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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary July 24th – 30th, '16

Navigating the new Crime Mapping website for details

(Click the image below for details:  -the Police badge,  under visible agencies
√ - the box for the Pittsfield Twp. map, √ -show only records from this agency, √ - on Reports for details)

CrimeMapping Alerts / Notices of “verified reported incidents” in your neighborhood:
This tool provides accurate information on “reported incidents” in real time from 500 ft. to 2 miles from your home. You can also access the Sex Offender’s registry. Residents can get the alerts by email / text, sign up today.



Family Online Safety Institute (FOSI) Tip Sheet: What is Pokémon Go?

Learn about the mobile app, Pokémon Go, and what parents should know. The App encourages users to go outside, explore their community, and play the game while on the move. It is important to talk to kids about paying attention to their surroundings while playing, and not using the game while driving, biking or doing other activities.

2. The game requires access to the GPS function of your device. It uses the user’s location to show Pokèmon that are nearby. The game also snaps photos of the Pokèmon characters when you catch them. Talk to your kids about being safe when uploading these photos to social media, careful not to give away their location.

3. While using this app, you can expect to use a large amount of data and battery power. Parents should make sure their kids are aware of this and consider using the Battery Saver

For more information on “privacy and good digital parenting tips” click the image below.



WEEKLY FIRE SUMMARY

Total Calls for Service 2016: 1,448

**Fire Incident: Grass Fire
Fire Report #16-1451**

On July 24, 2016, at 8:29 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2000 block of Arbor Circle E. to put out a grass fire.

**Fire Incident: Grass Fire
Fire Report #16-1470**

On July 26, 2016, at 4:06 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 3100 block of Ann Arbor Saline Rd. to put out a grass fire.

**Fire Incident: Vehicle Crash / Fire
Fire Report #16-1471**

On July 26, 2016, at 4:41 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to E. B. I-94 and S. State Street to a vehicle fire and crash.

**Fire Incident: Controlled Burn
Fire Report #16-1472**

On July 26, 2016, at 10:32 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to Washtenaw Ave. and Foster Ave. to assist with putting out a controlled burn.

**Fire Incident: Structure Fire / Mutual Aid
Fire Report #16- 1476**

On July 28, 2016, at 3:49 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 270 block of Clark St. in the City of Saline to assist the fire department with a structure fire.

**Fire Incident: Wires Down
Fire Report #16-1484**

On July 29, 2016, at 2:44 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to Carpenter Rd. and Packard Rd. for wires down.

**Fire Incident: Mutual Aid / Crash / Extrication / Brush fires
Fire Report #16-1485 / 1486 /1487**

On July 29, 2016, starting at 2:53 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel provided Mutual Aid in a crash , extraction and putting out grass fires on SB US-23 and W. Michigan Ave, NB-23 and Willis, and NB US-23 and Stony Creek Rd.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the Week: 353

Total Calls for Service 2016: 9,125

The Pittsfield Police Department is actively addressing quality of life traffic issues and concerns residents are reporting. This spring the police department has seen an increase in traffic complaints in subdivisions as well at intersections. The police department has been assigning officers to specific locations where they are able to monitor, stop, and educate drivers on violations.

If you are experiencing traffic issues in your subdivision please contact Lt. Sean McCormick at mccormicks@pittsfield-mi.gov. Please provide information pertaining to the type of violations being observed along with the day and time violations are most prevalent.

Police Incident: Unarmed Robbery

Complaint# 16-9391

On July 29, 2016, at 10:55 p.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4500 block of Washtenaw Ave. for reported Unarmed Robbery. The victim reported that he was riding his bike and was approached by four African American juvenile males, he was assaulted and his bike was stolen. One person was taken into custody and the bike was recovered. The incident remains under investigation.

The above named incidents remain under investigation. If anyone has any information about or has been a witness to any of these crimes, please contact the Pittsfield Township Department of Public Safety at 734-822-4911 or the confidential tip line at 734-822 4959. Residents are encouraged to sign up for Pittsfield Township alerts and department notices through “[Notify Me](#)”. Please go to www.pittsfield-mi.gov to sign up.