



CITY OF MUSKEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM



October 4th, 2019 – October 10th, 2019

Happy Friday, Muskego! Finally, sunshine and 30+ degree weather. Fall was nice while it lasted, all three days of it, rest in peace. I managed to rake all of the leaves in my yard in time to shovel snow off my driveway the following day. Gotta love Wisconsin. Of course it sure beats that dark, gloomy place to the south with the bad football team and terrible drivers. I'm just kiddin'. Sort of. Your history lesson for the day, November 15th that is, takes us back to 1777 when the founding fathers authored the Articles of Confederation which served as the first constitution for the 13 original states until the U.S. Constitution took its place in 1789. With those freedoms, Dave Thomas opened the doors to the first Wendy's franchise on the same date back in 1969 and introduced his mind blowing square burger patties to the world. I might add, it's national pickle day, which you can order on your square burger patties thanks to the founding fathers. Alright, enough already, let's get started.

October 4th:

- 8:11 a.m. – An employee of a business located in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. called the police department to report receiving an unsigned check as payment for purchased goods. Officers responded, retrieved the check, drove to the residence in the S8300 block of Holz Dr. of the 80 year old check writer, and let her sign said check before returning it to the business. All in order, 10-8.
- 1:08 p.m. – A 65 year old resident of the W20500 block of North Shore Lane called the police department to report a group of male subjects boating on Lake Denoon that were using vulgar language and chasing a loon with their boat. Contact was made with the group of male subjects, all under the age of 18, shocking I know, who were advised reference their choice of words. They of course denied chasing the loon, although I'd argue the only loons on Lake Denoon were the four in the boat.
- 1:38 p.m. – An employee of a business located in the W14500 block of Janesville Rd. called the police department to report the theft of gasoline that had occurred three days prior. Better late than never I suppose. Investigation continuing.
- 2:23 p.m. – A 44 year old resident of the S7600 block of Lannon Dr. called the police department to report after running into the wooded area adjacent to his residence, his dog returned with what he believed was a human leg bone. Officers responded and retrieved said leg bone which was then turned over to the Waukesha County Medical Examiner's Office where it was determined not to be a leg bone. Well, that's a relief.
- 3:20 p.m. – A 72 year old resident of the S7000 block of Southern Dr. responded to the police department to report being the victim of fraud. Investigation continuing.
- 3:37 p.m. – A 59 year old resident of the W13600 block of Tess Corners Dr. responded to the police department to report observing an unknown subject rummaging through vehicles in the W14000 block of Westcot Dr. via video surveillance, during the nighttime hours between 10/03 and 10/04. No thefts were reported and video surveillance quality was not clear enough to develop a suspect description. Reported for informational purposes only at this time.
- 7:48 p.m. – An 18 year old resident of the W13700 block of Tess Corners Dr. and now former employee of a business located in the W15900 block of Commerce Center Parkway was arrested on disorderly conduct charges after instigating a physical altercation with a co-worker. Our arrestee was advised she was no longer aloud at the business lest she prefer also being arrested for trespassing. Sounds like someone needs to have a chocolate shake and chill out!

October 5th:

