

# Official Skokie Public Safety Bulletin

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## March 3, 2017

### Notable Incidents

#### **Bomb Threat**

Bomb Threat at 7450 McCormick Boulevard, Federal Mogul, on March 1 at 9:59 p.m. Reported: 03/01/2017

Unknown person(s) wrote alarming statements on bathroom stall doors. The building was searched and the threat was unfounded.

#### **Burglary from Motor Vehicle**

Burglary from Motor Vehicle on the 5000 block of Dobson Street, between February 26 at 8:00 p.m. and February 27 at 10:30 a.m. Reported: 02/27/2017

Unknown persons entered the victim's unlocked Jeep and stole gift cards.

Burglary from Motor Vehicle on the 8400 block of Lockwood Avenue, between February 28 at 3:20 p.m. and March 1 at 2:01 p.m. Reported 03/01/2017

Unknown person(s) entered the victim's unlocked vehicle and stole two children's pocket knives.

#### **Burglary**

Burglary (Ruse) on the 4900 block of Chase Avenue, on March 2 between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Reported: 03/02/2017

An unknown male white subject, 30's, medium build, wearing dark clothing, with brown hair and no facial hair, entered the elderly victim's residence on the pretense of checking the water. Once inside jewelry and money were stolen.

#### **Criminal Damage to Property**

Criminal Damage to Property at 3626 Touhy Avenue, Walmart, on February 24 between 5:00 a.m. and 10:00



a.m. Reported: 02/28/2017

Unknown person(s) used a sharp object to scratch the victim's vehicle.

### **Criminal Defacement to Property**

Criminal Defacement to Real Property at 7501 Lincoln Avenue, Sigler's Auto Body Shop, on January 27 between 1:21 p.m. and 1:22 p.m. Reported: 02/27/2017

Unknown person(s) used white spray paint to write words on the rear fence.

### **Criminal Trespass to Property**

Criminal Trespass to Property at 9440 Kenton Avenue, Educational Service Center, on February 27 at 6:27 p.m. Reported: 02/27/2017

Three unknown subjects, possibly male, were on the building roof without permission. They ran south from building after being seen.

### **Disorderly Conduct**

Disorderly Conduct on the 9100 block of Kenneth Avenue, on March 2 at 8:59 p.m. Reported: 03/02/2017

Unknown persons used a blocked phone number to call in a fake residential burglary in progress.

### **Identity Theft**

Identity Theft on the 5100 block of Weber Lane, between November 16 at 12:00 a.m. and November 26 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/28/2017

Unknown person(s) by unknown means fraudulently used the victim's credit information to make purchases.

Identity Theft at 7923 Lincoln Avenue, Goldtree Realty, between November 23 at 12:00 a.m. and January 15 at 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/28/2017

Unknown person(s) fraudulently used a business account to make purchases.

Identity Theft on the 8200 block of Springfield Avenue between June 1 at 8:00 a.m. and February 1 at 7:06 p.m. Reported: 03/02/2017

Unknown person(s) fraudulently used the victim's credit information to open a Comcast account.

### **Motor Vehicle Theft**

Motor Vehicle Theft at 8444 Niles Center Road, Body Works, between February 13 at 12:00 a.m. and February 28 at 5:00 p.m. Reported: 03/01/2017

A dodge van was taken from the business by an unknown tow truck.

### **Theft**

Theft on the 5000 block of Dobson Street, between February 20 at 9:00 a.m. and March 1 at 9:30 a.m. Reported: 03/01/2017

Unknown person(s) stole two rings from the victim's jewelry box.

### **Arrests**

Pineda, Ismael, 33, 1915 Lowell Avenue, Chicago, was arrested for Driving on a Suspended/ Revoked Driver's License on the 8900 block of Lamon Avenue, on 02/27/2017.

Clifton, Jay L., 35, 1735 ½ Darrow Street, Evanston, was arrested for Driving on a Suspended/ Revoked Driver's License on the 3200 block of Main Street, on 02/27/2017.

Wasik, Dominik, 26, 1407 Candlewood Court, Wheeling, was arrested for Deceptive Practices at 9451 Belmont Avenue, Franklin Park, on 02/27/2017.

Leroy, Djorgy M., 49, 9241 Ewing Avenue, was arrested for Driving on a Suspended/ Revoked Driver's License on the 9000 block of Crawford Avenue, on 02/28/2017.

Roberge, Marie E., 40, 7513 Karlov Avenue, was arrested for Aggravated Battery on the 3600 block of Touhy Avenue and Battery at 3626 Touhy Avenue, Walmart, on 03/02/2017.

Brown, Nyeasha J., 19, 144 N. Pine, Chicago, was arrested for Theft at 4937 Old Orchard Center, Macy's, on 03/02/2017.

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## **February 28, 2017**

## Notable Incidents

### **Burglary from Motor Vehicle**

Burglary from Motor Vehicle at 5300 Touhy Avenue, Holiday Inn, on February 24 between 5:00 p.m. and 10:19 p.m. Reported: 02/24/2017

Unknown person(s) by unknown means broke the rear passenger's side window of the victim's vehicle and stole her purse.

