

**Stafford County** Sherifit's Office

## WEEKLY CRIME REPORT



**OCTOBER 28TH - NOVEMBER 1ST, 2024** 



### **ALPHA ZONE**

#### **PUBLIC INTOXICATION**

Truslow Road. A deputy responded to a disturbance. The caller advised a male was walking in the middle of the street, refusing to move out of the way of vehicles. Deputies made contact with the suspect and discovered he was intoxicated. The male would provide a false identity, which was quickly uncovered. He was charged with public intoxication and providing a false identity to law enforcement.

Stonehaven Drive. Deputies responded to a public intoxication call. The caller advised a known female was intoxicated and demanded the caller to take her to jail. Deputies made contact with the suspect who, not only had signs of intoxication, but was wanted out of Virginia Beach and Prince George County, Maryland. Her demands to go to jail were met for she was served on her outstanding warrants and charged with public intoxication. She was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail without bond.

#### WARRANT SERVED

Amazon, 220 Centreport Parkway. A deputy responded to an auto accident. While dealing with that, he discovered one of the drivers was wanted out of Texas on a felony offense with full extradition. The suspect was detained and charged with fugitive from justice. He was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail without bond pending extradition.

#### DUI

Burger King, 740 Warrenton Road. A deputy responded to a drunk driver complaint. The caller advised a Toyota traveling on Warrenton Road was swerving and ran a red light. The deputy located the suspect vehicle in the drive thru line at Burger King. The driver was not "having it her way" for when she stumbled out of the vehicle, suspected drug paraphernalia fell out of the vehicle. After noticing signs of intoxication and conducting field sobriety tests, the driver was detained. She was charged with driving under the influence, possession of controlled substances, reckless driving, and failure to obey a traffic light. She was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail on a \$2,000 secured bond.

#### ASSAULT

Anvil Road. Deputies responded to a fight at the basketball court. This fight involved juveniles over a game of soccer. While on scene investigating the fight, another fight broke out, this time involving adults. That fight was quickly broken up as deputies worked on determining what occurred. After investigating both fights, three (3) adults were charged with assault and battery, as well as, disorderly conduct. All three were released by the magistrate on personal recognizance. Four (4) juveniles received criminal complaints for assault and battery, as well as, disorderly conduct. A fifth juvenile received a criminal complaint for disorderly conduct.

#### VANDALISM

Motel 6, 401 Warrenton Road. A deputy responded to a disturbance. The victim advised he was in a verbal argument with a known female when she attempted to use a tire iron to remove one of his tires. When he prevented her from doing so, she would stab the tire with a knife. She was charged with destruction of property.

### **BRAVO ZONE**

#### DUI

Area of Richmond Highway and Cranes Corner Road. A deputy was traveling northbound on Richmond Highway when the Honda next to him drifted towards him, nearly striking him. *Fur-tunately*, a near *cat-astrophe* was avoided. The deputy began observing the vehicle as it traveled 11 MPH in a 45 MPH zone and conducted a traffic stop. The driver wasn't *hiss-terical*, but advised he was "tired." The deputy figured the *fur real reason* for his driving behavior was because of alcohol, considering the driver had signs of intoxication and admitted to *litter-ally* having "about two (2) beers." The driver was charged with driving under the influence, the traffic lane violation, and impeding traffic.

Area of Richmond Highway and Perchwood Drive. A deputy was transporting an individual to Rappahannock Regional Jail when he observed a Dodge failing to maintain the lane of travel. Due to the poor driving behavior, deputies responded to conduct a traffic stop. The driver had signs of intoxication, admitted to consuming beer prior to driving, and an open container of Mike's Hard Lemonade was located in the center console. She would also have a suspended license. She was transported to Rappahannock Regional Jail where she was charged with driving under the influence, drinking while driving, driving while suspended, and the traffic lane violation. She was held on a \$1,000 secured bond.

