

Perkasie Borough Police Department

Press Release

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BURGLARY

On 05/04/11 at 07:45 hours, the Rite Aid Pharmacy at Perkasie Square Shopping Center was found to be burglarized when the store manager arrived to open the business; taken were over 30 cartons of cigarettes and numerous hair straightening irons. Also missing were several thousand dollars cash and numerous narcotic pain medications and prescription sleeping pills. Detectives are coordinating with the Philadelphia Police and the FBI, who are investigating similar burglaries at pharmacies in the region.

Any persons with information or who may have seen the actor(s) at Rite Aid overnight on May 3 to May 4 are asked to call Perkasie Police at (215)257-6876.

INDECENT EXPOSURE

On 05/13/11, Michael Mercure, 54, of Blue School Road, Hilltown Township, was arrested for Indecent Exposure and related charges; an adult witness allegedly saw him expose his genitals in front of All My Children Daycare at 510 N. 5th Street, Perkasie Borough. No children at the school were victimized in this incident.

TERRORISTIC THREATS

On 05/15/11, David Theodore Nawrocki, 29, of the 100 block of Sugarbush Drive in Perkasie was arrested for terroristic Threats, Simple Assault, Harassment and Driving Under the Influence after police investigated the report of a gun being brandished at the South Perkasie Hotel. Perkasie Police pulled over Nawrocki right after the incident and found further evidence to support the DUI charge.

SIMPLE ASSAULT

On 04/28/11 Jennifer Gehringer, 39, of Hughes Avenue, Sellersville was arrested for Simple Assault after police responded to her residence for the report of a domestic disturbance.

On 4/28/11 Michelle Tomkinson, 39, of the 200 block of W. Park Avenue, Sellersville, was arrested for Simple Assault and lesser charges; Tomkinson allegedly slapped a neighbor child across the back during a neighbor dispute.

On 05/02/11, a female Perkasio juvenile was assaulted in Kulp Memorial Park by two other females, possible juveniles. The conflict began while the victim at the skate park in Lenape Park. She left the area but the two females followed her. One white female actor was described as 200lbs., about 5 feet tall with short bleached-blond hair, and 16-17 years old. The other white female was described as about the same age, same hair color, but taller and thinner. Persons with any information regarding this incident are asked to contact Perkasio Police at (215) 257-6876.

On 05/07/11, Luis Batista, 59, of the 600 block of 16th Street in Allentown, was arrested for Simple Assault and harassment; Police were called to a residence in the 1300 block of Parkridge Court, Perkasio, where it was determined that Batista had assaulted his girlfriend.

On 05/09/11, Christina M. Domurad, 31, of the unit block of Nanlyn Avenue, Sellersville was arrested for Simple Assault and harassment after police investigated a domestic disturbance at her residence.

WEAPONS POSSESSION

On 05/02/11, Kelly Melissa Grater, 39, of the 700 block of Hunters Run, Perkasio, was arrested for Felons Possessing Prohibited Offensive Weapons, Use or Possession of an Electronic Incapacitation Device, Hindering Apprehension or Prosecution and Disorderly Conduct; Grater allegedly deployed an electronic stun baton upon two dogs at the Perkasio Dog Park in Lenape Park.

Also arrested in the incident was Alexander Mitchell Moreiko, 19, of the same address; He is Grater's son and allegedly shared involvement in the incident, which alarmed several witnesses at the newly-opened dog park. Moreiko was charged with Possessing a Prohibited Offensive Weapon and Hindering Apprehension or Prosecution.

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE

On 05/01/11 Daniel Mokros, 39, of the 500 block of Amherst Circle, Perkasio was arrested for Driving Under the Influence and other vehicle code charges after he was stopped for a speeding on Main St., Sellersville.

On 05/08/11, Brett Alexander Knasiak, 22, of the 200 block of Green Valley, Chalfont was arrested for Driving Under the Influence and related vehicle code charges after police stopped the vehicle on Callowhill Street in Perkasio for a vehicle code violation.

PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS

On 04/10/11 Philip Aaron Drenkhahn, 21, of the 100 block of Hughes Avenue, Sellersville was cited for Public Drunkenness when he was found slumped over the wheel of his vehicle in an alley behind his residence.

CRIMINAL MISCHIEF

On 04/28/11, damage was found to numerous picnic tables and benches at the Skate park pavilion in Lenape Park, Perkasio. It appeared as though persons had done the damage using skateboards and/or their feet. On 04/29/11, spray paint damage was found on the twin pedestrian bridges in Lenape Park. On 05/04/11, additional graffiti was located in Lenape Park, similar to the tags made on 04/28 and 04/29. This time, the damage was done to the stone pavilion and adjacent water fountain. Persons with any information regarding this incident are asked to contact Perkasio Police at (215) 257-6876.

On 05/11/11, a picnic bench at the skate park pavilion within Lenape Park was found to be damaged. Persons with any information regarding this incident are asked to contact Perkasio Police at (215) 257-6876.

On 05/13/11, another picnic bench was found to be broken at the skate park pavilion within Lenape Park. Persons with any information regarding this incident are asked to contact Perkasio Police at (215) 257-6876.

WARRANT SERVICE

On 05/08/11, Michael William Scott, 25, of the 100 block of S. main Street, Dublin, was arrested in the 1300 block of Parkridge Court on an arrest warrant from Delaware County. He was remanded to Bucks County Prison.

On 05/10/11, Trevor Jarred Chesna, 21, of the 300 block of Race Street, Perkasio was arrested at his residence on an arrest warrant from Bedminster Township Police. He was remanded to the custody of a Bedminster Township Police officer.

BOROUGH ORDINANCE VIOLATION

On 05/09/11, a male juvenile from Perkasio was arrested for Objectionable Conduct while in the Perkasio Park System; the juvenile was witnessed breaking bottles and cursing at passing persons at the skate park within Lenape Park.

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