

NGPD Police Blotter for week of 8/31/25 to 9/6/25

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.

8/31/25

12:09 AM- **Neighbor Dispute**- On Worthington Terr. Caller reported that their neighbor was screaming out of her window and threw a jug of water at the caller's window. All parties were advised. *Officers Clemenzi and Gervais*

1:13 AM- **Arrest**- Nathan Braender, of Schodack, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on North Greenbush Rd. near Agway Dr. when officers suspected he was intoxicated. He failed the field sobriety tests and was taken to the station for a breath test which yielded a result of .10% BAC. He was charged with Driving While Intoxicated, Operation with a BAC >.08%, both misdemeanors, and Speed in Zone, an infraction. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Clemenzi and Gervais*

7:43 AM- **Welfare Check**- In Van Rensselaer Square. Caller requested that officers check on an elderly female in a wheelchair whom appeared out of place and alone. Officer checked the area but could not locate her. *Officer Verardi*

11:48 AM- **Assist Other Agency**- On 2nd Street in Rensselaer. RPD requested assistance with a report of a subject with a handgun. *Officers Catlin and Fleming*

12:19 PM- **Assist Other Agency**- On Hill St. in East Greenbush. EGPD requested assistance with a domestic assault. *Officer Verardi*

5:08 PM- **Larceny**- At the Stewart's Shop on Bloomingrove Dr. Staff reported a driver that had pumped \$43.42 in fuel and left without paying. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Gray*

6:14 PM- **Disturbance**- At the Stewart's Shop on Glenmore Rd. Caller reported a male in the parking lot yelling at customers. Officers located him and advised him. *Officers Valenti and Gray*

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4:36 AM- **Arrest-** Andrew Slivienski, of West Sand Lake, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on State Route 43 when it was discovered that his driver's license was suspended. He was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3rd degree, a misdemeanor, and an equipment infraction. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Pollay and Paterno*

10:18 AM- **Fraud-** At Pioneer Bank. Staff reported that a customer had been victim of a scam. Investigation ongoing. *Detective Walsh*

1:37 PM- **Larceny-** At Home Depot. Caller reported that they had lost their cell phone while shopping and believed that someone had stolen it. Shortly afterward, staff at the store had located the phone and it was returned to the owner. *Officers Gervais and Cox*

1:43 PM- **Loud Noise-** In the 500 block of Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported someone was using a bulldozer which they believed to be a violation of the noise ordinance. Caller was advised that there is no noise ordinance and officers attempted to locate the source but could not. *Officer Cox and Sergeant Deeb*

4:53 PM- **Illegal Dumping-** On Waldron Ln. Caller reported a lawncare company that was dumping clippings and brush between two residences. Officer located them and advised them that they had no permission to do so there and that they needed to clean it up, which they did. *Officer Jukes*

7:32 PM- **Harassment-** On Drake Way. Caller reported that a resident of the street had been calling the caller names while walking in the neighborhood. Officer advised the subject to cease such activity. *Officer Schrader*

9/2/25

12:57 AM- **Disturbance-** In the 400 block of State Route 150. Caller reported that they were in an argument with another person. Officers spoke to the parties and determined that it was a minor argument and neither party wished for anything further. *Officers Clemenzi and Pollay*

7:27 AM- **Welfare Check-** On State Route 150 at Worthington Blvd. Caller reported seeing an elderly female standing in the middle of the road looking confused. Officers located the female and identified her as being a resident of Worthington Terr. She was uncooperative and denied needing anything from the officers but they ensured she made it home safely. *Officers Gervais and Cox*

8:58 AM- **Suspicious Person-** On Orchard Ln. Caller reported two males at their door but was not expecting anyone. Officers located the males and determined they were National Grid employees trying to change a meter. *Officers Cox and Gervais*

10:48 AM- **Larceny**- At Raizada's Fast Food Express. Staff reported a driver that had pumped \$30.00 in fuel and left without paying. Officer tracked down the driver and they returned to pay immediately. *Officer Gervais*

11:15 AM- **Assist Other Agency**- On Pheasant Ln. Saratoga County Sheriff's Office requested assistance in getting in touch with a resident who was the last known registrant of a boat that had been found abandoned in their county. *Officer Cox*

