

VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

November 18, 2022

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from

November 10, 2022 to November 17, 2022. Readers are reminded that an "arrest" is based upon probable cause and does not always mean that someone was physically taken into custody. Furthermore, it does not mean that an individual is automatically guilty of a crime. Judicial outcomes and post-arrest proceedings can be researched through the appropriate court's website.

(VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS IS NOT MEANT TO BE A LISTING OF EVERY INCIDENT OR CALL HANDLED BY THE Vienna Police, but merely a more substantive summary of several incidents, which may be of interest to the community. Some reports may be outside the date parameters due to extended investigations or other circumstances. Some cases are not included at all due to ongoing investigations. Please contact Ruth Rohr for further information at Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov)

On July 1, 2021, citizens will be able to access Community Policing data via https://data.virginia.gov/stories/s/rden-cz3h. The Vienna Police Department had started complying with this state law in July of 2020. The portal will contain all non-consensual investigatory stops made by the Vienna Police Departments and other law enforcement agencies in the commonwealth.

Car Thefts and Tamperings

The National Capital Area and specifically the Northern Virginia area, has seen increased vehicle tampering incidents and vehicle thefts. In some incidents, suspects entered homes through unlocked doors and open garage doors to steal property and keys to vehicles. The suspects then used the vehicle keys to gain entry into vehicles and use them to get away. The Vienna Police Department would like to remind our community members to please stay vigilant, close, and lock all doors of residences and garages to prevent criminals from targeting your property.

If you see suspicious activity or persons, we ask that you notify the police department at 703-255-6366 or, in case of an emergency 9-1-1.

INCIDENTS

Grand Larceny 22-010884

100 Block Glyndon Street, NE

Between September 29 at 12:00 a.m. and November 5 at 9:00 p.m.

A resident reported three incidents where money was missing from her home.

Fraud 22-010981

Vienna Family Dentist

212 Park Street, SE

Between October 22 at 5:00 p.m. and November 8 at 7:00 a.m.

One of the dentists reported that someone hacked their website and used it as a third party to collect fraudulent payments from individuals.

Animal Case 22-010925

300 Block Ayr Hill Avenue, NE

November 8 6:18 a.m.

An officer responded to the report of a deer that was stuck in a fence. The officer found the deer to be gravely injured and euthanized the animal.

Suspicious Event 22-010940

1000 Block Tapawingo Road, SW

November 8 12:00 p.m.

A resident reported that a man was acting suspiciously when he approached his house earlier in the day. The man ran off when he heard the resident's dog barking at him.

Police Service 22-010935

100 Block Tapawingo Road, SE

November 8 1:01 p.m.

A resident turned in a firearm and ammunition for destruction.

Police Service 22-010956

Vienna Police Station

301 Center Street, South

November 9 11:17 a.m.

A resident turned in pocket knives for destruction.

Trespassing 22-010989

Chick-fil-A

538 Maple Avenue, West

November 10 2:57 p.m.

An employee reported a man who was loitering in the restaurant. The employee advised the man was also acting suspiciously in the restaurant the previous week. Officers spoke to the man and he agreed to leave. The management trespassed the man from the restaurant.

Trespassing 22-011017 Yeonas Park 1319 Ross Drive, SW November 11 11:00 a.m.

Officers responded to the report of several individuals trespassing in the park near the ball field. Officers located and identified the individuals who agreed to leave the park.

Open Door 22-011021 Pear Tree Cottage 130 Maple Avenue, East November 12 6:10 a.m.

Officers responded to the report of an open door. The officers searched the business and found that nothing appeared to have been disturbed. An employee responded to secure the business.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 22-011031 1000 Block Park Street, SE November 12 1:35 p.m.

An officer was checking on the welfare of a man that he found lying in the grass. Upon the officer's interaction with the man, he detected signs of impairment.

Sgt. Tracy arrested the 45-year-old man with no fixed address. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Drunk In Public.

Arrest – Felony Driving On a Revoked License 22-011037 200 Block Cedar Lane, SE November 12 5:49 p.m.

An officer observed a man driving a vehicle whose license privilege was revoked.

