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### MONTHLY POLICE BLOTTER

\*The below captions are a summary of significant police responses during the listed month. The blotter does not include all calls for service attended to by the Delaware County Park Police Department.

### January 2026

- **01/012026 0752 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS) responded promptly. Officers assisted EMS and gathered all pertinent information. EMS then transported the patient to the local hospital and officers cleared the call.
- **01/01/2026 0934 Assist other Agencies**  
Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex assisted Media Borough Police Department Officers in looking for an individual who was reported to be trying to open doors in the area. Park Police Officers assisted with a physical search of the area as well as a check of the Courthouse CCTV cameras which did not result in locating the individual.
- **01/01/2026 1650 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers arrived promptly along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS). Officers stayed on the location to assist EMS with the Patient and gather all pertinent information. EMS took the patient to the local hospital for further treatment and evaluation. Park Police officers cleared the call once the patient was transported.
- **01/02/2026 2046 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers arrived promptly along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS). Officers stayed on the location to assist EMS with the Patient and gather all pertinent information. EMS took the patient to the local hospital for further treatment and evaluation. Park Police officers cleared the call once the patient was transported.

- **01/02/2026 2050 Service Call-building alarms**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol were dispatched to an audible building alarm at the Delco Woods property. Officers arrived on location and searched the building in question as well as the surrounding area yielding negative results. Officers updated Dispatch and then reset the alarm prior to clearing.
- **01/04/2026 1143 Medical Emergency**  
 Officers assigned to Park Patrol received a call/report of a child having seizures at Rose Tree Park with Emergency Medical Services already enroute. Officers from Park Police along with Officers from Upper Providence Police Dept arrived first and made contact with the child and family members. Officers provided what assistance they could and updated dispatch and EMS. When EMS arrived, they evaluated and treated the child prior to the child and family being transported to the local Hospital.
- **01/05/2026 0815 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to the Sharon Hill Probation Office were notified of a wanted individual with an active warrant. Officers took the individual into custody without incident.
- **01/05/2026 1046 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to the Chester Probation Office were notified of a wanted individual with an active arrest warrant. Officers took the individual into custody until their Probation Officer advised that the warrant was being rescinded.
- **01/05/2026 1239 Escort**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse complex were asked by an individual for an escort while on property. The individual advised they had a Protection from Abuse order (PFA) and had seen the individual named in the order in the area. Officers ensured the safety of the individual and escorted them around the property so they could conduct their business without incident.
- **01/05/2026 1400 Disorderly Conduct**  
 Officers assigned to Chester District Court witnessed a verbal argument between two individuals that was starting to escalate further. Officers separated the two subjects and were escorting them outside to leave when one individual attempted to get past officers and go after the other. This subject was placed into custody and charged with disorderly conduct. Officers kept all the other parties away and made sure they left the property.
- **01/05/2026 1505 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to the Upper Darby Adult and Juvenile Probation office were notified of a subject with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to the constables for transport of the individual to Delaware county Prison (DCP).
- **01/06/2026 0910 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to Chester Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to constables for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP).

- **01/06/2026 1135 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to Upper Darby Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to constables for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP).
- **01/06/2026 1250 Suspicious person/circumstances**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol received a call about a found magazine containing ammunition on Chester Creek Trails. Upon arrival they spoke with an individual who had found the items. Officers gathered all pertinent information and placed the magazine and ammo into evidence.
- **01/06/2026 1806 Assist other Agencies**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol were dispatched to a subject choking at Rose Tree Park with Upper Providence Police Department Officers already on location. Units arrived and immediately began to assess and assist the other officers on scene. The subject was no longer choking upon their arrival and all Police stayed on location until the subject/patient was taken to the local hospital for further eval.
- **01/07/2026 1235 Drug Paraphernalia**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex found a small amount of marijuana on an individual while screening them into the building. Officers confiscated the found items and gathered the individual's information before releasing them with a warning. All confiscated items were submitted to be destroyed.
- **01/07/2026 1325 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to Chester District Court were made aware of a subject who had an active bench warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident. Officers later transferred the custody of the individual to the constable for transport to Delaware County Prison.
- **01/08/2026 1137 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to the Chester Adult and Juvenile Probation had a juvenile turn themselves in for an active warrant. Officers took the individual into custody without incident and the subject was later transferred to the Sheriff's Office for transportation.
- **01/08/2026 1159 Assist other Agency/Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were contacted by Media Borough Police Department Officers regarding active arrest warrants on two individuals located inside of the Courthouse. Park Police Officers assisted Media Borough Police Department Officers with the arrest of both subjects without incident.

