



## CITY OF MUSKEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM



April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 – April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Now where did I put those eggs? Coming at you a day early this week, Muskego! In observance of Good Friday, I will not be at work tomorrow, and therefore this week's newsletter will be a day short. Have no fear; Thursday's events will be added to next week's edition, so you won't miss out on any of the fun. Giannis and the Bucks are taking care of business, Christian Yelich tortured Cardinal fans, Notre Dame caught fire, and the Mueller report is out! I just hope Quasimodo made it out alive. April 18<sup>th</sup> marks the date of Paul Revere's Midnight Ride – 1775, the San Francisco Earthquake/Fire – 1906, the first game played at the old Yankee Stadium – 1923, and the death of Albert Einstein – 1955. Let's cover history made in Muskego this past week, shall we?

### April 12<sup>th</sup>:

- 3:32 a.m. – Officers responded down to the dump for reports of a fire...again. It was the methane run-off flame...again. But, hey! Better safe than sorry!
- 9:52 a.m. – A 47 year old resident of the W19800 block of Simandl Dr. called the police department to report being contacted by a "debt collector" attempting to collect fictitious debts.
- 1:45 p.m. – A 37 year old Greenfield resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a revoked driver's license (OAR) near the intersection of Moorland Rd. and Princeton Dr.
- 8:16 p.m. – A 23 year old Brookfield resident was cited for littering near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Sandalwood Dr. If we see it, you're getting' stopped!
- 10:32 p.m. – A 44 year old resident of the W18200 block of Lions Park Dr. called the police department to request the welfare be checked of his 48 year old girlfriend after having a verbal altercation with her earlier in the evening. Contact was made with both parties in the complainant's driveway. The girlfriend was provided an escort back to her residence.
- 11:13 p.m. – A 62 year old resident of the S8400 block of Bending Brae Dr. was cited for operating a motor vehicle hazardously near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Ancient Oaks Dr.

### April 13<sup>th</sup>:

- 12:23 a.m. – A 26 year old Waukesha resident was cited for OAR and an ignition interlock device (IID) violation near the intersection of Moorland Rd. and Sandalwood Dr.
- 12:24 a.m. – A 15 year old resident of the W14900 block of Koso Dr. was cited for operating without a driver's license in the parking lot of a business located in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. The yoot and his friends were turned over to their parents. I'm guessing it was a long, boring/chore-filled weekend.
- 12:43 a.m. – A 33 year old Wind Lake resident was cited for expired registration and no vehicular insurance in the W14000 block of Loomis Rd.
- 1:01 a.m. – A 19 year old Greenfield resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with an expired driver's license near the intersection of Racine Ave. and College Ave.
- 1:53 a.m. - A 17 year old resident of the W12400 block of Emerson Dr. was arrested for possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Ancient Oaks Dr.
- 10:29 a.m. – A 34 year old Waukesha resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle with a suspended driver's license (OAS) near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Pioneer Dr.
- 2:03 p.m. – A 46 year old resident of the S9300 block of Racine Ave was cited for a suspended vehicle registration violation near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Pioneer Dr. During the traffic stop, the operator became agitated with officers and had to be detained in handcuffs. The

subject was ultimately arrested for disobedience to an officer instead of driving away with a traffic ticket.

- 4:59 p.m. – An 18 year old resident of the W13600 block of Tess Corners Dr. was cited for a driver's license violation in the S6800 block of Moorland Rd.
- 5:30 p.m. – A 38 year old resident of the S6300 block of Shagbark Lane called the police department to report damage to a ditch line near their residence. Investigation revealed the damage had been caused by a vehicle called in as disabled that lead to an OWI arrest from 04/08/2019. Better late than never, I suppose!
- 7:12 p.m. – A 62 year old Milwaukee resident was taken into custody for an active warrant held through the Greenfield Police Department for inattentive driving. The arrestee signed a personal recognizance bond and was released on scene. The arrest took place in the parking lot of a business located in the S6500 block of Moorland Rd.

