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## Police Department

MONTHLY REPORT

January 2016

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*Professionalism*

*Integrity*

*Respect*

*Compassion*

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## DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

### January 2016

#### **Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E) Graduation**

D.A.R.E graduation was held on January 15th at the McCoy Center for Arts. Over 300 5th grade students completed eleven weeks of D.A.R.E classes covering, among other things, the health effects of alcohol and tobacco, resistance strategies (for risky situations), responding to peer pressure, stress, communicating effectively, the importance of making safe and healthy choices, and prescription drug use/abuse.

Because numerous students expressed interest in police canines, Franklin County Sheriff's Deputy Jeremy Copas and his K-9 partner, Autrey, attended the ceremony and demonstrated how police K-9s work.



#### **Dispatcher Hiring Process**

As the City grows so do the number of calls for service. The complexity of those calls has also grown. To ensure the police department maintains the desired level of service, a dispatcher hiring process has begun. Applicants have taken the standardized dispatcher test and the initial employment interviews have been scheduled for February.

#### **Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD)/Record Management System (RMS)**

The kickoff meeting for the installation of New World's CAD/RMS system was held on January 11th. The complete implementation of the system could take up to a year and New World is currently working to prepare the system for installation. It is anticipated that the dispatchers and officers will be trained on the use of the system in November.

#### **911**

With the city's current 911 system reaching its end of life, an agreement was signed to partner with the Metropolitan Emergency Communications Center (MECC) for the replacement of the current 911 system. The MECC's 911 system will provide New Albany with a more reliable 911 system that is compatible with expected changes in 911 services.

## COMMUNITY POLICING

### January 2016

#### **Citizen Police Academy Alumni**

The Citizen Police Academy Alumni members held their first quarterly meeting for 2016 on January 12th. President Chuck Hassey opened the meeting by thanking the members for volunteering 185 hours last year assisting the police department with special events and other tasks. During the meeting the members updated their contact information so that the department can reach them for assistance during critical events. The members also discussed other ways the alumni may assist the department and the community. For example, several alumni members recently aided the police department in trying to locate an elderly resident who left home and became confused and lost. Additionally, one member recently became a Ham Radio operator and spoke with the others about the possibility of becoming operators to facilitate communications during an emergency.

#### **Police Officer's Funeral**

On January 23rd several officers and a dispatcher attended the memorial and funeral for Officer Tom Cottrell. Officer Cottrell was murdered while on duty with the Danville Police Department on January 17, 2016. Officers from central Ohio participated in a procession to the OSU Newark Campus for the memorial. From there hundreds of police cars and officers participated in a procession to the cemetery to pay their respects and honor Officer Cottrell. Along the procession route hundreds of people could be seen standing with flags, paying their respects, and showing their support to Officer Cottrell's family.

#### **New Albany Safety Town**

As New Albany Safety Town approaches its 12th year serving New Albany and the greater Columbus communities the city is excited to announce a few changes. As the city has evolved to include roundabouts so will the Safety Town City. A miniature replica of the Market Street roundabout will be added to the Adventureland site. The curriculum will be modified to incorporate specific use of cross walks at a roundabout and campers will be able to practice these skills daily preparing them for life in their city. Thanks to Matt Morgan of Captain Carwash and Dan Keiser of Keiser Design Group, a permanent "car wash" for campers to ride through during their time at Adventureland will be added.

Last, but certainly not least, opening this year is a Pilot Graduate Camp for those campers who have already completed a Safety Town program and who will be entering 1st or 2nd grade in the fall of 2016. This one-week four day camp will provide campers with more in depth education on selected safety topics and will provide more hands on learning when possible such as with water safety, 911 situations and emergency safety skills. Camp registration will open for both camps on March 1st at 9:00 a.m. and will close at 9:00 a.m. on April 29, 2016. Please visit the Safety Town website at [www.newalbansafetytown.org](http://www.newalbansafetytown.org) for more detailed camp information.