- 2:58 a.m. – A 35 year old Milwaukee resident was arrested for eluding and reckless driving following a pursuit that was initiated on Racine Ave. not too far from the department. Our genius' license was suspended and his registration expired (which he received citations for), although those aren't great reasons to drive in excess of 80 mph down Janesville Rd., and for the record, no such reasons exists. The arrestee was ultimately located by members of State Patrol and West Allis P.D. after we terminated the pursuit near Forest Home Ave. and Highway 100. Ricky Bobby just wanted to go fast, and I'm not sure what the motive was behind this Smokey and the Bandit episode, but the only place our genius went fast was Waukesha County Jail. Hope you enjoyed your weekend. Judge will be back on Monday.
- 8:06 a.m. – A 38 year old resident of the S7000 block of Olive Circle responded to the police department to report the mother of his child had not met with him to exchange custody of said child at the court appointed time. Contact was made with mom, who indicated dad had agreed to meet later in the day, only to change his mind last minute, and she was currently unable to meet with him. Both parties were encouraged to follow court orders and advised of the civil matter.
- 9:22 a.m. – A 93 year old resident of the S7400 block of Bellview Dr. called the police department to report neighbors throwing stones at rabbits and birds, and believed this to be the reason for the lack of wildlife on her own personal property. Officers responded and conversed with our complainant's, whose claims were unfounded. Now who's throwing stones?
- 10:24 a.m. – An employee of a business located in the W15400 block of Janesville Rd. called the police department to report the theft of gasoline. The suspect vehicle was described as a dark colored SUV with no registration plate obtained. Needle in a haystack there. Investigation continuing.
- 12:39 p.m. – A 48 year old resident of the S7300 block of Parkland Dr. called the police department to report an unknown subject had slashed the tires on her son's vehicle overnight. Investigation continuing.
- 2:17 p.m. – A 45 year old resident of the W12700 block of Schaefer Dr. called the police department to report eggs and other items had been thrown at his residence overnight. Due to no permanent damage occurring, the complainant wished to report the incident for informational purposes only. Slashed tires, an egging, I wonder would could be next?
- 10:37 p.m. – A 40 year old Milwaukee resident was arrested for two valid warrants he held through the Hales Corners Police Department for inattentive driving and operating an uninsured vehicle. The arrest occurred following a traffic stop near the intersection of Moorland Rd. and Commerce Center Parkway. Our arrestee was released following his signature on a personal recognizance bond. I'm not holding my breath on him showing up for that court date.
- 11:29 p.m. – A 36 year old South Milwaukee resident was advised reference a noise complaint we received from a U/I caller residing on Red Oak Ct. Our noise maker was apparently causing a ruckus in the S10700 block of East Shore Dr.

October 6th:

- 2:39 a.m. – A 19 year old Hales Corners resident was cited for OAS following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Richdorf Dr.
- 12:07 p.m. – A 19 year old Milwaukee resident was cited for operating a motor vehicle without a valid driver's license following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of North Cape Rd. and Durham Dr.
- 12:49 p.m. – A 79 year old resident of the S6900 block of Hale Park Dr. was cited for operating a motor vehicle hazardously following a 2 vehicle accident near the intersection of Moorland Rd. and Princeton Dr. No injuries were reported.
- 1:42 p.m. – An employee of a business located in the W18900 block of Janesville Rd. called the police department to report an intoxicated patron wandering around the store. Officers responded and made contact with the 34 year old Big Bend resident who was subsequently arrested for possession of the reefer! High guy was transported to the department, processed, cited, and released. Can't speak from experience, but going shopping while under the influence seems like a bad equation for making some really foolish impulse buys. Hi, I'd like to buy 40 bags of Cheetos, please.

- 4:39 p.m. – Officers stopped out with a 23 year old resident of the S6900 block of Cornell Circle in the W17000 block of College Ave. who stated his vehicle had broken down in that area at approximately 3:00 p.m. and upon his return, it was gone. Must not have been as broken down as you thought. The vehicle was listed as stolen. Investigation continuing.
- 6:11 p.m. – A 58 year old South Milwaukee resident called the police department to report vehicles racing in the W17500 block of Janesville Rd. One suspect vehicle was located at a residence in the S7500 block of Park Dr. Contact was made at the residence with suspect vehicle occupants who of course denied the allegations. All parties were advised.
- 8:20 p.m. – After receiving a phone call from a private number and unknown subject stating, “If I kill myself, it is because you were meant to me”, a 29 year old resident of the S6900 block of Hillendale Dr. called the police department to report the suspicious circumstances. Nothing could be done with the lack of information provided. Hopefully this is someone’s version of an albeit sick joke. If not, I’d recommend identifying yourself and calling us so we can get you the help you need.
- 10:20 p.m. – An 18 year old resident of the W18400 block of Lions Park Dr. called the police department to report her 31 year old brother was under the influence of drugs and threatening family members inside the home. Officers responded and made contact with all parties present. Aside from a verbal argument, it was determined nothing rose to the level of disorderly conduct. Parties agreed to separate for the evening.

October 7th:

