



# PRESS RELEASE

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## POLICE BLOTTER

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### Monday February 6, 2023

- 1647 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop on S. Patterson Blvd. near Calvary Dr. The passenger, **Shannon N. King (W/F/45)**, was found to have a warrant for her arrest through Mont. Co. for FTA/Drug Possession. Upon searching the vehicle, officers located suspected methamphetamine and several syringes. King was arrested for Possession of Drugs (F5) and Drug Abuse Instruments (M2) **23-005713**
- 1847 Hrs. Officers responded to 3224 Revlon Dr after being notified of a Domestic Violence complaint. Upon arrival they determined that 2-counts of D.V. had occurred. Upon dealing with the 14 year old female suspect, she resisted and assaulted an officer. The suspect was charged with DV and resisting arrest. She made suicidal threats and was transported to Childrens Hospital where she was kept for observation. **23-005736**
- 2326 Hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop on a suspicious vehicle. Upon speaking to the driver, he learned that **Nikeas Jones B/M/25** had an active warrant through Beavercreek PD for traffic offenses. He was arrested without incident. **23-005766**
- 0123 hrs Officers served a warrant via fax through the MC Jail for one **Aaron Knolton B/M/34** connected to a warrant issued in a case from **2022-44601** for assault.

### Tuesday February 7, 2023

- 0849 hrs Officers conducted a traffic stop for improper registration. The driver, **Darrion D. Berry B/M/28**, was found to have a warrant for his arrest through Fairborn PD for failure to appear for a DUS charge. Mr. Berry was cited for DUS again and a field transfer with the Fairborn PD was completed. **23-005815**
- 0905 hrs Officers received a FLOCK notification that a vehicle on Smithville headed into our city had a registered owner that has an outstanding arrest warrant. Officers observed the vehicle near Wilmington Pike and Ansel Ave and initiated a traffic stop. The driver, **Ryan J. Lowe W/M/25**, was arrest for his warrant out of the Vandalia police department for a probation violation. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed suspected

methamphetamine in the center console. Mr. Lowe was booked on the warrant and the new drug possession charge. **23-005822**

- 1047 hrs Officers conducted a traffic stop a window tint violation and obstructed license plate at Tabor and Smithville. The driver was compliant and the passenger gave his information but as officers were checking LEADS the passenger, **Duane A. Dorsey B/M/32**, fled on foot through the neighborhood. A perimeter was set up and K-9 Thor along with Officer Hall eventually apprehended Mr. Dorsey near 1205 Alta Vista. Mr. Dorsey was taken to the Kettering Hospital to be treated in connection with the apprehension. Mr. Dorsey was eventually booked into the county jail on his parole violation warrant and was served summons for Obstruction of Official Business and Failure to Comply. **23-005834**
- 1846 hrs Officers conducted a traffic stop for a head light violation near Vale and Woodman. The driver, **Anthony W. Link W/M/56**, was cited for having an open container of alcohol in a motor vehicle. 23-5901
- 1852 hrs Officers responded to 5240 Kettering Square Dr. N. on an anonymous tip that a wanted subject **Kailin O. Carter (B/M/26)** was at the residence at this time. Upon their arrival he was located in the parking lot and placed under arrest after confirmation. Carter was found to be in possession of drug paraphernalia and 7.73 g of suspected methamphetamine. **23-005902**
- 2232 hrs. Officers initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of Research Blvd. and County Line Rd. A passenger in the vehicle, **Alysha A. Augustus (W/F/44)**, was found to have a felony warrant out of Xenia for a probation violation on a charge of drug possession. She was detained and later arrested after confirmation. The driver, **John A. Gifford (W/M/53)** was exhibiting nervous behavior when asked if there was anything illegal in the vehicle and denied consent to search the vehicle. During the probable cause search of the vehicle 28.82 grams of Meth was located in the driver's area of the vehicle. Gifford was placed under arrest and found to be in possession of a loaded .22 revolver. Gifford was also in possession of 380 ammunition and an unloaded Ruger LCP was located underneath the front passenger seat. Gifford was charged with Possession of Drugs and Improper Handling of a Firearm in a M/V. **23-005930**

