



# **PRESS RELEASE**

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## **POLICE BLOTTER**

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Monday, September 14, 2009

0750 Ptl Tobias received information of a subject driving while under suspension. Tobias observed Michael Person driving away from 1257 Devon. He was arrested and transported to KPD jail. Citations for DUS and Failure to Reinstate were issued. The vehicle owner, Christina Welch will be issued a citation for Wrongful Entrustment.

1654Ptl. Mason was on patrol when he was advised of an intoxicated subject in the area of That Big Drive Thru. Upon checking the area, he located Ronald N. Baird, w/m 46, who was highly intoxicated and unable to care for himself. Baird was arrested and transported to KPD jail. 09-44776

1854 Crews were sent to the US Bank on Wilmington on the report of a fraud. Upon their arrival they determined that Jeannie S. North, w/f 44, had attempted to open a bank account with a forged check for \$600. North was arrested on felony charges and transported to KPD jail. 09-44796

1903Crews were sent to the area of Woodman and Dorothy on an erratic driver. Ptl. Price located the vehicle northbound on Woodman and witnessed several moving violations. Upon stopping the vehicle, it was determined that the subject was not intoxicated. However, when the vehicle was searched with the owner's consent several Xanax pills were located in an unmarked pill bottle. Brittany N. Confer, w/f 18, was arrested for drug possession and transported to KPD jail. 09-44797

Tuesday, September 15, 2009

1617 Ptl. Hawley was on foot patrol in Georgetown Apts. when he saw four subjects enter 151 Sheringham Apt F. Ptl. Hawley waited for the subjects to step back outside before making contact with them. During his conversation he was able to see inside the apartment and see numerous pieces of drug paraphernalia. Ptl. Price and K9 Bandit responded and performed a search of the apartment which led to the discovery of more paraphernalia and a bag of marijuana. James K. Snowden, w/m 27, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia. 09-44990

1701 Ptl. Gaudette and Ptl. McGuire were sent to 5601 Montgomery Sq. on a family trouble. Upon their arrival they located Brandon Garber, w/m 22, inside the apartment and the tenant advised that he had been trespassed. A check of the trespass file confirmed this and Garber was arrested and transported to KPD jail. 09-44999

2025 Ptl. Hawley and Ptl. McGuire were sent to the area of 2083 Valley Forge on a disturbance. Upon their arrival, they located Henry W. Huntington, w/m 73, and Nicholas P. Ferguson, w/m 27, who were intoxicated and creating the problems. Both were arrested and transported to KPD jail. 09-45025

2137 Ptl. Drayton stopped a vehicle on Stroop at Hempstead for several moving violations. Upon making contact with the driver, he found that he had been drinking. Richard M. Ratliff, w/m 45, submitted to the SFSTs and was found to be impaired. Ratliff was arrested for OVI and transported to KPD jail where he refused the Datamaster. 09-45028

Wednesday, September 16, 2009

1206 Ptl. J. Geisel was dispatched to the UDF, 1901 W. Stroop Rd to meet with a Moraine unit on a warrant detail. Upon arrival, he took custody of a Justin A. London W/M/30, for FTA/FTC on an original charge of Bad Checks. London was transported to KPD Jail without incident. 2006-65852

1345 Ptl. B. Abrams was dispatched to I70 at the 235 Exit to meet with an OSP unit on a warrant detail. Upon arrival, he took custody of Braden A. Horvath, W/M/23 for FTA/FTC on an original charge of Speeding. Horvath was transported to KPD Jail without incident. 2009-19022

## Wednesday, September 16, 2009

2300 Ptl Kisaberth was sent to MCSO Jail on a warrant service. After confirmation, he arrested Glenn D Surber, wm, 35; for an outstanding KMC bench warrant for FTC. He was transported to KPD Jail and booked. 09-25842

## Thursday, September 16, 2009

0045 Ptl's Woolf and Marcum were dispatched to the 3300 block of Bulah for a hit and run to a parked vehicle. A witness was following the suspect vehicle. Ptl Woolf located the suspect vehicle on Kantner and initiated a traffic stop. The driver appeared intoxicated. After failing the SFST's, Joel B Gilmore, wm, 34; was arrested for OVI and transported to the KPD Jail. At the jail, he agreed to submit to a breath sample and registered .118BAC. Gilmore was also found to be DUS. 09-45302

0615 Ptl Savino was dispatched to MCSO Jail for a warrant service. Upon arrival, he took custody of Brandon Cox, wm, 21; who was wanted on an outstanding KMC bench warrant for FTC/Speeding. He was transported to KPD Jail for booking. 09-5944

1711 Ptl. Charles was sent to the MCSO jail on a warrant detail. Upon his arrival, he took custody of Jesse D. Hargis, w/m 26, on our warrant. 09-7428

