ELSMERE POLICE DEPARTMENT Monthly Report July 2016

Significant Events:

On the following dates/times Elsmere Bureau of Police officers handled the below incidents and seized the following drugs, money and weapons during the month.

Update regarding thefts from vehicles

Officers have made a total eight arrests for subjects breaking into unlocked vehicles throughout the town over the past two months. These arrests seem to have stopped the thefts from vehicles, but we would still urge residents to lock their vehicle doors and windows.

June 17, 2016:

On June 17, 2016, at approximately 1825 hours officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Sanders Road for a report of an overdose. Upon arrival, Ptlm. Wingate located an unresponsive female with no pulse. Ptlm. Wingate immediately began CPR. EMS then arrived and CPR was continued while medics took over patient care. The patient did regained a heartbeat and was transported to Christiana Hospital ER for further evaluation.

June 18, 2016:

On June 18, 2016, Cpl. Kerrigan and Cpl. Davis responded to the area of 1200 Block of Maple Avenue for a report of an overdose in progress. Upon arrival, officers observed an unconscious male laying on the sidewalk and a bystander administering chest compressions. Officers did an assessment of the patient and determined he was suffering from a drug overdose. Officers administered (1) dose of Naloxone and the patient immediately showed signs of improvement. The patient began vomiting, breathing and regained a pulse. Elsmere Fire Company and New Castle County Paramedics arrived on scene, took over patients care, and transported him to Wilmington Hospital ER for further evaluation.

June 22, 2016:

On Wednesday, 06/22/2016, at approximately 12:30 a.m., PFC. West and PFC. Giles responded to the 1000 block of Baltimore Avenue in Elsmere for the report of a shooting. The initial investigation revealed that an unknown male and an unknown female suspect had fired multiple shots from a 9mm handgun into a residence occupied by one adult and two children. New Castle County Police Patrol and EDU units assisted with securing and processing the crime scene while officers West and Giles began their investigation.

In less than 24 hours from the initial incident, the officers were able to identify all parties involved and obtain a possible location of two suspects. On that same date, the officers obtained and executed a search warrant on a residence in the 100 block of Filbert Avenue. During the search, officers located a loaded Glock 9mm handgun, which is believed to be the weapon, used in the crime and 534 bags of heroin. With this evidence and through their investigation the officers were able to arrest Amariah Jackson (from the 200 block of W. 4th St. City of Wilmington) and Kendra LeGrant (from the 100 block of Filbert Ave. Elsmere) for their involvement in the incident. Officers currently have active warrants for a third suspect, Jarren Taylor (last known address in the 100 block of Winder Rd. in New Castle) who is still wanted by police.

Jarren Taylor (pictured w/dreadlocks, but currently has short cut hair) is currently *WANTED* for his involvement in the incident. Taylor may be operating a 2012 blue Ford Fusion and should be considered **ARMED AND DANGEROUS**. Anyone with information on his whereabouts is asked to call 911 or is encouraged to submit an anonymous tip through Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

Amariah Jackson (pictured w/hair up) was charged with Reckless Endangering 1st (3 counts), Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Felony, Possession of a Firearm by a Person Prohibited, Conspiracy 2nd, and Harassment. Jackson received \$24,000.00 secured bail and committed to Baylor Correctional.

Kendra LeGrant (pictured w/hair down) was charged with Possession of a Firearm by a Person Prohibited, Possession of Heroin Tier 5 Quantity, and Possession w/the Intent to Deliver Heroin. LeGrant received \$33,000.00 secured bail and committed to Baylor Correctional.



June 30, 2016:

On Thursday, June 30, 2016, PFC Giles and Ptlm. MacDowell were conducting proactive patrol in the Rosemont development in Elsmere. The officers observed two males; Louis Alvarado (18-year-old male from the 1300 block of Rodman Road) and Franki Lopez (18-year-old male from 1200 block of Maple Avenue) who were acting suspiciously behind a closed business on Old Dupont Road.

The officers attempted to stop both suspects who immediately fled on foot. PFC Giles apprehended both suspects under the Dupont Road bridge. PFC MacDowell then conducted a thorough search of the area and located a loaded Hi-Point .40 caliber handgun that the suspects attempted to conceal under a rock while fleeing from officers. After further investigation, the officers linked the suspects to a vehicle in the area that contained a black ski mask and other items related to a firearm. The firearm's serial number had been filed off and Franki Lopez was found to have marijuana in his possession.

Louis Alvarado was charged with Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Person (x3), Possession of a Firearm w/an Obliterated Serial Number, Criminal Trespassing, and Resisting Arrest. He was committed to Howard Young Prison for failing to post \$29,000.00 cash bail.