MPO Reedy arrested the 50-year-old man from Cedar Lane, SE in Vienna. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with Felony Driving on a Revoked License, Driving While Intoxicated Related.

Assist EMS 22-011039 1000 Block Westwood Drive, NE November 12 8:08 p.m.

Officers responded to assist rescue personnel with a young child who was suffering a medical emergency. The child was transported to an area hospital for treatment.

Arrest – Noise Violation and Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor 22-011045 500 Block Delano Drive, SE

November 12 10:24 p.m.

Officers responded to the report of a loud party involving several under-aged individuals. The party immediately began to disperse when officers arrived. The homeowner's daughter advised that her mother allowed the party and purchased the alcohol for them.

Ofc. Rodriguez issued summonses to both the homeowner a 49-year-old woman, and the 18-year-old daughter charging Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor. Both women were released on their signatures.

Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated 22-011050 300 Maple Avenue, East

November 13 2:47 a.m.

An officer was traveling westbound on Maple Avenue in the left lane. Another vehicle was driving in the right lane. The other vehicle partially crossed over into the left lane, almost striking the police cruiser. The officer initiated a traffic stop and, upon her interaction with the driver, detected signs of impairment. The man failed to complete a series of field sobriety tests and was placed under arrest.

After the driver provided a sample of his breath for analysis, Sgt Ruddy transported the 46-year-old man from Waples Mill Road in Oakton, Virginia to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Driving While Intoxicated.

Found Property 22-011074
Vienna Police Station
301 Center Street, South
November 14 7:09 a.m.
A citizen turned in a found wallet.

Death – Accidental 22-011089 100 Block Courthouse Road, SW November 14 2:15 p.m.

Officers responded to assist rescue personnel with a construction employee who was injured in a construction accident while working on a new home. Rescue personnel transported the man to an area hospital where he was pronounced deceased.

Stolen Vehicle Recovery 22-011095 1000 Block Tapawingo Road, SW November 14 6:32 p.m.

A member of the home owner's association reported an abandoned vehicle. A check on the vehicle found that it was reported as stolen in Fairfax County. The Fairfax County Police were notified of the vehicle recovery.

Vehicle Tampering 22-011120 600 Block Upham Place, NW

Between November 15 at 12:00 a.m. and November 16 at 7:45 a.m.

A resident reported that someone rummaged through their unlocked vehicle.

Emergency Custody Order 22-011109

Vienna Inn

120 Maple Avenue, East

November 15 10:04 a.m.

An employee reported that a man was taking items out of their storage shed. Officers located the man digging through the dumpster and found he was the same man they had received other complaints about regarding his erratic behavior.

PFC Gucwa took the man into custody on an Emergency Custody Order and transported him to an area facility for evaluation and treatment.

Vehicle Tampering 22-011125 600 Block Tazewell Road, NW

Between November 15 at 11:45 p.m. and November 16 at 9:30 a.m.

A resident reported that someone rummaged through their unlocked vehicle.

Vehicle Tampering 22-011122 200 Block Windover Avenue, NW November 16 5:02 a.m.

A resident reported that someone rummaged through their two unlocked vehicles.

Open Door 22-011123 600 Block Alma Street, SE November 16 9:06 a.m.

Officers responding to a residential alarm found an unsecure door. The officers searched the home and found that nothing appeared suspicious.

Suspicious Event 22-011131 Vienna Inn 120 Maple Avenue, East November 16 2:15 p.m.

An employee reported that a former friend has been harassing her at work, leaving threatening notes for her at the restaurant and sending messages to her via social media.

Death – Unknown Cause 22-011145 Navy Federal Credit Union 1007 Electric Avenue, SE November 17 8:11 a.m.

Officers responded to assist rescue personnel with an employee who was suffering a medical emergency. The man was transported to an area hospital where he died a short time later.

Open Door 22-011152 200 Block Elm Street, SW November 17 11:27 a.m.

Officers responding to a residential alarm found an unsecure door. The officers searched the home and found that nothing appeared suspicious.

Arrest – Driving on Revoked License 22-011153 200 Block Casmar Street, SE November 17 11:45 a.m.

During a traffic stop, an officer determined that the driver was driving with a revoked driver's license.

