



VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

October 18, 2019

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from October 11, 2019 – October 17, 2019. 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)

INCIDENTS

Fraud 19-010686

300 Block Ayito Road, SE

September 30 8:50 p.m.

A resident reported an unauthorized charge to one of her credit accounts.

Suspicious Event 19-010527

300 Block Lewis Street, NW

October 11 between 10:00 a.m. and 12:45 p.m.

A citizen reported that she left her vehicle legally parked on Lewis Street. When she returned to the vehicle, she found the rear tailgate window was broken. It appeared that the damage may have been the result of a defective window, or accidental from someone mowing in the area.

Fraud 19-010534

500 Block Glyndon Street, NE

October 11 11:22 a.m.

A resident received a call from someone claiming to be from the Social Security Administration stating that the resident owed them money and that he would be arrested if he did not pay. He was transferred to an individual claiming to be an FBI agent. The resident did as the callers instructed and obtained gift cards. He then called the individuals back to provide them with the information from the cards.

ABC Violation 19-010706

**Cedar Lane School
101 Cedar Lane, SW
October 11 12:00 p.m.**

Officers responded to the school to document an incident involving two juveniles in possession of alcohol.

Warrant Service 19-010536

**300 Block Church Street, NE
October 11 3:16 p.m.**

PFC Post served a summons that was obtained by the Town Zoning Department on a 50-year-old man from Church Street, NE, in Vienna. The man was released on his signature for the Zoning violation.

Suspicious Event 19-010537

**Cameo Coins
444 Maple Avenue, East
October 11 3:15 p.m.**

An employee reported that two men entered the store while a woman and another individual waited in the parking lot. It appeared that the woman was outside, giving signals to the men in the business. The employee reported the encounter, concerned that the individuals were planning criminal activity.

Fraud 19-010542

**400 Block Holmes Drive, NW
October 11 6:14 p.m.**

A resident reported that she received an email from Apple requesting she contact their support number. The person who answered her call requested information from a few of her credit cards. After the resident provided her credit information, she began to suspect the call was a scam.

Trespassing 19-010564

**Wolftrap Hotel
430 Maple Avenue, West
October 12 10:00 a.m.**

An employee reported a couple who were acting disorderly. The woman left the property before the officers arrived. The man explained that the woman suffered from mental issues and was having an episode. He agreed to transport the woman to her doctor's office for evaluation. The employee trespassed the man from further visits to the hotel.

Arrest – Domestic Assault 19-010585

**Park Street, NE
October 12 9:05 p.m.**

Officers responded to the report of a domestic assault. A verbal dispute between a boyfriend and girlfriend escalated to a physical assault. The man grabbed the woman's cell phone and refused to return it to her when she tried to record their altercation. Rescue personnel responded to evaluate the man, who refused treatment.

Ofc. Farr arrested the 39-year-old man from Lucy Garrett Road in Roxboro, North Carolina. The officer transported him to an area medical facility where he was evaluated and cleared by the medical staff. He was then transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center, where he was charged with Domestic Assault and Petit Larceny.

Grand Larceny 19-010608**Walgreen's****225 Maple Avenue, East****October 13 between 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m.**

An unknown person entered the employee break room and took a purse and a wallet belonging to two employees.

Juvenile 19-010609**300 Block Maple Avenue, East****October 13 4:25 p.m.**

A citizen requested assistance with her daughter. She advised they were driving home when her daughter jumped out of her vehicle and ran into Giant Food. Officers searched the area for the juvenile, locating her at the Wendy's Restaurant. The juvenile requested to go to an area medical facility for emotional assistance. MPO Lose transported the juvenile to the facility at the mother's request.

Police Service 19-010630**400 Block Center Street, North****October 14 9:25 a.m.**

A Town of Vienna Department of Public Works employee was loading refuse into a Town dump truck when a large door that was being disposed of, fell out of the truck and struck a resident's vehicle causing minor damage.

