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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary
May 19th – 25th 2013

Crime Map For The Week Of May 19th – 25th 2013



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

Prom and Graduation Safety Tips for 2013:

On Monday June 3rd 2013, from 6 to 7pm at 6227 West Michigan Avenue an informational meeting will be held to provide safety tips for parents and teens planning graduation parties. The meeting will be in the multipurpose room. An overview of Public Act #125 will be reviewed. Public Act #125 is a Michigan law prohibiting renting hotel or motel rooms to minors. The Motel and Hotel Association of Washtenaw County enforces this law by not renting to individuals under the age of 18. Information on the latest trends in substance abuse and a backpack featuring legal and illegal items will be on display.

FDIC Spring 2013 Newsletter to Consumers:

The FDIC has issued an alert regarding Internet website "hacking" of financial institutions. Banks and credit unions across the country are dealing with a daily barrage of malware and virus attacks. Consumers should be concerned about falling victim to fraud when giving access to their account numbers. When a banking site is under attack, the website is taken off line. Before you respond to a phishing email, mobile device message or a telephone call regarding your bank account numbers, hang up and do not reply. Call your financial institution to let them know you have been contacted. Let them know you were asked to give out your banking information. Your bank will never email or call you requesting personal information. Forward all suspicious email(s), giving as much information about the fraudulent attempt as you can, to your bank or credit union. Doing your part by helping your financial institution track illegal emails, hackers and phishing scams, others can be warned and actions can be taken.



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WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service year to date: 1,129

Significant Fire Events:

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NFPA's Gas Grilling Safety tips: Fire in the grill, under hot dogs and burgers, is a welcome sight at the family cookout. However, fire anywhere else can make your summer kick-off barbecue memorable for all the wrong reasons. Click on the image below for details on grilling safety tips:



WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the week: 312
Total Calls for Service Year to date: 5,846

Type of Incident: Malicious Destruction of Property / Assault

Complaint # 13-5540

Information: On May 19th 2013, at 3:39am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Bridle Run for an assault between acquaintances. The officers took a report for malicious destruction of property.

Type of Incident: Larceny in a Building

Complaint # 13-5545

Information: On May 19th 2013, at 8:18am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3700 block of South State Street for a report of \$2,000.00 worth of jewelry stolen from a hotel room. The incident is believed to have occurred May 17th 2013 between 9am- 4pm.

Type of Incident: Larceny in a Building

Complaint # 13-5552

Information: On May 19th 2013, at 12:29pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 2100 block of Glencoe Hills Drive for a report of a red and black mountain bike stolen from the laundry room. The incident is believed to have occurred sometime between May 12th – 19th 2013.

Type of Incident: Attempted Motorcycle Theft

Complaint # 13- 5556

Information: On May 19th 2013 at 2:05pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Lakeridge Drive for a report of an attempted theft of a motorcycle. The victim reported that his anti-theft device alerted him that his motorcycle was being moved from its location. He went out to check on it and confronted a suspect in a van near his motorcycle. The suspect left the area. The incident occurred on May 16th 2013, between 3:15-4:30am.

Type of Incident: Domestic Violence

Complaint # 13-55667

Information: On May 19th 2013, at 6:54pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 5200 block of West Michigan Avenue to a report of an assault that had occurred between acquaintances.

Type of Incident: Counterfeit Currency

Complain # 13- 5596

Information: On May 20th 2013, at 12:14pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 2600 block of Golfside Road to a business where a suspect passed a fake \$100.00 bill.

Type of Incident: Unarmed Robbery

Complaint #: 13-5599

Information: On May 20th 2013 at 6:30pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 300 block of Benjamin Drive in Ypsilanti Township to take a report of a robbery that occurred in the township. The victim was walking north on Glencoe Hills Drive just south of Clark Rd when she was approached by two males in a mid-sized dark colored vehicle. The passenger exited the vehicle and approached the victim demanding her purse, which she turned over to him. The passenger entered the vehicle and left the area driving eastbound on Clark Road. There were no injuries. No arrests were made.

Suspect (s): Suspect 1 – Black male, early 20's, average height and weight wearing a white shirt. Suspect 2 – Black male, 20's, may have a goatee, average height and weight.

