

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

May 27, 2014-June 9, 2014

TRAFFIC TICKETS

Speeding: 10	Failure to carry registration: 2
Operating while suspended (civil): 4	Limitations on passing: 2
No registration: 2	Operating left of center: 2
Possession of marijuana: 1	Vehicle not inspected: 4
Seatbelt violation: 1	Possession of license: 1
Stop sign: 1	Display of plates: 1

TOTAL: 31

WRITTEN WARNINGS: 32

PARKING TICKETS: 9

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Accidents: 4	Alarms: 3
Suspicious circumstances: 3	Miscellaneous: 1
Agency assists: 11	Welfare checks: 2
Juvenile problem: 1	Traffic hazards: 3
Public speaking: 1	Citizen disputes: 3
Animal problem: 1	Parking complaints: 3
Citizen assists: 3	Property watch: 2
Fraud: 2	E-911 Hang-ups: 2
DUI: 2	Suicide attempt: 1
Motor vehicle complaint: 2	Petit larceny: 2

TOTAL: 52

ARRESTS

DUI-alcohol: 1

DUI-drugs: 1

Careless & Negligent operation: 1

Resisting arrest: 1

TOTAL: 4

- The 97TH Basic Full-time police academy recently graduated and we had one new officer graduate, Matt Nadeau. He has an additional 4-5 weeks of academy classes to take during the post basic before he starts his field training. I would also like to commend Cpl. Jacob Hansell as he was awarded the Leadership Award which is chosen by the class members with oversight from staff. He was recognized as the best training assistant during the 97th basic academy.
- May 30, 2014@ 09:30, myself and Officer William Bullock responded to a T.T. unit fire on I.S. 89 (N), north of exit 11. As the first officer on scene I stopped all northbound traffic due to the extensive fire on going and had Officer Bullock stop traffic from getting on at exit 11. We were on scene for hours as the trailer and its load of Cabot cheese burned. Four fire departments, Richmond, Jericho-Underhill, Bolton and Williston had to respond to the scene to fight the intense fire. The operator of the rig was taken to the emergency room by Richmond Rescue after he collapsed at the scene.
- May 31, 2014@ 15:52, Officer William Bullock took a theft complaint from our Bordeaux resident who is back in the area. He has made claims of a slot machine being stolen and two of his cats being killed. There is no evidence that either of these incidents occurred. It appears that the cats may have starved to death.
- June 1, 2014@ 01:28, Officer Lance Martel made a motor vehicle stop on a female who repeatedly crossed the fog line. The female was taken into custody for suspicion of operating while under the influence of alcohol. At 02:17 hours an evidentiary test was administered and she registered a BAC of .08%. She was issued a citation to appear in Chittenden Superior Court to answer a charge of DUI.
- June 2, 2014@ 15:09, Officer Lance Martel took a credit card fraud complaint. The card owner had \$400+ worth of items purchased on it from a store located in the State of Florida.
- June 3, 2014@ 22:13, Cpl. Jake Hansell took another credit/debit card fraud. The victims had over \$800 worth of items purchased from several locations at store located again in the State of Florida.
- June 7, 2014@ 17:16, Officer Lance Martel responded to Riverview Commons with Richmond Rescue for a suicide attempt. The female had taken in excess of 50 Advil tablets in this attempt. She was transported to the emergency room for treatment and evaluation.
- June 7, 2014@ 21:57, Officer Lance Martel made a traffic stop on West Main Street for a vehicle that had swerved over the centerline on numerous occasions. The male operator who identified himself as the former Director of Vt. Corrections and the current V.P. of an alcohol/drug treatment facility was believed to be under the influence of a combination of alcohol and drugs. A DRE Trooper was requested who screened the man for drugs and

determined he had probable cause to believe that he was under the influence of drugs. A roadside breath test had registered a BAC of .049%. When they attempted to take him into custody he tried to reveal a badge and then became combative while being placed into handcuffs. He was taken to the emergency room to have evidentiary blood drawn which was collected and later sent to the lab. He will be charged with DUI-drugs, Resisting arrest and Careless & Negligent operation.

- June 9, 2014@ 00:14, Officer Martel and Officer Eric Sheppard responded to the Richmond Park & Ride for a male sleeping in what was determined to be a stolen vehicle out of the City of Winooski. The male was taken into custody and a search of the vehicle was conducted in which many syringes were located, white powder, a stolen cell phone and credit card. Before being taken to the jail the male started having dope withdrawals and Richmond Rescue was summoned to the scene. He was then taken to the emergency room prior to being turned over to Winooski and then lodged at the county jail.

Submitted By:

Alan F. Buck

Chief of Police

VERMONT CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING COUNCIL

Be it known that

Corporal Jacob Hansell

Is the training assistant who excelled in demonstrating leadership by example, professionalism, purposeful discipline, motivation, approachability, physical fitness, and a sense of humor in the 97th Basic Class for Full-time Police Professionals.

February 3rd - May 23rd, 2014

LEADERSHIP AWARD

Richard B. Gaucher
Executive Director

