

NGPD Police Blotter for week of 10/20/24 to 10/26/24

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.

10/20/24

1:20 AM- **Assist Other Agency**- On Columbia Tpk. in East Greenbush. EGPD requested assistance with a vehicle that had failed to comply on a traffic stop. *Officers Gray, Jukes, and Verardi*

2:09 PM- **Suspicious Person**- At Junior's Bar and Grill. Caller reported a homeless male outside the restaurant armed with two knives and talking to himself. Officers checked the area but could not locate him. *Officer Fleming and Sergeant Bourdeau*

3:34 PM- **Assist Other Agency**- At McDonald's on Troy Rd. in East Greenbush. EGPD requested assistance with a customer dispute. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Verardi*

5:34 PM- **Larceny**- At the station. Home Depot staff filed a report regarding a theft that had occurred the day before. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Verardi*

8:40 PM- **Assist Other Agency**- On Valley View Blvd. RPD requested assistance in searching for a subject that had left their residence after making threats to harm themselves. Officers located the subject in the Van Rensselaer Square parking lot and took the subject to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Officer Verardi and Sergeant Bourdeau*

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6:34 AM- **Personal Injury Auto Accident**- State Route 43 at Washington Ave. Ext. Minor injuries. *Sergeant Deeb and Officer Giddings*

8:14 AM- **Juvenile Arrest**- A 16-year-old male, from Schodack, was taken into custody at Rensselaer High School in relation to a robbery investigation from October 17th, 2024. For more information, see the Press Release issued on 10/21/2024. The juvenile was charged with Robbery 1st degree, Grand Larceny 4th degree, both felonies, and Menacing 2nd degree, a misdemeanor. He was arraigned and released to the custody of a family member. He is due back in Family Court at a later date. *Investigation by Sergeant Deeb, Officer Catlin, and Detective Walsh. Arrest by Officer Catlin*

9:55 AM- **Suspicious Person**- In the 16 North parking lot. Caller reported a male laying near the roadway. Officer located him and confirmed he was okay. *Chief Keevern*

1:52 PM- **Larceny**- In the Eagle Rock Apartments. Caller reported that someone had stolen a package off of their porch. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

3:51 PM- **Suspicious Person**- In the Van Rensselaer Square parking lot. Caller reported a female that was pacing around the lot and acting strangely. Officer checked the area but could not locate her. *Officer Paterno*

4:52 PM- **Harassment**- At the station. A resident wished to speak to an officer about an acquaintance that was following them. *Officer Paterno*

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12:55 AM- **Domestic Dispute**- On Hillside Dr. *Officers Giddings and Gray*

3:25 AM- **Welfare Check**- At Taco Bell. Caller reported two intoxicated females in the parking lot and stated one was laying in the grass. Officer checked the area but could not locate them and determined they may have been referring to the Taco Bell in Troy. *Officers Gray and Giddings*

10:39 AM- **Domestic Dispute**- In the 500 block of Bloomingrove Dr. *Officers Gervais and Fleming*

12:26 PM- **Harassment**- At the station. A resident wished to speak to an officer about a family member contacting them against their wishes. *Sergeant Deeb*

1:09 PM- **Fraud**- On Rossi Way. Caller wished to speak to an officer about a transaction on Facebook Marketplace in which the seller failed to send the product and wouldn't call back. *Officer Catlin*

1:15 PM- **Sex Offense**- At the station. Child Protective Services reported information they had received regarding an address in town. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Fleming*

1:50 PM- **Larceny**- At Hannaford. Staff reported a female that had stolen \$280 in merchandise. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Gervais*

7:23 PM- **Custody Dispute**- In the 100 block of Main Ave. Caller wished to speak to an officer regarding an ongoing custody issue. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

7:58 PM- **Personal Injury Auto Accident**- In the 100 block of Snyder's Lake Rd. Car into a tree, minor injuries. *Officers Paterno, Verardi, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

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12:51 AM- **Suspicious Person**- On Fox Glove Ct . Caller reported seeing a male they didn't recognize on their family member's security camera. Officers determined the subject seen was supposed to be there. *Officers Giddings and Gray*

5:27 AM- **Suspicious Person**- At the Stewart's Shop on Glenmore Rd. Caller reported a homeless male hanging out in front of the store. Officer spoke to the subject and confirmed he didn't need any assistance. *Officer Gray*

7:46 AM- **Personal Injury Auto Accident**- On North Greenbush Rd. at Arbor Dr. Electric bike vs. vehicle. Subject suffered serious injury. *Officers Catlin, Gervais, Sergeant Deeb, Detective Walsh, and Chief Keevern*

1:16 PM- **Welfare Check**- In the Shoppes at Greenbush Plaza. Caller reported a male that had fallen asleep at a picnic table about 3 hours prior and did not appear to have moved since. Officer located the subject and confirmed they were okay. *Chief Keevern*

2:51 PM- **Assist Other Agency**- On 3rd Ave Ext. in East Greenbush. EGPD requested assistance in searching for a subject that had stolen from Walmart. *Officers Catlin and Gervais*