2:20 PM- **Arrest**- Katherine Yando, of Troy, was taken into custody at Hannaford after staff had reported that she had stolen \$108.68 worth of groceries. She was charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor, and released to appear in court at a later date. *Officer Gervais*

2:48 PM- **Suspicious Mail**- At the station. A resident wished to speak with an officer about an odd letter they had gotten in the mail. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Cox*

3:11 PM- **Arrest**- Brandon Gibson, homeless, was taken into custody on an outstanding arrest warrant at Albany County Jail where he had been housed on unrelated charges. The warrant stemmed from a shoplifting from TJ Maxx on May 27th, 2025. In that case, staff reported that two males had stolen \$314.81 worth of merchandise. One of the males was identified as Gibson. He was charged with Petit Larceny and Conspiracy 6th degree, both misdemeanors, and arraigned at North Greenbush Town Court. He was released back to the custody of Albany County Jail and is to return to that court at a later date. *Investigation by Officer Clemenzi and Detective Walsh. Arrest by Officer Schrader*

5:33 PM- **Welfare Check**- On North Greenbush Rd. near Jordan Rd. Caller reported a distraught teenaged girl near the bus stop. Officer located her and determined that she had been stranded there. Officer provided a courtesy transport to an address in Rensselaer at her request. *Officer Jukes*

9/3/25

6:16 AM- **Disturbance**- On Worthington Terr. Caller reported that a neighbor was driving around and yelling. Officers arrived to find that the subject had returned to her residence. *Officers Clemenzi and Paterno*

12:43 PM- **Domestic Dispute**- On Jordan Rd. *Officers Cox, Verardi, Gervais, and Sergeant Deeb*

4:36 PM- **Missing Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported a juvenile male that had left campus without permission and had threatened to harm himself. The male returned to campus a few minutes later and officer determined that he was in crisis. He was taken to Samaritan Hospital for a mental health evaluation. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

4:42 PM- **Assault**- At Albany Medical Center. Child Protective Services reported that they had received a referral from the hospital staff regarding suspicious injuries on a child. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Bourdeau, Detectives Walsh, and Fleming*

4:52 PM- **Welfare Check-** In the 100 block of Main Ave. Caller reported a female sitting on the edge of the roadway and believed she was intoxicated. Officer located her and she denied needing any assistance. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

4:53 PM- **Harassment-** At the station. A resident wished to speak to an officer about a phone call they had received that they believed was from a subject that had stalked them several years ago. *Officer Gray*

5:00 PM- **Arrest-** Jeremy Roberts, of Duaneburg, was taken into custody on outstanding arrest warrants at his residence by NYSP. The warrants stemmed from two separate online actions. In the first, it is alleged that Roberts had posted a video to social media in which he violated an Order of Protection by making threats towards the protected person. The second was in regards to a series of videos Roberts had posted to social media in which he made multiple threats to murder police officers and government employees if he was not given custody of his child back. He was charged with Criminal Contempt 1st degree and Making Terroristic Threats, both felonies. NYSP had him arraigned on these charges in Schenectady City Court where he was remanded to Rensselaer County Jail without bail based on several prior felony convictions. He is due to appear in North Greenbush Town Court at a later date.

6:30 PM- **Fight-** On Van Leuvan Dr. East. Caller reported that two subjects were actively fighting. Officers determined that both parties were equally at fault for it and no charges were possible. EYPD assisted. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Gray*

7:10 PM- **Welfare Check-** At Jiff-E-Mart. Caller requested officers check on an elderly male who appeared confused and caller didn't believe it would be safe for him to drive. Officer located the male and he agreed that he preferred not to drive at night. A taxi was called for him but the owner of the store agreed to bring him home, instead. *Sergeant Bourdeau*

11:24 PM- **Criminal Mischief-** At the station. A citizen wished to speak to an officer about damage to their vehicle that had occurred on North Greenbush Rd. near Cooley Mazda. They reported that someone in a passing vehicle had thrown something at the vehicle which caused damage. Investigation ongoing. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Clemenzi*

9/4/15

9:19 AM- **Welfare Check-** In the 600 block of Bloomingrove Dr. Caller reported seeing a female in the area screaming and looking like she was going to run into traffic. Officers located the female in that area but she refused any assistance and was sent on her way after being advised to stop screaming. *Officer Verardi and Sergeant Deeb*

