

Ocean View Police Department Monthly Report

For the April 2015 Town Council Meeting

➤ Building Maintenance

Garage Experts applied a garage floor type epoxy and sealant to the floors in the police cell block and sally port. In addition to greatly enhancing the appearance of the floors, the epoxy is 10 xs stronger than concrete and slip resistant.

➤ State Police Chief's Meeting

Chief McLaughlin attended the monthly state police chief's meeting in Dover on Tuesday, March 10th, 2015.

➤ State Police Academy

Chief McLaughlin presented two blocks of instruction to police recruits at the state police academy on Wednesday, March 11, 2015.

➤ Officer For a Day Program

OVPD hosted a 1-day program on March 23rd which provided participants a unique opportunity to experience street policing from the officer's perspective.

➤ Speed Trailer Deployment

The police department's speed trailer was deployed for one week during the month of March.

➤ Police Volunteers

Police department volunteers logged 168 hours during the month of March.

➤ Use of Force Training Simulator

The police department installed a state-of-the-art Use of Force Training Simulator in the police training room. The simulator allows officers to be immersed in interactive scenarios designed to enhance the officer's judgment, critical thinking, and response under stress. The simulator, which is the only one of its kind in Sussex County, was purchased with grant funds.

➤ In-Service Training

Officers completed several training programs during the month of March. Topics covered included; traffic stops, weapon retention and defensive tactics, advanced first aid and casualty care, and simulator operation and instruction.

➤ **Arrests**

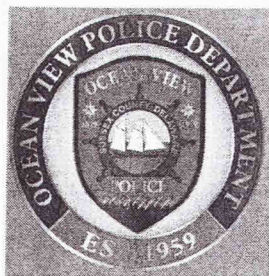
Officers filed a total of 22 criminal charges and issued 156 traffic citations during the month of March. Additionally, 49 written warnings were issued for traffic violations.

➤ **Police Reports**

During the month of March, officers prepared 42 crime reports, 164 field service reports, and 6 collision reports.

➤ **Commendation**

On March 28th, Patrolman Justin Hopkins responded to the scene of a cardiac arrest at the World Gym in Ocean View. According to Sussex County Paramedics, Patrolman Hopkins lifesaving actions had much to do with the patient surviving what is often a lethal event. Patrolman Hopkins, who recently was honored as the recipient of a Valor Award from the Bethany/Fenwick Chamber of Commerce, will receive a Lifesaving Commendation for actions taken at the World Gym.



OCEAN VIEW POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

(from 03/01/2015 thru 03/31/2015)

Category Description

911 Disconnect	1
Animal Complaint	2
Assault	0
Assist 84 Fire	1
Assist BBPD	3
Assist DSP 4	18
Assist DSP 5	0
Assist DSP 7	0
Assist Other	4
Bicycle Violation	0
Burglar Alarm	16
Burglary	0
Burglary Attempt	0
Business Check	24
Cell Phone Violation	2
Child Abuse	0
Child Seat	0
Civil Other	0
Conspiracy	0
Criminal Impersonation	0
Criminal Mischief	0
Criminal Other	0
Criminal Trespass	0
Death Investigation - Criminal	0
Death Investigation - Service	0
Disabled Vehicle	1
Disorderly Conduct	1
Domestic - Civil	1
Domestic - Criminal	0
DUI	0
Endanger Child	0
Equipment MV	12
Field Interrogation	0
Fireworks	0
Fraud	1
Fugitive OOS	0
Harassment	1
Insurance MV	1
Intoxicated Person	0
Investigation	1
License MV	7
Local Fugitive	3
Lost-Found	2

Category Breakdown

Criminal	14
Service	187
Traffic	134
Civil	1
Total	336

Offenses by Time of Day

Day Shift (0700 - 1900)	226
Night Shift (1900 - 0700)	110
Total	336

Category Description(Cont.)

Medical Assist	8
Megan's Law Notification	0
Menacing	0
Mental Patient	0
Misc Title 11	0
Misc Title 16	4
Misc Title 21	7
Moving MV	7
Noise	0
Offensive Touching	0
Overdose	0
Parking	0
Public Assist	0
Rape	0
Reckless Endangering	0
Registration MV	23
Residence Check	71
Resisting Arrest	0
Seatbelt	1
Service Other	0
Speeding	63
Suscom Write Off	8
Susp Person	0
Susp Vehicle	1
Terr Threat	0
Theft	2
Theft - Attempt	0
Theft - ID	0
Theft-Shoplifting	1
Town Ordinance	0
Traffic Collision HR	1
Traffic Collision PD	5
Traffic Collision PI	0
Traffic Hazard	0
Traffic Other	4
Underage Consumption	0
Unlawful Sexual Contact	0
Unlawful Use of Credit Card	0
Unsafe MV	0
Welfare Check	28
Total	336

Incident Location

Other	130
Central	128
West	16
Atlantic	40
Woodland	22
Total	336

Crime Information

Criminal Arrest	22
Field Service Report	164
Crime Report	42
Drug Related Arrest	20
Check Point Arrest	0
Vehicles Towed	8
Alcohol Related Arrest	0
Traffic Tickets Issued	156
Seatbelt Assessment	0

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From: Chaz Tennermann [ctennermann@sussexcountyde.gov]
Sent: Saturday, March 28, 2015 5:07 PM
To: McLaughlin Kenneth (Ocean View PD)
Cc: Robert Mauch
Subject: Compliments to Officer Hopkins

Chief McLaughlin

My name is Charles Tennermann and I am a paramedic with Sussex County EMS. I had the opportunity to work with one of your officers on an incident on 03/28/2015. We, along with Officer Justin Hopkins, were dispatched to an early morning cardiac arrest at World Gym in Millville. Officer Hopkins was far closer than any available EMS unit to the scene and arrived several minutes before any fire department units or our paramedic unit.

From what we were told by staff at World Gym, Officer Hopkins was able to enter the scene and competently took over CPR from bystanders while managing to administer 2x additional shocks from the AED on site at the gym. The patient had pulses back by the time I arrived on scene and regained consciousness during our time with him. By the time we arrived at Beebe Medical Center, the patient was fully conscious with stable vitals and neurological function with no memory of the incident. By all signs, the patient appears to be headed toward an extremely favorable outcome thanks in large part to the actions of bystanders at World Gym and Officer Hopkins.

I didn't speak much with Officer Hopkins on scene of this call nor does he know I contacted you, but I just wanted to pass along how impressed I was with his professionalism and actions that likely had much to do with this patient's survival from what is often an extremely lethal event. As you may know, up to ~90% of out of hospital cardiac arrest patients die, and more still have unfavorable neurological outcomes. This patient was very much on the lucky side of statistics today, and much of that comes from Officer Hopkin's prompt and skillful actions. Thank you very much, and please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
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