



THE MONTHLY BLOTTER
Police Reports and Activity in Perry Township
Month of February 2023



Feb 1

Officers were dispatched to assist Sharon Township in the area of SR-315 on an injury crash involving a pedestrian. A witness stated she saw a man jump in front of another vehicle. The individual was transported to OSU Hospital in critical condition. The Franklin County Sheriff's Office arrived and requested to take crash. Officers remained on scene until given the OK to clear.

Feb 3

Officer was dispatched to the 6000 block of McVey Blvd to speak with a homeowner who wanted to dispose of a firearm. Officer met with the caller, who requested the disposal of an old shotgun. Officer prepared a property impound sheet for the firearm and cleared the scene.

Feb 3

Officers were dispatched on a suspicious person & vehicle in the Courtyards on Riverside. The caller advised that the vehicle had left, and officers checked the area to confirm. Officers spoke with the reporting person and learned that a man with a rusty van had appeared multiple times, taking building supplies from a residence. The witness did not recognize the vehicle or individual as being part of the regular construction crew. After collecting pertinent information, officers cleared the scene.

Feb 4

While on patrol, Officer observed an individual standing near a privacy fence near Snouffer Rd. The man waved down the Officer and explained he was trying to locate source of a small barking dog. He was concerned that the dog had been left outside in the extreme cold, as it was currently below freezing. Officer monitored the area and determined the location of two small dogs in a residential backyard. Officer knocked on the door and was met by a resident. Officer directed them to bring the dogs inside and warm them up. After observing both dogs inside, Officer cleared.

Feb 5

Officer was traveling eastbound on SR-161 when an aggressive driver. The driver rapidly sped up and slowed down and waved his hands to get the Officer's attention. The driver then sped up and overtook the Officer, then immediately slowed down. Officer took evasive action to avoid a collision. Driver continued reckless operation, as if attempting to cause a collision. Officer maintained safe reactionary distance and alerted Franklin County Dispatch of the circumstances. A City of Dublin cruiser observed the violations and activated their emergency equipment. Suspect fled at a high rate of speed. Officer activated their emergency lights to assist Dublin. After pursuit, Officers lost the suspect. Officers were later informed by Dublin Police that the same suspect and vehicle had conducted the same behavior towards Dublin cruisers the previous day. The case was forwarded to CID for follow-up.

Feb 5

Officers were dispatched on mutual aid to assist Sharon Township Police regarding an active fight. Officers arrived on scene and found Sharon Officer arresting a female suspect. Officers assisted in arresting the suspect. Sharon Twp Officer informed Perry Officers that the suspect was involved in an incident in which she took a squeegee and broke it against the gas station building. A female officer from Worthington PD was requested to perform a search of the suspect. Once complete, Sharon Officer indicated his next actions and informed Perry Officers they could clear the scene.

Feb 6

Officers were dispatched on report of an impaired driver in the 8000 block of Golfview Ct. Upon arrival, officers observed the suspect out of their vehicle. They exhibited a strong odor of alcoholic beverage, slurred speech, and was unsteady. Witnesses stated that they observed the individual driving their vehicle before parking, and the suspect admitted to driving. Officers conducted field sobriety tests. Officers placed the suspect under arrest for OVI. A breathalyzer test was conducted, indicating a BAC above the legal limit.

Feb 7

Individuals arrived at Police Headquarters requesting to speak with police officers regarding a dispute. As the incident occurred on Sawmill Rd over I-270, Officers requested Columbus Police to respond. Officers stayed at scene and gathered information before handing the scene over to Columbus Police upon their arrival.

Feb 8

Officers responded to a multi-car incident on US-33 at Cranston Rd. A vehicle failed to yield and rear ended the vehicle in front of them, collecting a third vehicle. The at-fault driver was cited for ACDA. No injuries were reported.

Feb 8

While on routine patrol, Officer located a blocking disabled vehicle on US-33 N near Hayden Run Rd. The vehicle was towed by Capital Towing. An individual claiming to be the registered owner said it was her vehicle being towed, however she was not listed as the registered owner. Officer informed the individual that only the registered owner would have to be the vehicle out of impound.

Feb 9

Officer investigated a complaint regarding a vehicle in Worthington Hills leaking oil on the street and into the drain. Officer met with the owner, who advised they would move their vehicle as it was not illegal for it to be parked there. Officer advised the owner that it may become a legal issue with the EPA. The Road Superintendent determined that the vehicle was an issue and would contact the EPA.

Feb 9

Officer performed a well-being check on a residence in Worthington Hills. Officer made contact with the resident and discovered them to be okay. Officer cleared the scene.

Feb 9

While on routine patrol, Officer observed a vehicle on West Case Rd with an expired vehicle registration of over one year. Officer performed a traffic stop and discovered the driver did not have a valid license. The vehicle was impounded and the driver cited for driving without a valid license and driving a vehicle with expired registration.

Feb 9

Officers responded to a multiple car, non-injury accident at the intersection of US-33 and Hayden Run Rd. The at-fault vehicle and an additional involved vehicle left the scene. Officer took a report with the involved driver who remained on scene. The driver was able to leave after providing details of the incident to Officers.