Burglary from Motor Vehicle at 3301 Howard Street, Shell, on February 25 at 11:13 a.m. Reported: 02/25/2017

The victim stopped to put air in her flat tire and a female subject stole her purse from her car.

### **Burglary**

Burglary on the 9100 block of Laramie Avenue, on February 25 between 4:30 p.m. and 8:21 p.m. Reported: 02/25/2017

Unknown person(s) used an unknown pry tool and brute force to open the front door of the victim's home. Jewelry was stolen.

### **Criminal Damage to Property**

Criminal Damage to Property at 9401 Kenton Avenue, Terminal Park, on February 24 at 8:20 p.m. Reported: 02/24/2017

Three unknown subjects set fire to the garbage can and ran away.

Criminal Damage to Property on the 4700 block of Keeney Street, on February 25 between 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Reported: 02/26/2017

Unknown person(s) used a sharp object to scratch the paint on the victim's vehicle.

### **Deceptive Practice**

Deceptive Practice on the 7900 block of Kolmar Avenue, on February 23 at 9:00 a.m. Reported: 02/25/2017

The victim gave an unknown caller access to her computer over the telephone.

### **Forgery**

Forgery at 4937 Old Orchard Center, Nordstrom, on February 25 between 7:35 p.m. and 8:36 p.m. Reported: 02/25/2017

An unknown male black subject presented a fictitious driver's license to open a Nordstrom account in the victim's name. The subject then purchased several items with the victim's credit.

### **Theft**

Theft on the 4400 block of Palma Place, between February 10 at 12:00 a.m. and February 25 at 10:00 a.m. Reported: 02/25/2017

Unknown person(s) with access to the victim's home stole jewelry.

Theft on the 8800 block of Lincolnwood Drive, on February 26 between 10:00 a.m. and 6:18 p.m. Reported: 02/26/2017

Unknown person(s) stole the victim's unsecured blue bicycle from her backyard.

### **Retail Theft**

Retail Theft at 3358 Touhy Avenue, Marianos, on February 7 between 11:32 a.m. and 11:46 a.m. Reported: 02/24/2017

A male subject, possibly of Middle- Eastern descent, early 20's, 170 lbs., with light skin tone, short black hair and short black beard, stole alcohol.

Retail Theft at 4999 Old Orchard Center, Ann Taylor, on February 24 between 5:15 p.m. and 5:38 p.m. Reported: 02/24/2017

A black female subject stole multiple items and ran out of the store.

### **Arrests**

A male juvenile, 17, was arrested for No Valid Driver's License on the 3900 block of Dempster Street, on 02/24/2017.

Dzafervic, Senad, 19, 7355 N. Seeley Avenue, Chicago, was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol on the 3800 block of Howard Street, on 02/26/2017.

Moreno, Daniel, 24, 4927 Kirk Street, was arrested for Driving on a Suspended/ Revoked Driver's License on the 4900 block of Dobson Street, on 02/26/2017.

Broom, Darous R., 25, 7400 N. Hoyne Avenue, Apt. 1, Chicago, was arrested for Obstructing Justice on the 8100 block of Kilpatrick Avenue, on 02/26/2017.

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# February 27, 2017

## Notable Incidents

### **Disorderly Conduct**

Disorderly Conduct at 4810 Hull Street, Tecumseh Park, between 4:50 p.m. and 5:03 p.m. on February 21. Reported: 02/21/2017

Three unknown black male juveniles, ages 9 to 14, all with skinny builds, wearing dark clothing, caused park patrons to be alarmed and disturbed as one of them brandished a pellet gun, loaded it, and pointed it at several other children.

### **Forgery**

Forgery at 4999 Old Orchard Center, Brookstone, on February 18 at 8:40 p.m. Reported: 02/22/2017

An unknown black female subject used a fraudulent check to pay for items.

Forgery at 5125 Church Street, I Cars, on February 23 between 5:38 p.m. and 5:54 p.m. Reported: 02/23/2017

An unknown black female subject attempted to purchase a vehicle using a deceased woman's credit information.

### **Theft**

Theft on the 5000 block of Oakton Street, between January 1 at 12:00 a.m. and January 28 at 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/21/2017

Unknown person(s) stole the victim's unsecured package from her building lobby.

### **Identity Theft**

Identity Theft on the 8500 block of St. Louis Avenue, between January 5 at 12:00 a.m. and February 5 at 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/21/2017

Unknown person(s) by unknown means obtained the victim's credit information and opened fraudulent accounts.

Identity Theft on the 9400 block of Central Park Avenue, between February 11 at 12:00 a.m. and February 17 at 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/21/2017

Unknown person(s) by unknown means obtained the victim's credit information and opened fraudulent accounts.

Identity Theft on the 5200 block of Mulford Street, on February 6 at 12:00 a.m. Reported: 02/23/2017

Unknown person(s) fraudulently used the victim's credit information to open two credit accounts in the victim's name.

