



Police Department

MONTHLY REPORT

April 2019

Professionalism

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DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

April 2019

National Telecommunicator Week

The dispatchers celebrated National Telecommunicator Week during the week of the fourteenth through the Twentieth. We enjoyed treats, dispatch bingo, showing our gratitude to other dispatch centers by sending thank you cards to surrounding agencies and dressing down for the week. One of the most significant parts of the week is revealing the dispatcher of the year. This year Anita Mercer was named our Dispatcher of the Year. Anita is a 20 year veteran of the department and she has been instrumental in the department's successful operations. Anita has also been a tremendous help during a vacancy in the chief's administrative assistant position. She has taken on much of the department's financial processes and many administrative duties. Anita is always friendly, encouraging and works to ensure the safety of the officers and the community.

Dispatcher Mary Ham completed steps necessary to become an APCO Certified Law Enforcement Communications Instructor. Mary has worked very hard to accomplish this goal. We couldn't be more proud of her accomplishment. The Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (**APCO**) is an international association that provides public safety communications expertise, professional development, technical assistance, and outreach.



Police Clerk Lauren Johnson receiving recognition.



Anita Mercer was named Dispatcher of the year.

Administrative Professionals Day

We celebrated Police Clerk, Lauren Johnson, for Administrative Professionals Day. Lauren ensures our department has the supplies needed for daily operations, processes all reports, traffic citations and criminal complaints, and acts as our court liaison. Lauren has been with our department for just over a year and has become a key part of our operations. She is genuine and happy to assist the public.

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Officer Training

Officer Bauman and Nauman attended a field training officer (FTO) course. Both officers successfully completed the course and are now certified as field training officers. The FTO is responsible for a new officer's initial training period and is tasked with the direct supervision and daily observation of the trainee. After the completion of police academy, new officers must successfully complete three phases of NAPD's field training program; this process typically extends beyond three months of training.



Sworn personnel completed a training day at the range this month

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National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

The New Albany Police Department partnered with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) on April 27th for the National Prescription Drug Take Back Day which aims to provide a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also education the general public about the potential for abuse of medications. New Albany's drop off location was the Plain Township Fire Department and officers collected 37 pounds of unwanted medication during the event. The removal of 37 pounds of medication from area homes is significant and ensures that the collected medication will not be abused, accidentally ingested or disposed of into the sewer system.

New Albany also offers a prescription drug drop off box in the lobby of the police department. The drop box can be accessed day or night to dispose of unwanted medications. Citizens can drop off their medications in the box at any time and simply walk out. In April the drop box collected 24.4 pounds of unwanted medication for destruction. We are pleased that 61.4 pounds of medication was collected in April between the Drug Take Back Day and the drop box in the police department's lobby.



New Albany Police Department's Drug Drop-off Box, Located in the Lobby.

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Multi Agency Response and Collaboration

Last month, the NAPD responded to three significant incidents requiring multi-agency request for support which was required to maintain an effective span of control. All three instances also required the utilization of specialized resources. We are thankful for the mutual aid contracts and collaboration we have here in central Ohio.

In the first of the three incidents, officers responded to a mental health crisis in which an individual was threatening suicide with a gun. After several hours of negotiation, the person in question surrendered and was taken to a mental health facility for evaluation.

In the second case, officers were tasked with making a warrant arrest for aggravated drug trafficking. The man refused to leave his home and was eventually found hiding in a closet after a K-9 alerted to his presence. Weapons were also found in the home.

In the third case, New Albany officers arrested a man for obstructing justice after he refused to cooperate with police during a traffic violation. After this man was released with a criminal summons, the department received a call that the man exhibited signs of instability and was deemed a homicidal threat to New Albany officers. With the assistance of area agencies, the suspect was detained and taken to a mental health facility for evaluation.

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New Albany Police Department Chaplain Corps Monthly Report

This report is intended to measure the collective activities of the Chaplain Corps and its benefits to the department and community.

I. Administrative Information	
Chaplain Name: Debra Lowery	Month / Year: April 2019

II. Activity Summary			
Cat	Activity	Number of Instances	Time Involved (hours)
A	Services to NAPD Personnel and Community	7	13
B	Support to other agencies	2	4
C	Indirect Services		4
TOTAL			21

III. Activity Detail
<p>Visited the station to recognize the dispatchers during National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week as well as made numerous other station visits to make contact with officers and follow-up on incidents. Volunteered at a portion of the Drug Take-Back event manned by Officers Kelly and Klinger and held at PTFD.</p> <p>Met with Chief Hoovler to discuss development of a chaplain program. Separately, checked in on PTFD firefighters after two recent central Ohio firefighter suicides to offer support.</p>

