

# UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP POLICE WEEKLY CRIME BULLETIN

July 20, 2007

## MALL AND VICINITY

**Retail Theft – Golfdom, 640 Mall Blvd:** Occurred on 07/13/07 at 1610 hours. Three suspects stole a quantity of “Polo” shirts. First suspect was a female, 5’10, wearing a long sleeved grey shirt and jeans, carrying large bag. Second suspect was a male, 5’10, wearing a white tee shirt and jeans, carrying an Old Navy bag. A third was also male, bald, 5’8, wearing, glasses, black shirt, tan shorts, and sneakers.

**Theft Report – Jiffy Lube, 590 W. DeKalb Pike:** Occurred between 2200 hours on 07/13/07 and 0730 hours on 07/14/07. Unknown person(s) stole two benches from in front of the business.

**Theft Report – Patio.Com, 125 N. Gulph Rd:** Occurred between 1900 hours on 07/13/07 and 1000 hours on 07/14/07. Unknown person(s) stole patio furniture by cutting the wires that tied them together.

**Theft from Vehicle – Fox and Hound, 160 N. Gulph Rd:** Occurred on 07/14/07 between 1720 and 1850 hours. Unknown person(s) broke into a black 2006 Ford Expedition. Stolen was a laptop computer.

**Vehicle Theft – Champps Restaurant, 330 Goddard Blvd:** Occurred on 07/14/07 between 1930 and 2300 hours. Stolen was a black, 2007 Toyota Avalon, PA tags GRF9031.

**Suspicious Vehicle – W. DeKalb Pk and Rt. 202:** Occurred on 07/15/07 1344 hrs. UMPD Officers found a black 2006 Dodge Ram with the operator asleep behind the wheel. The driver was arrested for carrying a weapon without a permit as he had a handgun on his person.

**Vehicle Theft – United Artists Theater, 300 Goddard Blvd:** Occurred 07/16/07 between 1200-1530 hours. Stolen was a maroon 2001 Honda Accord, PA Registration GSX6895.

**Theft from Vehicle – Court Parking Garage, D-3 area, 640 Mall Blvd:** Occurred on 07/17/07 between 1750 and 1950 hours. Unknown person(s) shattered a window of the vehicle. Stolen was a bag containing paperwork.

**Theft from Vehicle – Court Parking Garage, Pole D-3, 640 Mall Blvd:** Occurred on 07/17/07 between 2005 and 2020 hours. Unknown person(s) shattered a window of the vehicle. Stolen from the car was a purse.

**Theft Report – Crowne Plaza Hotel, 260 Mall Blvd:** Occurred 07/15/07 between 0800 and 1530 hrs. Occupant reports jewelry stolen from her room.

**Theft Report – Plaza, Starbucks Coffee, 160 N. Gulph Rd:** Occurred 07/17/07 between 1930 and 2200 hrs. Store employee reports her purse was stolen from the back office area of the store.

**Retail Theft – Zumiez, 160 N. Gulph Rd.**: Occurred on 07/19/07 at 1536 hours. First suspect was a male, 25-30 years old, 5'7, 230 lbs, bald. Second suspect was a female, 25-30 years old, 5'4", 300 lbs, brown shoulder length hair. Third suspect was a female, 25-30 years old, 5'6", 165 lbs, short black hair. Suspects were seen exiting the second level of the west parking garage in a maroon mid-1990's Buick or Oldsmobile.

### **AREA NORTH OF ROUTE 202 AND WEST OF HENDERSON ROAD**

**Vehicle Theft – Valley Forge Scanticon, 1210 1<sup>st</sup> Ave**: Occurred 07/13/07 between 0015 and 1330 hours. Stolen was a white 2006 Toyota Sienna, PA Registration KHM8159. Vehicle has two bumper stickers on rear bumper "Shore Palm Elementary" and Nova Swimming".

**Attempted Burglary – 200 Block of Prince Frederick St**: Occurred between 07/10/07 and 07/13/07. Unknown person(s) attempted to gain entry through a window.

**Attempted Burglary – 600 Block of Crestwyck Dr**: Occurred between 07/08/07 at 1100 hours and 07/13/07 1920 hours. Unknown person(s) attempted to gain entry through a window.

**Attempted Burglary – 100 Block of Hunters Run**: Occurred on 07/14/07 at 0408 hours. Resident was asleep on the couch and heard someone at the garage door. A male, 25 years of age, 6'0, with long dirty blonde hair. He was wearing a black hat on backwards, white tee shirt, tan cargo shorts, and was carrying a flashlight. Area was checked by UMPD Officers without success.

**Burglary Report – 100 Block of Hunters Run**: Occurred on 07/17/07 at 0955 hours. Resident reports that while the family was sleeping someone broke into the residence. An item was missing from the kitchen counter. This burglary is probably related to the other attempted burglary on Hunters Run.

**Criminal Mischief – Upper Merion Trout Run, 900 Mancil Mill Rd**: Occurred on 07/14/07 between 2000-2100 hours. An unknown suspect started a bulldozer and drove it into a gate and a tree at the rear of the Valley Forge Towers.

### **AREA EAST OF HENDERSON ROAD**

**Burglary Report – 800 Block of Crooked Ln**: Occurred on 07/14/07 between 1930 and 2130 hours. Unknown person(s) gained entry through a window and stole a briefcase and jewelry.

**Theft Report – Gulph Mills Train Station, 950 Trinity Ln**: Occurred between 07/16/07 @1500 hours and 07/17/07 @ 0800 hours. Theft of assorted construction equipment from the job site was reported.

### **GULPH MILLS AND VICINITY**

**Burglary Report – 800 Block of S. Gulph Rd**: Occurred on 07/15/07 between 0001 and 0830 hours. Unknown suspect(s) gained entry into the occupied residence through a window and took video game equipment.

**Theft from Vehicle – GMVA, 649 S. Henderson Rd, Bldg B:** Occurred between 1800 hours on 07/15/07 and 0619 hours on 07/16/07. Four tires were taken off of both a silver 2005 Acura and a black 2007 Honda Civic.

**Theft from Vehicle – GMVA 649 S. Henderson Rd, Bldg B:** Occurred between 07/15/07 at 2130 hrs and 07/16/07 at 0900 hrs. Tires were taken off of silver 2007 Toyota Camry.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

**Save the Date** –UMPD Golf Outing to benefit the PBA is going to be held on Friday October 5, 2007 at 1230 hours at Spring Hollow Golf Club – more details to follow soon.