- 1:56 a.m. – A few yoots were given verbal warnings for violating curfew. Yoots were discovered in violation after being pulled over near the intersection of Janesville Rd. and Kipling Dr. for operating a vehicle in the dark with no lights on. That’ll do it. Yoots’ parents were contacted and advised.
- 7:58 a.m. – A 39 year old Waukesha resident was cited for OAR and advised not to drive following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Jean Dr.
- 11:08 a.m. – An employee of Wisconsin Repossessors called to report a 2012, black Volkswagen was repo’d from a residence in the W13600 block of Woods Rd. Someone’s in for a surprise this morning.
- 1:10 p.m. – A U/I complainant called the police department to report observing a 15 year old resident of the W17900 block of Pearl Dr. toss vape cartridge packages into a wooded area nearby. Officers responded to confiscate the items. Follow up with our suspect forthcoming.
- 3:01 p.m. – A 66 year old resident of the S7000 block of Olive Circle forgot to pay for his gasoline after filling up at a business located in the W15400 block of Janesville Rd. Officers responded after making contact with business employees and rectified the situation.
- 3:21 p.m. – A 42 year old resident of the S8300 block of Fireside Ct. called the police department to report 4 yoots on bicycles throwing paper into the roadway, determined to be our caller’s neighbor’s mail. Yoots were GOA. Contact was made with the neighbor who could not determine whether or not anything had been stolen. Parents, advise your yoots of the repercussions of tampering with others’ mail. Please and thank you.
- 3:42 p.m. – A 47 year old resident of the S6900 block of Shady Lane responded to the police department to report purchasing firewood from an add on Craigslist and not receiving the full quantity ordered. Oh, Craigslist. How you continue to disappoint us with your scams, tomfoolery, shady sellers, and mystifying personal ads. Our complainant was advised of the civil nature of the matter.
- 4:18 p.m. – A 32 year old resident of the S7600 block of Circle Drive called the police department to report being involved in a hit and run accident near the intersection of Racine Ave. and College Ave. Investigation continuing.
- 4:41 p.m. – A 9 year old Mill Valley student was provided a ride home after a mix up in communication left her stranded at school with staff who is unauthorized to provide rides to students. No worries!
- 4:53 p.m. – Contact was made with a 42 year old resident of the S6900 block of Wildwood Dr. after her 5 year old dialed 9-1-1 in error. There were no problems reported. Could have at least sang us some Baby Shark if you were going to call. Doo doo doo doo doo doo. Actually, for the sanity of our dispatchers, don’t do that.

- 7:19 p.m. – Officers stopped out with an 80 year old resident of the S8300 block of Holz Dr. at a business located in the S7900 block of Racine Ave. whose driver's license was suspended (for good reason) and knew it. I wonder how she got there. Our persistent driver was escorted back to her residence and her vehicle left on scene. Yes, this is the same subject who forgot to sign her check.

October 8th:

- 7:28 a.m. – A 57 year old resident of the S7400 block of Annes Way was cited for failing to heed warning to the city's dog at large ordinance. Officers had previously warned the dog owner about letting her dog roam freely into neighboring yards, especially due to the dog's nature of running after other dog walkers. If you're not going to watch your pet and abide by the rules, don't get a pet.
- 7:40 a.m. – Officers responded to the intersection of Glen Cove Court and Raven Rd. for the report of a car vs. pedestrian accident. Upon arrival, officers located the victim trapped between the back of a box truck and the front of a four door sedan. The operator of the sedan, an 18 year old Muskego resident, had failed to see the truck and victim due to visual obstructions while traveling east bound on Glen Cove Ct. and subsequently struck the victim, pinning him between the two vehicles. The victim was transported to an area hospital via flight for life where both his legs were later amputated. The crash is still being investigated by Wisconsin State Patrol. Thoughts and prayers go out to the victim and his family.
- 10:24 a.m. – Students at Bay Lane Elementary School were evacuated after reports of the smell of natural gas emanating from a nearby meter. Tess Corners Fire Department responded to assess the situation. The smell was determined not to be coming from the school and was believed to be sent from the Emerald Landfill on a strong northern wind. Yummy.
- 2:12 p.m. – An employee of a business located in the W16300 block of Janesville Rd. called the police department to report the theft of \$500.00 cash from a drawer. Officers responded and began investigating, only for the employee to call back the following day and report finding the cash after another employee had moved it.
- 4:53 p.m. – A 24 year old New Berlin resident called the police department to report a suspicious white truck located in the S7600 block of Quietwood Dr. The truck operator had apparently rang the doorbell of a residence where the caller was located, then sat in the truck outside the residence for approximately 20 minutes after our caller did not answer. Of course the vehicle was GOA when officers responded. The truck was later determined to be associated with a subject checking on ponds in the area. Creepy pond checker.
- 8:01 p.m. – A 35 year old resident of the W14900 block of Cornell Circle was arrested for a body only warrant through the Walworth County Sheriff's Department following a traffic stop that occurred not too far from the arrestee's residence. Our arrestee was also issued citations for OAR and failing to install an ignition interlock device on his vehicle prior to being turned over to sheriff's deputies.
- 8:18 a.m. – Officers responded to a business located in the W15300 block of Janesville Rd. after receiving reports from employees that a patron was seemingly falling asleep inside the store. Contact was made with the 36 year old East Troy resident who was not impaired, but apparently extremely overtired. Our sleepy shopper was advised that her driver's license status was not valid and to arrange for a ride before leaving the store with her children.
- 8:44 p.m. – An 84 year old resident of the W15900 block of Princeton Ct. called the police department requesting assistance in removing a 25 year old female resident of Milwaukee from his residence. I have a few questions pertaining to this one that I won't ask. Officers responded and mediated the situation which resulted in the female subject staying overnight. Yeah...I don't know about that one. Her choice though.

