

**RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT**

**November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 - December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED**

Speeding: 19  
Registration Expired: 1  
Operating without insurance: 1  
Operating After Suspension (Civil): 1  
Failure to Carry Registration Certificate: 2  
Possession of Marijuana (Civil): 2  
Defective Equipment: 1

**TOTAL TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED: 27**

**TOTAL WRITTEN WARNINGS ISSUED: 35**

**INCIDENTS REPORTED**

Accidents: 3  
Citizen assist: 3  
Property Watch: 1  
Animal Problem: 1  
Welfare Check: 3  
Juvenile Problem: 1  
Traffic Hazard: 1  
Directed Patrol: 1  
Vandalism: 1  
Motor vehicle complaints: 5  
Fraud: 1  
Parking Problem: 1  
Citizen Dispute: 2  
Agency assists: 11  
Suspicious: 1  
Alarm: 1  
Family Fight: 2

**TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED: 38**

**ARRESTS:**

Operating After Suspension (Criminal): 2  
Domestic Assault: 1

**TOTAL ARRESTS: 3**

- 11/23/2017: I responded to a family fight at a residence on Meadow Lane. It was reported that the female aggressor had made suicidal statements during the altercation. An investigation

revealed that the female aggressor was a heroin addict who was attempting to detox. The verbal altercation with family members became physical and when she attempted to leave they tried to stop her from doing so by restraining her. The female refused any mental health aid and denied making any suicidal statements. Arrangements were made for her to stay elsewhere and she was provided a courtesy ride to that location.

- 11/24/2017: Cpl. Lindemuth stopped a vehicle on Route 117 for defective equipment. It was determined that the female operator's license was currently under criminal suspension. The female was taken into custody. She was processed at Richmond Police Department and released on citation to appear at Chittenden County Superior Court to answer to the charge.
- 11/26/2017: Cpl. Hamlin assisted Vermont State Police with an assault that had taken place at a residence in Jericho. During the altercation the male aggressor used a firearm to knock the victim's lower teeth out. Cpl. Hamlin was able to locate the firearm that was discarded outside the residence prior to the male aggressor fleeing the area in his vehicle. The male aggressor was ultimately located by Hinesburg Police Department and taken into custody. The victim was transported to UVM Medical Center where he received treatment for his injuries.
- 11/29/2017: Cpl. Hamlin and I responded to a report of a family fight at a residence located on North Road. Cpl. Hamlin was first to arrive and secured the scene. He learned that the male aggressor had fled the residence. When I arrived on scene I was approached by the male aggressor who subsequently taken into custody. An investigation revealed that the male had struck his 12 year old daughter in the head at which time the child's mother intervened and engaged in a brief physical fight with the male. The male was intoxicated and provided a breath sample indicating a BAC of 0.139%. The male was processed at Richmond Police Department at which time a Judge ordered him to be held at Chittenden Regional Correctional Center until sober and to appear the following morning at Chittenden Superior Court to answer to the charge of Domestic Assault. The Department of Children and Families was additionally notified of the incident. Upon arraignment, the male was released on conditions to have no contact with his daughter and not return to the residence.
- 11/30/2017: Cpl. Hamlin received a report of a fraud. The victim reported that he had paid a local contractor a \$900 deposit to repair a hot tub at his residence. The hot tub has not yet been repaired and all attempts to contact the contractor have been unsuccessful. The investigation is ongoing.
- 12/01/2017: Cpl. Hamlin responded to a reported structure fire at a residence located on Huntington Road. Cpl. Hamlin was first on scene and was able to locate the two occupants of the home and their family dog and secure them safely in his patrol car. Richmond Fire Department, Williston Fire Department, Huntington Fire Department, Bolton Fire Department and Richmond Rescue all responded to the scene. The fire was ultimately suppressed. Richmond Fire Department requested a Fire Investigator to the scene due to suspicion that the recently purchased home had issues which led to the fire.
- 12/02/2017: Cpl. Hamlin assisted Williston Police Department with a reported physical altercation between a male and female on the roadside on Industrial Avenue. The male and female had both been consuming alcohol and had been arguing while driving home from dinner.

The argument escalated to a physical fight in the vehicle. The male operator was ultimately taken into custody by Williston Police Department for driving under the influence. Cpl. Hamlin provided the female party with a courtesy ride to her residence.

- 12/03/2017: While on patrol I observed a male operating a vehicle on Bridge Street who I knew to have a criminally suspended operator's license. I conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of West Main Street and Jericho Road. The male was taken into custody and processed at Richmond Police Department. He was released on citation to appear at Chittenden Superior Court to answer to the charge.
- 12/03/2017: While investigating a suspicious vehicle parked at the Volunteer's Green parking lot I discovered it to be occupied by 4 individuals who had been smoking marijuana in the vehicle. One of the females immediately surrendered approximately 2 grams of marijuana. Consent was ultimately granted to search the vehicle at which time I located 3 bongs, 1 glass pipe, 1 grinder and an additional 2 grams of marijuana. The two females were issued court diversion citations for Minor in Possession of Marijuana. They were subsequently released to their mother along with one of the males. The other male was provided with a courtesy ride to Williston.

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