#### **Police Department Tour**

On January 27<sup>th</sup>, Officer Southers arranged a police department tour for the New Albany Mom's Club. Several children were guided by Officer Southers as they toured the police department. After the tour, Officer Southers received a thank-you card from the N.A. Mom's Club.

## DETECTIVE January 2016

### Case Management Summary:

Below are the detective statistics for the month of January.

<b>Total Cases for the Month:</b>	<b>55</b>
New Cases Assigned to Detective	4
Old Cases Still Active	35
Cases Cleared in January	14
Total Cases at Months End	37
<u>Case Clearance:</u>	
Cleared by Charges Filed or Arrest:	10
Inactive Cases	3
Prosecution Pending	0
Exceptionally Cleared —	1
Other	0

Crimes:	Cases Assigned (Jan)	Open (Jan)	Closed/Inactive (Jan):
DOA	0	1	0
Bomb Threat	2	0	0
Sex Offense	0	0	0
Burglary and B&E	1	2	3
Theft	1	30	4
Stolen Vehicle	0	0	2
Other	0	2	3

Grand Jury Packets Submitted:	4
Grand Jury Packets Read:	0
Grand Jury Charges YTD (Indictments):	0
Search Warrants Signed and Executed:	0
Subpoenas Signed and Executed	2

All reporting stats are those only being handled by the Detective

— Exceptionally cleared indicates the case is closed in a way that one might consider atypical including death of offender, victim refuses to cooperate, prosecution declined, in custody of other jurisdiction, and juvenile/no custody.

## **SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER**

### **January 2016**

#### **Projects and Programs:**

On January 20th, 27th, and 29th Officer Southers conducted a school safety drill at the K-1, middle school, 2-5, and 2-8 buildings. They were the third safety drills of the year for those buildings and required students and staff to participate in a mock barricade drill simulating an active threat in the hallway directly outside of the classroom. All staff and students performed well during the drill using desks and chairs to barricade the doors.

#### **Enforcement/Calls for Service:**

Officer Southers was called to handle a variety of law enforcement matters throughout the month of January including traffic complaints, a report of pandering obscenity involving a minor, bomb threat, theft of cash, complaints of unsafe activity in the McCoy loop and telecommunications harassment.

# TRAFFIC

Citation Information	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Accident Citation	14	15	14	15
Non-Accident Citation	84	189	84	189
Parking Citation	6	4	6	4
<b>Total Citations</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>208</b>

Accident Report Information	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Property Accident	14	21	14	21
Injury Accident	4	1	4	1
Fatal Accident	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Accident Reports</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>

Calls for Service	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
1st Shift - 6a-2p	143	150	143	150
2nd Shift - 2p-10p	135	105	135	105
3rd Shift - 10p-6a	58	53	58	53
<b>Total Calls for Service</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>308</b>

Training Hours	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Internal	0	35	0	35
External	75	97	75	97
<b>Total Training Hours</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>132</b>

Miscellaneous Statistics	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
911 Calls	100	107	100	107
Assist Other Agency	21	19	21	19
False Alarm Reports	71	58	71	58
House Checks	344	186	344	186
My PD App (Tips, Questions, Compliments)	0	2	0	2
Motor Vehicle Assists	36	43	36	43
Property Impounds	25	36	25	36
Towed Vehicles	13	38	13	38

Top 8 Statistics	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Total Hours	29	28	29	28
Total Warnings	29	23	29	23
Total Citations	27	34	27	34

Top 8 Locations
SR 161 (Speed and Following to Close)
Southfield (Speed)
Dean Farm Rd @ New Albany Rd E. (Stop Sign)
Market Steet (U-Turn/Stop Sign)
Fodor Rd @ Swickard Woods (U-Turn/Stop Sign)
All School Zones (Speed)
Dublin-Granville between Kitz and Third St (Speed)
Kitzmiller Rd @ Smith's Mill Road (Speed/Stop Sign)