October 9th:

- 6:49 a.m. – The police department received several calls indicating Wile E. Coyote didn't make it across the road unscathed in his attempt to catch the Road Runner near the intersection of Durham Dr. and Belle Chasse Parkway. Officers responded and moved Wile E. to the side of the road until

- the County Highway Department could respond and move him elsewhere. Watching him take worse, you'd fully expect him to pop right back up. Not this time.
- 8:21 a.m. – Officers stopped out with a 17 year old resident of the W18500 block of Topaz Dr. at Idle Isle after seeing her sitting on the ground outside the pavilion on our cameras. She was cited for possessing a vape before being transported back to school where she should have been all along. Parents were contacted. How about some truancy to go along with that vape citation, eh?
 - 10:18 a.m. – A 59 year old resident of the S6400 block of Windsor Rd. called the police department to report having a tree removal service at his residence which his neighbor apparently did not approve of. The 55 year old neighbor apparently stormed out of his residence, swearing at the tree removers, exclaiming he did not want them on his property with their equipment. Probably should have consulted with the neighbor first, swearing is not condoned, although I can understand some of the frustration. Some people are extremely protective of their lawns. Officers responded and made contact with all parties to smooth things over.
 - 11:41 a.m. – A 68 year old resident of the S7600 block of Lannon Dr. responded to the police department to report believing she had be defrauded by a marketing company for craft fairs of all things. Officers investigating the situation determined there was in fact craft fairs being planned by E&I Marketing in Milwaukee, so our complainant was advised to contact said company to resolve the issue.
 - 12:08 p.m. – A 27 year old resident of the W15000 block of Cornell Circle was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia and transported to Waukesha County Jail on a probation and parole hold after officers responded to his residence for an overdose emergency medical call made by his mother.
 - 12:56 p.m. – A 74 year old resident of the S8500 block of Woods Rd. called the police department to report two juveniles were sitting outside a neighboring residence, one having pink or orange hair, and he found this to be suspicious due to believing his neighbor was not home. Officers responded and made contact with a 22 year old resident of the home at question. Guess you don't know all your neighbors. Moving on.
 - 2:52 p.m. – A 46 year old resident of the S7700 block of Castle Glen Ct. responded to the police department to report observing a Ford pickup truck illegally pass a school bus near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Woods Rd. A voicemail was left for the registered owner of the vehicle.
 - 5:21 p.m. – The property manager for the stores along the north side of Janesville Rd. near Parkland Dr. called the police department to report illegally parked vehicles on the property, an on-going issue. Officers made contact with both vehicle owners/operators who agreed to move said vehicles with the understanding should they be found in violation again, they would receive a citation.
 - 5:23 p.m. – A 33 year old resident of the W18600 block of Jean Dr. called the police department to report striking a mail box in the W18500 block of Denice Ct. N. on her way home. Due to minimal damage occurring to the caller's vehicle, no accident report was filed, and parties agreed to handle mailbox repairs amongst themselves.
 - 5:53 p.m. – A 25 year old resident of the 24000 block of Loomis Rd. was advised to move his vehicle out of the disabled parking spot at Kurth Park where he parked without a placard, or suffer the consequences. He moved, good choice.
 - 9:12 p.m. – A 29 year old Milwaukee resident called the police department due to driving her vehicle into a ditch in the S6900 block of Hiawatha Dr. Officers responded and investigation revealed the license plates on our caller's vehicle belonged to a vehicle listed as stolen, however did not match the vehicle our caller was driving. The vehicle itself was determined not to be stolen, so it was released to the operator once a tow removed it from aforementioned ditch. We held on to the plates. Sounds like there's more to this story...

