



ANOKA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SHERIFF JAMES STUART

FRIDAY UPDATE: 06.26.20

We have been responding to a lot of alarm calls recently, particularly at businesses in the Ham Lake area. I think we may have identified one culprit:

ORIGINAL OFFICER NARRATIVE

I responded to the above location for an audible business alarm.

I arrived and found the audible alarm going off. I found the business to be secured at all of the available accesses. I noticed a deer in the area that had jumped into the alarmed fence multiple times while I was checking the business.

Andover

Thefts & Damage to Property

- 06.22 Wintergreen/168 Ave NW – cut lock on construction trailer at the site; tools
- 06.23 136xx Partridge Circle NW - fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment
- 06.23 49xx 170 Ave NW – fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment
- 06.23 138xx Woodbine St NW - fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment
- 06.24 137xx Marigold St NW – scam; won lottery, \$500K, needed to send \$1500 to collect
- 06.24 157xx Round Lake Blvd NW – package stolen from location

Arrests

06.25 155xx Round Lake Blvd NW – Warrant; Isanti County requested we go to the address and try to locate a female that has a warrant in their county. The deputy arrived, located the female and she was arrested.

Bethel

Arrests

06.20 235xx Kumquat St NW – No Contact Order Violation; deputies responded to a call of a male at the location knocking on the door. The female at the location had a No Contact Order against him. A deputy arrived, the male was located, and he was arrested.

06.25 240xx Alder St NW – Warrant; a deputy went to the location looking for a male with a warrant. When he arrived he made contact with a female who lied and said the male wasn't there. The home was searched and the male was found hiding in a bathroom. He was arrested.

Columbus

Thefts & Damage to Property

- 06.22 144xx Int 35W – business, work trucks pried open; power/air tools, welding equipment
- 06.22 137xx Lake Dr NE – storage unit; locks cut off units and items stolen
- 06.23 140xx Lake Dr NE – storage space; 5th wheeler camper, forced entry; ATV, TV, stabilizer
- 06.23 140xx Lake Dr NE – storage space; RV broken into, forced entry; TV, CO detector, clock

Arrests

06.24 Lake Dr/Crossways Lake Dr NE – Flee on Foot; a deputy tried to stop a driver for speeding. The driver stopped the vehicle and ran. The deputy chased and lost him. A drone was called in to search for the male. While waiting for the drone, the vehicle was searched and paraphernalia was found. The male was located and arrested. He stated he had swallowed 3 grams of meth when he saw the deputy. The male was taken to the hospital because he swallowed meth and he will be arrested once medically cleared.

East Bethel

Thefts & Damage to Property

06.22 209xx Jenkins St NE - fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment

06.23 243xx Hwy 65 NE – window broke on vehicle; tools were stolen

06.23 187xx Buchanan St NE – scam; suspect called roofing co. to re-roof a home he was purchasing

06.24 192xx Lever St NE – theft of signs placed at the end of the driveway

06.25 16xx 207 Lane NE - a hitch receiver stolen off a vehicle parked in the driveway overnight

Arrests

06.20 13xx 187 Lane NE – Drugs, Warrants; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. He spoke with the driver who lied about his name because he had two warrants. After investigating the driver's identify was discovered and he was arrested. While searching the vehicle prior to towing it, drugs and paraphernalia were found.

06.23 233xx University Ave NE – No Insurance; a deputy stopped a vehicle because the driver made a U-turn in the middle of the road almost causing a crash. The vehicle fled from the deputy. The driver ended up going down a long driveway and the road ended. The driver got out of the vehicle and attempted to run. The male was detained while the situation was figured out. The vehicle did not belong to the male, the vehicle did not have insurance, and the driver was revoked. The male had been issued multiple tickets for driving without insurance. Drug paraphernalia was found in his pants pockets, but the male claimed the pants were not his. He was arrested.

Ham Lake

Thefts & Damage to Property

06.19 175xx Interlachen Dr NE – scam; call from Social Security Office to verify SS number

06.19 9xx 136 Lane NE - fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment

06.21 37xx 155 Ave NE – theft of mail

06.22 162xx Yalta St NW – scam; fake item for sale on armslist.com; sent money order – loss \$1700

06.23 134xx Edison St NE - fraud; used victim's identity to file for unemployment

06.24 32xx 151 Ave NE – scam; friend on Snapchat requested \$100, victim sent it; acct. was hacked

Arrests

06.19 21xx 145 Ave NE – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a physical fight between roommates. One roommate was arrested.

06.21 Hwy 65/Crosstown Blvd NE – Drugs; a deputy stopped a vehicle because it had no license plates and he did not observe a 21-temporary permit in the window. There were four occupants in the vehicle. No one knew each other and they were not sure where they were going. A K9 was called to sniff the vehicle. A scale, paraphernalia, and a large quantity of a white, crystal substance (meth) was located in the female's purse. She was arrested and the vehicle was towed.

06.25 164xx Hwy 65 NE – Assault; deputies responded to a call of two females fist fighting at the location. They arrived and located the females, one required medical assistance. After investigating, one female was issued a citation for Assault, the other for Disorderly Conduct.

Linwood

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

Nowthen

Thefts & Damage to Property

06.22 222xx Marble St NW – no forced entry, garage; guns, trailer, lawn mower

06.23 84xx 185 Ave NW – scam; posing at AT&T, victim received text requesting personal info

Arrests

06.20 196xx W Ford Brook Dr NW – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a mother/son domestic. The son was arrested.

Oak Grove

Thefts & Damage to Property

6xx Sims Rd NW – identity stolen; thief received her stimulus check

Arrests

06.20 208xx Aztec St NW – Felony Warrant; a deputy observed a vehicle parked oddly at a house under construction. He stopped and spoke with the driver. When she was identified, it was found out she had a felony warrant. She also had no proof of insurance or a driver's license. She was arrested.

06.22 224xx Rum River Blvd NW – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a boyfriend/girlfriend physical fight at the location. The boyfriend was arrested.

06.22 225xx Zion Pkwy NW – Order for Protection Violation; deputies went to the location after receiving information that a male was there who had an OFP against him in place by the female that lives there. They arrived, the female denied that he was there, the house was searched, and the male was found hiding in a closet. He was arrested.

06.24 31xx Viking Blvd NW – 4th degree DWI; a deputy responded to the location due to a staff member reporting an impaired female picking up children at the location. The deputy arrived and located the woman in her vehicle. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. She was arrested.
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06.25 Lake George - Disorderly Conduct; deputies responded to a call of two 19-year-old males fighting at the location and refusing to leave the beach after it closed at 8 pm. Both males were located. Each were issued a citation and trespassed from the park.

**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.