

Manalapan Twp. Police Dept. Press Releases

March 29 – April 4, 2023

Residents are reminded to remove any valuables from unoccupied vehicles and remember to lock your vehicle's doors.

*****DO NOT LEAVE KEY FOBS IN VEHICLES! *****

23MN11730 – Warrant Arrest

On Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at approximately 5:14 p.m., Patrolman Michael DeCristofaro conducted a motor vehicle stop in the area of Route 33 and Madison Avenue. The driver of the vehicle, identified as Myles Webster, a 36-year-old, unmarried, male resident of Clinton, New Jersey, was found to have a warrant issued for his arrest by the Somerset County Superior Court in the amount of \$29,710.00. Mr. Webster was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where he was processed and turned over to the Somerset County Sheriff's Department. Patrolman Michael DeCristofaro was the arresting officer.

23MN11586 – Theft / Criminal Mischief

On Monday, April 3, 2023, at approximately 9:13 p.m., a 60-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) had removed a catalytic converter, valued at approximately \$1,200.00, from a vehicle while it was parked in the driveway of a Dortmund Drive residence. The incident is reported to have occurred on April 2, 2023, at approximately 5:20 a.m. Patrolman Michael DeCristofaro handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11520 – Criminal Mischief

On Monday, April 3, 2023, at approximately 10:51 a.m., unknown actor(s) smashed the windshields, valued at approximately \$1,600.00, of two vehicles between the evening hours of Sunday April 3, 2023 and the morning hours of Monday April 4, 2023, while they were parked at the Englishtown Auction, located at 90 Wilson Avenue in Manalapan. Patrolman Edward Burns handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11386 – Theft / Criminal Mischief

On Sunday, April 2, 2023, at approximately 10:31 a.m., a 50-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) removed a catalytic converter, valued at approximately \$1,000.00, from a vehicle while it was parked on Dortmund Drive. The incident is reported to have occurred sometime between 9:30 p.m. on April 1, 2023 and 10:30 a.m. on April 2, 2023. Patrolman Joseph DeFilippis handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11382 – Theft / Criminal Mischief

On Sunday, April 2, 2023, at approximately 10:31 a.m., a 59-year-old resident of Staten Island, New York reported that unknown actor(s) had removed the catalytic converter, valued at approximately \$1,000.00, from a vehicle while it was parked on Lone Star Lane. The incident occurred sometime between 5:00 p.m. on April 1, 2023 and 10:30 a.m. on April 2, 2023. Patrolman Joseph DeFilippis handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11334 – Warrant Arrest

On Saturday, April 1, 2023, at approximately 11:02 p.m., Patrolman Peter Pagano took custody of Michael Hardy, a 35-year-old, unmarried, unemployed, male resident of Newark, New Jersey, who had been arrested by the New Jersey State Police regarding a warrant that was issued by the Manalapan Township Municipal Court in the amount of \$1,500.00. Mr. Hardy was processed and subsequently turned over to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution in lieu of bail.

23MN11132 – Fraud

On Friday, March 31, 2023, at approximately 6:25 p.m., a 74-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) defrauded the victim in the amount of \$1,000.00 via the internet. Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11105 – Fraud

On Friday, March 31, 2023, at approximately 12:22 p.m., a 20-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor(s) fraudulently opened a gym membership, valued at approximately \$480.00, in the victim's name. Patrolman Thomas Butz handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN11045 – Warrant Arrest

On Thursday, March 30, 2023, at approximately 8:57 p.m., Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo took custody of Koron L. Duncan, a 33-year-old, unmarried, unemployed, male resident of Manalapan, who had been arrested by the New Jersey State Police regarding a warrant that had been issued for his arrest by the Manalapan Township Municipal Court in the amount of \$1,500.00. Mr. Duncan was processed and turned over to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution in lieu of bail. Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo was the arresting officer.

23MN11001 – Fraud

On Thursday, March 30, 2023, at approximately 2:39 p.m., a 32-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor(s) utilized their personal information to complete a credit card application. No monetary loss was reported as a result of this incident. Patrolman Mantas Stanionis handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN10998 – Theft

On Thursday, March 30, 2023, at approximately 2:30 p.m., employees of Castle Couture, located at 355 Route 9 in Manalapan, reported that a female suspect purchased a dress, valued at \$690.00, and subsequently reported the purchase as fraudulent to her credit card company. Patrolman Thomas Butz handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN10841 – Criminal Mischief

On Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at approximately 11:37 a.m., employees of the Battleground Country Club, located at 40 Millhurst Road in Manalapan, reported that an unknown actor(s) spray painted graffiti on a dirt path, and also moved plumbing supplies to a different location on the property.

23MN10820 – Warrant Arrest

On Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at approximately 7:53 a.m., Jobe S. Leemow, a 36-year-old, married, male resident of Hightstown, New Jersey, who is employed as a nurse, turned himself in at Manalapan Township Police Department regarding a warrant that was issued for his arrest by the Manalapan Township Municipal Court. Mr. Leemow was processed and subsequently transported to Monmouth County Correctional Institution pending a future court date. Patrolman Mantas Stanionis handled the arrest.