#### April 14<sup>th</sup>:

- 1:19 a.m. – A 26 year old New Berlin resident was cited for OAS near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Martin Dr.
- 1:48 a.m. – A 25 year old Wind Lake resident was arrested for possession of a controlled substance following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of Tess Corners Dr. and Hale Park Dr.
- 3:22 a.m. – Officers responded to a residence located in the W17500 block of Scenic Dr. for the report of a domestic altercation. Investigation revealed the altercation was verbal in nature. Both parties agreed to separate for the evening.
- 3:57 a.m. – Officers stopped out at a residence located in the S8000 block of Lannon Dr. after observing two female juveniles exit a vehicle and run around to the back of the residence. Contact was made with the juveniles' parents who were unaware that their daughters had snuck out for the evening/early morning. We let the parents handle this one. So close!
- 10:54 a.m. - 11:43 – The police department received four complaints of mailbox damage occurring on Lawndale Place and Woods Rd. The damage appears to be caused by an object other than a vehicle. Any assistance in apprehending the serial mailbox hater would be greatly appreciated!
- 5:08 p.m. – A 49 year old resident of the W18200 block of Janesville Rd. was taken into custody for an active warrant she held through the Waukesha County Sheriff's Department. The arrest occurred at the arrestee's residence.
- 11:57 p.m. – A 21 year old Franksville resident was arrested for OWI – 1<sup>st</sup> Offense after officers happened upon his vehicle stuck in a ditch near the intersection of Muskego Dam Dr. and Kelsey Dr. That intersection is a tricky one when you've had a few too many. Next time call an Uber!

#### April 15<sup>th</sup>:

- 3:18 a.m. – A 28 year old Kenosha resident was cited for OAS near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Poes Place.
- 8:34 a.m. – Officer Diedrich and K9 Sirius conducted a regulatory drug search of Lake Denoon Middle School that yielded 0 alerts! Way to be drug free, guys and gals!
- 6:38 p.m. – Officers responded to a business located in the S6500 block of Moorland Rd. for the report of suspicious activity. Contact was made with a father and daughter who were having a disagreement reference the daughter refusing to hold dad's hand. They grow up so fast.
- 7:44 p.m. – A white Pomeranian wandered into the garage of a resident of the W14800 block of Loomis Dr. The hitchhiking pooch was transported to our kennel at DPW and later picked up by HAWS. Hope you find your home buddy!
- 10:15 p.m. – A 16 year old New Berlin resident reported being followed while inside the Muskego city limits by a black sedan. The complainant believed the operator of the suspect vehicle also damaged hers while she was inside a business located in the W18800 block of Janesville Rd. Contact was made with the suspect operator who admitted driving the vehicle, however denied following and damaging the complainant's vehicle. That business has pretty decent cameras...investigation continuing.

April 16<sup>th</sup>:

- 1:39 a.m. – A 27 year old Hales Corners resident was cited for OAS and given a warning for failure to yield near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Kipling Dr.
- 7:15 a.m. – Officers responded to the area near the intersection of Loomis Ct. and North Cape Rd. for the report of a large amount of rebar in the roadway. Surprisingly it was still there upon officers' arrival. The Department of Public Works also responded and removed the rebar from the roadway.
- 8:26 a.m. – Officer Diedrich and K9 Sirius conducted a regulatory drug search of Muskego High School that yielded 0 alerts. Again, nice job, guys and gals!
- 9:50 a.m. – A 73 year old resident of the S8500 block of Woods Rd. responded to the police department to report being the victim of fraud.
- 2:08 p.m. – Officers reported graffiti/vandalism in the W13600 block of Fleetwood Rd.
- 4:43 p.m. – A sick raccoon was put out of its misery in the W16100 block of Edith Ct.
- 6:28 p.m. – A 60 year old resident called the police department to report having trouble obtaining keys to his business from an ex-employee. Assistance was provided. Not the best way to get a reference letter.
- Did anyone wear their pajamas on *National Wear Pajamas to Work Day*? I did not. Probably would have been hard to hold up the holster had I known.

