

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

July 15, 2014-July 28, 2014

TRAFFIC TICKETS

Speeding: 34

Vehicle not inspected: 8

Failure to yield: 2

No registration: 3

Failure to carry registration: 1

Operating after suspension (civil): 8

Field to yield left turn: 1

Display of plates: 1

Traffic control signals: 1

TOTAL: 59

WRITTEN WARNINGS ISSUED: 61

PARKING TICKETS ISSUED: 2

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Accidents: 5

Domestic assault: 1

Citizen assists: 3

Fireworks complaint: 1

Animal problem: 2

Agency assists: 15

Alarms: 5

VIN number verification: 4

Unlawful mischief: 1

Operating after suspension (criminal): 2

Suspicious circumstances: 4

Lost/found property: 2

Property watch: 4

Motor vehicle assists: 2

DUI: 1

Fraud/scam: 1

Motor vehicle complaint: 2

Missing person: 1

Unsecure building: 1

Citizen dispute: 1

TOTAL INCIDENTS: 58

ARRESTS

Leaving the scene of an accident: 1

Operating after suspension (criminal): 2

Careless & Negligent operation: 1

DUI: 1

Domestic assault: 1

TOTAL ARRESTS: 6

- July 15, 2014@ 23:51 hours, Officer Lance Martel made a traffic stop on River Road for defective equipment. The male operator was currently under criminal suspension for numerous prior infractions. He was taken into custody and processed for criminal DLS. He was released on a citation ordering him into Chittenden Superior Court to answer the charge.
- July 16, 2014@15:46 hours, Officer Brett Lindemuth conducted a motor vehicle stop on River Road. The female operator was under criminal suspension for life for prior DUI and suspension convictions and a pending DUI arrest which she blew in excess of .21%. She was transported back to the office where she was processed and cited to appear in Chittenden Superior Court to answer the charge. She was released to a responsible adult.
- July 20, 2014@ 17:30 hours, Sgt. Jake Hansell and Officer Matt Nadeau responded to Jericho to assist the Vermont State Police for a missing 8 year old autistic boy who had wandered off from home. Our officers were the first on scene and located the boy a short time later. Sgt. Hansell requested rescue respond to the scene as it appeared the boy had fallen in the woods and injured an eye.
- July 20, 2014@ 20:36 hours, Sgt. Jake Hansell and Officer Matt Nadeau responded to a serious motorcycle accident on Duxbury Road a short distance over the Richmond line in Bolton. Our officers were the first emergency responders to arrive at the scene. Upon arrival the single occupant was still alive and the motorcycle had to be removed off of him so rescue could attend. The male was transported by Richmond Rescue to the Fletcher Allen where he was pronounced deceased. Sgt. Hansell and Officer Nadeau went to the victim's home located in Richmond and had to advise the family.
- July 24, 2014@ 08:22 hours, Officer Rick Greenough was called to a two vehicle accident on West Main Street near the Mobil. After the collision one operator fled the scene. Officer Greenough was able to track the operator to his Huntington home where he was issued a citation to appear in Chittenden Superior Court to answer a charge of leaving the scene of an accident.
- July 24, 2014@ 16:08 hours, Officer Lance Martel took a fraud/scam complaint from a female Richmond resident. The complainant was an attempted victim of fraud when she received a third party check for \$1,000 for \$200 worth of merchandise. The victim recognized this as a scam and did not process the check. These types of cases are becoming more prevalent.
- July 24, 2014@ 00:22 hours, Officer Lance Martel stopped a vehicle for erratic operation near exit 11. The female operator was determined to be operating while under the influence of alcohol. She was taken into custody and processed at the office where she blew a BAC of .136%. She was released on a citation to an adult sober friend ordering her into Chittenden Superior Court to answer a charge of DUI.

- July 26, 2014@ 00:58 hours, Officer Lance Martel assisted Williston Police with a domestic assault. The male offender was identified and located and lodged at the county jail facing 2 counts of domestic assault and 1 count of denying access to emergency services.
- July 26, 2014@ 08:57 hours Officers Bill Bullock and Rick Greenough assisted the Vermont State Police-Lamoille in locating a male suspect wanted for domestic assault. Our officers located the male in Riverview Commons Park where he was taken into custody. Officer Bullock transported the suspect to the State Police barracks in Williston where he was turned over to Troopers and later lodged at the regional correctional center.
- July 26, 2014@ 17:00 hours, Sgt. Jake Hansell and Officer Matt Nadeau responded to an assault call on East Hill Road. It was determined that a female confronted her ex-boyfriend about cheating on her and then punched him in the face three times. The suspect in the case was identified and later located. Officer Nadeau flash cited her to appear in Chittenden Superior Court on July 29th to answer a charge of domestic assault.
- July 27, 2014@ 12:47 hours, Officer Brett Lindemuth responded to a BOL request by the Vermont State Police dispatch center for a Quebec registered vehicle headed northbound on interstate 89 toward exit 11 that was driving erratically and they had no troopers available. Brett took up a position near exit 11 and observed the vehicle travelling at a speed well below the limit and was all over the roadway. He attempted to pull the vehicle over which initially refused to stop finally pulling over north of the Williston rest area. The female operator was screened for possible DUI/drugs and an officer from Williston P.D. trained in drug reconization responded to the scene. The DRE advised that the operator was impaired but based on testing could not determine which drug she was on. Officer Lindemuth at this point cited her into Chittenden Superior Court to answer a charge of Careless & Negligent operation of a motor vehicle. Additional charges could be forthcoming based on the DRE's evaluation. Her adult children responded from Montreal to pick up the operator, her dog and her vehicle.

SUBMITTED BY: Chief Alan F. Buck