Assault 19-010636**400 Block Maple Avenue, East****October 14 3:45 p.m.**

An exterminator was working in the rear of the shopping center when he was approached by an employee from one of the businesses. An argument ensued between the two and both parties stated that they were pushed by the other. Both parties were advised of the warrant process should they wish to pursue charges.

Arrest – Child Endangerment 19-010639**Glyndon Street and Locust Street, SE****October 14 8:14 p.m.**

A resident was walking his dogs when he observed a two-year-old child playing near the roadway unattended. The child approached the man and asked to pet the dogs. Officers attempted to locate the child's guardian when a woman arrived home advising she was his grandmother. It was determined that the grandmother left the child on their patio and knocked on the door for the child's mother to get him, then she left the child unattended.

PFC Williams arrested the 46-year-old woman from Locust Street SE in Vienna. She was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center, where she was charged with Child Endangerment and released on at \$1000 unsecured bond.

Mental 19-010642**300 Block Church Street, NE****October 15 7:49 a.m.**

Officers responded to the report of a person in the middle of the road. The officers immediately located the man and observed that he was acting erratic and agitated. Rescue personnel responded to assist. The man was taken into custody on an Emergency Custody Order. He was transported to an area hospital by rescue personnel for evaluation. After his evaluation, he was held at a medical facility on a Detention Order for further treatment.

Juvenile Case 19-010658
Happy Hours Day Care Center
325 Nutley Street, NW
October 15 3:05 p.m.

A 12-year-old juvenile went to the after school program at Happy Hours. Shortly after the juvenile arrived, she walked away from the center. Officers assisted her father in locating the juvenile in the area of Ware Street and Gibson Drive, SW.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 19-010660
Navy Federal Credit Union
820 Follin Lane, SE
October 15 4:10 p.m.

Security personnel requested assistance with an intoxicated man in the bank. Officers located the man sitting in the bank, and upon their interaction with the man, they detected signs of impairment. MPO Lyons arrested the 38-year-old man from Blueberry Lane in Fairfax, Virginia. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center, where he was charged with Drunk In Public.

Domestic Dispute 19-010665
Upham Place, NW
October 15 11:06 p.m.

A resident and his wife were having a verbal dispute when their son became involved in the argument. The son then went to his room and locked the door. The resident told his son to unlock the door, then kicked the door in when the son refused to open it. The son called the police for assistance. All parties agreed to stay separated for the night to avoid any further conflict.

Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated 19-010667
Maple Avenue and Niblick Drive, SE
October 16 1:19 a.m.

PFC Williams observed a vehicle traveling above the posted speed limit and initiated a traffic stop. Upon the officer's interaction with the driver, he detected signs of impairment. The driver failed to complete a series of field sobriety tests and was placed under arrest.

The driver was transported to the Vienna Police Station, where he provided a sample of his breath for analysis. PFC Williams then transported the 39-year-old man from Southampton Drive in Springfield, Virginia to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center, where he was charged with Driving While Intoxicated.

Suspicious Person 19-010668
300 Block Old Courthouse Road, NE
October 16 2:00 a.m.

A resident reported a suspicious person trespassing in her backyard, which borders the property of the Westwood Country Club. When officers arrived, they heard the person in the rear of another residence in the 400 block of Course Street, NE. Home surveillance video showed the person entering the yards from the area of the country club's golf course, then retreating back to the same area. Officers continued to search the area but were unable to locate the unknown person.

Suspicious Event 19-010669
700 Block Meadow Lane, SW
October 16 7:48 a.m.

A resident advised that he owns a home on Meadow Lane that is currently for sale and unoccupied. When he arrived at the home, he found one of the bedroom doors was locked, and he could hear someone inside the room. The resident immediately exited the home and called the police. As he was waiting for officers to arrive, he observed an unknown woman come around from the rear of the residence. The woman advised officers that she was an investor and had come by to look at the home. The resident declined to prosecute the woman for unlawful entry. However, she was advised that she was not allowed on the property and that she may be charged with trespass if she returns.

