



ANOKA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SHERIFF JAMES STUART

FRIDAY UPDATE: 05.21.21

If this happens to you, we hope that you would also call and report the suspicious activity when it is happening:

I was dispatched a phone call and asked to call regarding suspicious activity that occurred at her house last night. She reported that last night around 1900, three males drove onto her property in a dark sedan. She said that one of the males asked her about her selling a snowmobile, which she had no knowledge of. She described the males as three late teens or early 20's white males. She was concerned due to recent thefts and burglaries in the area and wished for deputies to provide extra patrol. I told her I would document what she told me and submit a request for extra patrol.

Scams

- 05.15 Call ICAC (internet crimes against children) threatening Grand Jury Indictment if "fines" aren't paid
- 05.17 Call from "Connexus Energy" demanding payment over phone or power will be disconnected
- 05.18 Robo call from Anoka County non-emergency dispatch regarding an "order" that was placed

Andover

Thefts & Damage to Property

- 05.15 136xx Narcissus St NW – theft from unlocked vehicle overnight; sunglasses
- 05.15 35xx 135 Ave NW – theft from 2 unlocked vehicles in driveway; wallet, binoculars
- 05.15 136xx Orchid St NW – theft from unlocked vehicle overnight in driveway
- 05.15 Pine Hills North Park – vehicles doing donuts in lot and on soccer fields causing damage
- 05.17 Inca/165 Ave NW – theft from construction trailer, lock cut; tools, wire
- 05.17 15xx 140 Lane NW – license plates stolen off truck parked in driveway
- 05.18 Hanson/Crosstown – report of juveniles throwing rocks at vehicles passing by

Arrests

- 05.16 14200 Round Lake Blvd NW – 4th degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for speeding 75/40. When he approached the driver he could smell alcohol. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. He was arrested. .11
- 05.16 161 Ave/Round Lake Blvd NW – 1st degree DWI; a deputy ran a plate and the registered owner came back as having no driver's license. He observed the driver did not match the description of the registered owner and stopped the vehicle. When the deputy approached the vehicle, he smelled alcohol and marijuana. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The vehicle was searched, and meth and marijuana were found. The PBT showed .00 so a warrant for blood was received and he was arrested. Charges were elevated due to three prior DWI's, no license, and drugs.
- 05.18 16xx 155 Ave NW – Warrant Arrest; a deputy learned of a female at the location who had a warrant. She was located and arrested.

Bethel

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Bethel this week.

Columbus

Thefts & Damage to Property

05.16 55xx 197 Ave NE – theft from vehicle parked at park; smashed back window

05.17 136xx Lake Dr NE – 2 catalytic converters cut off vehicles parked at the business

Arrests

05.17 94xx Lake Dr NE – Domestic; deputies responded to a call of a woman screaming “he is going to kill me.” When they arrived they located a victim crying outside the store. After investigation it was determined an ex-boyfriend had assaulted her and took her vehicle. An attempt to locate and arrest the boyfriend was put out.

05.18 35/W Freeway Dr NE – Warrant Arrest; on routine patrol a deputy ran a license plate and the registered owner came back with a warrant. He observed the driver and he matched the RO description, so the deputy stopped the vehicle. The male was formally identified and the warrant was confirmed; he was arrested.

05.20 152xx Hornsby St NE – Controlled Substance; a male attempted to steal a truck from a business. When employees confronted him, he fled to another business and hid in a bathroom. The victims stated the male appeared high. A deputy located him, he was high and had meth and marijuana on him. He was arrested.

East Bethel

Thefts & Damage to Property

05.14 5xx Beaver Dame Dr NE - theft of a “slow child present” sign from roadway

05.18 Coon Lake Boat Launch – catalytic converter cut off truck parked at the location

05.19 Hwy 65/Klondike Dr NE – theft of galvanized culvert parts from construction site

Ham Lake

Thefts & Damage to Property

05.18 Swedish/Xylite St NE – illegal dumping; furniture, clothing, lumber, misc.

Arrests

05.14 39xx 149 Ave NE – Warrant Arrest; on routine patrol a deputy observed a male in a yard and knew he had a warrant. The male was told he was under arrest, he decided to run. He was caught and arrested.

05.14 146 Ave/Radisson Rd NE – Warrant Arrest; a caller reported a suspicious male on a bike going through mailboxes. He was located and identified. He claimed to not be going through mailboxes; when he was identified we learned he had a warrant. He was arrested.

05.16 134xx Hwy 65 NE – Warrant Arrest; a deputy observed a suspicious vehicle idling in a parking lot. He ran the plate and discovered a person related with vehicle had a warrant for drugs out of Anoka County. That person was in the driver’s seat. He was arrested.

05.16 14xx Lombardy Dr NE – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a boyfriend/girlfriend domestic at the location. The boyfriend had fled prior to deputies arriving. After investigating, the boyfriend was located and arrested.

05.17 164xx Aberdeen St NE - Controlled Substance Possession; deputies were called to the location on a shoplifter. They located a woman loitering in the area who denied she was the suspect. After investigating, and the store owner identifying her, she was arrested. While being searched prior to being put in the squad, meth was found – and she also had a warrant.

Linwood

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Linwood this week.

Nowthen

Thefts & Damage to Property

05.14 81xx 199 Ave NW – catalytic converters cut off of a work van parked at the location

Oak Grove

Thefts & Damage to Property

05.14 207xx Aster Dr NW – delivered package stolen off front steps; caught on camera

Arrests

05.14 19200 Block Lake George Blvd NW – Drugs; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The deputy observed marijuana in the vehicle. The vehicle was searched, and a large amount of marijuana was discovered. The driver passed field sobriety tests but was charged with the possession of drugs.

**Information shared in this report covers crimes that may affect you - things like burglaries, thefts, damage to property, identity theft, etc. We only include a fraction of the calls that deputies regularly respond to.*

If you want to see data about what types of calls and how many we respond to log on to www.anokacounty.us/crimewatch and click on Crime Statistics on the left side. Stats are updated monthly.