

NGPD Police Blotter for week of 2/19/23 to 2/25/23

EMS calls, Burglar Alarms, Fire Alarms, Department Details, Investigation Follow Ups, Hazardous Situations, Vehicle Lock Outs, Animal Problems not resulting in injury, and Property Damage Auto Accidents/Traffic Stops not resulting in an arrest are excluded from this list.

2/19/23

7:15 AM- **Citizen Assist**- At the station. A citizen wished to speak to an officer about property that was lost at Cumberland Farms. *Sergeant Deeb*

9:31 AM- **Larceny**- At WellNow North. Caller was a patient that had accidentally left their property at the facility the prior day but it was not there when they returned to look for it. Through investigation, it was determined that another patient had mistakenly taken it. The other patient met with officers and turned it in. *Officers Valenti, Catlin, and Sergeant Deeb*

11:02 AM- **Fraud**- At the station. A resident wished to speak to an officer about being the victim of a catfishing scam. The victim had given the fraudster about \$48,000 over the course of 8 months before discovering that they were not who they claimed to be. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Deeb*

12:52 PM- **Arrest**- Sean Stanley, of Albany, was taken into custody outside of Home Depot during an investigation into a welfare check. Staff reported two individuals that appeared to have passed out in a vehicle. Officers found a male and female asleep in the car but were able to waken them with minimal effort. After some discussion, it was learned that Stanley had an active warrant out of Albany City. He was taken into custody and turned over to APD. The female was found to have an active warrant out of Catskill. State Police responded and took her into custody on that warrant. Neither party was charged with anything additional and will not have to appear in this court. *Officers Valenti, Catlin, and Sergeant Deeb*

2:53 PM- **Unwanted Guest**- In the 100 block of Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported people in their home that they didn't want there. Caller was not at the residence but received word from an alert neighbor that the people, with whom the caller was acquainted, had gone into the residence without his permission. Officers located the subjects and advised them to leave, which had been done at this residence with these subjects before. *Officer Fleming*

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5:34 AM- **Welfare Check**- On Sagendorf Ln. Caller requested a welfare check on a family member who had made concerning statements via text message. Officers spoke to the subject and another member of the household. The subject denied making the statements or having any ideations of hurting themselves or others. *Sergeant Peasley and Officer Gray*

9:00 AM- **Welfare Check**- At Vanderheyden. Caller reported that a student had been restrained by staff the prior evening and caller requested an officer check to make sure the student had not been injured. Officer met with the student and found no new or unexplained injuries. *Officer Giddings*

3:37 PM- **Larceny**- At Home Depot. Staff reported a theft that had occurred a few days prior. Thieves stole \$6,581 in merchandise. Investigation ongoing. *Detective Walsh*

4:32 PM- **Reckless Driver**- On State Route 43. Caller reported two vehicles racing at a high rate of speed coming off of I-90. Officer located one of the vehicles in the Wash Boss parking lot and advised them. *Officer Peasley*

8:56 PM- **Missing Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported two students that had left campus without permission. Officers checked the area but could not locate them. They voluntarily returned shortly after. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Orosz*

9:27 PM- **Arrest**- George Robbins, of Troy, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on Main Ave. when it was discovered that he was not licensed and had a suspended I.D. He was also found to have an active warrant for his arrest from NYSP for possession of dangerous drugs. He was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3rd degree, a misdemeanor, Unlicensed Operation, and Uninspected Motor Vehicle, both infractions. He was turned over to NYSP on their warrant and is due back in North Greenbush Town Court at a later date. *Officer Orosz and Sergeant Bourdeau*

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12:01 AM- **Welfare Check**- Williams Rd. at Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported a male walking and didn't appear to be dressed appropriately for the elements. Officers checked the area but did not locate him. *Officer Giddings and Sergeant Peasley*

5:14 AM- **Loud Noise**- In the Eagle Rock Apartments. Caller requested an officer speak to their neighbor about a consistent noise all night long. Officers were unable to make contact with the tenants in question or management. *Officer Giddings and Sergeant Peasley*

10:02 AM- **Suspicious Person**- On Mayfair Rd. Caller reported a subject they didn't know that was outside their home taking pictures of the caller's vehicle. Officer determined it was an adjuster from the caller's insurance company. *Sergeant Deeb*

