

UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP POLICE WEEKLY CRIME BULLETIN

AUGUST 15, 2008

MALL AND VICINITY

Theft from Vehicle

West Garage, 160 N. Gulph Rd. – Tuesday, 08/05/08 between 1140-1500 hrs. – Victim reported that her GPS unit was stolen from inside her vehicle. Unknown person(s) gained entry by smashing the passenger side front window of her vehicle.

West Garage, 160 N. Gulph Rd. – Tuesday, 08/12/08 between 1245-2100 hrs. - Victim reported that her pocketbook containing two pair of glasses, 100 CD's and a case were stolen from inside her vehicle. The victim stated that she is sure that she locked her vehicle but returned to find her driver's side door unlocked.

Pole 11 Plaza Lot – Between Tuesday, 8/12/08 at 1700 hrs and Wednesday, 8/13/08 0919 hrs. - Stolen were a briefcase, laptop computer, air card, and wallet.

Robbery Report

King of Prussia Plaza, 160 N. Gulph Rd. – Tuesday, 08/05/08 at 1635 hrs. – Victim reported that her ex-boyfriend stole her purse. She also stated that her ex-boyfriend struck her and her current boyfriend in the face before fleeing the area.

Assist Other Law Enforcement

W. DeKalb Pk. / Shaffer Rd. – Tuesday, 08/12/08 between 1530-1849 hrs. – UMPD Officers were dispatched to assist the PA State Police in the area of Rt. 76 and Rt. 202. PSP units were following Lafayette Ambulance 317-2, which was stolen from Montgomery Hospital at 1530 hrs. PSP stopped the vehicle on W. DeKalb Pk. at Shaffer Rd. and the suspect was taken into custody without incident.

Recovered Stolen Property

Court Lot, Pole 2P – Wednesday, 08/13/08 at 0256 hrs. - While on routine patrol of the Court Lot UMPD Officers ran a vehicle registration on a 1997 Honda Accord. The vehicle came back as stolen out of Philadelphia and the car was impounded.

AREA NORTH OF ROUTE 202 AND WEST OF HENDERSON ROAD

Criminal Mischief

200 Block of Strawberry Lane – Between Friday, 08/08/08 at 2330 hrs. and Saturday, 08/09/08 at 0345 hrs. – Victim reported that unknown person(s) smashed out the front driver's side window of her vehicle. Victim stated no items were missing.

300 Block of Stoneybrook Rd. – Between Friday, 08/08/08 at 1700 hrs. and Saturday, 08/09/08 at 0405 hrs. (08-18965) – Victim reported that unknown person(s) shattered the driver's side window of her vehicle.

200 Block of Pleasant Valley Rd. – Between Friday, 08/08/08 at 2100 hrs. and Saturday, 08/09/08 at 0414 hrs. – While checking the area for other damaged vehicles, UMPD Officers observed the rear driver's side window of a 2006 Honda Civic broken out.

AREA EAST OF HENDERSON ROAD

Theft Report

Hope Community Church, 150 E. Beidler Rd. – Sunday, 08/10/08 between 0930-1100 hrs. – Complainant reported that a bag containing cash and checks was stolen from the church while the service was in progress.

Criminal Mischief

700 Block of Tose St. – Between Sunday, 08/10/08 at 1200 hrs. and Monday, 08/11/08 at 0800 hrs. – Victim reported that unknown person(s) slashed two tires on his vehicle.
Short and Dave’s U-Pull It, 263 Flint Hill Rd. – Between Monday, 08/11/08 at 1900 hrs. and Tuesday, 08/12/08 at 0900 hrs. – Complainant reported that unknown person(s) entered and damaged several cars in their lot.

GULPH MILLS AND VICINITY

Burglary

800 Block of S. Gulph Rd. – Monday, 08/11/08 at 0600 hrs. – Victim reported that she awoke to find an unknown male in her bedroom who left the home without incident. The suspect was later identified as a result of the investigation and will be charged in this incident.

Burglary Report

300 Block of Arden Rd. – Tuesday, 08/12/08 between 1145-1520 hrs. – Victim reported that he had left his residence at 1145 hours and did not lock the doors. Unknown person(s) entered the home and ransacked a room. Stolen was various jewelry and cash.

Criminal Mischief

100 Block of Musket Rd. – Between Friday, 08/08/08 and Saturday, 08/09/08 – Victim reported that the front windshield of his vehicle was smashed out while it was parked in front of the location.

MISCELLANEOUS

Assist Other Law Enforcement

Tredyffrin Township, Old Eagle School Rd. / Township Line Rd. – Saturday, 08/09/08 between 0642-0712 hrs. – Tredyffrin PD reported a Hit & Run where the suspect fled on foot. Upon arrival in the area, UMPD Officers observed the suspect emerge from thick weeds to the rear of the Woods Office Center and he was subsequently taken into custody.

JULY 2008 VEHICLE THEFTS - 1 (JULY 2007 STVH - 6)
(2008 YTD - 21) (2007 YTD - 32)

AMERICAN FOOD SERVICE - 1 (100%)

TOTAL RECOVERED - 0 (00%)

DAY REPORTED STOLEN:

SUNDAY - 0 (00%)
MONDAY - 0 (00%)

TUESDAY	- 1 (100%)
WEDNESDAY	- 0 (00%)
THURSDAY	- 0 (00%)
FRIDAY	- 0 (00%)
SATURDAY	- 0 (00%)

TIMES REPORTED STOLEN:

0700-1900 HRS	- 0 (00%)
1900-0700 HRS	- 1 (100%)

MAKE OF VEHICLE TAKEN:

ACURA INTEGRA	- 1 (100%)
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