



VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

December 9, 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 2, 2022 to December 8, 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.

UPDATE – Car Thefts and Tamperings

The National Capital Area, specifically the Northern Virginia area, has seen increased vehicle tampering incidents and vehicle thefts. A recent pattern has been identified where suspects enter the area in stolen vehicles and cruise streets between 3:00 AM and 7:00 AM. In addition to rifling through unlocked cars for valuables and money, they steal the vehicle when they encounter keys left in it. The Vienna Police Department would like to remind our community members to please stay vigilant, secure their cars and take the keys inside, and close and lock all doors of residences and garages to prevent criminals from targeting your property. Additionally, please call the police if you notice suspicious vehicles or people in your area, and share Ring doorbell or other security camera footage with us if you capture video related to these incidents. The Vienna Police Department is working closely with other Law Enforcement agencies in the region, coordinating our resources to investigate these crimes.

If you see suspicious activity or persons, we ask you to immediately notify the police department at 703-255-6366 or, in case of emergency call 911.

INCIDENTS

Fraud 22-011150

200 Block Ridgewood Court, NE

June 22 between 12:01 a.m. and 11:59 p.m.

On November 17, Adult Protective Services reported that a bank employee identified suspicious activity on a resident's account.

Shoplifting 22-011733

CVS

337 Maple Avenue, East

October 30 4:30 p.m.

On December 8, a citizen reported that on October 30, he went to the self-checkout at the CVS store. The register was requesting that he insert his credit card. It wasn't until later that the citizen found his card had been charged for his purchase and a separate purchase. The citizen believes that the customer before him scanned their items, left the store without paying for them, and then his card was charged for the transaction.

Vehicle Tampering 22-011419

300 Block Adahi Road, SE

November 26 between 6:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m.

A resident reported that someone entered her unlocked vehicle and stole her purse.

Petit Larceny 22-011476

200 Block McHenry Street, SE

Between November 27 at 10:00 p.m. and November 28 at 3:00 a.m.

A resident reported that someone rummaged through his unlocked vehicle and stole currency and change from the center console. The vehicle was parked in the garage with the garage door open.

Assault 22-011524

165 Maple Avenue, East

December 1 3:00 p.m.

A tow truck driver reported that he was called to the parking lot by the property owner to tow an employee's vehicle parked in violation of the lease agreement. The employee saw the tow truck driver loading up his vehicle and he came out of his business to try to stop him. The employee grabbed the tow truck driver's arm in an attempt to keep him from strapping down his vehicle. The tow truck driver was advised of the warrant process should he wish to pursue charges against the employee.

Juvenile Court 22-011548

500 Block Kibler Circle, SW

Between December 1 at 9:00 p.m. and December 2 at 8:00 a.m.

A resident reported a bullying incident against her daughter.

Police Service 22-011543
Vienna Police Station
301 Center Street, South
December 2 4:33 a.m.

A resident came to the police station to discuss ongoing issues with his neighbors.

Trespassing 22-011564
Panera
136 Maple Avenue, West
December 2 4:33 p.m.

An employee reported that a man was refusing to leave the restaurant. Officers spoke to the man and, at the request of the management, advised him that he was trespassed from the premises.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 22-011572
Blackstone Terrace and Holmes Drive, NW
December 2 7:45 p.m.

Officers responded to the area for a man outside yelling and using profanity. Upon the officer's interaction with the man, they detected signs of impairment. The man refused to stop yelling or go back into his residence.

Ofc. Mayar arrested the 35-year-old man from Blackstone Terrace, NW in Vienna. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with Drunk In Public.

Missing Juveniles– Runaways 22-011630
200 Block Cedar Lane, SE
Between December 3 at 7:00 p.m. and December 4 at 4:00 p.m.

On December 4, two residents reported that their teenage daughters (cousins) had not returned home since the previous evening. Both girls returned home later that night advising that they had been staying at a friend's apartment.

Trespassing 22-011619
Wawa
465 Maple Avenue, West
December 4 2:16 a.m.

An employee reported that a man was continuously coming into the store, changing clothes in the bathroom, and causing a minor disruption. An officer spoke to the man and, at the request of the store's management, trespassed him from the premises.

Missing Juvenile – Runaway 22-011623
200 Block Cedar Lane, SE
December 4 between 5:00 a.m. and 9:15 a.m.

