

POLICE BLOTTER

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The Haverford Township Police Department now provides an online Police Blotter. This cover page contains information about the blotter and links to the weeks contained in this month's report. These weekly reports contain listings of the various law enforcement incidents, events and other occurrences of interest to residents of Haverford Township.

Please note this document will be updated weekly.

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Week one: 10/04/2023 - 10/10/2023

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Week four: 10/25/2023 - 10/31/2023

DATE: 10/4/2023 – 10/10/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 38 Warnings: 42 Non-Traffic: 1 Parking: 85

ARRESTS:

64-year-old male, 1700 block of Wynsam Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft

LOC: Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/4 @ 1519 hours

24-year-old male, unit block of Ridge Road, Phoenixville

CHGS: Retail theft and possession of marijuana **LOC**: Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/5 @ 1159 hours

50-year-old male, Homeless

CHGS: Possession of drug paraphernalia

LOC: Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 10/7 @ 0920 hours

30-year-old female, unit block of Oklahoma State Drive, Newark DE

CHGS: Retail theft

LOC: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/8 @ 1809 hours

INCIDENTS:

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/4 @ 1242 hours – An unknown female stole \$548.94 worth of merchandise.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/4 @ 1559 hours – An unknown male stole seven pairs of sneakerrs.

Identity Theft at the 600 block of Hazelwood Road on 10/4 @ 0943 hours – Victim reported that someone opened a Verizon account using her identity and purchased an i-phone.

Forgery at TD Bank (100 block of W. Eagle Road) on 10/5 @ 1104 hours – On October 3rd an unknown female attempted to cash a fraudulent Savings Bond.

Forgery at TD Bank (100 block of W. Eagle Road) on 10/5 @ 1210 hours – Two unknown males attempted to withdraw money at the drive thru from an account that did not belong to them.

Forgery at the 1600 block of Greenway Road on 10/5 @ 1124 hours – A check was altered and cashed after it was mailed.

Fraud at Haverford College (300 block of Lancaster Avenue) on 10/6 @ 1625 hours – Victim reported that someone withdrew \$4,300.00 from her bank account.

Vandalism at the 600 block of Lancaster Avenue on 10/6 @ 1220 hours – Vehicle was keyed.

Vandalism at the unit block of Ralston Avenue on 10/7 @ 1126 hours – Chain link fence was damaged.

Criminal Mischief at Darby Creek Trail on 10/8 @ 0826 hours – Graffiti was discovered.

Theft at Acme (600 block of Lancaster Avenue on 10/9 @ 1720 hours – Victim reported that her wallet was stolen from her purse while she shopped.

Theft at the 400 block of Manoa Road on 10/9 @ 1500 hours – Victim reported prescription medication missing from her medicine cabinet.

Forgery at the unit block of Marthart Avenue on 10/9 @ 0847 hours – A check was altered and cashed after it was mailed.

DATE: 10/11/2023 – 10/17/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 25 Warnings: 25 Non-Traffic: 6 Parking: 113

ARRESTS:

53-year-old female, Homeless

CHGS: Defiant trespass and firearm not to be carried without a license

LOC: 700 block of West Chester Pike

Date: 10/11 @ 1245 hours

60-year-old male, 600 block of Lee Drive, Broomall

CHGS: DUI, careless driving, accident causing damage to the unattended

vehicle, and failure to notify the police **LOC**: 1500 block of Burmont Road

Date: 10/13 @ 0034 hours

INCIDENTS:

Theft at Panera (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/11 @ 1544 hours – The victim reported that her driver's license and credit card were stolen from her wallet while she left it unattended.

Theft at Manoa Shopping Center (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/12 @ 1348 hours – An unlocked vehicle was entered – and a bag of clothing was stolen.

Theft at the 2000 block of Darby Road on 10/12 @ 1809 hours – The victim reported five packages were stolen after they were delivered over the past month. The packages were left in a common room in her apartment complex.

Theft at Haverford College (300 block of Lancaster Avenue) on 10/12 @ 1016 hours – An employee reported that her wallet was stolen from her desk drawer.

Embezzlement at Wawa (1000 block of Darby Road) on 10/12 @ 2148 hours – The manager reported an employee stealing money from the register.