Feb 10

An individual located a wallet and brought it to the Perry Township Police Department for safekeeping. Individual located the wallet in Columbus' jurisdiction, but they refused to come out. Perry Officers attempted to contact the owner but did not succeed. The wallet was placed in storage for safekeeping.

Feb 10

Officer was dispatched to the Perry Township Police Headquarters regarding a vehicle crash. Officer met with an involved individual, who stated she tried to file a report with City of Columbus, but was redirected multiple times, ultimately ending up with Perry. Officer took her information and prepared a report.

Feb 12

Officers were dispatched to US-23 N at I-270 to assist Sharon Twp with a multi-car non-injury accident involving three vehicles. Officers were advised by Sharon Officer he would clear the scene he was on and arrive to take care of the crash. Perry Officers acknowledged and would hold the scene until Sharon Officer arrived. Officers held scene until Sharon Officer arrived and transferred the scene to the Sharon Officer. Perry Officers cleared.

Feb 12

Officers were dispatched to Clubview Blvd S and Southview Dr on a blocking vehicle. While in the process of impounding the vehicle, the registered owner arrived. The owner was able to jump the vehicle and attempted to drive away before stalling again. Officer assisted in pushing the vehicle to a safe location. No further action required.

Feb 12

Officers responded to a hit-skip accident on US-33 south of Fishinger Rd. A vehicle side-swiped another while attempting to pass. The at-fault vehicle fled south at a high rate of speed. The remaining driver reported no injuries.

Feb 12

Officer was dispatched regarding a telephone harassment report. Officer spoke with the caller who provided the officer details for the report.

Feb 15

Officer was dispatched to assist Sharon Twp on a suicide attempt. Officers arrived on scene and made contact with the subject. Columbus Medic 806 arrived on scene and transported the individual to the hospital for further treatment.

Feb 15

Officers responded to a telephone harassment complaint with a threat involved. Officers took pertinent information from the victim.

Feb 15

Officers responded to a non-injury accident on US-33 south of Eastcleft Dr. One vehicle failed to stop in time for traffic and struck the rear of the vehicle ahead of it. The at-fault driver was cited for ACDA.

Feb 15

Officer was dispatched to a blocking disabled vehicle in the area of Riverside Dr and Canterbury Dr. Officer assisted in moving the vehicle out of the way of traffic. The driver called for a tow and needed no further assistance, so officer cleared the scene.

Feb 16

Officer was requested to assist Sharon Twp on a person in jeopardy.

Feb 16

Officer responded to a non-injury accident on Clubview Blvd S near Indianwood Ct. One vehicle failed to maintain reasonable control and struck the rear of a parked vehicle. The at-fault driver was cited for failure to control.

Feb 19

Officer observed a vehicle traveling 75 MPH in a 45 MPH zone on US-33, bearing an obstructed temporary tag. The driver was found to have no valid driver's license, no insurance, and no valid registration. The vehicle was impounded, and the driver issued a citation.

Feb 19

Officers were dispatched on a 911 hang up call in Worthington Hills. Officers arrived on scene and learned that a resident was having chest pain and trouble breathing. Officers requested an ambulance respond. Worthington Medic 101 arrived and transported the individual to the hospital.

Feb 19

Officers were dispatched on a report of a suicide attempt.

Feb 20

Officers were dispatched on report of a possible domestic disturbance.

Feb 20

Officers responded to a vehicle accident on US-33 south of Henderson Rd. The at-fault driver fled the scene after rear ending a vehicle in front of them. The driver was located by Dublin Police and returned to the scene.

Feb 21

K9 unit responded at the request of FCSO for possible use at the scene of a bomb threat. K9 unit waited until FCSO K9 Deputy Castle and K9 Zuul performed a sweep. No bomb was located. All units cleared.

Feb 22

Officers were dispatched to the 8300 block of Evangeline Dr on a suicide attempt.

Feb 22

Officer observed a man walking door to door in Brookside Estates. Officer explained that they could not solicit in the Township without a vendor's permit. Individual was compliant and agreed to not solicit.

Feb 22

Officer was notified that Dublin PD had detained an individual with an active warrant through Perry Township. Officer relayed with Dublin and the individual paid the fine. The warrant was lifted and all parties cleared.

Feb 24

Officers were dispatched on a request by a caller to speak with an Officer. Individual detailed an incident involving "Strange things" happening at his house, including items turning up in places they did not belong.

Feb 25

Officer performed a traffic stop for a stop sign violation and found the driver had a verified active warrant through Dublin PD. Dublin PD wanted to relay. The vehicle was released to a responsible party.

Feb 25

Officers were dispatched to a burglary in progress in the 900 block of Clubview Blvd S. Officers announced their presence and entered the home after receiving no response. Officers found a suspect upstairs. The individual stated the house belonged to his parents. Officers contacted the individual's brother and confirmed he was allowed to be there. Officers then cleared and returned to patrol.

Feb 28

Officers were dispatched to an injury accident on US-33 north of Scioto View Ln. A northbound vehicle crossed the center line and collided head on with a southbound vehicle. One party was transported at scene by UA Medic 71. The at-fault driver was cited for traveling left of center.