Ellettsville Police Department Monthly Report



November 2016

TRAFFIC STOP LEADS TO STOLEN VEHICLE, METHAMPHETAMINE AND A WARRANT ARREST – NOVEMBER 29, 2016

On Monday, November 28th, 2016 at approximately 10:51 p.m., Deputy Marshal Eric Chaudion stopped a motorcycle for speed in 1400 block of West Temperance Street. Upon identifying the driver, he found the driver was wanted on a Warrant out of Monroe County for Fraud and Theft. The driver was identified as 26 yr old, Dallas Richardson, of Spencer, Indiana. It was also determined that the motorcycle had been stolen in Owen County on November 15th. Deputy Marshal Eric Chaudion transported Dallas Richardson to the Monroe County Correctional Facility to be booked on charges of Auto Theft and Operating a Vehicle having never been licensed. While at the Correctional Facility, it was discovered that Dallas Richardson had a small baggie containing Methamphetamine in his possession and he was also charged with Possession of Methamphetamine as well as the outstanding warrant for Fraud and Theft.

ELLETTSVILLE POLICE TO CONDUCT EXTRA PATROLS DURING THE HOLIDAYS – NOVEMBER 28, 2016

Holidays are steeped in tradition. In keeping with our own tradition, the Ellettsville Police Department will be conducting our annual "Holiday Patrols" during the upcoming holidays and the days leading up to them. So, if you notice more officers in your neighborhood than normal, it is because we are stepping up patrol efforts to increase our visibility, and your safety, during the daytime and evening hours. It is our hope that by saturating our local neighborhoods with extra patrol officers, we can reduce the likelihood of home burglaries and increase the safety of our residents.

Keep safety in mind and please be aware of your surroundings at all times. Report any suspicious activity to the police immediately. With regards to your home and vehicles, you should always make sure you lock your doors and keep your windows secure. Conceal any packages or bags in the trunk area or cover them with a blanket to reduce their visibility and make them less appealing to anyone who might look through the windows. Remember that criminals do not like well lit areas, so keeping some outside lights on at night around your home and vehicle will greatly reduce your chance of becoming a victim.

The Officers of the Ellettsville Police Department will be working extra hours to keep you and your family safe during the upcoming holiday season. Happy Holidays!

ELLETTSVILLE POLICE PURCHASE TWO BODY CAMERAS WITH SMITHVILLE COMMUNICATIONS DONATION – NOVEMBER 10, 2016

The Smithville Charitable Foundation has donated \$1,100.00 to the Ellettsville Police Department. This generous donation will allow the purchase of two new body worn cameras for its officers. The members of the Ellettsville Police Department would like to thank the Smithville Charitable Foundation for the generous donation to document officer interactions with suspects and allow the documentation of evidence in video format. Without Civic minded community partners like the Smithville Charitable Foundation, many of our equipment and training needs could not be met.



ELLETTSVILLE POLICE REPRESENTED AT INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL VETERANS DAY PROGRAM – NOVEMBER 10, 2016

Edgewood Intermediate School held it Veterans Day Program on Thursday, November 10, 2016. In attendance were Ellettsville Town Marshal Jimmie Durnil, an active Duty Navy Veteran, and Ellettsville Police Sergeant Craig Davis, a current member of the Indiana National Guard. The Veterans Day Program gives the children of the School a chance to honor and learn about those men and women who have served our great nation and in some cases made the ultimate sacrifice by dying for our nation while in service. The Officers of the Ellettsville Police Department would like to thank all those who have served our great nation in the United States Armed Forces. We salute you!





ELLETTSVILLE POLICE ATTEND HERO NIGHT MUSIC PROGRAM – NOVEMBER 10, 2016

The Edgewood Intermediate School 4th Grade Music Class hosted "Hero Night" on Thursday, November 10th to honor local police and firefighters. The class is instructed by Mrs. Valerie Ennis. In attendance were local police officers, firefighters, and family and community members. The members of the Ellettsville Police Department would like to thank Mrs. Ennis and her 4th grade class for taking time to honor us.

"It is a truly humbling experience to have these children take the time to honor our public safety family. We are truly blessed to serve this community."- Anthony Ray Bowlen, Administrative Deputy Chief





CALLS FOR SERVICE

The table below represents the number of calls for service the Ellettsville Police Department responded to during the month of November 2016.

Incident Description	November 2016
ABDUCTION	1
ABUSE	3
ACCIDENT – Leaving the Scene	1
ACCIDENT – Property Damage	18
ACCIDENT – Personal Injury	7
ACCIDENT – Unknown Injury	2
ALARM	30
ANIMAL	4
ASSAULT	1
ATTEMPT TO LOCATE	31
BUILDING CHECK – Open Door/Window	1
BURGLARY	7
CIVIL MATTER	5
DISTURBANCE (DOMESTIC/FAMILY TROUBLES)	14
DUI	1

EXTRA PATROL – Requests for Extra Patrol	48
FOLLOW-UP – Follow-Up on Case	6
FRAUD	6
HARASSMENT	2
JUVENILE – Runaway, Loitering, Suspicious	12
MENTAL HEALTH	1
MISSING PERSON	2
MOTORIST ASSIST	10
NOISE	3
PARKING	3
PROPERTY – Lost or Found	1
PROWLER	1
RESTRAINING ORDER VIOLATION	2
SERVICE CALL – Assist Other Agency or Other Unclassified Call	18
SERIAL MOTOR CHECK	1
SEX OFFENSE	1
SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY – Suspicious Person or Vehicle	27
THEFT	11
TRAFFIC HAZARD – Lines Down, Object in Roadway	5
TRAFFIC STOP	87
TRESPASS	6
VANDALISM	7
VEHICLE THEFT	3
WARRANT SERVICE	2
WEAPONS RELATED CALLS	1
WELFARE CHECK – Check on Citizen	19
Totals	411

ARRESTS

The table below represents the number of arrests made by the Ellettsville Police Department during the month of November 2016. These numbers represent both physical arrests and misdemeanor citations.

Charge	November 2016
AUTO THEFT	3
BATTERY	1
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	1
DRIVING WHILE SUSPENDED	2
FALSE IDENTITY STATEMENT	1
OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WITHOUT EVER RECEIVING A LICENSE	2
OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED	3
POSSESSION OF METHAMPHETAMINE	1
RECKLESS DRIVING	1
RESISTING LAW ENFORCEMENT	1
WARRANT	1
Totals	17