April 17<sup>th</sup>:

- 12:24 a.m. – A 33 year old West Allis resident was cited for OAS in the W19400 block of Tans Dr.
- 12:57 a.m. – A 47 year old resident of the W16900 block of Gregory Dr. was arrested for a temporary restraining order violation. The arrest occurred at his residence.
- 9:02 a.m. – A 75 year old resident of the W19800 block of Woods Rd. reported damage to his mailbox.
- 9:11 a.m. – A German Shepherd was found taking a walk without its owner in the W18400 block of Martin Dr. Contact was made with the four-legged explorer who was returned to its residence and a very relieved nanny.
- 10:37 a.m. – A 58 year old Wind Lake resident was attempting to hitchhike home after his car broke down near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Pioneer. A ride was provided.
- 1:38 p.m. – The asset protection manager of a business called the police department to report theft of a backpack and baby formula on 04/12/19. A 27 year old Milwaukee resident is a potential suspect at this time.
- 3:00 p.m. – Gunshots were heard by a resident in the W19400 block of Deback Dr. The area was checked. No problems were observed. It is turkey season...in Wisconsin...out in the country.
- 8:49 p.m. – Another hitchhiker, this time near the intersection of Loomis Rd. and US 45, was called in by a passerby. A 20 year old Milwaukee resident was escorted to a nearby Walgreen's. Might as well paint the squads yellow this week!

During the past week, the following traffic contacts were made:

Citations:

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Written Warnings:

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

\*\*\*\*\*HUNTING REMINDER\*\*\*\*\*

With the spring turkey season underway, the Muskego Police Department would like to wish all those participating, a safe and successful hunt. Having said that, Muskego is a shotgun-only city, meaning the use of all other firearms including but not limited to handguns, rifles, bazookas, grenade launchers, etc. is prohibited. On a side note, if you happen to find a recipe that makes the otherwise detestable tasting bird testable, let me know. I like my turkey wrapped in plastic labeled butterball. Better yet, if you're looking for feedback on wild turkey recipes, I'd be more than willing to provide you with my opinion. A few things to remember: the firing of shotguns is permitted only upon private premises by persons who are over 14 years of age or are under direct personal supervision of a parent or guardian. The transporting or discharging of shotguns is limited to the hunting seasons and regulations as provided by the Department of Natural Resources of the State of Wisconsin on land that is owned or rented, or with the landowner's or renter's consent, or on lands open to the public for hunting, as well as open bodies of water, provided that no shot shall be caused to be propelled into an area of habitable buildings or building and provided that no shotgun shall be discharged on the shoreline or within posted areas on Little Muskego Lake. Shotgun use is also permissible to any person owning or renting land in the city who raises crops from such land and operates the same for farm purposes or any person who is under his/her direct supervision and control, for the purposes of destroying birds and animals doing damage to his/her crops or for the control of rodents, but in no case closer than 300 feet to any federal, state or county highway or City street or park, church, municipal or school grounds, or any other private dwellings, and last but not least, on his/her own property or with the consent of an owner thereof, discharge a shotgun provided he is more than 300 feet from any dwelling; federal, state, county, or City highway; or park, church, or municipal or school property. Below is the link to the city hunting/firearms informational map.

[https://www.cityofmuskego.org/DocumentCenter/View/6065/hunting2018\\_Small?bidId](https://www.cityofmuskego.org/DocumentCenter/View/6065/hunting2018_Small?bidId)

Now, go find those eggs! Thanks for reading and have a Happy Easter, Muskego!

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MUSKEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT (262) 679-4130  
IN AN EMERGENCY DIAL 911

[www.cityofmuskego.org/policedepartment](http://www.cityofmuskego.org/policedepartment)