## Wednesday February 8, 2023

- 1640 hrs. Officers contacted a suspicious person at Cardington Dr. / S. Dixie Hwy. and identified as her **Christina M. Waitzman (W/F/45)**. Waitzman had a warrant for her arrest through Butler Twp. for FTA Larceny. She was arrested on the warrant and transported to KPD jail. **23-006075**
- 1739 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop for a registration violation on S. Dixie Hwy. near Bowman Ave. Upon identifying the driver, **Brittany N. Cook (B/F/37)**, it was determined she had a warrant for her arrest through Xenia PD for Obstructing Official Business. Cook was arrested on the warrant and transported to KPD jail. **23-006085**
- 0228 hrs Officers responded to a report of a vehicle into a pole in the area of Speedway (1224 E. Stroop Rd.) Upon arrival officers made contact with the male who was still seated in the driver's seat. The male attempted to leave the scene and was removed from the vehicle after refusing to exit. The driver, **Eric R. Churchill (W/M/37)** was showing signs of impairment and placed under arrest. Churchill was found to be in possession of a glass meth pipe and push rod. Churchill was transported to the Kettering Medical Center by medics where he was read the BMV 2255 form. Churchill refused to submit to a urine test and was transported to the Kettering Jail after treatment. **23-006150**

## Thursday February 9, 2023

- 2031 hrs. Officers initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle for a turn signal violation on S. Dixie Dr. near Walmart. The driver, **Dustin K. Johnson (W/M/26)** was found to have an entered warrant out of Champagne County for Drug Possession within the pickup radius. He was placed under arrest after confirmation. During an inventory of the vehicle prior to tow 3.59 grams of suspected Meth was located. **23-006285**
- 2131 hrs. Multiple crews responded to a report of a shooting in the area of Renwood Dr. and Malone Ave. Upon arrival multiple 9mm and .223 shell casings were located in the roadway in front of a side by side apartment 4432/4440 Renwood Dr. It was reported that 3 vehicle's fled the area immediately following the shooting including possibly a silver sedan, white vehicle, and black vehicle. Several rounds struck the 4432 and 4440 Renwood Dr. addresses including rounds through windows of each address. Detectives were called to the scene and the investigation is ongoing. **23-006293**
- 0136 hrs Kettering Dispatch reported they received a reckless vehicle southbound on Woodman Dr. Officers initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle in the area of Woodman Dr. and E. Stroop Rd. The vehicle continued westbound on E. Stroop Rd. and turned northbound on Wilmington Pike before coming to a stop. The driver stepped out of the vehicle without putting it in park causing the vehicle to roll forward and strike a cruiser (no damage). **Ralph L. Holloway Jr. (W/M/68)** was found to be under the influence of an alcoholic beverage and placed under arrest. He was taken to the Kettering Jail where he refused a breath test. **23-006307**
- 0557 hrs Officers were dispatched to 3108 Carrier Ave on report of a trespassing. **William Meikle, W/M/55** was located in the rear yard of the residence screaming crude language. The reportee wished to pursue charges against Meikle who had been previously trespassed. Officers took Meikle into custody and transported him to the Kettering Jail without further incident. **23-003620**

## Friday February 10, 2023

- 1334 hrs. Officers were dispatched to Meijer at 4075 Wilmington Pk. on report of an intoxicated male who was shoplifting. Officers contacted **Robert L. Brisco (B/M/59)** inside the store and found him to be highly intoxicated. Brisco also had a warrant for his arrest through West Carrollton for Disorderly Conduct. Meijer declined to pursue charges for theft. Officers arrested Brisco for Disorderly Conduct (M4) and on the warrant, and Brisco was transported to KPD jail. **23-006373**
- 1731 hrs Officers were dispatched to Speedway at 4444 Bigger Rd. to check on a 911 hang up call. Upon arrival, officers determined a traffic crash had occurred, and one of the drivers showed signs of intoxication. Following field sobriety tests, **Simon P. Land (W/M/39)**, was arrested for OVI. He was transported to KPD jail where he refused a breath test. **23-006399**
- 1751 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop on S. Patterson Blvd. near Carillon Blvd. for expired registration. A passenger, **Darryl W. McGowan (B/M/55)**, had a warrant for his through Mont. Co. for FTA/Assault. McGowan was arrested on the warrant and transported to KPD jail. **23-006407**

2203 hrs Officers were dispatched to the Speedway located at 5575 Bigger Road for a non-responsive male in a car in the lot. Several needles, marijuana, white and purple fentanyl were located in the vehicle and the male, **Brendan J. Palmer W/M30**, admitted to his drug abuse issues. Mr. Palmer was arrested for the possession of drugs. **23-006437**

## Saturday February 11, 2023

0626 hrs. Officers were dispatched to a suspicious person call at 1544 Willamet. **Nicholas J. Holmes, W/M/42**, was located leaning on the front door of the residence. Holmes was found to have two entered warrants by MCSO for possession of drugs. The warrants were confirmed and Holmes was arrested without incident. **23-006482**