Juvenile Case 19-010697
Kibler Circle, SW
October 16 10:43 p.m.

Officers responded to assist a resident with his son who was upset. Rescue personnel responded to assess the juvenile. Ofc. Colligan transported the juvenile to an area medical facility for evaluation and treatment.

Juvenile Case 19-010727
Dollar Tree
215 Maple Avenue, East
October 17 3:41 p.m.

Officers responded to assist with a missing juvenile. Officers attempted to locate the juvenile around the Town of Vienna without success. The juvenile was located at a nearby restaurant on that same day at 5:00 p.m.

Suspicious Event 9-010728
1200 Block Kelley Street, SW
October 17 4:00 p.m.

A resident reported that for an unknown reason he stopped receiving mail at his home and decided to inquire about it at his local postal office. He learned that someone had requested to stop all of his mail from getting to his home and requested to pick up his mail in person at a later date. The citizen advised the postal employee that he did not place the request and to reinstate his mail delivery service.

Police Service 19-010731
7-11
427 Maple Avenue, East
October 17 6:12 p.m.

An employee requested police assistance with a subject that was belligerent. The subject was officially trespassed from the business and left the area without any further incident.

CRASHES

Lawyers Road near Church Street, NW 19-010499
October 10 4:15 p.m.

Vehicle-2 was southbound on Lawyers, stopped in traffic to turn eastbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 exited a parking lot at 203 Maple Avenue to go northbound on Lawyers Road when it struck Vehicle-2.

521 Maple Avenue, East 19-010520

October 11 7:41 a.m.

Vehicle-1 was turning left onto Maple Avenue from the parking lot 521 Maple Avenue, East. Eastbound traffic was stopped on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-2 was traveling East on Maple Avenue, moving into the left turn lane for East Street. Vehicle-1 struck Vehicle-2 as the driver pulled into the roadway.

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

Ayr Hill Avenue near Dominion Road, NE 19-010521

October 11 7:50 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound on Ayr Hill Avenue, approaching Mill Street. Vehicle-1 (a bicyclist) was southbound on the bike trail when he entered the roadway without stopping and was struck by Vehicle-2.

359 Maple Avenue, East 19-010605

October 13 2:54 p.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked in the parking lot. Vehicle-1 (an unknown vehicle) struck Vehicle-2. Driver-1 fled the scene without providing their information.

143 Maple Avenue, East 19-010644

October 15 8:20 a.m.

Driver-1 was attempting to park when her vehicle accelerated and struck the wall.

300 Block Knoll Street, NW 19-010672

October 16 8:00 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked on the roadway when it was struck by Vehicle-1 (an unknown vehicle). Driver-1 fled the scene without providing their information.

Ayr Hill Avenue, NE / Center Street, N 19-010732

October 17 6:19 p.m.

Vehicle-1 and Vehicle 2 were both stopped at the intersection. Vehicle-1 was facing westbound going straight and Vehicle-2 was facing northbound, making a left turn to go westbound. Vehicle-2 arrived at the intersection before Vehicle-1.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Fail to Yield Right of Way at a Stop Sign.

CASE UPDATES

None.

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

MEDIA RELEASES



Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release



Town of Vienna Police Department Arrests Child Pornography Suspect

The Vienna Police Department received a Cyber Tip report from The Northern Virginia/Washington DC Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force (ICAC) that indicated an internet account had uploaded illegal videos depicting child pornography.

Based on the information, the Department initiated an investigation that led them to a residence in the 1200 block of Cottage St., SW. A search warrant was executed at the home, and several electronic storage devices were seized. A forensic examination of the devices was completed and numerous files containing child pornography were uncovered. The devices were linked to the resident of the home, Mr. Charles Andrew Snow.