STATISTICS

Citation Information	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Accident Citation	13	6	62	38
Non-Accident Citation	100	85	330	333
Parking Citation	11	3	16	10
Total Citations	124	94	408	381

Accident Report Information	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Property Accident	26	12	111	61
Injury Accident	8	6	23	21
Fatal Accident	0	0	0	0
Total Accident Reports	34	18	134	82

Calls for Service	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Total Calls for Service	398	375	1637	1548

Training Hours	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Internal	108	132	114.4	132
External	334	65	386	470
Total Training Hours	442	197	500.4	602

Miscellaneous Statistics	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
911 Calls	112	77	456	321
911 Texts	0	0	1	0
Assist Other Agency	13	24	98	92
False Alarm Reports	67	47	244	227
House Checks	80	157	419	554
My PD App (Tips, Questions, Compliments)	2	1	5	8
Motor Vehicle Assists	13	8	40	23
Property Impounds	96	144	220	420
Towed Vehicles	23	25	85	110

Top 8 Statistics	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Total Hours	22	31	66	105
Total Citations	36	35	97	115
Total Warnings	13	47	65	157

Top 8 Locations
SR 161 (Speed & Following too Close)
US 62 BTN N/O Walton Parkway (U-turn, Speed, Traffic Control)
Walton Parkway (Speed)
New Albany Rd E E/O SR 605 (Speed)
Thurston Hall @ 62 (Stop Sign)
All School Zones (Speed, Pedestrian Violations)
SR 161 e/b off ramp @ 62 (Engine Brake)
Market Street / US 62 (Speed, Traffic Control, 2 Hour Parking)

CRIMINAL OFFENSES REPORTED

Part I Offenses Reported	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	1
All Other Larceny	3	1	6	7
Arson	0	0	0	0
Breaking and Entering/Burglary	1	0	7	4
Justifiable Homicide (Not a Crime)	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	1	0	3	0
Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Pocket-Picking	0	0	0	1
Purse Snatching	0	0	0	0
Rape - Forcible	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	1
Sexual Assault With an Object	0	0	0	0
Shoplifting	1	0	1	0
Sodomy - Forcible	0	0	0	0
Theft From Building	1	3	3	8
Theft From Coin Operated Machine	0	0	0	1
Theft From Motor Vehicle	2	0	4	2
Theft Of Motor Vehicle Parts/Acces.	1	0	1	2

Part II Offenses Reported	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Abduction	0	0	0	1
All Other Offense	3	4	12	21
Animal Cruelty	0	0	0	1
Assault (Simple)	4	0	12	9
Bad Checks	0	0	1	0
Bribery	0	0	0	0
Curfew/Loitering/Vagrancy	0	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	0	1	0	1
Drug Offense	11	16	58	77
Drug Equipment/Drug Paraphernalia	13	13	46	52
Drunkness	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0
Extortion	1	0	1	1
False Pretenses/Swindle	0	3	2	5
Family Offense (Non-Violent)	0	0	0	0
Fondling - Forcible	0	1	1	1
Forgery/Counterfeiting	1	0	2	0
Fraud - Credit Card/Auto Teller	0	2	0	4

Fraud - Welfare	0	0	0	0
Fraud - Wire	0	0	0	0
Gambling - Betting or Wagering	0	0	0	0
Gambling - Equipment Violations	0	0	0	0
Gambling - Operating or Promoting	0	0	0	0
Hacking Computer Invasion	0	0	0	0
Human Trafficking - Commerical Sex Crimes	0	0	0	0
Human Trafficking - Involuntary Servitude	0	0	0	0
Identity Theft	2	6	8	9
Impersonation	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0
Intimidation	2	0	3	0
Liquor Laws	6	2	19	11
Manslaughter - Negligent	0	0	0	0
OVI	13	5	34	26
Peeping Tom	1	0	1	0
Pornagraphy/Obscene Material	0	0	2	2
Prostitution	0	0	0	0
Prostitution - Assisting or Promoting	0	0	0	0
Prostitution - Purchasing	0	0	0	0
Rape - Statutory	0	0	0	0
Runaways (Under 18)	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0
Sports Tampering	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property; buying; receiving; possessing	1	0	1	0
Tampering with Evidence	0	0	0	0
Trespass of Real Property	1	1	4	2
Vandalism	0	0	4	8
Weapons; Carrying; Possessing, etc.	4	2	5	16

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Incidents Reported	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
DOA	1	0	2	0
Domestic Dispute - Non Violent	3	0	11	14
Humane Destruction of Animal	0	0	1	1
Lockouts	15	8	66	48
Mental Health Crisis	1	0	5	3
Push Bumper Release	0	0	4	0
Suicide	0	0	0	0
Suicide Attempt	4	2	7	3

Totals

Total Reports Taken	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
	97	70	337	343