10:59 AM- **Animal Problem**- At the station. The Dog Warden reported a possible animal abuse/neglect investigation he was working on. Investigation ongoing. *Detective Walsh*

11:06 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported a student that was in crisis and threatening to harm themselves. Officers were able to calm the student down and transported them to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Officers Gervais, Catlin, and Valenti*

11:30 AM- **Investigation**- At the station. LaSalle Institute staff reported a student that had made concerning statements about harming a fellow student and themselves. The student was from another jurisdiction and that agency was notified. It was confirmed that family had already brought the student to the hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Officers Catlin and Valenti*

2:19 PM- **Arrest**- Celinda Shaw, of Troy, was taken into custody in the parking lot of Hannaford following a complaint that she and an accomplice had shoplifted \$273.43 in merchandise. Both were located in their vehicle before they had a chance to flee and were taken into custody. Shaw was charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor, and released to return to court at a later date. *Officers Gervais, Catlin, Valenti, and Sergeant Deeb*

2:19 PM- **Arrest**- Samanda Shaw, of Bronx, was the accomplice with Celinda Shaw. She was also charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor, and released to return to court at a later date. *Officers Gervais, Catlin, Valenti, and Sergeant Deeb*

3:42 PM- **Investigation**- In the 4000 block of State Route 43. Caller wished to speak to an officer about a situation involving their child. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Gray*

4:12 PM- **Arrest**- Joseph Felitti, of Troy, was taken into custody on a Probation Warrant. The warrant was issued for failure to comply with the conditions of his sentence. He was arraigned at North Greenbush Town Court and remanded to Rensselaer County Jail pending his next hearing date. *Officers Orosz and Fleming*

11:19 PM- **Domestic Dispute**- In the 500 block of Church St. *Officer Giddings and Sergeant Peasley*

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3:04 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- In the Partridge Hill Apartments. Caller reported a family member who was not acting normally. Officers met with the subject and determined they were in crisis. Officers brought the subject to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. NYSP, EGPD, and SPD assisted. *Sergeant Peasley and Officer Giddings*

7:49 AM- **Citizen Assist**- On Haywood Ln. Caller states they received notification that a package was delivered but can see on their camera that it never was. *Officers Valenti and Catlin*

1:37 PM- **Citizen Assist**- At ShopRite. Caller wished to speak to an officer about someone spraying silly string all over their vehicle. No damage was observed. *Officers Valenti and Catlin*

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6:45 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- On North Greenbush Rd. Caller reported a family member that was in crisis and claimed they were on their way to the hospital for treatment. Caller wished for an officer to locate them and confirm that was happening. Officers didn't

locate the subject driving but dispatch confirmed with a facility that the subject had checked themselves in. *Officers Gervais and Giddings*

10:21 AM- **Reckless Driver**- In the Twin Town parking lot. Caller reported a vehicle driving recklessly through the snow. Officers located the vehicle and advised the driver. *Officers Catlin and Gervais*

2:30 PM- **Larceny**- At Home Depot. Staff reported two females that were actively attempting to force their way into a display case inside the store. Staff intercepted the females prior to officers arriving and the females had not left the store with any merchandise. They were advised not to return to any Home Depot location. EGPD assisted. *Officers Catlin and Gervais*

5:50 PM- **Neighbor Dispute**- At the Partridge Hill Apartments. Caller reported that their neighbor was banging on their door and yelling at them. Officers spoke to all parties and determined there was a mental health component to the situation that was actively being treated. *Officers Orosz and Fleming*

7:08 PM- **Arrest**- Shayna Valet, of Troy, was taken into custody during a traffic stop in the Wynantskill Square parking lot when it was discovered that the vehicle's registration and her driver's license were both suspended. She was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 2nd degree, Operation While Registration Suspended, both misdemeanors, and Uninsured Vehicle, an infraction. She was released to return to court at a later date. *Officers Orosz, Fleming, and Catlin*

8:20 PM- **Domestic Dispute**- In the 200 block of Geiser Rd. *Officers Orosz, Fleming and Catlin*

