

Manalapan Twp. Police Dept. Press Releases
October 4 – October 10, 2023
Residents are reminded to remove any valuables from unoccupied
vehicles and remember to lock your vehicle's doors.
*****DO NOT LEAVE KEY FOB'S IN VEHICLES! *****

23MN37400 – Driving While Intoxicated

On Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at approximately 5:05 p.m., Elena Nikolaeva, a 36-year-old, married, female resident of Englishtown, who is employed as a Pharmacist, was found to be driving while intoxicated in the area of Craig Road in Manalapan. Mrs. Nikolaeva was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where she was processed and released after being issued summonses. Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo was the arresting officer.

23MN37344 – Theft

On Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at 10:10 a.m., a 53-year-old Manalapan resident reported that a former work associate stole miscellaneous tools, valued at approximately \$5,000.00. Patrolman Sean McCarthy handled the report.

23MN37338 – Theft

On Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at 9:23 a.m., a 48-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor(s) stole a package, valued at approximately \$1,188.00, from the front porch of a Justin Way residence. Patrolman Jeffrey Emslie handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN37006 – Criminal Attempt (Burglary / Burglary to a Motor Vehicle / Theft)

On Saturday, October 7, 2023, at approximately 10:48 a.m., a 60-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) unlawfully entered two parked vehicles and unsuccessfully attempted to enter a Green Ridge Drive residence. Patrolman Ross Dessel handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36999 – Criminal Attempt (Burglary)

On Saturday, October 7, 2023, at approximately 9:38 a.m., a 56-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) unsuccessfully attempted to enter a Beaver Creek Court residence. Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36986 – Burglary / Theft / Criminal Mischief

On Saturday, October 7, 2023, at approximately 6:23 a.m., employees of the Delta gas station, located at 300 Gordons Corner Road in Manalapan, reported that an unknown actor(s) burglarized the business and unlawfully removed \$5,267.00 in cash. Patrolman Mathew Mattia handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36983 – Burglary / Theft / Criminal Mischief

On Saturday, October 7, 2023, at approximately 5:16 a.m., unknown actor(s) burglarized the Gold-N-Time jewelry store, located at 700 Tennent Road in Manalapan, and unlawfully removed an unspecified amount of merchandise. Patrolman Dennis O'Brien handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36980 – Burglary / Criminal Mischief

On Saturday, October 7, 2023, at approximately 4:10 a.m., Patrolman Everett McNulty responded to Castle Couture, located at 355 Route 9 in Manalapan, for an alarm activation. The subsequent investigation revealed that unknown actor(s) burglarized the business and unlawfully removed an unspecified amount of merchandise. Patrolman Everett McNulty handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36928 – Theft

On Friday, October 6, 2023, at approximately 6:55 p.m., a 63-year-old Clarksburg resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor(s) removed a catalytic converter from a vehicle while parked in a commuter parking lot. Patrolman Peter Pagano handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36919 – Theft

On Friday, October 6, 2023, at approximately 5:10 p.m., an 84-year-old New York resident reported that an acquaintance unlawfully sold the victim's horse in Manalapan without his knowledge. Sergeant John Lightbody handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36661- Theft

On Wednesday, October 4, 2023, at approximately 3:45 p.m., a 73-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) removed a catalytic converter from a vehicle that was parked in the driveway of a Livingston Lane residence. Patrolman Connor Kelly handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36648 – Fraud

On Wednesday, October 4, 2023, at approximately 1:30 p.m., employees of Castle Couture, located at 355 Route 9 in Manalapan, reported an unknown actor(s) fraudulently removed \$2,600.00 from the business's bank account. Patrolman Matthew Schwartz handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36589 – Theft of a Motor Vehicle

On Wednesday, October 4, 2023, at approximately 7:31 a.m., a 52-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) stole a vehicle, valued at \$5,000.00, from a parking lot on Saint Andrews Place in Manalapan. Patrolman Matthew Parke handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

23MN36556 – Simple Assault / Warrant Arrest

On Wednesday, October 4, 2023, at approximately 11:16 p.m., a 51-year-old Hackensack resident reported being assaulted by an unknown actor outside of Verizon Wireless, located at 55 Route 9 in Manalapan. No complaints were signed as a result of this incident, which resulted in minor injuries. During the course of this investigation, Julian Ingram, a 52-year-old, unmarried, unemployed, male resident of Long Branch, was found to have a warrant issued for his arrest by the Long Branch Municipal Court in the amount of \$753.00. Mr. Ingram was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where he was processed and subsequently released, pending a future court date. Patrolman Hunter Mauro handled the arrest.