

UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP POLICE WEEKLY CRIME BULLETIN

MARCH 9, 2007

MALL AND VICINITY

THEFT FROM & MISCHIEF TO VEHICLE:

Home Depot, ROUTE 202: Occurred 03/03/2007 at 1000 hours. An unidentified person punched the door lock on a 2004 Ford Econoline 150 van and removed the GPS system, and a Cingular phone from within.

Ballys Total Fitness: Occurred 03/03/2007 between 0900 and 1025 hours. An unidentified person shattered the driver's side window on a 2000 Ford Expedition and removed the radio from the dashboard and also the victim's wallet containing credit cards and personal identification information. It was later learned that one of his credit cards was used at the Exxon station in King of Prussia and the description given was a *MALE wearing a tee shirt with MAB on the front possibly driving a green SUV.*

Home Depot, ROUTE 202: Occurred 03/03/2007 at 0923 hours. An unknown person punched out the locks on the driver, passenger and side passenger doors on a 2006 Chevrolet van and removed the company laptop from within. There apparently was an attempt to remove the stereo system because the dashboard was pulled out and was hanging open. The suspects are described as *a MALE wearing a dark unzipped jacket, white tee shirt and jeans and also possibly another MALE. They were seen on video driving a green SUV with four doors and tinted windows and a lighter stripe at the bottom.*

Ballys Total Fitness: Occurred 03/05/2007 between 1945 and 2200 hours. An unknown person broke the passenger side front window of a Ford Taurus, (which was a rental vehicle), and removed victim's business briefcase containing several personal items from the rear seat, including a credit and debit card.

AREA NORTH OF ROUTE 202 AND WEST OF HENDERSON ROAD

THEFT FROM & MISCHIEF TO VEHICLE:

680 AMERICAN AVE: Occurred 03/05/2007 between 0900 and 0959 hours. An unknown person entered an unlocked Chevrolet work van and removed victim's wallet from within.

MISCELLANEOUS

POLICE OFFICER OF YEAR AWARD: Congratulations to Corporal Jeffrey Maurer "Police Officer of Year 2006". Corporal Maurer will be honored by the Rotary Club at their May luncheon meeting, and by the Township at the "employee appreciation event" (which is currently being planned as a luncheon in June).

FEBRUARY 2007 VEHICLE THEFTS - 5

(2007 YTD - 7)

COURTSIDE SQUARE LOT	- 1 (20%)
PLAZA LOT	- 2 (40%)
WAWA (N HENDERSON)	- 1 (20%)
372 COVERED BRIDGE RD	- 1 (20%)

TOTAL RECOVERED	- 3 (60%)
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DAY REPORTED STOLEN:

SUNDAY	- 1 (20%)
MONDAY	- 0 (00%)
TUESDAY	- 1 (20%)
WEDNESDAY	- 0 (00%)
THURSDAY	- 0 (00%)
FRIDAY	- 1 (20%)
SATURDAY	- 2 (40%)

TIMES REPORTED STOLEN:

0700-1900 HRS	- 4 (80%)
1900-0700 HRS	- 1 (20%)

MAKE OF VEHICLE TAKEN:

ACURA TL	- 1 (20%)
DODGE CARAVAN	- 1 (20%)
DODGE RAM 1500 P/U	- 1 (20%)
FORD CONTOUR	- 1 (20%)
NISSAN PATHFINDER	- 1 (20%)

(FEBRUARY 2006 STVH - 9)

(2006 YTD - 13)