



Schererville Neighborhood Watch

January 2024 - 1/22 to 1/29



SCHERERVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT 219-322-5000

25 E. JOLIET ST. SCHERERVILLE IN 46375

News & Information



On January 22 we swore in two new officers!

Please welcome John Hannon #231 and Ashlee Tancos #232. Both officers come to us with prior police experience have been previously employed by the Crown Point Police Department.

Congratulations Officer Hannon and Officer Tancos!



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Neighborhood Reports

- **Property Damage** – 1/22 – Normandy Rd. – A silver sedan slid into the complainant’s mailbox and fled the area. The mailbox was broken in half. The offending vehicle had not been located at the time of report.
- **Suspicious Incident** – 1/23 – Hanley Ln – Complainant reported seeing footprints in the snow around her home. She did not believe they were from a family member. Further investigation pending review of surveillance video.
- **Suspicious Incident** – 1/25 – Rolling Hills Park – A subject was in the park and being loud after hours. The subject was located and identified as an area resident. He was informed of the park hours ordinance and issued a warning. The subject then returned home.
- **Suspicious Vehicle** - 1/26 – Newcastle Dr – Report of a semi-truck parked in the lot of an area townhouse. An officer checked the area and located several trucks in the area and a crew performing contract work for NIPSCO. Nothing suspicious was observed.
- **Suspicious Person** – 1/26 – Barbara Jean Dr – Report of a person photographing a package at the entrance to the building. It was later determined to be an Amazon delivery.
- **Suspicious Person** – 1/27 – 78th Ln – Report of two subjects going to different houses and knocking on doors. The two were located and found to be going door to door on behalf of their religious organization.
- **Suspicious Incident** – 1/28 – Wysteria Ln – Complainant reported seeing on her ring doorbell a black sedan in front of the home and a subject exit and approach the house. Responding officer did not locate the vehicle but found a package left in front of the door which was addressed to the resident.

PATROL NOTIFICATIONS

As a courtesy, officers will attempt to notify residents of issues such as an open garage door, open car doors, or other unusual observations they may see while on patrol. Something like a garage door left open overnight could be an invitation for criminal activity. We try to let you know of these observations so that you may better protect your home and reduce the occurrence of criminal activity.

Notifications were made in the following areas:

Ticonderoga St ° Novo Dr ° Deer Trail Ln ° Oak Leaf Ct ° Liberty Dr ° Britton Dr ° James Wittchen Dr
Mathews St ° Barbara Jean Dr

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Arrests

Alexander Smith – 31
OWI – Endangering
OWI
Failure of Duty

Aaron Todd Rohland – 37
OWI – Endangering
OWI
Failure of Duty
Resisting Law Enforcement
Reckless Driving

German Salamanca – 46
OWI
OWI – Endangering
OWI - Prior

Damon Thomas – 30
Warrant

Ernest Vesce Sr. - 75
Theft

Ernest Vesce Jr. – 52
Resisting Law Enforcement
Assisting a Criminal

Bradley Wade Easton – 46
OWI – Endangering
OWI
OWI – Prior
Reckless Driving

Bryan W Kelly Sr. – 51
Possession of Cocaine
Interfering W/ Reporting of a Crime
OWI – Endangering
OWI
Possession of Paraphernalia

Harley Michael Nighbert – 22
OWI – Endangering
OWI
Failure of Duty

Michael C Gardner – 43
Possession of a Legend Drug
Possession of a Controlled Substance

Trevor Bryant Cole – 25
Possession of Marijuana
Possession of Paraphernalia

Aerial Lena Mary Hall – 32
Theft