- **01/08/2026 1708 Fire Alarm**  
Officers assigned to Parks Patrol were dispatched to assist the Fire Department with a reported gas leak at 2 West Baltimore Pike. After an investigation of the report there was found to be no evidence of a gas smell or leak. The call was considered unfounded at that time.
- **01/09/2026 1059 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers arrived on location along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS). The Patient was evaluated and then taken to the local hospital for further evaluation.
- **01/10/2026 1510 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres complex were dispatched for a medical emergency. Officers arrived on location along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS). Officers stayed on the location to assist Medics until the individual was transported to the local hospital.
- **01/11/2026 0000 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division received a call for a medical emergency. Officers arrived on location along with Emergency Medical Services (EMS). Officers assisted Medics with life saving measures for the individual in need of care.
- **01/12/2026 0838 Warrants/Probation**  
Officers assigned to Upper Darby Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to a Parks Patrol Officer for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP)..
- **01/12/2026 1155 Disorderly Conduct**  
Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were dispatched to a report of two individuals arguing and physically fighting. Upon arrival, Officers spoke with both sides and ultimately placed both parties into custody without incident. Once both parties had been determined to not have any active wants or warrants, they were released with citations.
- **01/13/2026 1358 Disorderly Conduct & Disturbing the Peace**  
Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex received reports of a subject urinating outside of the building. Officers and Detectives found the individual to have left the immediate area. After a review of camera footage, Officers and Detectives were able to identify the subject and searched the surrounding area to find the individual. The subject was located and taken into custody without incident. During their in-custody search, Officers found a small marijuana joint on the individual. The individual was released with a citation and the marijuana was submitted to be destroyed.

- **01/14/2026 0830 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to Upper Darby Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to constables for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP).
- **01/14/2026 0926 Disturbance**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were dispatched to a panic alarm within one of the offices in the building. Officers promptly responded and found that two individuals involved in a conference were engaged in an argument prior to the Officer's arrival. One individual expressed concern and was advising that they were scared. Officers immediately separated both parties and calmed/ de-escalated the situation so that the conference could conclude without further issue. Both parties were kept separated with no charges being filed at this time. Officers escorted both parties off property safely at the conclusion of their business.
- **01/14/2026 1200 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to Upper Darby Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to constables for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP).
- **01/14/2026 0944 Disturbance-Domestic**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex overheard two parties arguing with each other during a meeting with a case worker. Officers immediately separated both parties and de-escalated the situation. Officers kept both individuals separated for the remainder of the conference. Officers escorted both parties off the premises separately at the conclusion of their business without further incident.
- **01/14/2026 1215 Disturbances**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were dispatched to a report of two individuals arguing in a custody hearing. Officers separated both parties and verified neither party had any warrants or warrants. Once the situation was under control and officers had both parties' information. The parties were allowed to go back and finish their court hearing without further issue.
- **01/14/2026 1424 Disturbances-Other**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol were dispatched to a report of a fight in progress at Camp Upland inside of Upland Park. Park Police Officers responded along with other local agencies. As officers arrived, they were assisted by Chester Township and Upland Borough Police Department Officers in clearing out the park after the fight was unfounded.
- **01/14/2026 1504 Panic Alarms**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were dispatched to a panic alarm in one of the offices within the building. Upon arrival, Officers spoke with the employees of the office and discovered that an individual had been arguing with the employees over a disagreement regarding paperwork/checks. Officers made contact with the individual and obtained information. The individual was calm and was able to finish conducting their business after Officers obtained their information for their report.