1730 Ptl. Warren was on patrol in the area of Glenheath and Clarendon on a traffic problem. Upon running the suspect vehicle, he found an entered warrant for the owner, Anthony C. Strother, b/m 40. Strother was located and arrested on the confirmed MCSO warrant. 09-45403

2315 Ptl's Aldrich and L Warren were dispatched to 3305 E Stroop Rd #104 for a subject that had been trespassed from the apartment complex (Colony of Kettering). Upon arrival they identified the subject in question, Steven D Duritsch, wm, 24; and verified the trespass. Duritsch was arrested and taken to Kettering Jail for processing. 09-45479

## Friday, September 18, 2009

0210 Ptl. Vandegrift was dispatched to MCSO Jail for a warrant pickup. Upon arrival, he took custody of one Travis J Baker, wm, 19; who was wanted on a KMC bench warrant for FTC/Underage Possession. He was transported to the Kettering Jail for booking. 09-31279

## Friday, September 18, 2009

1237 Ptl. G. Geisel was dispatched to 5701 Montgomery Sq. Dr Apt 102 on report of a non-breather. When he arrived it was discovered Natalie A. Durning W/F/46 had passed away sometime overnight, possibly from a drug overdose. Detectives were contacted for further investigation. 2009-45568

1340 Ptl. B. Abrams was dispatched to Delco Park, 1700 Delco Park Dr on report of a possible non-breather inside a parked vehicle. Upon arrival, it was discovered John Slater W/M/78, had indeed passed away. Detectives were contacted for further investigation. 2009-45579

1507 Ptl. Gaudette was sent to 3240 Gracemore Apt. 101 on a non-breather. Upon his arrival he found that a w/f age 53 had died. Det. Drerup responded to the scene to investigate and the coroner removed the body. 09-45587

2346hrsPtl Geckler stopped a vehicle at Grice and Woodman for multiple lane violations. Upon contacting the driver of the vehicle he gathered evidence that the driver had been drinking. Field tests were conducted, which the driver failed. Lynette M Salyer, wf, 31; was arrested for OVI and transported to KPD Jail for processing. She refused to submit to a test. 09-45677

## Saturday, September 19, 2009

0115 Ptl Aldrich stopped a vehicle at David and Hempstead for lane violations. The driver of the vehicle admitted to drinking at locations in The Greene. After failing SFST's, Michael D Nawalaniec, wm, 44; was arrested for OVI and transported to KPD Jail. He agreed to submit to a breath sample and registered a .138 BAC. 09-45697

0149 Ptl Savino made a traffic stop on Hilton at Old Lane for a stop sign violation. The driver was under several suspensions. Tarrelle L Sumlin, bm, 23; was arrested for DUS and transported to KPD Jail. 09-45701

0545 Dispatch had advised of new arrest warrants for two brothers in our city. Ptl's Mason and Geckler went to 2870 Woodman Drive to attempt service. At that location they identified both wanted subjects and verified all information. Michael L Simpson, wm, 19; and Robert D Simpson, wm, 21; were arrested on outstanding Arrest Warrants for Theft and Assault. Both individuals were transported to KPD Jail for booking. 09-39014

0845 Ptl's Franklin and Pittman were dispatched to 3303 Brickwall on a Domestic Violence call between two adult brothers. The call was up graded to a Code 3 with a knife involved. Officers arrived and spoke to Nicholas and Zachary Kaiser, Nick had just returned home after being gone for 4 days. They became involved in a fight after Zack threaten to call police. Nick grabbed a barbeque fork and stabbed the older brother in his left hand. Nick was transported to KMH and then JDC after treatment for pervious injuries.

Saturday, September 19, 2009

1505 Ptl. McGuire was sent to Meijer on a shoplifter in custody. Upon his arrival he learned that Jeffery L. Hunter, b/m 52, had stolen \$37.20 worth of merchandise. Hunter was arrested and transported to KPD jail. 09-45773

1953 Ptl. Price was on patrol in the 800 block of E. Dorothy looking for vehicle being operated by a driver who was DUS. Ptl. Price located the vehicle and stopped it after seeing that the physical description of the owner matched the driver. Jerry J. Arp, w/m 29, was arrested for DUS and a confirmed warrant through MCSO. A search of his vehicle located several narcotics, suspected to be Darvocet, that were tucked between the seats. Arp was transported to KPD jail and charged with Possession of Drugs and DUS. 09-45824

Sunday, September 20, 2009

0229 Ptl Mason observed a vehicle driver over one of the islands in the Elder Beerman parking lot. He followed the vehicle and stopped the subject at The Library Lounge. The driver appeared to be intoxicated and admitted to have been drinking as well as not having a valid license. After failing SFST's, Derrick Fair, wm, 41; was placed under arrest for OVI and transported to KPD Jail for processing. He refused to submit to a test and due to prior infractions was also charged with a refusal. 09-45905

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