



## Wyckoff Police Department PRESS RELEASE

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**TO: ALL NEWS MEDIA**  
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### **For Immediate Release:**

On September 23, at approximately 8:40 PM, Officer Robert Schlossberg was on patrol when he observed a vehicle stopped on the shoulder of Route 208 North. A subsequent investigation into the occupants of the vehicle resulted in the arrest of Tylor S. VanDien, Newfoundland NJ, age; 22. VanDien was charged with possession of heroin, possession of cocaine, and possession of prescription legend drugs without a prescription. He was processed, released from headquarters, and is scheduled to appear in court. P.O. Schlossberg was assisted by Sgt. Daniel Kellogg, P.O. Kyle Ferreira, and P.O. Michael Flim.

On September 24, at approximately 6:00 PM, Officer Kyle Ferreira observed a vehicle travelling northbound on Route 208 exceeding the posted speed limit. The vehicle was stopped and the subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Elizabeth H. Weber, West Milford NJ, age; 22. Weber was charged with hindering apprehension, resisting arrest, and possession of drug paraphernalia. It was also discovered that Weber had multiple outstanding warrants. Weber was processed and transported to the Bergen County Jail. P.O. Ferreira was assisted by P.O. Robert Schlossberg and P.O. Michael Flim.

On September 25, at approximately 2:20 PM, Officer Robert Schlossberg observed a vehicle travelling on Route 208 North. The operator of the vehicle was driving erratically and committed several motor vehicle violations. The vehicle was stopped and the subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Deon D. Goodwin, Paterson NJ, age; 19. Goodwin was charged with possession of marijuana under 50 grams, possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession of a controlled dangerous substance in a motor vehicle, and failure to maintain a lane. Goodwin was processed, released from headquarters

and is scheduled to appear in court. P.O. Schlossberg was assisted by Sgt. Daniel Kellogg and Sgt. Kevin Kasak.

On September 27, at approximately 11:51 PM, P.O. Joseph Fullam observed a vehicle travelling above the posted speed limit on Sicomac Avenue. The vehicle was stopped and the subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Robert C. Tintle, Wyckoff NJ, age; 54. Tintle was charged with driving while intoxicated, driving while intoxicated in a school zone, speeding, reckless driving, failure to inspect his vehicle, and failure to exhibit his driver's license. After processing, Mr. Tintle was released to the custody of a family member, he is scheduled to appear in court. P.O. Fullam was assisted by P.O. Terrence Murphy, P.O. Kyle Ferreira, and P.O. Kaitlyn Maglione.

On September 29, at approximately 9:40 PM, P.O. John Rafferty was dispatched to a Wyckoff residence on a report of a loud party taking place. Upon his arrival, he observed several juveniles in the garage of the home. The juveniles fled into the house upon seeing Officer Rafferty walking up the driveway. A subsequent investigation determined that approximately 50 juveniles were present and alcoholic beverages were being consumed by persons under the legal age of 21. Juvenile Delinquency complaints were filed against three of the juveniles present. They were charged with making property available for the underage consumption of alcoholic beverages. The complaints were forwarded to the Bergen County Superior Court-Family Part for disposition. P.O. Rafferty was assisted by Sgt. Daniel Kellogg, Sgt. Kevin Kasak, Sgt. Kevin Pinches, P.O. Kyle Ferreira, P.O. Robert Schlossberg, P.O. James Bakelaar, Det. Sgt. Michael Ragucci, and officers from the Midland Park Police Department.

On September 29, at approximately 3:00 AM, P.O. Joseph Fullam was dispatched to the scene of a one car motor vehicle crash on Crescent Avenue. Upon arriving at the scene, P.O. Fullam observed that the driver of a Mini Cooper had struck a tree. The subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Edward J. Ryan, Wyckoff NJ, age; 22. Ryan was charged with driving while intoxicated, driving while intoxicated in a school zone, reckless driving, possession of an open alcoholic container in a motor vehicle and failure to exhibit his registration. After processing, Ryan was released to a friend. He is scheduled to appear in court. P.O. Flim was assisted by Sgt. Daniel Kellogg, P.O. Kyle Ferreira, P.O. Robert Schlossberg, and P.O. Michael Flim.

On September 30, at approximately 8:40 PM, Sgt. Daniel Kellogg, Sgt. Kevin Pinches, P.O. Ryan Noon, and P.O. James Bakelaar were dispatched to a Wyckoff residence on a report of a large gathering of juveniles in the area. It was additionally reported that the juveniles were consuming alcoholic beverages. Upon the officers' arrival, they reported observing approximately 50 juveniles standing in the roadway. The residence where the party was taking place was identified by the officers and additional juveniles were located there. A subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Lucas R. Smith, Wyckoff, age; 18. Smith was charged on a Special Complaint with making property available for the underage consumption of alcoholic beverages. He is scheduled to appear in court at a later date.

On October 5, at approximately 7:45 AM, P.O. Kyle Ferreira was monitoring traffic on Route 208. He observed a vehicle being operated on the shoulder, unsafely passing other vehicles. The vehicle was stopped and the subsequent investigation resulted in the arrest of Valerie S. Joyner, Wanaque, age; 26. Joyner was charged with possession of a controlled dangerous substance with intent to distribute, possession of marijuana under 50 grams, and possession of paraphernalia. In addition, Joyner was issued motor vehicle summonses for improper passing, possession of a controlled dangerous substance in a motor vehicle, tinted windows, and unclear license plates. After processing, Joyner was released from custody and is scheduled to appear in court at a later date.

A message from Police Chief David Murphy:

#### Proper Leaf Collection

The 2017 Fall leaf collection is scheduled to begin on Monday, October 16. In 2004, the Township was required to adopt and enforce NJ Department of Environmental Protection rules that prohibits placing leaves in roadways or within 10 feet from any storm sewer drain. If placement of leaves occurs within 10 feet of any storm drain inlet or in the roadway, the property owner shall be responsible for the prompt removal of leaves from the street or from any drain inlet encroachment, or the property owner shall be deemed in violation and the Wyckoff Police Department will enforce.

During the leaf collection period, rake leaves to the edge of your lawn and spread along the entire frontage. Do not sweep, rake, blow or otherwise accumulate leaves for collection that are not containerized at the curb and place in the paved portion of the roadway.

We all must be responsible and mindful of these piles, since they can create a dangerous condition for children, vehicles, bicyclists and pedestrians trying to navigate the area.

We cannot stress enough the value of our residents remaining alert in their neighborhoods and reporting anything unusual or suspicious to the police, "Hear It! See It! Report It!" We encourage all residents to report any suspicious persons, vehicles, or activity occurring in their neighborhoods at any time to Wyckoff Police- County Dispatch (201)891-2121

“The Wyckoff Police Department would like to point out that these individuals have been charged with a crime, offense, and/or motor vehicle violation. However, they are presumed innocent unless and until they are found guilty in a court of law.”