### **Retail Theft**

Retail Theft at 3434 Dempster Street, CVS, on February 23 between 7:34 p.m. and 7:59 p.m. Reported: 02/23/2017

Two male white subjects possibly Middle Eastern, stole several items from the store. The first subject is described as 20-25 years old, 150-160 lbs., short black hair, trimmed facial hair, wearing a light gray long sleeve shirt, gray pants, and gray and white Air Jordan shoes. The second subject is described as 20-25 years old, 180-200 lbs., with short black hair and short facial hair, wearing a blue baseball hat with white writing, a red t-shirt with large white writing, possibly "UIC", long black shorts and gray gym shoes.

### **Arrests**

Bush, Danetta E., 56, 3218 W. Diversey Avenue, Apt. 306, Chicago, was arrested for Retail Theft at 4847 Old Orchard Center, Lord and Taylor, on 02/21/2017.

Palmer, Markeshia Ebony, 23, 1025 W. Division Street, Apt. 46, Ottumwa, IA, was arrested for Driving on a Suspended/Revoked Driver's License and Obstructing Identification on the 8500 block of Gross Point Road, on 02/21/2017.

Cornel, Alejandro, 22, 8234 Kilpatrick Avenue, Apt. 2N, was arrested for Possession of Drug Equipment on the 8000 block of Kostner, on 02/22/2017.

Hrajnoha, Denise, 59, 9315 N. Drake Avenue, Evanston, was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol on the 4800 block of Dempster Street, on 02/22/2017.

Tate, Sidney, 19, 5006 Louise Street, Apt. 2, was arrested for Criminal Damage to Property on the 7900 block of Lacrosse Avenue, on 02/22/2017.

A male juvenile, 13, was arrested for Disorderly Conduct on the 7900 block of Lacrosse Avenue, on 02/22/2017.

Polz, Steven D., 55, 8310 Keeler Avenue, was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol on the 8300 block of Keeler Avenue, on 02/23/2017.

Wriddeley, Jimmy, 31, 1320 S. Kedvale Avenue, Apt. 1R, Chicago, was arrested for Forgery that occurred on January 21 at Lord and Taylor at 4847 Old Orchard Center, on 02/23/2017.

Burns, Rachel L., 22, 328 Harlem Avenue, Glenview, was arrested for Retail Theft at 9625 Skokie Boulevard, Nordstrom Rack, on 02/23/2017.

Barthelmiss, Karl T., 36, 536 Michigan Avenue, Chicago, was arrested for Disorderly Conduct at 3626 Touhy Avenue, Walmart, on 02/23/2017.

Padilla, Danny O., 25, 5052 W. Schubert Avenue, was arrested for Driving with a Suspended/ Revoked Driver's License on the 8200 block of Karlov Avenue, on 02/24/2017.

A male juvenile was arrested for No Valid Driver's License at 8600 Karlov Avenue, on 02/24/2017.

A female juvenile was arrested for Curfew Violation at 8600 Karlov Avenue, on 02/24/2017.

**NOTICE:** Notable incidents are listed in the Public Safety Bulletin upon completion of the police report. If the police report for a particular incident is incomplete or the incident is still under investigation, appearance in the Official Public Safety Bulletin may be delayed.

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### Good News Notes

- Niles Police Chief Dennis McEnerney recently sent Skokie Police Chief Scarpelli a letter of thanks for the assistance provided by Commander Weinman in a Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts investigation. A suspect was arrested and charged. Chief McEnerney said that he wanted to commend Commander Weinman on a job well done.
- A reverend from a local Skokie parish recently wrote a letter to Sergeant Russell to commend Officer Iwanicki on the assistance she provided when he called regarding some suspicious activity at the church on Christmas Eve. He said that he and the entire congregation felt much safer because of the speed and intelligence with which Officer Iwanicki acted.



- A Skokie resident recently called the Skokie Police Department to compliment Communications Operator Polley and Officers Leos and Moore. She said that she called 9-1-1 regarding some noises she was hearing from the vacant house next door. She said that Operator Polley was very professional and had a calm voice. She also said that Officers Leos and Moore were very kind, polite, courteous and professional. She said they were able to locate a loose shutter on the building that was making a banging noise. She said she was very grateful to the Skokie Police Department.
- A complimentary phone call was made to Chief Scarpelli to commend Officer Herrera for her professional manner during a traffic stop she made. The caller said that he was emotionally upset at the time of the incident and that Officer Herrera was very understanding and compassionate about his situation. The caller said that Officer Herrera was "phenomenal and professional."

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## Crime Tip Hot Line Available 24/7

The Skokie Police Department has an automated Crime Tip Hot Line and invites the public to call 847/933-TIPS (8477) any time to report suspicious activity. Messages can be left anonymously, but it is helpful if those who call leave their contact information for Police follow up if necessary. Questions and concerns about public safety also can be emailed to [info@skokie.org](mailto:info@skokie.org).

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