MPO Reedy arrested the 51-year-old man from Blake Lane in Oakton, Virginia. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with Driving on a Revoked License, Driving While Intoxicated Related.

Driving While Intoxicated 22-011161 400 Block Maple Avenue, East November 17 10:28 p.m.

An officer observed a driver commit a traffic offense and initiated a traffic stop. Upon his interaction with the driver, the officer detected signs of impairment. The driver failed a series of field sobriety tests and was placed under arrest.

Ofc. Rodriguez transported the man to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where there was no technician available to take a blood draw for analysis. The magistrate declined to issue a warrant for Driving While Intoxicated and the man was released from custody and escorted to his residence.

CASE UPDATES

None.

CRASHES

Maple Avenue near Beulah Road, SE 22-010810

November 3 7:18 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue in the left lane. Vehicle-2 was eastbound on Maple in the left turn lane for Beulah Road. Vehicle-1 sideswiped Vehicle-2 causing minimal damage to both vehicles.

Maple Avenue and Mill Street, NE 22-010941

November 8 7:05 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was exiting the Whole Foods parking lot, attempting to go across the lanes of traffic to continue straight on Mill Street. Vehicle-2 was traveling in the right westbound lane of Maple Avenue when the vehicles collided.

521 Maple Avenue, East 22-010957

November 9 12:31

Vehicle-1 was exiting a parking lot and attempting to get into the left turn lane. Vehicle-2 was traveling in the eastbound left lane when they struck Vehicle-1.

114 Courthouse Road, SW 22-010968

November 9 5:02 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was entering Courthouse Road from a parking lot. Vehicles-2, 3, and 4 were stopped in traffic on northbound Courthouse Road. As Vehicle-1 pulled out of the lot they struck Vehicle-2, causing it to strike Vehicle-3, and Vehicle-3 struck Vehicle-4.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

100 Block Patrick Street, SE 22-011032

November 12 12:00 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked in the parking lot when it was struck by Vehicle-1. Driver-1 left the area without providing their information.

500 Block Maple Avenue, West 22-011076

November 14 8:20 a.m.

Two vehicles were westbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 was attempting to change from the right lane into the left lane when it collided with Vehicle-2. Driver-2 left the scene without stopping.

100 Block Church Street, NW 22-011111

November 15 12:05 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was parked facing eastbound on Church Street. Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound on Church Street when Vehicle-1 pulled out from the parking spot and struck them.

100 Maple Avenue, East 22-011114 November 15 4:18 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was traveling westbound on Maple Avenue in the center turn lane. Vehicle-2 was traveling westbound in the left lane. Vehicle-1 attempted to change lanes and struck Vehicle-2.

Driver-1 was issued two summonses charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention and Driving Outside of the Provision of a Learner's Permit.

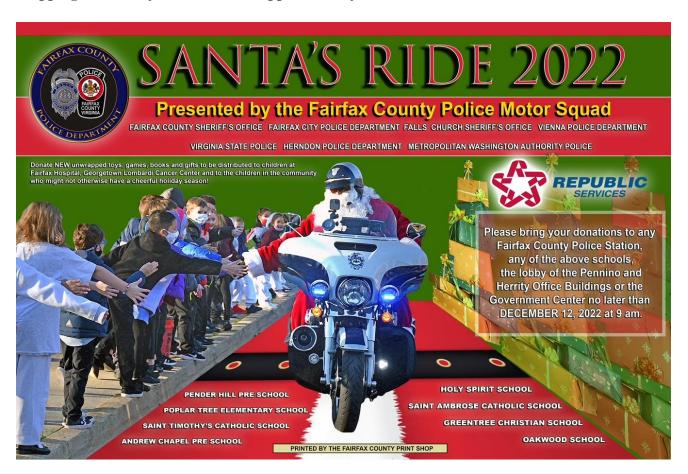
Please contact Ruth Rohr for further information on any of these cases at Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov or 703-255-6324.

CITIZEN NOTES

The Vienna Police Department is proud to once again participate with other local police agencies in the Santa's Ride, bringing gifts to children in local hospitals this holiday season. Please contact Ruth Rohr if you have any questions at 703-255-6324.

