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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary August 21st – 27th, '16

Navigating the new Crime Mapping website for details

(To access information: √ -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.

“Click the image below for the Current Week’s CrimeMapping details”



Gary Bubar, AAA Insurance Public Affairs Specialist:



In a few weeks, over 1.5 million Michigan children will be making their way back to schools across our state. Safely transporting students to and from school every day is an ongoing challenge. For that reason, we invite you to join AAA in reminding everyone that **“School’s Open – Drive Carefully.”**

For over seventy years, AAA has reminded motorists that with the start of another school year, traffic patterns and volume will be changing as children will be moving along streets, roads and neighborhoods. Across the country, 309 children were killed and another 11,000 injured as pedestrians last year. AAA’s traffic safety message from 1946 still resonates. Reminding motorists to slow down and stay alert continues to be an important message to start the school year with.

We invite you to join us in helping promote these **Six Back to School Safe Driving Reminders:**

- Slow down** – give yourself time to react.
- Eliminate distractions** – focus on driving.
- Look before you back up** – check first for children and obstacles.
- Stop means stop** – come to a complete stop at intersections where required.
- Bicycles are vehicles too** – give cyclists plenty of room and be ready for the unexpected.
- Talk to teens** – 25% of all teen crashes occur between 4-7pm.

Click the link for details: www.TeenDriving.AAA.com

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National Missing and Exploited Children: Digital Citizenship / Cyberbullying

Cyberbullying is just what it sounds like - bullying through Internet applications and technologies such as instant messaging (IM), social networking sites, and cell phones. It can start easily—with a rumor, a photo, or a forwarded message—and just as easily spiral out of control. An embarrassing video posted to a social networking site by someone in Kansas tonight may be watched by someone in Japan tomorrow. Cyberbullying victims may be targeted anywhere, at any time.

Click the image below for information on forms of cyberbullying and signs that your child may be a victim.



WEEKLY FIRE SUMMARY

Total Calls for Service 2016: 1,716

Fire Incident: Medical / Drug Overdose **Fire Report #16-1669**

On August 21, 2016, at 1:03 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 3300 block of Carpenter Rd. for a reported drug overdose. The subject was unconscious and reported to have used heroin. Fire personnel provided medical attention and administered Narcan. The subject was then transported to the hospital.

Fire Incident: Mutual Aid **Fire Report #16-1686**

On August 23, 2016, at 5: 58 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2500 block of International Dr. to provide Mutual Aid to the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department in putting out a kitchen fire.

Fire Incident: Controlled Burn **Fire Report #16-1700**

On August 25, 2016, at 1:59 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 3900 block of Helen St. to monitor a Controlled Burn.

Fire Incident: Wires Down **Fire Report #16-1707**

On August 26, 2016, at 8:40 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 4000 block of Ruby St. for wires down.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the Week: 300

Total Calls for Service 2016: 10,691

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: Drug Overdose

Complaint# 16-10401

On August 21, 2016, at 1:06 p.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3300 block of Carpenter Rd. to assist the Fire Department in a reported drug overdose.

Police Incident: Strong Armed Robbery

Complaint# 16-10565

On August 24, 2016, at 11:23 p.m., Pittsfield Police responded the 2100 block of Glencoe Hills Dr. for a reported Strong Armed Robbery of a pizza delivery driver who was robbed while making a delivery. The victim, a 21 year old male, advised police he was getting out of his vehicle to deliver a pizza to a male subject standing near an apartment building when two other male subjects appeared and pushed him to the ground.

All three suspects then took an undisclosed amount of cash from the victim and fled on foot. The Pittsfield Police K-9 unit attempted to track the suspects but was unable to locate them. The victim declined medical attention. The incident is under investigation by the Pittsfield Police Detective Bureau.

Police Incident: Home Invasion
Complaint# 16-10685

On August 27, 2016, at 10:25 p.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Munger Rd. for a reported Home Invasion. The home was access through a window in the garage. The victim reported that two Apple Mac Books, and assorted jewelry was stolen.

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.