

# Bloomfield Police Department

## Monthly Report for May 2018

This is the monthly report for the Month of May 2018 from the Bloomfield Police Department. It is the police department's goal to keep the citizens of Bloomfield Township/Village informed as to the police department's activities, statistics, and community projects. It is very important that the citizens be aware of the various concerns that have and are occurring within our community.

Since the month of January the police department received three theft from automobile complaints where the vehicle had been left unlocked. I would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone to remove valuable items; **FIREARMS** (See May 6<sup>th</sup> entry) etc. and lock your vehicles when left unattended/parked. All three theft from motor vehicle complaints reported to the police department this year involved vehicles which had been left unlocked.

On Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at approximately 12:40am officers executed a traffic stop on Hwy 50 in the area of Eastside Road for a defective equipment violation. At the conclusion of the traffic stop a 42-year-old female was issued a traffic citation for operating after suspension.

On Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at approximately 8:24pm officers responded to the Lake Ivanhoe Boat Launch to check the welfare of a person reported to be "slumped over" in the driver's seat. While checking the welfare of a 20-year-old male the officer observed suspected drug paraphernalia. The suspect surrendered suspected marijuana and a grinder. The incident was turned over to the Walworth County Sheriff's Office; the area where the vehicle was located was determined to be within the Town of Lyons.

On Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup> at approximately 1:29pm officers were dispatched to the public beach at the intersection of N. Lakeshore Drive and Lakeshore Drive for a found property complaint. Some children who were fishing stepped on something in the sand which was discovered to be a handgun. The inoperable handgun was determined to be a **handgun stolen from a locked glovebox, but an unlocked vehicle** parked in a tavern parking lot in March of 2017. The handgun was rendered inoperable due to the prolonged weather/environmental conditions.

On Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at approximately 6:06am officers responded to an address on Blue Bell Road for a theft complaint. The resident reported that at approximately 11:00pm the night before person(s) unknown stopped in front of the residence with an unknown pick-up truck. The truck occupants removed three bicycles and wagon from the front yard, placed the items into the bed of the truck then fled the scene. This incident remains under investigation and additional information has been intentionally withheld. Anyone having information about this theft should contact the police department.

On Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at approximately 7:03am officers responded to the intersection of Eastside Road at Hwy U for a two vehicle personal injury crash. At the conclusion of the investigation a 57-year-old female was issued a traffic citation for failure to yield while making a left turn.

On Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at approximately 7:13pm officers responded to a residence on Myrtle Road for a disorderly conduct incident. At the conclusion of the investigation a 31-year-old male was issued non-traffic citations for possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

On Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at approximately 5:23pm officers responded to a residence on Daisy Drive for disorderly subject complaint. At the conclusion of the investigation a 22-year-old female was issued a non-traffic citation for battery.

On Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at approximately 1:15am officers responded to the area of Hwy U and Twin Lakes Road for a report of a possible domestic disturbance occurring in a moving vehicle. At the conclusion of the investigation a 20-year-old female was issued a non-traffic citation for possession of drug paraphernalia and an 18-year-old male was issued a non-traffic citation for disorderly conduct.

On Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at approximately 11:31pm officers responded to the Pub & Grub on Clover Road for a report of a disorderly male subject with a knife. At the conclusion of the investigation a 51-year-old male was arrested then confined in the Walworth County Jail. Charges of endangering safety by use of a dangerous weapon and disorderly conduct have been forwarded to the Walworth County District Attorney's office.

On Sunday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at approximately 10:36pm officers executed a traffic stop on Park Road for a traffic violation. At the conclusion of the traffic stop a 66-year-old male was arrested for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated 1<sup>st</sup> offense. Additionally, the male driver was issued a traffic citation for operating left of center.

Anyone having information about the active investigations listed within this report or any other crime is strongly encouraged to contact the Bloomfield Police Department or the Walworth County Sheriff's Office. Tips/Information can be provided anonymously. Information can be provided to the Bloomfield Police Department by telephone (262) 279-3454 or (262) 741-4400, by fax (262) 279-3625 or by website bloomfieldpolicedept.com.

During the month of May 2018 the Bloomfield Police Department responded to 840 calls for service compared to 711 calls for service during the month of May 2017. During the month of May 2018 the police department effected 113 arrests for various violations of Bloomfield Municipal Ordinances and Wisconsin State Statutes compared to 68 arrests during the month of May 2017.

The month and year to date statistics have been listed on the next page for review.

Respectfully Submitted,

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