A resident reported that her teenage daughter was refusing to come home. She further advised that this has become an ongoing issue with her daughter.

Juvenile Case 22-011624

Cedar Lane, SE

December 4 11:00 a.m.

A resident reported that her teenage son was having some emotional issues. The officers spoke with a mental health counselor who agreed to come to the residence and evaluate the juvenile.

Arrest – Brandishing a Firearm and Drunk In Public 22-011628

600 Block Blackstone Terrace, NW

December 4 3:17 p.m.

A juvenile was walking the family dog when a resident in the neighborhood began to scream at him and showed him a firearm in his waistband. A neighbor witnessed the incident and immediately ushered the juvenile safely away and back to his home. Officers located the man and, upon their interaction with him, detected signs of impairment.

The 35-year-old man from Blackstone Terrace, NW in Vienna was placed under arrest. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Brandishing a Firearm and Drunk In Public.

Arrest – Violation of a Protective Order 22-011629

200 Block Park Terrace Court, SE

December 4 4:47 p.m.

A resident had obtained a protective order against her neighbor. The neighbor began posting threatening comments over social media in violation of the court order. An officer obtained a misdemeanor warrant for the neighbor.

On December 5, an officer with the Fredericksburg, Virginia Police Department located the neighbor, a 37-year-old man from Park Terrace Court, SE in Vienna, and served the warrant charging Violation of a Preliminary Protective Order. (*Reference December 2, 2022, Vienna Police Highlights, Incident 22-011471*).

Stolen Vehicle 22-011638

400 Block Druid Hill Road, NE

Between December 4 at 10:15 p.m. and December 5 at 6:30 a.m.

A citizen who was visiting from out of town parked their vehicle on the road with the keys left inside. They later discovered that someone had stolen the vehicle.

Violation of a Protective Order 22-011647

200 Block Park Terrace Court, SE

December 5 2:21 p.m.

A resident reported ongoing issues with their neighbor making posts over social media in violation of a protective order. The citizen was advised of the warrant process if they wished to pursue another warrant against the neighbor. (*Reference Incidents 22-011471 and 22-011629*).

Suspicious Event 22-011654

BellaLuxe

120 Beulah Road, NE

December 5 5:00 p.m.

An employee requested police presence while she left her business. The employee advised that a man came into the business a few weeks prior and was acting suspiciously. The man returned to the business earlier in the evening knocking on the locked door and making the employee concerned for her safety.

Suspicious Event 22-011680

INOVA Urgent Care

180 Maple Avenue, West

December 6 6:11 p.m.

Officers responded to the report of a woman who was in the office acting erratic and yelling at the staff. Officers spoke to the woman who explained that she brought her son in for treatment of an injury. She was annoyed by the long wait and expressed her frustration with the staff. The woman agreed to be civil and not cause any further issues.

Found Property 22-011700

Glyndon Street and Tapawingo Road, SE

December 7 2:00 p.m.

A citizen turned in a broken cell phone they found by the roadway.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle 22-011720

400 Block East Street, NE

December 8 10:57 a.m.

A resident reported a vehicle that had been parked in front of his house since December 5. An inquiry on the vehicle showed it was stolen from Fairfax County.

Assault 22-011734

200 Block Locust Street, SE

December 8 6:36 p.m.

A citizen reported that he was driving eastbound on Locust Street, exiting the traffic circle at Park Street when a man entered the crosswalk. The citizen yielded to the pedestrian, however, the man stopped in the middle of the road. The man proceeded to strike the citizen's rear window. When the citizen got out of his vehicle to check for damage, the man assaulted him, causing minor injuries to his face. The man left the area when the citizen got back into his vehicle.

Suspicious Event 22-011735

200 Block Park Terrace Court, SE

December 8 7:14 p.m.

A resident reported a small fire that was burning on the stoop in front of her condo building. The resident stated that she saw her neighbor, with who she has had ongoing issues, carrying some items and placing them on the stoop. She never observed him set the fire. The fire was out before the officers arrived. Officers located the neighbor later in the night, and he denied any involvement in the incident.

Destruction of Property 22-011736

200 Block Locust Street, SE

December 8 7:42 p.m.

A resident reported that they returned home to find the center pane of the front room window was broken. Nothing in the home appeared out of place or missing.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 22-011744

Locust Street and Cottage Street, SW

December 8 11:53 p.m.