Vehicle: Dark colored mid-sized sedan. No further information is available on the vehicle.

Type of Incident: Credit Card Fraud

Complaint # 13-5606

Information: On May 20th 2013, at 12:47 pm, the Pittsfield Township Police met with a victim of credit card fraud at the station. The victim reported that someone took his credit card and made unauthorized purchases totaling \$76.77 at both Target stores located in Pittsfield Township.

Type of Incident: Larceny

Complaint # 13-5672

Information: On May 21st 2013, at 3pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3700 block of South State Street for a report of a stolen I-phone, wallet, and damaged property.

Type of Incident: Breaking and Entering

Complaint # 13-5675

Information: On May 22nd 2013, at 2:08am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 6900 block of West Michigan Avenue to a burglary alarm. Officers discovered the front door of the Sunoco Gas Station was broken. A suspect had entered the store and attempted to gain access to a secure area without success. Estimated damage to the front door is \$2,000.00

Type of Incident: Illegal Use of a Credit Card

Complaint # 13- 5689

Information: On May 22, 2013 at 1:43pm, the Pittsfield Township Police took a report from a resident in another jurisdiction whose credit card was used at a business in Pittsfield Township. The victim reported someone had made unauthorized purchases of \$971.02.

Type of Incident: Illegal Use of a Credit Card

Complaint # 13- 5705

Information: On May 22nd 2013, at 6:30 pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3600 block of Ranchero Drive for a report of someone making \$37.00 in unauthorized charges on a victim's credit card.

Type of Incident: Discharge of a Firearm / Possession of a Firearm While Intoxicated / Reckless Use of a Firearm

Complaint # 13-5716

Information: On May 23rd, 2013, at 4:17am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3100 block of Primrose Lane for a domestic dispute. Witnesses advised officers of a weapon that discharged in another room. There were no injuries. The individual involved in the incident had left the scene prior to the officer's arrival.

Type of Incident: Domestic Assault

Complaint # 13-5717

Information: On May 23rd 2013, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 5800 block of West Michigan Avenue for a report of an assault that had occurred. The victim reported that he had been assaulted by an acquaintance that left prior to the officer's arrival.

Type of Incident: Larceny of Auto Parts

Complaint # 13-5723

Information: On May 23rd 2013, at 6:59pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4500 block of West Pitchpine Lane for a report of a touch screen radio stolen from a Chrysler Limited Edition. The victim reported that someone broke out the rear window of her vehicle to gain entry and steal the radio.

Type of Incident: Larceny by conversion

Complaint # 13-5741

Information: On May 23rd 2013, at 4:30pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 7700 block of Secretariat Drive for a reported larceny of \$1,999.00 for the purchase and installation of a play set.

Type of Incident: Home Invasion

Complaint # 13- 5749

Information: On May 23rd 2013, at 9:05pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4500 block of Swiss Stone Drive for a reported home invasion. The victim stated that someone had entered her apartment through an unlocked patio door. The victim reported that an X-Box 360 and cash were stolen from her apartment. The incident occurred sometime between 10:30am and 8:30pm.

Type of Incident: Domestic Assault

Complaint # 13-5806

Information: On May 24th 2013, at 11:10pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3600 block of Beech for a reported domestic assault in progress. One person was arrested at the scene and taken to the Washtenaw County jail.

Type of Incident: Emblezzlement

Complaint # 13-5831

Information: On May 25th 2013, at 11:33am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the Target Store at 3749 Carpenter Road where management reported an employee was in custody for emblezzement.

Type of Incident: Stolen Vehicle

Complaint # 13-5834

Information: On May 25th 2013, at 5:19pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3100 block of Lohr Road for a report of a stolen vehicle. The victim reported that her 1998 Plymouth Voyager van had been stolen from from the parking lot.

Type of Incident: Domestic Assault

Complaint # 13-5841

Information: On May 25th 2013, at 8:18pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 2100 block of Windmill Way for a report of a family dispute. The victim advised that she was assaulted by an acquaintance. One person was arrested and taken to the Washtenaw County jail.

The above named incidents remain under investigation. If anyone 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- 822-4958.