Charles Andrew Snow, 53, was arrested and charged with 20 counts of Possession of Child Pornography and 2 counts of Unauthorized Videotaping. He is held at the Fairfax County ADC without a bond.

**For Further Information please contact
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Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release

Vienna Police Department to Participate in the D.E.A. Prescription Drug Take Back Initiative

Saturday, October 26, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

In conjunction with the United States Drug Enforcement Administration (D.E.A.) and state and local law enforcement agencies, the Vienna Police Department will again participate in a one-day initiative to remove potentially dangerous controlled substances from area homes.

On October 26, 2019, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. the Vienna Police Department will have a collection site for old, expired, unused, or unwanted medications. Prescription medications, controlled or non-controlled substances, and over the counter drugs may be turned in anonymously at the collection point inside the Vienna Police Department located at 215 Center Strcetet, South, Vienna, Virginia 22180.

Participants may dispose of medication in its original container or by removing it and disposing of it directly into the collection box. If an original container is used the individual should consider removing any identifying information from the prescription label.

Liquid products should remain sealed in their original container to prevent leakage.

Intravenous solutions, injectables, and syringes will not be accepted due to associated hazards.

Commercial businesses, pharmacies or other medical facilities may not use this as a means to discard expired medications or medical waste.

**For further information, please contact:
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Reminder

Prevention of Stolen Vehicles/Vehicle Tamperings

With the advent of warmer weather, the Town of Vienna Police Department would like to remind all Town of Vienna residents to secure their vehicles and personal belongings. Recently there have been several vehicle tamperings to include stolen vehicles from Vienna and the neighboring jurisdictions.

The Vienna Police Department would like to remind citizens of the following steps to assist in the prevention of your vehicle being tampered with or stolen:

Lock your Car Doors.

The majority of the vehicles being entered and/or stolen have been unlocked.

Remove all Valuables.

In most cases, the subjects responsible for these acts have been targeting vehicles which contain valuables such as, but not limited to, laptop computers, GPS's, pocketbooks/purses, loose change, cameras, etc. If you must leave valuables in your vehicle, please be sure to conceal the items, in the trunk, under the seats or use any other means to make them undetectable. Also, make sure to record all serial numbers, and if possible, engrave them or permanently mark the items with easily identifiable markings, in the event the items are recovered.

Remove all Keys.

The subjects who commit these crimes are aware that most new vehicles come with valet keys. Most of these keys are kept inside the vehicles, either in the center consoles, or the glove compartments or other areas easily accessible. In some instances the owners have left their keys rings containing their house keys, providing access to their homes.

Report Suspicious Activity

In some cases, the subjects have been observed wearing several layers of clothing, not consistent with the weather conditions. This is used to conceal stolen items and also to make identification difficult as they will shed layers of clothing as they flee the area when they suspect they have been observed committing a crime.

The Town of Vienna Police Department is dedicated to the safety and protection of all persons and property in the Town of Vienna. However, much of our success comes from the assistance of its concerned and observant residents.

****A reminder to secure your vehicles and remove all valuables! **
Even if your vehicle is parked in your driveway, please secure all windows and doors and remove all valuables.**



CITIZEN NOTES

Vienna Police Department Construction Project Updates

Updates about the police department construction project will be posted regularly to the "Police Department Renovation" page, located under the Police Department section, at viennava.gov, or follow the below link.

** As we move forward with designing and ultimately constructing a new facility, Chief Morris is committed to keeping the Vienna community informed and involved in the process. To begin that effort a link has been established on the police department page of the Town of Vienna website (<https://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=1225>), and we will be providing regular updates about the process in these Highlights.

Citizens are reminded to PLEASE call and report suspicious activity. Even if you choose not to provide your name or other personal information, we still need your help as extra eyes and ears in the community.

**See or Hear Something? Say Something!
We WANT to be Bothered! Call 9-1-1.**