

SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY 2/24/20 – 3/15/20



(This report does not include every call for service but rather serves as a highlight of notable calls where a report was filed.)

The past 3 weeks the South Milwaukee Police Department responded to **622** calls for service.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On March 3rd, an officer on patrol observed a vehicle near 15th and College Avenues turn Eastbound into the Westbound lane of travel. The vehicle moved to the correct lane of travel before the officer initiated a traffic stop near North Chicago and College Avenues. The driver, a 26-year-old Cudahy woman, showed signs of impairment. She was arrested and taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility. She was also referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on a charge of Operating While Intoxicated-3rd Offense.

On March 7th, officers were dispatched to the 1000 Block of Columbia Avenue for a report of an intoxicated person throwing things. Officers spoke with a 29-year-old South Milwaukee man who reported a 56-year-old Oak Creek man drove to the location and began to argue with him. The Oak Creek man also reportedly threw a lock against the building. The Oak Creek man showed signs of impairment and admitted to driving to the location. He was arrested and taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility before being referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on a charge of Operating While Intoxicated-5th Offense. He was also issued a citation for Disorderly Conduct.

On March 10th, officers were dispatched to a report of an individual passed out behind the wheel of a vehicle near South Chicago and Columbia Avenues. Officers located the vehicle running with the driver, a 29-year-old Oak Creek man, sleeping behind the wheel. Officers were able to wake up the man who admitted to smoking marijuana and taking prescription drugs. He was arrested and taken to the police station where he was issued a citation for Operating Under the Influence-First Offense.

WARRANT ARREST

On March 4th, a citizen reported a minor accident at the intersection of 15th and Milwaukee Avenues where the other vehicle involved left the scene. Officers located the vehicle in the 1800 Block of Rawson Avenue and initiated a traffic stop. A 34-year-old Oak Creek man, who was determined to be the driver, had a suspended driver's license as well as a confirmed warrant with the Racine County Sheriff's Department. He was arrested and issued citations for Operating While Suspended and Failure to Notify Police of an Accident. He was taken to the Racine County Jail on the warrant.

On March 5th, a citizen in the 1400 Block of Milwaukee Avenue reported an individual was refusing to leave his residence. The individual, a 41-year-old Oak Creek woman, originally left the residence prior to the arrival of officers but then later returned and officers were dispatched again. The woman was found to have a confirmed warrant with the Dodge County Sheriff's Office. She was arrested and taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility to await pick up by Dodge County Sheriff's Office authorities.

RETAIL THEFT

On March 5th, officers were dispatched to a report of an individual leaving a business in the 200 Block of North Chicago Avenue without paying for items. The individual left the scene in a vehicle and struck a parked vehicle upon exiting the area. Officers located the vehicle and initiated a traffic stop in the 1400 Block of College Avenue. The driver, a 28-year-old St. Francis woman, was arrested after officers located the missing items in the vehicle along with drug paraphernalia. She was taken to the police station and issued citations for Retail Theft, Hit and Run, Operating After Suspension, Operating a Motor Vehicle Without Insurance, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY

During the past 3 weeks Officers responded to:

- 9 911 Hang Ups/Unfounded Calls**
- 5 Alarm Calls**
- 20 Animal Complaints**
- 8 Warrant Arrests**
- 73 Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 3 Domestic Argument Calls**
- 29 Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 20 Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 13 Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 4 Drug Investigations**
- 22 Parking Complaints**
- 12 Noise Complaints**
- 39 Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 10 Suspicious Vehicle Complaint**
- 10 Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 7 Threat Complaints**
- 18 Traffic Complaints**
- 10 Theft Complaints**
- 9 Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 4 Unwanted Person/Patron Complaints**
- 121 Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 29 Welfare Checks**