of Muskego are taking full advantage, as you should be! You've been waiting for months now to be able to go outside and not have to wear those ridiculously embarrassing booties your owner makes you wear that cause you to walk like you're a galloping Budweiser Clydesdale. When you take your humans for walks, however please be mindful of a few things: Make sure your human picks up after you. I know you're letting everyone know that the fire hydrant on the corner is now yours or you would've gone earlier, but you just didn't have to at the time. You'd probably even pick it up yourself, but I know...the whole opposable thumbs thing. Don't leave the house without bags or the pooper-scooper, thanks! Next, there are parks where you're allowed off the leash to roam freely as you please, but no such park exists in Muskego. So, when you're in Muskego parks, you have to stay on designated paths, even if the squirrel doesn't follow the same rules. I understand the collars are uncomfortable and you hate argyle, but not everyone loves dogs, plus it makes tracking your #2 a little easier. Your leash must be no longer than 6 feet in length, but since you have no experience in length or measurement, that's about as long as your human is tall...the one with fur on his face. If you don't have one with fur on their face, reference the evil box carrier in the brown truck that gets super close to coming in your house but never does. Here at the police department, we love you. Heck, we even have one of you working for us, and his name is Sirius, but to avoid being called a bad boy or girl and your human being given a piece of white paper please follow the rules and be courteous of our neighboring citizens, two and four legged. Now who wants a treat?

\*\*\*\*\*COFFEE\*\*\*\*\*

...with a cop is coming to the Muskego Starbucks on Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup>! We would love for you to join us between 5-7p.m. No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns, and get to know the officers in your neighborhood! Here at the department, we are all about community policing and we'd love to get to know the citizens we serve on a more personal basis. I'll be there along with Chief Rens and other officers. So, come in for your Grande skinny boy decaf latte (hold the foam) and stay for the conversation!

Thanks for reading, have a good weekend and you stay classy, Muskego!

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