0741 hrs. Officers were dispatched to a suspicious vehicle parked on a tree lawn and running in the area of 2809 Hazelwood. **Sean J. Middleton, W/M/34**, was found slumped over in the running vehicle. Middleton was ultimately arrested for two warrants- Warren County SO FTA (physical control) & MCSO FTA (contempt), failure to disclose information, and physical control. Middleton was also cited for failure to reinstate and parking on the tree lawn. **23-006485**

1632 hrs Officers conducted a traffic stop at S. Dixie Dr and W. Schantz Ave. The driver, **Dorothy Ward B/F40**, provided false information about who she was since she had a suspended license and warrants. The front seat passenger of the vehicle, **Angela M. Miller B/F/41**, had three warrants for her arrest. The other person in the car lied about who he was but he did not have any warrants and was not arrested. Ward was warned for Falsification and issued a citation for No OL and Failure to Reinstate License. Ward's warrants are both through Trotwood PD (2022TRD03124W/FTA - DUS (OVI) and 2022CRB01156W/FTA - Theft). Miller's warrants are as follows: OSHP-Dayton (TRD2204929AB/FTA-DUS), Centerville PD (K22CRB01055/FTA - Drug Paraphernalia) and Beavercreek PD (CRB2201139/Original Warrant - Theft). Miller was also charged with some suspected crack cocaine (F5) that was found in the car. **23-006534**

1847 hrs. Officers were dispatched to the area of Smithville Rd. and Wilmington Pk. on report of a traffic problem. Officers located the vehicle, and upon contacting the driver, officers observed a small container of suspected fentanyl on the driver's lap. Officers arrested **Bryan T. Adams (W/M/39)** for Possession of Drugs (F5). **23-006551**

2104 hrs Officers were dispatched to an apparent overdose near 1433 Scottsdale Dr. **Adam E. Wilhelm W/M/36** had used a white powdery substance and was unconscious behind the wheel of a car. Wilhelm was transported to the hospital and has yet to regain consciousness. Officers left citations for OVI and DUS along with OVI paperwork with Wilhelm's family at the hospital. **23-006569**

2213 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop on S. Patterson Blvd. at Carillon Blvd. for an equipment violation. One of the passengers, **Chardae M. Pearson (B/F/30)**, had a warrant for her arrest through Dayton PD for Assault. Pearson was arrested on the warrant and transported to the Mont. Co. Jail. **23-006580**

## Sunday February 12, 2023

1202 hrs. Several officers were dispatched to 2808 San Rae Dr. on report of a burglary involving a suspect armed with a handgun. The suspect fled the scene when confronted by one of the residents in the basement of the apartment building. Officers located the suspect, **Gavin M. Hopson (W/M/18)**, walking on Monterey Ave., and he was arrested for

Aggravated Burglary (F1) and Obstructing Official Business (M2). Hopson was transported to KPD Jail. **23-006671**

- 1322 hrs. Officers were dispatched to 1599 Bowman Ave. Apt. 3 on report of a disturbance. Upon investigation, officers determined that **Imani D. Clayton (B/F/20)** had assaulted her live-in girlfriend. Clayton was charged with Domestic Violence (M1) but had not been located at the time of the report. **23-006674**
- 1634 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop for multiple moving violations and the driver pulled over in the parking lot of Shell at 3960 Far Hills Ave. Following a consent search of the vehicle, officers located suspected methamphetamine and a syringe. Officers arrested the driver, **Christopher R. Holt (W/M/41)**, for Possession of Drugs (F5) and Possession of Drug Abuse Instruments (M2) and transported Holt to the KPD Jail. **23-006685**
- 1922 hrs. Officers were dispatched to 150 W. Dorothy Lane on a male calling 911 several times. **William D. Mebane B/M/64** actually called 911 several times over the weekend never needing emergency services when he called. Since July of 2022 Mr. Mebane has been convicted of abuse of 911. Officers issued a summons for abuse of the 911 system. **23-006701**
- 1951 hrs. Officers were dispatched to 716 Hollendale Dr. on report of a vehicle that struck a light pole. Officers arrested **Gregory M. Torre (W/M/32)** for OVI. **23-006705**
- 0203 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop on a car that had fled in the past at 3248 Gracemore. The owner, **Mykell L. Gamble B/M/21**, was arrested, for two different forms of DUS. In the car an AR-15 was found along with several blank checks. Mr. Gamble had been connected to the check thefts from a local post office last year. **23-006740**
- 0246 hrs. Officers conducted a traffic stop for a lanes violation near Wilmington Pike and Marshall Road. **Mitchel Cron W/M/29**, was arrested for OVI and eventually tested at 0.201. **23-006745**