Identity Theft at the 500 block of Covington Road on 10/13 @ 1445 hours – The victim reported that someone opened a credit card account using her identity. They also initiated a transfer from her checking account.

Disorderly Conduct at the 1300 block of Annabella on 10/16 @ 2231 hours – A 31-year-old male, unit block of North Oak Avenue, Clifton Heights was cited for disorderly conduct.

Theft at the 600 block of Haverford Road on 10/16 @ 1757 hours – A cash box containing \$160.00 and two checks was stolen from a drawer.

Retail Theft at Ace Hardware (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/16 @ 1607 hours – Two males and two females stole approximately \$2,000 worth of merchandise.

Fraud at the Quadrangle (3300 block of Darby Road) on 10/16 @ 1507 hours – The victim reported that her father's checkbook went missing from his room in August. She later realized \$67,708.01 was removed from his account.

Criminal Mischief at the 1500 block of E. Darby Road on 10/16 @ 0826 hours – The victim reported that the plants on her front porch were damaged and the furniture was in disarray.

Forgery at the 700 block of Polo Circle on 10/16 @ 1022 hours – The victim reported that someone altered and cashed a check after it was mailed.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/17 @ 0729 hours – An unknown male stole \$201.62 worth of groceries.

DATE: 10/18/2023 – 10/24/2023

TO: HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS

FROM: JOHN F. VIOLA, CHIEF OF POLICE

Citation

Moving: 39 Warnings: 3 Non-Traffic: 1 Parking: 124

ARRESTS:

38-year-old male, 1100 block of Rockland Street, Philadelphia **CHGS**: Retail theft, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia

LOC: C & M (1300 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/20 @ 1342 hours

39-year-old male, 4200 block of 8th Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia

LOC: 300 block of E. Township Line Road

Date: 10/20 @ 1700 hours

20-year-old female, 1300 block of 54th Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft, criminal conspiracy, possession of marijuana and drug

paraphernalia

LOC: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/21 @ 1650 hours

33-year-old male, 1600 block of Mentor Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and criminal conspiracy **LOC**: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/21 @ 1650 hours

28-year-old female, unit block of Manoa Road, Havertown

CHGS: Simple assault and harassment

LOC: unit block of Manoa Road **Date**: 10/21 @ 0303 hours

48-year-old male, 100 block of Clearfield Road, Havertown

CHGS: Simple assault and harassment

LOC: 100 block of Clearfield Road

Date: 10/22 @ 0040 hours

32-year-old female, Unknown

CHGS: Retail theft, receiving stolen property and possession of drug

paraphernalia

LOC: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/24 @ 1435 hours

45-year-old male, 100 block of Bay 23rd Street, Brooklyn NY

CHGS: Retail theft, receiving stolen property, possession of a controlled

substance and drug paraphernalia

LOC: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/24 @ 1435 hours

41-year-old male, Homeless

CHGS: Retail theft and possession of drug paraphernalia **LOC**: Lowe's (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 10/24 @ 1243 hours

INCIDENTS:

Theft at the 2500 block of County Line Road on 10/18 @ 0305 hours – Victim reported that three packages were stolen from his porch after they were delivered.

Theft at the 100 block of Hillcrest Avenue on 10/18 @ 0748 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Theft at the unit block of Hillcrest Avenue on 10/18 @ 1735 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Criminal Mischief at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/18 @ 2144 hours – A security guard reported that approximately five to six males were observed taking pumpkins off the display and smashing them on the ground.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/19 @ 0937 hours – An unknown male and female stole a coat and Sephora products.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/19 @ 1024 hours – Two males and one female stole various items and fled the store.

Theft at the 1700 block of Tyson Road on 10/20 @ 1208 hours – Catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle.

Criminal Mischief at the 1600 block of Lawrence Road on 10/20 @ 1342 hours – An unknown actor cut down four small plants in her garden and placed dog feces on the rear patio.

Theft at the 200 block of Brentwood Road on 10/21 @ 1100 hours – Victim reported that his vehicle tag was switched out for another tag.

Identity Theft at the 1000 block of Weller Avenue on 10/21 @ 1743 hours – The victim reported that someone used her identity to open an AT&T account and purchase an iPhone.

Theft at the 800 block of Grove Place on 10/21 @ 1351 hours – Vehicle was entered – nothing was reported missing.

