



POLICE BLOTTER

September 26, 2021 to October 2, 2021

Incident Date & Time: 9/27/2021 20:46
Incident Location: 100 block of Genessee Trl.
Incident Type: Fraud
Case #: 21-24136

A resident of the 100 block of Genessee Trail reported being the victim of fraud. The resident reports that from the end of May 2021 until the beginning of June 2021, he made application for and was granted a credit card, which would later be mailed to his residence. The residence discovered that two purchases had been made utilizing the card. On June 11, 2021 at approximately 2018 hours, said card, which was never received in the mail, was said to have been used in Garwood, New Jersey. The item purchased was in fact a gift card in the amount of \$600.00. Another charge was attempted on the card, in the amount of \$150.00, from an establishment in Plainfield, New Jersey, however, the charge was stopped from going through.

Incident Date & Time: 9/28/2021 4:49
Incident Location: 300 block of Orenda Cir.
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary - Attempted
Case #: 21-24177

A resident of the 300 block of Orenda Circle reports that an unknown suspect attempted to gain entry to his vehicle that was parked in his driveway. The attempt was made in the early morning hours of September 28, 2021.

Incident Date & Time: 9/28/2021 4:49
Incident Location: 300 block of Hillside Ave.
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary
Case #: 21-24171

A resident of the 300 block of Hillside Avenue reported a burglary to their vehicle which occurred during early morning hours on September 28, 2021. The vehicle was parked in the driveway and unlocked at the time of this incident. The resident reported that no items were missing from their vehicle.

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Incident Date & Time: 9/28/2021 4:55
Incident Location: 1000 block of Lawrence Ave.
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary, Motor Vehicle - Theft
Case #: 21-24175

A resident of the 1000 block of Lawrence Avenue reported an incident of motor vehicle burglary and theft. During the early morning hours of September 20, 2021, an Audi A-4 was parked in a resident's driveway when it was entered and stolen by unknown actor(s). The theft is believed to have occurred at approximately 0455 am.

Incident Date & Time: 9/28/2021 17:06
Incident Location: 100 block of Harrison Ave.
Incident Type: Fraud, Identity Theft
Case #: 21-24238

A resident of the 100 block of Harrison Avenue reported that they had received an e-mail from whom they thought was their cousin. The e-mail asked for a Target gift card to be purchased and the number on the card with the pin number scratched off and sent to them. The resident received an alternate e-mail in which they sent the gift card information to. The resident's cousin informed them that they did not send the e-mail and their e-mail may have been hacked. The resident was able to lock the gift card and suffered no monetary loss.

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Incident Date & Time: 9/28/2021 17:39
Incident Location: Kent Pl.
Incident Type: Suspicious Incident / Person / Vehicle
Case #: 21-24289

A resident of Kent Place reports a suspicious incident/person arriving at her home on 09/28/21 at approximately 5:39 PM. The individual in question is described as a white male approximately 25-35 years old, clean shaven wearing a gray suit going by the name "Chris". "Chris" claimed to be a representative of "ADT" Home Security Systems but did not have any identification on his person. The male stated that he needed to contact the homeowner for contractual purposes. "Chris" then left the area in an older model silver/gray Honda Sedan. Follow-up revealed that "ADT" did not have any representatives in this area nor do they just "show up" without appointments.

Incident Date & Time: 9/29/2021 1:34
Incident Location: 800 block of Lanberts Mill Rd.
Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary
Case #: 21-24283

A resident of the 800 block of Lambert Mill Road reports that an unknown actor burglarized their motor vehicle during the overnight hours between 09/28/2021 and 09/29/2021. The vehicle was parked in the driveway of the residence and is reported to have no items missing at this time.

Incident Date & Time: 9/29/2021 23:13
Incident Location: 100 block of East Broad St.
Incident Type: Suspicious Incident / Person / Vehicle
Case #: 21-24370

A resident reported that a group of individuals appeared to be talking about expensive audio equipment that can be seen inside the store from the sidewalk. When the resident addressed them, the group left the area and proceeded to travel northbound on Elm Street. One of the individuals returned to a dark colored sports car parked in the area and left prior to Westfield Police arrival. A check on the building deemed it secure.

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Incident Date & Time: 9/30/2021 1:05
Incident Location: Westfield Police Headquarters
Incident Type: Swatting
Case #: 21-24376

Westfield Police communications received a phone call for an individual that stated he shot his father and tied up his mother in the bathroom within Springfield's jurisdiction. Westfield Police notified Springfield Police who dispatched officers to the area and yielded negative results.

Incident Date & Time: 10/1/2021 12:00
Incident Location: 100 block of Marlboro St.
Incident Type: Identity Theft
Case #: 21-24862

A resident of the 100 block of Marlboro Street reports being the victim of Identity Theft. The resident states that on October 1, 2021 at approximately 1200 hours, he was notified of an attempt to open a new account with a banking establishment located in Garwood utilizing his social security number. He was also advised that an attempt to open a business account had also been made at a banking establishment in New York City. No monetary loss has been suffered at this time.

Incident Date & Time: 10/2/2021 14:47
Incident Location: 400 Block Rahway Ave.
Incident Type: Theft
Case #: 21-24653

A resident of the 400 block of Rahway Avenue reported being a victim of a theft. Victim reports an unknown suspect(s) stole a package from the entrance of their building.

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Incident Date & Time: 10/2/2021 23:15

Incident Location: 700 Block of Fairacres Ave.

Incident Type: Motor Vehicle - Burglary

Case #: 21-24704

A resident of the 700 block of Fairacres Avenue reported he was the victim of burglary to motor vehicle. Unknown suspects entered the unlocked vehicle and rummaged thru its contents without stealing anything. A search of the area was conducted for the suspects, which produced negative results.

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