An Uber driver reported that she was transporting a passenger when the woman began to scream, assaulted her, and got out of the vehicle. The driver was concerned for the woman's safety. Upon the officer's interaction with the driver, they detected signs of impairment.

Ofc. Mayar arrested the 56-year-old woman from Meadow Lane, SW, Vienna. The woman was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with Drunk in Public.

CASE UPDATES

None.

CRASHES

311 Maple Avenue, West 22-011422

November 27 4:56 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was turning left from the parking lot of 311 Maple Avenue to go eastbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-2 was traveling westbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 struck the passenger side of Vehicle-2 causing minor damage to both vehicles.

418 Maple Avenue, East

November 28 9:00 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked in the parking lot when it was struck by Vehicle-1, causing minor damage. Driver-1 left the scene without providing their information.

147 Maple Avenue, West 22-011526

December 1 10:41 a.m.

Vehicle-1 was in the parking lot, pulling forward from a parking space when the driver lost control of the vehicle and struck the side of the building. Vehicle-1 fled from the scene. An officer located the driver at his residence. The elderly driver reported that he suffered a medical emergency during the accident and needed to get home to get his medication.

145 Church Street, NW 22-011553

December 2 12:54 p.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked on Church Street. Vehicle-1 exited the parking lot to turn right onto westbound Church Street and struck Vehicle-2.

Lawyers Road and Blair Court, NW 22-011568

December 2 5:53 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was traveling southbound on Lawyers Road when a deer jumped in front of the vehicle and was struck. Vehicle-2 was traveling northbound on Lawyers Road and struck the same deer immediately after Vehicle-1.

153 Glyndon Street, SE 22-011672

December 3 11:30 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was legally parked in the parking lot when it was struck by Vehicle-1, causing minor damage. Driver-1 left the scene without providing their information.

100 Block Maple Avenue, East 22-011709

December 7 6:08 p.m.

Two vehicles were traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 ran into the rear of Vehicle-2.

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

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 new unwrapped toys and books 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.****

FAIRFAX COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

SANTA'S RIDE 2022

Presented by the Fairfax County Police Motor Squad

FAIRFAX COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FAIRFAX CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT FALLS CHURCH SHERIFF'S OFFICE VIENNA POLICE DEPARTMENT

VIRGINIA STATE POLICE HERNDON POLICE DEPARTMENT METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON AUTHORITY POLICE

Donate NEW unwrapped toys, games, books and gifts to be distributed to children at Fairfax Hospital, Georgetown Lombardi Cancer Center and to the children in the community who might not otherwise have a cheerful holiday season!

REPUBLIC SERVICES

Please bring your donations to any Fairfax County Police Station, any of the above schools, the lobby of the Pennino and Herry Office Buildings or the Government Center no later than **DECEMBER 12, 2022 at 9 am.**

PENDER HILL PRE SCHOOL
POPLAR TREE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
SAINT TIMOTHY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL
ANDREW CHAPEL PRE SCHOOL

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL
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GREENTREE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
OAKWOOD SCHOOL

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Vienna Police Department

INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

Attempt to ID - For Public Dissemination

Grand Larceny

On October 25, 2022, between 1pm and 2pm, the subject pictured below is suspected of stealing a wallet from a purse of an unattended shopping cart at Giant, located in Vienna, VA. The suspect is seen on security camera approach a shopper's cart as her back was turned, reach into her purse which was in the top "seat" area of the cart and take the victim's wallet from the purse. The wallet contained several credit/debit cards as well as the victim's driver's license. The suspect then turned and exited with the wallet. The suspect is a B/M and was wearing blue jeans, a black hoodie, a patterned face mask, a tan backpack, and a San Antonio Spurs hat.



If you recognize the suspect or have similar cases, please contact PFC A. J. Murray,
alex.murray@viennava.gov (703) 255-7816, reference case number 2022-10499

PFC A. J. Murray 137
215 Center Street South, Vienna VA 22180
Alex.murray@Viennava.gov
(703) 255 - 7816

November 21, 2022



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
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(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 1



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
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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:

- 1) 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:
M.P.O. Juan Vazquez - Town of Vienna Police Department
juan.vazquez@viennava.gov or 703-255-7845