

RICHMOND POLICE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY REPORT

July 24, 2018-August 13, 2018

Traffic Tickets Issued:

Vehicle Not Inspected: 2

Speeding: 6

No Registration: 2

No

Insurance: 2

Operating after Civil Susp: 1

No License: 1

Driving on roadways laned for travel: 1

Total Traffic Tickets Issued: 16

Total Written Warnings Issued: 9

Total Parking Tickets: 16

INCIDENTS REPORTED:

Burglary: 1

Directed Patrol: 2

Agency Asst.: 10

Sex Offender check: 3

VIN Verification: 3

Motor Vehicle Compl: 1

Citizen Asst.: 3

Alarms: 1

Accidents: 5

Juvenile Problem: 3

Animal Problem: 2

Suspicious: 4

Citizen Dispute: 1

Property Watch: 1

Parking Problem: 4

TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED: 44

- On 07/24/2018 I was dispatched to a report of an attempted burglary on Christmas Hill Road. The resident reported that upon returning home from a long weekend away she noticed that the top, center portion of her garage door had been damaged. There were obvious pry marks to the outside of the door. The homeowner advised that there was nothing missing from the residence and she did not believe anyone had entered the property. No suspects at this time.
- On 07/24/2018 Cpl. Lindemuth responded to a single vehicle roll over that was originally reported on Gillette Pond in Richmond. The male operator fell asleep behind the wheel and hit a ledge on the pond side of the road just over the Huntington town line. The vehicle flipped onto its roof and the airbags deployed. The operator was not intoxicated and ultimately transported to the hospital by Richmond Rescue.
- On 07/26/2018 Cpl. Bullock responded to a report of an elderly male inappropriately touching his 12 year old granddaughter approximately two weeks prior. Per protocol, Cpl. Bullock completed an intake with the Chittenden Unit for Special Investigations and notified DCF.
- On 07/30/2018 I met with a resident of Wes White Hill, who expressed concern with the parking and foot traffic at the Wes White Hill/Cochran Road intersection. I responded to the area, issued a parking ticket and walked the path that leads from Wes White Hill to the swimming hole. I encouraged other members of Richmond PD to conduct a foot patrol of this area periodically as well to increase visibility in this area.
- On 07/31/2018 Cpl Lindemuth responded to a report of a single vehicle motor vehicle crash on East Main Street, in the area of the Andrews Farm. The elderly operator had been hiking all day and did not properly hydrate, resulting in the operator passing out while behind the wheel. The vehicle crossed lanes in to oncoming traffic at 35 MPH, travelled down a bank and crashed into a tree. The operator was evaluated by Richmond Rescue and released to the care of her husband. Cpl. Lindemuth issued the operator a Vermont Civil Violation Complaint for Driving on Roadways Laned for Travel and requested that the operator be re examined to ensure they can still safely drive.
- On 08/01/2018 Cpl. Bullock and I responded to Maghee Hill Rd in Hinesburg to assist Hinesburg Police Chief Frank Koss, who was attempting to locate a vehicle that had refused to stop for him.

- 08/01/2018 Cpl Bullock and I were requested to assist the Vermont State Police with traffic control in the area of West Main Street and I-89, Exit 11 while they dealt with a motor vehicle collision involving a car and a tractor trailer.
- On 08/01/2018 Cpl Lindemuth assisted a resident who was seeking assistance dealing with a male who was not respecting her desire to not have online contact with him and supposedly showed up unannounced at her residence. The complainant was not willing to identify the male, but wished to know what her options were regarding a restraining or stalking order.
- On 08/02/2018 an employee of CESU reported that one of the district's drivers was found to have an unloaded handgun in his vehicle as he was transporting students. It was reported that the weapon also had a trigger lock on it. Incident was also reported to DCF.
- On 08/02/2018 Cpl Bullock responded to a call stating that a resident on Roger's Lane had made suicidal statements to a customer service employee of an insurance company. With the assistance of Williston PD and a K-9 from the Vermont State Police the residence and surrounding area were searched with negative contact. Cpl Bullock later spoke to the resident, who had been out of town for the day. He stated that he made the statement to the insurance company in an attempt to get the bill collectors to back off.
- On 08/04/2018 Cpl Bullock was requested to assist Hinesburg PD with an individual wanting to commit "suicide by cop". The subject was taken into custody without incident a short while later.
- On 08/06/2018 I responded to a single vehicle motor vehicle collision on Kenyon Road. The operator advised that a pick up truck was on her side of the road, she moved right to avoid a collision and went into a ditch. There was moderate damage to her vehicle and she was transported to the hospital with a possible elbow dislocation.
- On 08/08/2018 I was dispatched to the Richmond Park and Ride to assist with an 8 year old child who was entangled in their seatbelt. The child was uninjured, but her mother could not free the child from the seatbelt. Upon arrival mom informed me that she cut the seatbelt and buckled the child in to another seat belt.
- On 08/08/2018 Cpl Bullock assisted a resident on Dugway Road who had paid a contractor to remove an unwanted tree from the yard, but the tree had not yet been removed. Cpl Bullock was able to make contact with the contractor, who coordinator with a subcontractor to remove the tree.

Community Outreach:

- On 07/24/2018 Cpl Lindemuth was on patrol and observed a resident and his two minor sons operating remote control cars in the roadway. Cpl Lindemuth made contact with the trio and ultimately awarded the group with free creemee coupons for their safe vehicle operation.

- On 08/01/2018 Interim Director Aumand and I hosted “coffee with a cop” at Sweet Simone’s on Bridge Street. We had a number of residents stop and share some thoughts and concerns with us. We are working to schedule another event in the near future.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Acting Sgt. Rick Greenough