

NGPD Police Blotter for week of 8/11/24 to 8/17/24

EMS calls, Burglar Alarms, Fire Alarms, Department Details, Investigation Follow Ups, Hazardous Situations, Vehicle Lock Outs, Reckless Driving complaints, 911 Hang Ups, Animal Problems not resulting in injury, Suspicious Vehicles and Persons not resulting in an arrest, and Property Damage Auto Accidents/Traffic Stops not resulting in an arrest are excluded from this list.

All listed persons have been criminally charged but are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

8/11/24

1:41 AM- **Arrest**- Anthony Lewis, of Colonie, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on North Greenbush Rd. near Williams Rd. when it was discovered that he had no license and 6 active revocations and suspensions. He was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 2nd degree, a misdemeanor, Speed in Zone, Unlicensed Operation, and Open Container or Use of Cannabis While Driving, all infractions. He was released to appear in court at a later date.

Sergeant Peasley and Officer Gray

1:38 PM- **Harassment**- At the station. A citizen wished to speak to an officer about a subject they believed had been following them for several weeks. *Officer Fleming*

3:45 PM- **Larceny**- At the Stewart's Shop on Bloomingrove Dr. Staff reported a subject that had pumped \$25.01 in fuel and left without paying. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Gray*

3:49 PM- **Arrest**- Gregory Sierras, of Westerlo, was taken into custody on Red Mill Rd. in East Greenbush with the assistance of EGPD following a complaint of shoplifting at Home Depot. Staff reported a male who had concealed merchandise and then fled the store. EGPD saw the vehicle described and stopped it. The \$322 worth of merchandise was located in the vehicle and Sierras was taken into custody as he matched the description provided by the witness. He was charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor, and released to appear in court at a later date.

Officer Gray and Sergeant Bourdeau

4:53 PM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- At Vanderheyden. A juvenile female student reportedly attempted to harm themselves. NYSP and RCSO handled the call as units were tied up.

8:22 PM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported a juvenile male student that was threatening himself and others with a shard of glass. Officers located the male on State Route 355 at the intersection with Main Ave. and interviewed him. He was brought back to campus and turned over to staff. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Gray*

8/12/24

8:06 PM- **Welfare Check**- At Cumberland Farms. Caller reported seeing an elderly male wandering in the parking lot looking confused. Officer checked the area but could not locate him. Staff had not seen anyone matching that description. *Officer Catlin*

3:00 PM- **Harassment**- At the station. A resident wished to speak to an officer about an ex-spouse engaging in a course of harassing behavior. *Officer Valenti*

4:04 PM- **Youths Annoying**- At 16 North Plaza. Caller reported youths on electric scooters and others walking through the parking lot without regard for traffic. Officer located two youths and advised them. *Officer Valenti*

8/13/24

9:41 AM- **Criminal Mischief**- On Meadow Dr. Caller reported that a subject had been banging on their door and then broke the door handle off before dropping off papers and leaving the area. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Fleming*

10:42 AM- **Suspicious Vehicle**- In the 300 block of Jordan Rd. Caller reported a vehicle that had circled their parking lot several times and they were unfamiliar with the subject driving. Officer located the vehicle and determined that the subject was waiting for someone at a different building and was driving to pass the time. *Sergeant Deeb*

12:49 PM- **Harassment**- At the station. A Vanderheyden student was brought in to report an assault the prior evening. The injuries were very minor and charges were not possible. *Officer Catlin*

9:02 PM- **Suspicious Person**- In the 100 block of Valley View Blvd. Caller wished to speak to an officer about a subject that had attempted to gain access to the caller's home early that morning. *Officer Valenti*

8/14/24

7:30 AM- **Criminal Mischief**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported that a suspended student was on campus attempting to damage property. Officers located the student who had been restrained by staff and was calm. Staff declined charges and would handle the matter internally. *Officers Gervais, Catlin, and Sergeant Deeb*

12:30 PM- **Larceny**- In the Van Allen Apartments. Caller reported that someone had gone through their unlocked vehicle overnight and had stolen property. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Catlin*

12:59 PM- **Larceny**- In the Stone Gate Apartments. Caller reported that someone had stolen approx. \$1,500 worth of tools from their truck overnight. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Catlin*

3:38 PM- **Domestic Dispute**- In the Van Allen Apartments. *Officers Schrader and Verardi*

4:56 PM- **Larceny**- In the Van Allen Apartments. Caller reported that someone had gone through their unlocked vehicle overnight and had stolen property. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Schrader*

7:50 PM- **Harassment**- In the Hampton Place Condominiums. Caller reported that their downstairs neighbor was harassing them by pounding on the ceiling and making absurd allegations about them. Officers spoke to the neighbor and advised him. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Verardi*

8/15/24

12:17 PM- **Larceny**- At the station. A citizen reported that they had either lost their wallet at Market 32 or it was stolen from there. Unknown persons had already attempted to use one of the credit cards at a different store in that mall. Investigation ongoing. *Detective Walsh*

2:00 PM- **Welfare Check**- On Main Ave. at Brookside Ave. Caller reported a male walking down the center of the road. Officer checked the area but could not locate him. *Officer Gervais*

3:20 PM- **Fraud**- At the station. A resident reported that someone had opened an account with a cell phone company in their name without their permission. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Verardi*

7:23 PM- **Larceny**- At the station. A resident wished to report a theft of a credit card from their vehicle. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Verardi*

7:56 PM- **Animal Complaint**- At the station. A resident wished to report that they had been bitten by a neighbor's dog, resulting in minor injury. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Verardi*

8/16/24

8:35 AM- **Harassment**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported that a student had struck an employee. *Officers Gervais and Fleming*

7:54 PM- **Arrest**- Edward Yankowski, of North Greenbush, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on David St. following a reckless driving complaint. The caller reported seeing the vehicle swerving all over the road and that the driver purchased more alcohol at a gas station on North Greenbush Rd. before continuing to drive. Officers located the vehicle and found Yankowski to be the operator. He was found to be intoxicated and taken into custody. He was found to have a .13% BAC. He was charged with Driving While Intoxicated and Operating with a BAC >.08%, both misdemeanors. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Valenti, Verardi, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

8/17/24

12:56 PM- **Illegal Dumping**- At Bailey Mountain Fish and Game Club. Caller reported that someone had dumped buckets of fuel oil on the property. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

2:03 PM- **Fraud**- In the 300 block of Hidley Rd. Caller wished to speak to an officer about a possible scammer that had been to their door twice. *Officer Valenti*

2:13 PM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- On Coyote Ln. Caller reported getting messages from a family member that they took to mean that the family member was going to harm themselves. Officers located the family member and determined that it was a miscommunication and they were not in crisis. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Catlin*

3:29 PM- **Suspicious Person**- At Home Depot. Staff reported a male that was taking pictures of females in the store. He was asked to leave and did. *Officer Valenti*

9:21 PM- **Welfare Check**- On Dobert Ct. Caller reported a male on a bicycle that appeared to be lost. They had spoken to him but he spoke very little English and was hard to understand. Officer checked the area for him but could not locate him. *Officer Schrader*

9:54 PM- **Welfare Check**- On Main Ave. at Ashcroft St. Caller described the same male as the previous call and said they gave him directions to the Wynantskill Fire Department. Officer confirmed that had had gone there but members had already left to bring him home. *Officer Schrader*