October 10th:

- 1:14 a.m. – A 26 year old West Allis resident was cited for OAS following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of Racine Ave. and College Ave.
- 3:49 a.m. – An 88 year old resident of the W19200 block of Lakewood Dr. called the police department to report someone had been knocking on her door for the past hour and she detected the faint odor of smoke. Officers responded and smelled 0 smoke to go along with finding no one else in or outside of the residence. Alllllrighty then.

- 4:37 a.m. – An employee of a vehicle repossession company called the police department to report he would be working in the S7600 block of Gregory Dr. A 2011, Honda CR-V was repo'd from a residence in that location. They strike early! Uh, honey, where's the car?
- 5:28 a.m. – A U/I caller reported a vehicle in a ditch near the intersection of Lannon Dr. and Janesville Rd. Officers responded and determined the vehicle was unoccupied and did sustain front end damage. Contact was made with the registered owner at his residence in the S8000 block of Green St. The 62 year old claimed he had hit a deer on the highway and attempted to make it home, but obviously failed. Let's hope it was a deer.
- 7:22 a.m. – A 36 year old resident of the W12700 block of Somerset Dr. called the police department requesting officers respond to his residence and assist him with breaking into his own vehicle in order to free his child who had locked themselves in while playing with the remote. Smooth. Waiver signed, entry gained, 10-8. You're welcome!
- 9:17 a.m. – A 41 year old resident of the S8300 block of Racine Ave. called the police department to report ash from a nearby fire had landed on not only his vehicle, but several others in the shared parking lot. The fire was located, smoldering and unattended. Our caller was advised to call back should there be any permanent damage to his vehicle left by the ash. Haven't heard anything yet.
- 12:33 p.m. – A New Berlin based trucking company was cited in excess of \$5K for an overweight trucking violation after their operator was pulled over near the intersection of Durham Dr. and Priegel Dr. Ouch.
- 3:14 p.m. – A 60 year old resident of the S7000 block of Belmont Dr. called the police department to report his dog was attacked by his neighbor's two dogs. Our caller did not wish any police action be taken against his neighbor, however he wished that his 42 year old neighbor be advised of the incident, so she was.
- 4:07 p.m. – A 55 year old resident of the S7200 block of Richdorf Dr. was cited for failing to yield while making a left turn which caused a three vehicle accident in the S7800 block of Racine Ave. No injuries were reported.
- 4:55 p.m. – A 49 year old resident of the S6900 block of Southern Dr. was arrested on domestic related disorderly conduct charges after his 81 year old mother, with whom he still resides, called the police department to report the physical altercation. The arrestee was transported to WCJ and advised to cease all contact with his mother. This is why children are supposed to move out of their parents' homes.
- 6:09 p.m. – Two Racine residents, one 18, the other 19 years of age, were arrested for possession of devil's lettuce following a traffic stop that occurred in the parking lot of a business located in the W17000 block of Janesville Rd. The traffic stop was initiated due to speeding and failure to yield violations. Topics that would have been covered in driver's education had either of these geniuses bothered to go.
- 6:17 p.m. – A 74 year old resident of the S6900 block of Fennimore Lane called the police department to report being the victim of fraud. Investigation continuing.
- 6:52 p.m. – Officers responded to a residence located in the W19100 block of Janesville Rd. after receiving a call from a medical alarm company that an alarm had been triggered at the residence. Contact was made with the 84 year old who stated her dog had accidentally pressed the alarm, she did not need assistance, and neither did Sparky.
- 10:10 p.m. – A 27 year old Milwaukee resident was cited for OAR following a traffic stop that occurred near the intersection of Racine Ave. and Pioneer Dr.

During this week, the following traffic (road and water) contacts were made:

Citations:	15	Written Warnings:	3
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As always, if you have information on these or any other incidents, contact the City of Muskego Police Department at (262) 679-4130.

CONGRATULATIONS

To the graduates of the 2019 Fall Session Muskego Citizens Police Academy! We celebrated on Tuesday night at Alpine Lanes with some pizza (of course) and cake. This group was fun to work with and enjoyed their time cruising around in squad cars, going to the gun range, and learning about law enforcement.

"Partnership and Understanding" is the motto, and I think we accomplished that goal. Congrats grads!

If you or someone you know is interested in participating in the Muskego Citizens Police Academy, click on the link below to fill out an online application today! Feel free to give me a call or shoot me an email for more information.

<https://www.cityofmuskego.org/.../Citizens-Academy-Applicatio...>

That's all for this edition. As always, thanks for reading, Go Warriors, and you stay classy, Muskego!

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