Retail Theft at Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/22 @ 1925 hours – 21-year-old female, 1900 block of Castor Street, Philadelphia was cited for the retail theft of \$139.99 worth of groceries.

Burglary at Roulston Landscaping and Tree Care (400 block of Mill Road) on 10/23 @ 1851 hours – Garage door was pried open and 14 chainsaws and 2 backpack blowers were stolen.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/23 @ 0926 hours – An unknown male stole \$139.33 worth of groceries.

Retail Theft at Acme (1300 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/24 @ 1804 hours – An unknown male stole \$396.70 and fled the store.

DATE: 10/25/2023 – 10/31/2023

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Citation

Moving: 19 Warnings: 10 Non-Traffic: 5 Parking: 106

ARRESTS:

20-year-old male, 300 block of Rittenhouse Circle, Havertown **CHGS**: Simple assault, terroristic threats and harassment

LOC: 300 block of Rittenhouse Circle

Date: 10/26 @ 1121 hours

56-year-old male, unit block of Lancaster Avenue, Downingtown **CHGS**: Robbery, theft by unlawful taking and receiving stolen property

LOC: Santander Bank (100 block of W. Township Line Road)

Date: 10/26 @ 1105 hours

31-year-old male, 5200 block of Kershaw Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and receiving stolen property **LOC**: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/28 @ 1340 hours

35-year-old male, 2100 block of Brighton Street, Philadelphia

CHGS: Retail theft and receiving stolen property **LOC**: Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike)

Date: 10/28 @ 1340 hours

25-year-old male, 500 block of Mill Road, Havertown

CHGS: Aggravated assault, simple assault, obstruction of law, resisting arrest,

defiant trespass and disorderly conduct **LOC**: 500 block of West Chester Pike

Date: 10/31 @ 1029 hours

30-year-old male, 600 block of Woodcrest Avenue, Ardmore **CHGS**: Simple assault, harassment and public drunkenness

LOC: 600 block of Woodcrest Avenue

Date: 10/31 @ 1813 hours

INCIDENTS:

Bicycle Theft at Haverford College (300 block of W. Lancaster Avenue) on 10/26 @ 1114 hours.

Theft at the 1700 block of Lawrence Road on 10/26 @ 2120 hours – Victim reported that \$15,000 was taken from her checking account after a scam call.

Theft at Lowe's (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/26 @ 1714 hours – Victim reported that her wallet was stolen from her cart while she left it unattended. The wallet was located at customer service but \$900 was missing from the wallet.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/26 @ 1228 hours – An unknown male and female stole \$138.31.

Criminal Mischief at the 2800 block of Belmont Avenue on 10/27 @ 2003 hours – The cords on two outdoor blowup decorations were cut.

Forgery at the 1500 block of Sunny Hill Lane on 10/27 @ 1610 hours – A check was altered and cashed after it was mailed.

Theft at the 200 block of Earlington Road on 10/27 @ 1803 hours – Victim reported that two boxes containing a set of golf clubs and golf equipment was stolen after it was delivered.

Fraud at Haverford College (300 block of W. Lancaster Avenue) on 10/27 @ 1948 hours – Victim reported that someone made two unauthorized purchases with his credit card.

Retail Theft at Giant (100 block of W. Township Line Road) on 10/27 @ 1457 hours – An unknown male stole \$30.00 worth of grapes.

Disorderly Conduct at The Yard Pub (300 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/28 @ 2324 hours – 47-year-old male, 100 block of 5th Avenue Broomall and 45 year old male, 200 block of Glendale Road was cited for disorderly conduct and public drunkenness.

Identity Theft at the 100 block of Decatur Road on 10/28 @ 0932 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open an AT&T account.

Theft at the 1200 block of Allston Road on 10/30 @ 1848 hours – Victim reported that two of her inflatable Halloween decorations were removed from her lawn.

Identity Theft at the unit block of Bennington Road on 10/31 @ 1227 hours – Victim reported that someone used his identity to open a new debit card and

withdraw \$10,000 from his bank account.

Retail Theft at Kohl's (200 block of West Chester Pike) on 10/31 @ 2002 hours – An unknown actor stole ten Sonicare toothbrushes valued at \$999.90.