2:29 PM- **Welfare Check-** At Aldi. Caller reported seeing a male and nonverbal female exiting the store and believed the male was hurting the female. Officer located the male and female in the area and determined that the male was escorting his daughter out of the store as she was being aggressive. All checked out and she appeared to have calmed down. *Sergeant Deeb*

4:48 PM- **Arrest**- Linwood Degroat, of Troy, was taken into custody during an investigation into a property damage auto accident on North Greenbush Rd. near Wanda Ct. when it was discovered that he had multiple suspensions on his license. He was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 2nd degree, a misdemeanor, and Following Too Close, an infraction. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Gray and Valenti*

5:42 PM- **Larceny**- At Shoe Dept. Staff reported that 3 males had stolen shoes and were leaving in a vehicle. Officer stopped the vehicle and determined that the males had not left the store with the shoes. *Officers Gray and Valenti*

8:45 PM- **Arrest**- Michael Novak, of North Greenbush, was taken into custody at his residence during an investigation into a domestic dispute. It is alleged that he had intentionally damaged several pieces of furniture and decorations inside the house, totaling over \$250 in damages. He was charged with Criminal Mischief 3rd degree, a felony, and arraigned at North Greenbush Town Court. He was released and is to return to that court at a later date. *Officers Valenti and Gray*

11:39 PM- **Suspicious Person**- In the 200 block of Pershing Ave. Caller reported seeing someone in their driveway and believed the subject was trying to get into the caller's car. Officers checked the area but could not locate anyone. *Sergeant Bourdeau and Officer Paterno*

9/5/25

6:55 AM- **Loud Noise**- On Whiteview Rd. Caller reported that a construction crew had made unreasonable noise in front of the caller's house. *Officer Verardi*

12:09 PM- **Arrest**- Gregory Pankow, of Watervliet, was taken into custody on Main Ave. during an investigation into a shoplifting at Hannaford. Staff reported the theft in progress and Pankow fled on foot upon seeing the officers outside the store. After a brief foot pursuit, he was taken into custody and charged with Petit Larceny, a misdemeanor. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officer Verardi, Detectives Walsh, and Fleming*

2:04 PM- **Larceny**- At Five Below. Staff reported a male and female that had stolen merchandise. The value of the theft was not known at the time of the report. Investigation ongoing. *Officer Verardi*

4:24 PM- **Suspicious Person**- On Waldron Ln. Caller reported a male they did not recognize walking down the street with a baseball bat. Officer located the male who explained that he had the bat as protection due to the bear in the area. *Officer Gray*

9/6/25

12:28 AM- **Arrest**- Ashley Downey, of Troy, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on State Route 43 when it was discovered that her driver's license was suspended. She was charged with Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3rd degree, a misdemeanor, Uninspected Vehicle, and an

equipment infraction. She was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Pollay and Paterno*

2:03 AM- **Emotionally Distressed Person**- On Streamview Ln. Caller stated they were depressed and wished to speak to someone. Officers spoke with the caller, determined that they were not in crisis, and provided them with resources. *Officers Pollay and Paterno*

3:16 PM- **Unwanted Guest**- At Hannaford. Staff reported a female in the store that was swearing at employees and refusing to leave. Officers spoke to her and she agreed to leave. She was advised not to return to the store. *Officers Schrader and Jukes*

5:09 PM- **Custody Dispute**- On Van Allen Way. Caller reported that they went to the address to exchange custody of their child but the other party wasn't there. *Officer Jukes*

8:59 PM- **Missing Person**- At Vanderheyden. Staff reported a juvenile male that had left campus without permission. Officer located him walking in the area and returned him to the campus. *Officers Jukes, Schrader, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

10:44 PM- **Disturbance**- On Lakeshore Dr. Caller reported that an intoxicated individual had crashed their vehicle in the yard. A second caller reported that they knew the person and that the group was agitated. Officers checked the area and spoke to several parties, finding that no such crash had occurred and that it was a misunderstanding. *Officers Pollay, Jukes, Schrader, and Sergeant Bourdeau*

11:53 PM- **Arrest**- Albert Derubertis, of North Greenbush, was taken into custody during a traffic stop on Main Ave. near Town Hall when officers suspected that he was intoxicated. He failed sobriety tests and was brought to the station for a breath test but he refused that test. He was charged with Driving While Intoxicated, a misdemeanor, and an equipment infraction. He was released to appear in court at a later date. *Officers Pollay and Paterno*