5:00 PM- **Emotional Problem**- At Rensselaer County Social Services. Caller reported an adolescent female that was out of control. Officers assisted and the youth was taken to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Officers Verardi and Paterno*

5:22 PM- **Illegal Dumping**- On Dobert Ct. Caller reported a construction crew working in the area that had dumped concrete at the end of the road. Officers located the crew and they agreed to pick it up again. *Sergeant Boureau and Officer Verardi*

5:58 PM- **Juvenile Arrest**- A 13-year-old female Vanderheyden student was located in NYC and brought to NGPD to face charges stemming from a September 19th vehicle theft on Sagendorf Ln. The student was assisted by another as they allegedly stole the keys to a vehicle from inside the residence then fled in that vehicle. The subjects had been hiding in NYC since that date. The accomplice had previously been charged for this incident. This defendant was charged with Burglary 2nd degree, Grand Larceny 3rd degree, both felonies, and Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor. She was arraigned and remanded to a secure facility pending a hearing at Family Court. *Investigation by Officer Gervais and Sergeant Deeb. Arrest by Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Verardi*

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4:08 AM- **Arrest**- Christopher Brothers, of Amsterdam, was taken into custody by NYSP and turned over to this agency on an outstanding arrest warrant stemming from an April 27th, 2023 theft from the Stewart's Shop on Bloomingrove Dr. It is alleged that Brothers had stolen \$131.73 in fuel. He was charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor, and released to appear in court at a later date. *Investigation by Officer Schrader. Arrest by Officer Gray and Sergeant Peasley*

5:02 AM- **Investigation**- In the 500 block of Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported that a resident at the address was a terrorist and possessed weapons of mass destruction. Officer confirmed this not to be the case and identified the caller as the same person who had made such claims in the past. RPD assisted in searching for the suspect at a location in their city and did locate him. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Peasley*

12:46 PM- **Bad Check**- At the station. A property owner wished to file a report regarding a tenant that had issued a bad check for rent. Investigation ongoing. *Detective Walsh*

1:05 PM- **Emotional Problem**- At the station. A resident was having difficulty with a family member who was out of control in a vehicle. Officers spoke to the subject and they calmed down. *Officers Fleming and Verardi*

9:17 PM- **Arrest**- Sultan Asfour, of Clifton Park, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on Williams Rd. when it was determined that the vehicle's registration was suspended. He was charged with Operation While Registration Suspended, a misdemeanor, Operation Without Insurance, and Speed in Zone, both infractions. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Verardi and Giddings*

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4:46 AM- **Larceny**- On Mara Dr. Caller reported seeing an unknown male going through their vehicle. Officers checked the area but the subject was gone. Investigation ongoing. *Officers Gray and Giddings*

08:17 AM- **Arrest**- Danielle Vriale, address unknown, was taken into custody at a residence on Twist Ave. during a safe passage escort. At her request, officers were escorting Vriale to the residence so she could pick up personal belongings. However, upon arriving, Vriale began screaming obscenities and refusing to leave the property when told to do so. Officers attempted to calm her and explain an alternate path to getting her belongings but she continued to scream and then began to destroy Halloween decorations on the lawn. She then She struggled briefly when officers tried to take her into custody but they were able to do so without injury to anyone. She was charged with Criminal Mischief 4th degree, Resisting Arrest, both misdemeanors, and Disorderly Conduct, a violation. She was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Fleming and Gervais*

5:42 PM- **Investigation**- On Geiser Rd. Caller reported seeing a column of black smoke from somewhere across the lake. Officer checked the area but could not locate it. *Officer Verardi*

6:17 PM- **Criminal Mischief**- In the Eagle Rock Apartments. Caller reported that someone had damaged a vehicle in the parking lot. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Paterno*

11:56 PM- **Suspicious Vehicle**- On Mayfair Rd. Caller reported an occupied vehicle that they didn't recognize parked on the roadway. Officers checked the area but the vehicle was gone. *Officers Giddings and Gray*

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3:43 AM- **Suspicious Person**- On Marion Ave. Caller reported seeing a male wearing all black walking and falling down. Officers located the subject and found that he was under the influence of drugs. NGAA transported him to the hospital for a medical evaluation. *Officers Giddings and Gray*

5:09 PM- **Harassment**- At Chick-Fil-A. An employee reported that they had been followed by a vehicle as they walked to work. The driver of the vehicle attempted to get the employee to get into his vehicle twice but remained in the area when she refused. *Officer Paterno*

8:40 PM- **Loud Noise**- On Hidley Rd. near Woodland Hill Rd. Caller reported hearing loud music coming from a residence. Officers located the party and found that the music was not very loud but they agreed to turn it down. *Officer Paterno*

8:49 PM- **Damage to Property**- At Hoffman's Car Wash. Caller reported seeing a vehicle back into the building at a high rate of speed. They stated a female exited the passenger seat yelling at the driver then she walked away. Officers checked the area but both the vehicle and female were gone. Investigation ongoing. *Officers Catlin and Paterno*