- **01/15/2026 0921 Drug Paraphernalia**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex discovered 2 unlabeled bottles containing multiple unidentified pills and a grinder containing marijuana on a subject who was being checked into the building. Officers confiscated the found items and detained the individual who was in possession of them. Officers obtained the individuals information and released them with a citation a short time later.
- **01/15/2026 1022 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to the Sharon Hill Adult and Juvenile Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and then later transferred custody to Parks Patrol Officers for transport of the subject to Delaware County Prison (DCP).
- **01/15/2026 1851 Medical Emergency**  
 Officers assigned to the Fair Acres complex received a call for a medical emergency. Officers immediately responded along with Emergency medical services (EMS). Officers assisted as needed until EMS transported the Patient to the local hospital for further evaluation.
- **01/15/2026 2026 Assist Other Agencies**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol witnessed a motor vehicle accident (MVA) involving two cars. Officers notified Park Police Dispatch and Delcom (Emergency communications center or 911) and began to check for injuries. All parties involved denied any injury and Park Police Officers stayed on location until local Officers arrived to take over.
- **01/15/2026 2120 Assist other agencies**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol discovered an audible alarm coming from a building in the Media area. The Officer advised Park Police dispatch to contact Delcom (Emergency communications center or 911) for Officers from the jurisdiction the building was located in to respond. Park Police Officers on scene performed an area check and did not find anything out of the ordinary. Park Police Officers passed this information on upon the arrival of local Officers.
- **01/16/2026 0944 Medical Emergency**  
 Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division received a call for a medical emergency. Officers immediately responded along with Emergency medical services (EMS). Officers assisted as needed until EMS transported the Patient to the local hospital for further evaluation.
- **01/16/2026 1034 Warrants**  
 Officers assigned to the Chester District Court had an individual walk in and turn themselves in for an active warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident and notified Chester PD who upon their arrival custody was transferred to.

- **01/17/2026 1447 Damage to County Property**  
 Officers assigned to Parks Patrol were dispatched to a report of two vehicles doing donuts in the field at Little Flower Park. Officers promptly responded to the location. Darby Borough Police Department Officers responded as well. Park Police Officers arrived to find that both vehicles had been stopped by Darby Borough Police Department Officers who were gathering information from all parties involved. All individuals were released a short time later with citations.
- **01/18/2026 0310 Medical Emergency**  
 Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers immediately responded along with Emergency medical services (EMS). Officers assisted as needed until EMS transported the Patient to the local hospital for further evaluation.
- **01/21/2026 1028 Panic Alarms**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex were dispatched to a panic alarm in one of the offices within the building. Upon arrival they found an agitated subject outside the office where the alarm originated. Upon speaking with the individuals Officers discovered they were in the incorrect location and officers were able to calm the individual down and assist them with updated instructions. The individual left the property without further issue and officers cleared.
- **01/21/2026 1132 Narcotics/Drug Paraphernalia**  
 Officers assigned to the Courthouse Complex discovered marijuana on a subject who was being checked into the building. Officers confiscated the found items and detained the individual who was in possession of them. Officers obtained the individuals information and released them with a warning a short time later. All confiscated items were submitted to be destroyed.
- **01/23/2026 1245 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to the Chester Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident. Custody was then later transferred to a constable for transport of the subject and their property to Delaware County Prison.
- **01/27/2026 1127 Warrants/Probation**  
 Officers assigned to the Chester Probation Office were notified of an individual with an active probation warrant. Officers took the subject into custody without incident. Custody was then later transferred to a constable for transport of the subject and their property to Delaware County Prison.
- **01/27/2026 2350 Medical Emergency**  
 Officers assigned to the Fair Acres Division were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers immediately responded along with Emergency medical services (EMS). Officers assisted as needed until EMS transported the Patient to the local hospital for further evaluation.

- **01/28/2026 1305 Assault**  
Officers assigned to the Courthouse complex were dispatched to an active fight inside of one of the Courtrooms. Responding Officers found two Sheriff Deputies attempting to detain a subject who was to be taken into custody following the court hearing. The individual continued to resist arrest as Park Police Officers assisted in restraining the individual. Emergency medical services were called for a deputy who had minor injuries from the incident and for the individual who was in custody to be evaluated as well. The individual was transported to the Delaware County Prison following the evaluation.
- **01/30/2026 1700 Disturbance-Domestic**  
Officers assigned to the Courthouse complex were dispatched to a fight in progress within one of the Courtrooms in the building. Officers responded to assist and found that multiple individuals involved in a hearing were involved. One subject had grabbed the hair of another and was threatening to hit them. Sheriff Deputies and other Court personnel witnessed this occur. The subject was taken into custody and charged without incident..
- **01/30/2026 2015 Medical Emergency**  
Officers assigned to the Fair Acres complex were dispatched to a medical emergency. Officers immediately responded along with Emergency medical services (EMS). Officers assisted as needed until EMS transported the Patient to the local hospital for further evaluation.