8:53 PM- **Unwanted Guest**- In the 100 block of Geiser Rd. Caller reported an acquaintance that was at the residence and causing a disturbance but refused to leave. Officers spoke to all parties and determined that the subject was intoxicated and in crisis. North Greenbush Ambulance assisted in transporting the subject to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation after they treated the subject's minor injuries. No charges were pursued. *Officers Orosz, Fleming, and Catlin*

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6:47 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- In the Partridge Hill Apartments. Caller reported a family member that was experiencing a crisis episode. Officers spoke to the subject and learned that they were not a harm to themselves but did want help. Officers provided the subject and family members with contacts for resources. Officers stood by while those resources were contacted. *Officer Gray and Sergeant Peasley*

8:46 AM- **Traffic Complaint**- On North Greenbush Rd. at Sunoco. Caller reported that Sunoco was getting multiple deliveries at once and the trucks were blocking North Greenbush Rd. All vehicles had entered the lot prior to officer arriving. *Officer Fleming*

10:52 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported a student that had been threatening to harm themselves. The student was taken to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Sergeant Peasley and Officer Fleming*

11:39 AM- **Arrest**- Myunique McQueen, of Albany, was turned over to this agency by EGPD on an outstanding arrest warrant stemming from a shoplifting at Ulta Beauty in July, 2022. In that case, it is alleged that McQueen and another female had stolen \$2,926 in merchandise. She was charged with Grand Larceny 3rd degree, a felony, and Conspiracy 5th degree, a misdemeanor. She was arraigned at North Greenbush Town Court and released to return at a later date. *Investigation by Sergeant Peasley. Arrest by Officer Fleming*

12:06 PM- **Active Burglary**- On Oak St. Caller reported returning home to find their front door open. Officers checked the residence and surrounding property but found no indication that anyone had forced entry or had entered the residence. EGPD and NYSP assisted. *Officer Catlin*

3:04 PM- **Arrest**- Pedro Dumet, of Albany, turned himself in on an outstanding arrest warrant stemming from an incident at Hoffman's Car Wash on February 11th, 2023. In that case, it is alleged that Dumet had struck another patron during a dispute. The victim had become impatient waiting for Dumet to wash his car so the victim began spraying Dumet's car. The victim stated Dumet then struck him in the face, causing injury, before leaving. Dumet was charged with Assault 3rd degree and Criminal Mischief 4th degree, both misdemeanors. He was released to return to court at a later date. *Investigation and arrest by Officer Orosz and Sergeant Bourdeau*

4:32 PM- **Unwanted Guest**- In the 300 block of Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported a family member that had shown up to their residence and had been previously advised not to go there. Officers spoke to all parties and advised the subject again. *Officers Fleming, Orosz, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

4:43 PM- **911 Hang Up**- At the CVS Pharmacy on North Greenbush Rd. Determined to be accidental. *Officers Orosz and Fleming*

9:38 PM- **Arrest**- Jeremy MacDonald, of Johnsonville, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on Spring Ave. Ext. at State Route 355 when it was discovered that his license was suspended. He was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3rd degree, a misdemeanor, and released to return to court at a later date. *Officers Orosz, Fleming, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

2/25/23

2:00 AM- **Unwanted Guest**- In the 200 block of Whiteview Rd. Caller reported another tenant had a guest in the residence that they didn't want there. Officers advised all parties. *Sergeant Peasley and Officer Gray*

12:46 PM- **Welfare Check**- On Worthington Terr. Caller requested officers make contact with a family member whom they had not been able to reach by phone since the night before. Officers located the subject and confirmed they were okay. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Gervais*

5:18 PM- **Suspicious Vehicle**- In the rear of the Shoppes at Greenbush Commons. Caller reported a vehicle that had been parked for weeks but was now occupied by several individuals. Officer located the vehicle and determined that the occupant, who was also the vehicle owner, was intoxicated. The vehicle was disabled and unable to be driven. The owner stated he had been living in the vehicle at that location. The registration was found to be suspended. The license plates were taken and the owner was advised to remove the vehicle from the lot as soon as possible. *Officer Jukes and Sergeant Bourdeau*

9:10 PM- **Harassment**- At Okinawa Restaurant. Staff reported an unknown female that was calling and threatening staff. They believed the subject was calling the wrong number. Officer called the subject and advised her to stop calling. *Sergeant Bourdeau*