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Medicine Drop-Box

The Osseo Police Department is now accepting unwanted and unused medications from residents in collaboration with the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office, Hennepin County Environment and Energy, North Memorial Medical Center and Partnership for Change. Osseo Police has set-up a medicine drop-box in its lobby located at 415 Central Ave. The box is an easy, environmentally safe way for Osseo-area residents to safely dispose of unused prescription medications.



The Osseo Drop Box is accessible, Monday through Thursday 7:30am till 5:00PM and Friday 7:30AM till 11:30AM in a secure and monitored location. Household prescription medications, over-the-counter medicines, vitamins/supplements, and pet medications will be accepted. No needles, sharps or syringes will be accepted.

From your Chief

I am proud to announce our first Citizen Academy that will be held every Wednesday from 6pm to 9pm from April 13th through June 22nd. This program will bring you up close to the Osseo Police Department inner workings. You will receive information on Patrol Operations, Investigations, DWI/ Narcotics, Tours of Hennepin County Jail and Dispatch Centers, K9/ S.W.A.T just to name a few of the opportunities we will offer to you.



To participate we require the applicant to be 21 years old and live or work in the City of Osseo. The application is posted online which can be downloaded and turn into the police de-

partment. There is no cost to you to be a part of this program.

Chief Shane Mikkelson

We hope you will give us some of your time so we can tell you why we do what we do as police officers serving our community.

Please check us out on our Facebook or website to see what is happening in your community today.

Thank you,

Your Chief,

Shane Mikkelson

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If you have any questions, concerns or would like to receive a copy of this newsletter please email us:

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The Blue Line Dispatch contains only a fraction of the calls handled by the Police Department



Just to Summarize

Suspicious Act

On January 6th at 9:00am, Officer Heather Starry responded to a call of a sleeping male in maroon car near the 500 block of 1st Ave NW. Upon arrival Officer Starry located a vehicle with a young male driver who appeared to be sleeping. Officer Starry made contact with the driver and ask what he was doing? The male occupant stated he was having trouble at home and is currently living out of his car. He stated he was waiting for school to start. Officer Starry gave the occupant a card with resources for shelters and advised him to speak to the school counselor's about a food program currently available to students.

Harassment

On January 26th at 4:57pm, Officer Todd Kintzi met with the reporting party in the lobby of the Osseo Police Department. The RP wanted to file a harassment report against her daughters ex-boyfriend. The RP stated her daughter was receiving harassing text messages from her ex-boyfriend and her daughter asked the ex to stop sending messages but he would not. Officer Kintzi called the suspect and left a message stating he needs to stop sending messages to the RP and her daughter.

Traffic Stop

On January 30th at 947pm, Tony Officer Mortinson stopped a vehicle for failing to vield to another vehicle. Officer Mortinson approached the vehicle, the driver advised him she did not have her license and did not have proof of insurance. The driver produced U.S. Passport as identification. Officer Mortinson ran a driver license check and found it to be revoked. The driver was cited for driving after revocation and given a demand for motor vehicle insurance form.

Burglary Report

On January 16th at 4:00pm. Officer Michael Smith responded to a burglary call at 100 Block of County Road 81. Upon arrival Officer Smith was met by an employee. The employee stated he noticed three Honda generators were missing from the showroom counter. The employee mentioned there was an alarm two days prior: however, the business was locked and everything appeared ok. The employee reviewed the security footage from the day of alarm and was able to see when the burglary occurred. The employee did not recognize the suspect. Check out picture of suspect on Facebook.

Assault

On January 30th at 12:12pm Officer Nick Enalund responded to an assault at the 500 block of 2nd St NE. Upon arrival Officer Englund spoke with the reporting party. The RP stated a resident reported he had been assaulted by another resident. Officer Englund spoke with the resident and he stated the suspect that lives across the hall tried to enter his room. He confronted the resident and she punched him 3 times in the left upper arm. Officer Englund told the resident he would alert the staff and have them keep an eye on the suspect. Officer Englund told the resident to stay clear of the suspect.

Open Door

On January 30th at 12:32pm, Officer Nick Englund was dispatched to the 400 block of 5th Ave. A passerby reported the front door had been open for the past 2 days. Upon arrival Officer Englund found no signs of forced entry and searched the home. Officer Englund was not able to located anyone inside. Officer Englund was able to secure the front door and notified the key holder of what was found.

Damage Property

On January 16th at 1:10pm, Officer Todd Kintzi was dispatched to a damage property report at the Osseo Middle School. Upon arrival Officer Kintzi met with the reporting party who stated about 2 days ago his vehicle was parked near the tennis courts and someone had kicked his driver door to the point he can not open it. He also found dents near the gas tank and on the right side door. A report and pictures were taken by Officer Kintzi. The damage was later found to be done by another student. Charges pending.

Open Door

On January 30th at 1:43am, Officer Brendan Current was on patrol when he noticed two subjects at the hockey rink located on 6th Ave NE pass operating hours. Officer Current made contact with subjects and advised them to use rink during business hours only.

Domestic

On January 31st at 12:19pm, Officer Todd Kintzi was dispatched to a verbal domestic between a mother and her 18yr old son. Upon arrival Officer Kintzi met with the reporting party who stated she caught her 18yr old son attempting to take money from her purse. The RP stated she confronted him and that started the verbal dispute. The RP told Officer Kintzi she was concerned with her son because he has issues and she has a licensed daycare in the home. The RP stated she no longer wants him in her home. Officer Kintzi met with the suspect who stated he did not have anywhere to go and he was depressed. Officer Kintzi advised North and the suspect was released to the North Ambulance service.