#### LARCENY

Walmart, 125 Washington Square Plaza. A deputy responded to a possible child abduction. The caller advised they feared a male and female were hiding a child in a tote. That was discovered to not be the case, but the tote was in fact filled with unpaid meat. Deputies with the Spotsylvania County Sheriff's Office located the suspect vehicle in their jurisdiction and detained the pair. The deputy made contact with the suspect and discovered the stolen Walmart food, as well as, stolen items from Giant, located at 35 Town and Country Drive. The male suspect was also wanted out of Stafford County for larceny. Both were charged with two (2) counts of larceny. The female was released by the magistrate on personal recognizance while the male was additionally served on his outstanding warrant and held at Rappahannock Regional Jail without bond.

#### HIT AND RUN

Area of Butler Road and Cambridge Street. A deputy responded to a spooky situation. The victim was traveling in the area when another vehicle merged into them. The suspect vehicle would quickly vanish like a ghost.

#### ASSAULT

Ringgold Road. A deputy responded to an assault. It was advised the suspect assaulted his girlfriend's father. Not only would this make the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday a bit awkward, but the suspect was charged with assault and battery. He was released by the magistrate on personal recognizance.

#### TRAFFIC OFFENSE

300 block of Chatham Heights Road. A deputy responded to a single-vehicle auto accident. A Toyota crashed into a concrete median. While the passenger stayed on scene, the driver did not. The driver was identified and was discovered to have a suspended license due to a previous DUI. Warrants were obtained but have not yet been served.



### **CHARLIE ZONE**

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#### ASSAULT

Jay's Sports Bar, 2866 Richmond Highway. A deputy responded to an assault. The suspect got an attitude with the victim after seeing him with another girl. In response, the suspect brought the claws out and assaulted the victim, breaking his glasses in the process. She was charged with assault and battery, as well as, destruction of property.

Maple Drive. A deputy responded to an offense. A witness heard a commotion outside and observed a female being assaulted by a male. Contact was made with the victim and it was discovered the suspect was her boyfriend. She was provided resources for Empowerhouse while a warrant for assault and battery was submitted for the suspect.

#### DUI

Area of Richmond Highway and Jason Court. A deputy was traveling northbound when he observed a SUV ahead of him swerving and traveling 65 MPH in a 45 MPH zone. The deputy conducted a traffic stop and made contact with the driver. When asked for a reason for his speed, the driver advised "no reason." There was apparently no reason for his swerving as well, despite admitting to having "a few Jack and Cokes." The driver would also have a revoked license from a previous DUI last year. The driver was charged with driving under the influence 2nd offense within five years, driving after forfeiture of his license, reckless driving, and the traffic lane violation. He would end up trick-or-treating in Rappahannock Regional Jail for he was held without bond.

Pelican Cove. The deputy was in the area when he observed a motorcycle run a stop sign at the Port Aquia Drive and Schooner Way intersection. The motorcyclist would then take off through the residential area at a high rate of speed. The deputy would conduct a traffic stop and make contact with the driver. The driver, who had signs of intoxication, admitted it was "easier" just to do a rolling stop instead of following the rules of the road. He would also admit to consuming at least one (1) beer. He was charged with driving under the influence, failure to stop at a stop sign, reckless driving, and refusal. He was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail until sober.

#### LARCENY

Jin's Garden Chinese Restaurant. A deputy responded to an a-paw-ling crime. Staff advised a male wasn't there for shrimp tem-pur-a, but instead their tip jar. The cat burglar left in a pickup truck that helped the deputy identify the suspect. The game of cat and mouse ended when the deputy located the suspect later into his shift. During a search incident to arrest, the suspect was found to be in possession of something stronger than catnip. He was charged with larceny and possession of a controlled substance. The suspect would have time for a cat nap considering he was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail without bond.