## CRIMINAL OFFENSES REPORTED

Part I Offenses Reported	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Arson	0	0	0	0
Aggravated/Felonious Assault	0	0	0	0
Breaking and Entering	0	0	0	0
Burglary	2	1	2	1
Rape - Forcible	0	0	0	0
Theft/Larceny	8	6	8	6

Part II Offenses Reported	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Assault (Simple)	2	1	2	1
Disorderly Conduct	1	0	1	0
Domestic Violence	1	1	1	1
Drug Abuse	4	6	4	6
Forgery/Counterfeiting	0	0	0	0
Fraud	2	2	2	2
Liquor Laws	1	15	1	15
Offenses against the Family and Children	0	0	0	0
OVI	5	0	5	0
Runaways (Under 18)	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property; buying; receiving; possessing	0	0	0	0
Vandalism	0	2	0	2
Weapons; Carrying; Possessing, etc.	4	0	4	0

## OTHER OFFENSES AND INCIDENTS REPORTED

Miscellaneous Incidents Reported	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Abandoned Motor Vehicles	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Trafficking	0	0	0	0
Animal Bites	0	0	0	0
Child Possession of Tobacco Products	0	0	0	0
Complicity	1	0	1	0
Contributing to Unruliness/Delinquency	0	0	0	0
Criminal Child Enticement	0	0	0	0
Criminal Damaging	0	0	0	0
Criminal Mischief	1	2	1	2
Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0
Criminal Simulation - Make or Alter	0	0	0	0
Domestic Dispute	1	0	1	0
Drug Paraphernalia	2	2	2	2
Dog Complaints	0	0	0	0
Falsification	0	0	0	0
Fireworks	0	0	0	0
Humane Destruction of Animal	0	0	0	0
Illegal Dumping/Littering	0	0	0	0
Juvenile Complaint	2	1	2	1
Lockouts	15	13	15	13
Menacing	1	0	1	0
Mental Health	2	2	2	2
Miscellaneous Incident	9	6	9	6
Missing Person	0	0	0	0
Obstructing Official Business	0	0	0	0
Pandering Obscenities with a Minor	1	0	1	0
Possessing Criminal Tools	0	0	0	0
Purchase, Poss or Sale of Traffic Control Device	0	0	0	0
Recovered Property	0	0	0	0
Resisting Arrest	0	0	0	0

## OTHER OFFENSES AND INCIDENTS REPORTED

Miscellaneous Incidents Reported	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
Suicide	0	0	0	0
Suicide - Attempt	0	1	0	1
Suicidal Tendencies	1	0	1	0
Tampering with Evidence	0	0	0	0
Telecommunications Fraud	0	0	0	0
Telecommunications Harassment	1	0	1	0
Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle	0	0	0	0
Unauthorized Use of Property	0	0	0	0
Violation of Protection Order	0	0	0	0

<b>Totals</b>				
<b>Total Reports Taken</b>	January 2016	January 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
	67	61	67	61

<b>ARRESTS</b>								
Arrest Summary	January 2016		January 2015		YTD 2016		YTD 2015	
	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor
Total Adults Arrested	1	11	0	23	1	11	0	23
Total Juveniles Arrested	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
<b>Total Arrests</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26</b>

<b>CHARGES FROM ARRESTS</b>								
Adults Charges from Arrest	January 2016		January 2015		YTD 2016		YTD 2015	
	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor	Felony	Misdemeanor
Total Adult Charges	1	23	0	29	0	0	0	29
Abduction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contributing to Unruliness of Minor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct by Intox	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Offense	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2
Endangering Children	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failure to Comply with Lawful Order	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Falsification	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FTC/FTA Arrest Warrant	1	3	0	10	0	0	0	10
Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Laws	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Obstructing Official Business	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVI	0	11	0	17	0	0	0	17
Physical Control	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Possessing Criminal Tools	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resisting Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tampering with Evidence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Theft/Larceny	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Violation of Protective Order	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0