Please drop off your <u>new unwrapped toys and books</u> at the Vienna Police Station – 301 Center St., S (Monday-Friday, 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.) the Vienna Town Hall – 127 Center St., S (Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.), or the Vienna Community Center – 120 Cherry St., SE. Please make your donation before 3:00 p.m. on Friday, December 9.

If you would prefer not to drop your donations off in person, you can do your online shopping and have your donation shipped directly to the Vienna Police Station.





The Town of Vienna Police
Department is again joining forces
with Zero during the month of
November through "GROW&GIVE"
to help end prostate cancer and
create awareness. Chief James
Morris will allow our officers to
grow out their beards to save
lives. Officers will grow out their
beards for the second time ever
for a great cause. We can't wait to
share some pics!!



ZERO's Mission

Our mission is our name, to **end prostate cancer**.

We will save lives and stop pain and suffering by advancing research, improving the lives of men and their families, and inspiring action.

If you wish to donate you can use either the QR Code or the link below:



https://bit.ly/GrowandGiveVPD



zerocancer.org/grow



Vienna Police Department INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

Between 2:00 AM and 3:00 AM on July 23, 2022, a group of unidentified males damaged the grounds and equipment at Westwood Country Club, 800 Maple Avenue E, Vienna, VA 22180. Video surveillance captured them and the images below were obtained. Estimates of the cost of the damage to the grounds and property exceeded \$2000.





If you have information on these suspects or incident, please contact Sergeant J. K. Sheeran, James.Sheeran@viennava.gov, (703) 255-7826, reference case number 2022-7611

Sergeant J.K. Sheeran #76 215 Center Street South, Vienna VA 22180 James.Sheeran@Viennava.gov (703) 255 - 7826

July 28, 2022



Vienna Police Department INFORMATION BULLETIN

FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

BURGLARY

These two suspects were involved in a burglary and unlawful entry that occurred in the 200 block of Dominion Road NE on December 26, 2021.







Suspect 2

If you recognize these suspects or have any information, please contact Det. Marcos Herrera, Marcos.Herrera@viennava.gov, (703) 255-7821, reference case number 2021-7988

Detective M.A. Herrera #118 215 Center Street South, Vienna VA 22180 Marcos.Herrera@Viennava.gov (703) 255 - 7821

January 18, 2022



Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release Warning: McAfee Scam Email

Detectives with the Vienna Police Department are investigating two separate scam incidents related to a "McAfee Antivirus" email. Detectives advised that the scam usually begins with an email that purports to be from McAfee informing citizens that they are being charged \$300 for "McAfee Total Protection anti-virus software" unless they cancel the order by calling a phone number provided in the email. If you call the number provided, you will be greeted by a scammer posing as a McAfee employee who will ask for personal information, including a bank account number supposedly to verify the account. After receiving the personal information, the scammer will request a wire transfer of funds which will be nearly impossible to reverse once it is completed. The Vienna Police Department provides the following guidelines for spotting and avoiding a "phishing" email:

- Always check the sender's email. Phishing emails may look like they are from a legitimate company you trust. Most of the time, you can tell it is a phishing scam if the sender's email address consists of random numbers and letters. If you are unsure, research the email of the company.
- 2) Look for spelling and grammatical errors. Phishing emails tend to have multiple spelling and grammatical errors in them.
- 3) Phishing emails will attempt to trick you through a sense of urgency in order to click on a link or open an attachment. You can inspect the link by hovering the mouse over it without clicking on it—only open attachments from trusted and verified sources.
- 4) Phishing emails may trick you by saying:
 - a. They've noticed suspicious activity or login attempts
 - b. Claim there are account problems or problems with payment information
 - c. Ask to confirm personal information
 - d. Attach fake invoices
 - e. Provide a link to allow for a payment
 - f. Threaten to arrest
 - g. Offer money or free items

If you feel you have fallen victim to a phishing scam, please call the police non-emergency number, 703-255-6366, to report it. You can also report phishing emails to your email provider or the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) using their website. Useful links containing phishing email examples, how to avoid phishing emails, and FTC reporting procedures are attached below:

https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/how-recognize-and-avoid-phishing-scams

https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/topics/online-security

For further information please contact:

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