#### HIT AND RUN

Area of Courthouse Road and Austin Ridge Drive. A deputy responded to a grave problem. The victim was traveling in the area when another vehicle merged into them. The suspect vehicle would then take the Highway to Hell, also known as I-95. This mystery machine was described as a silver Toyota Tacoma



### **DELTA ZONE**

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#### LARCENY

Pear Blossom Road. A deputy would respond to a larceny. The juvenile victim advised his backpack, containing his wallet and phone, was taken by a large group of unknown males. After some searching, the victim's property was located nearby; however, the victim's phone had incurred damage.

Wawa, 920 Wonder Road. Deputies responded to a larceny. Staff advised a juvenile stuffed items into his backpack without paying. Deputies made contact with the suspect, who had ice cream bars and alcoholic beverages in his backpack, all the things a growing 15-year-old could want. The stolen items were returned to the business and criminal complaints for shoplifting and underage possession of alcohol were submitted.

Wawa, 920 Wonder Road. A deputy would also respond to the Wawa for juveniles misbehaving. Staff advised two (2) juveniles stole items before fleeing towards Publix. Deputies located the two suspects and each received a criminal complaint for shoplifting.

#### DISTURBANCE

Westminster Lane. A deputy responded to a disturbance. There was a large group of people involved in a verbal argument. It was discovered a resident yelled at a driver to slow down. In response, the driver got out of his vehicle, started a verbal argument, attempted to instigate a fight, and used abusive language towards another resident. The driver was not only lectured on his driving behavior, but charged with disorderly conduct and using abusive language. He was released by the magistrate on personal recognizance.

#### DUI

Stefaniga Road. A deputy responded to an auto accident. While en route, it was advised one of the drivers could be heard by dispatch stating he was going to "get locked up." The deputy made contact with all parties involved, including the at-fault driver. The driver had signs of intoxication, including the strong odor of an alcoholic beverage coming from his breath. He was charged with driving under the influence with a blood alcohol content greater than .2. He was held at Rappahannock Regional Jail on a \$2,500 secured bond.

#### **ALCOHOL OFFENSE**

AG Wright Middle School. Double, double toil and trouble, the deputy responded to a student in trouble. It was discovered a student brought in an elixir stronger than witches brew. The alcohol was seized and a criminal complaint for possession of alcohol on school grounds was submitted. Luckily, the student wasn't ex-spelled.

#### ASSAULT

Colonial Forge High School. The deputy was conducting his SRO duties when he was informed of a fight. While waiting for the bus a student was assaulted by two (2) other students. The two primary aggressors both received a criminal complaint for assault and battery.

Apricot Street. A deputy was in the area when he was approached by a female. The female advised her juvenile son was assaulted by a large group of unknown males. Video of the assault was obtained and the investigation is ongoing.

SCAM-AWARE
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**Victim** advised he received a call from someone posing as a Navy Federal Credit Union employee. The fake employee advised there were fraudulent transactions to his account and in order to keep his money safe, he needed to transfer everything to a CashApp.

**Victim** advised he received a call from someone posing as a Sergeant with the Stafford County Sheriff's Office. The scamming Sergeant informed the victim he had a failure to appear charge and needed to Apple Pay thousands of dollars to have it taken care of. When the victim responded to the Sheriff's Office, he discovered the truth of the scam.

**Victim** advised he was contacted by someone posing as a Dominion Energy employee. The deceitful Dominion employee advised the lights to his business would be shut off in less than an hour unless he paid up.

**Victim** advised she was contacted by someone posing as a Norton Antivirus employee. The nefarious Norton employee advised because the victim already paid for her yearly subscription he was going to send her money from a recent transaction back. Instead the scammer advised he sent too much money and she needed to pay him back using gift cards. Luckily, the victim talked to CVS staff regarding the situation, who informed her of the common scam. No money was lost.

This report does not encompass all of the reported crimes that may have occurred in the county, but only those noted for media interest. Anyone with information regarding the incidents listed in this report is asked to contact the Stafford County Sheriff's Office at (540) 658-4450.For ongoing updates, follow us on *Twitter*, *Facebook* and *Instagram*.

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