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Day Shift 6a-2p Deputy B. Coffey	PM Shift 2p-10p Deputy A. Ebel	Night Shift 10p-6a Deputy B. Sanborn	Day Relief Deputy J. Rusk	PM Relief Deputy N. Dennis	Night Relief Deputy C. Brown

Allouez Deputies for 2018

Each year Brown County Sheriff's Office Deputies have the opportunity to pick what shift or area they want to work. Deputies work a six days on and three days off rotation. As in past years we will have some new faces working in Allouez for 2018.

-Deputy B. Coffey will replace Deputy J. Rusk as the primary deputy on the day shift. Deputy Coffey originally grew up in the Suring area. Deputy Coffey has a bachelor's degree from the University of Platteville. Deputy Coffey started her law enforcement career with Greenfield Police Department before coming before coming to the Brown County Sheriff's Office in 2015. For the last two years Deputy Coffey was assigned to the Village of Howard.

-Deputy A. Ebel will be the regular PM Officer, 2pm-10pm shift. Deputy Ebel grew up in the Green Bay area and graduated from NWTC in 2015 with an associate's degree in Criminal Justice. Deputy Ebel has been with Brown County since 2013, working as a 9-1-1 dispatcher, until being hired by the Sheriff's Office in June 2016.

-Deputy B. Sanborn will be the primary deputy on the night shift, 10pm-6am. Deputy Sanborn is currently starting his 4th year with the Brown County Sheriff's Office. Prior to working as a Patrol Deputy, Deputy Sanborn worked in the Brown County Jail as a Correctional Officer for 1 year. Deputy Sanborn enjoys playing competitive softball but was forced to retire after a season ending elbow injury which he almost had to undergo Tommy John surgery to be able to play ball again, but declined the surgery.

-Deputy N. Dennis will be the PM relief officer and fills in for Deputy Ebel on her days off. Deputy Dennis grew up in Allouez area and graduated from Fox Valley Technical College in 2012. Deputy Dennis served in the Infantry Army National Guard for six years and then worked for the UW-Green Bay Police Department for 3 years until being hired by the Brown County Sheriff's Office in October of 2016. Deputy Dennis currently resides in the Allouez area.

-Deputy C. Brown will be the night's relief officer when Deputy Sanborn is off. Deputy Brown was our primary night shift deputy for the last two years here in Allouez. If you have read our past Watch News letters, Deputy Brown consistently does an excellent job in patrolling the village.

-Deputy J. Rusk will continue to work in Allouez and will be the AM relief officer when Deputy Coffey is on her days off. Deputy Rusk grew up in the Kaukauna area and graduated from UW Stevens Point. Deputy Rusk worked on the boat patrol for the Menominee County Sheriff's Office prior to getting hired here in March, 2016.

I would like to thank Deputies J. Baudry, M. Froelich, Z. Walters, and K. Mason for all their hard work in Allouez this past year and wish them well with their 2018 Brown County Sheriff's Office assignments.



Green Bay Metro Fire Department-Allouez Station



Snowblowers can be easier on your back and save precious time. Unfortunately, the improper use of snowblowers is responsible for almost 6,000 emergency room visits and 1000 amputations per year in the US, as reported by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

Individuals that are new to snowblower use or are operating one for the first time of the year are most prone to a snowblower accident. Here are some tips to prevent a snowblower injury;

- **NEVER try to clean the auger or discharge chute with your hand. This is the most common way to be injured by a snowblower.**
 - Keep your hands and feet clear of all moving parts.
- If you need to clean an auger or discharge chute, shut the snowblower engine off and clear it with the special shovel that some new machines come with or a broom handle, not your hand.
 - Make sure that the discharge chute is aimed away from people and pets.
 - Be careful of hot engine parts such as the muffler that can quickly cause a burn.
 - Never add fuel to a snowblower that is running.
 - Avoid wearing loose clothing such as scarves that could become entangled in the snowblower's moving parts.
 - Never leave your machine running unattended.

Snowblowers are meant to make our lives easier, not to hurt us. Take the extra time this year to use it safely. Your hands, fingers and toes will thank you for it.



December/January POLICE INCIDENTS

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In the month of December, the Brown County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to or initiated approximately 568 police calls in the Village of Allouez. This included approximately 121 Traffic Stops, 33 Accidents, 20 Disturbance Calls, 20 Welfare Checks, and 14 Animal Calls. In the month of January 2018, the Brown County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to or initiated approx. 608 police calls. The following is a brief synopsis of some of those calls.

- ***December 1st: Deputy Z. Walters was dispatched to the Prevea Clinic, located at 1821 S. Webster Ave. for a report of theft that occurred two days ago. The victim reported she was at Prevea for a doctor's appointment. She was on the first floor lobby when she realized that her phone was missing. The victim was unable to locate her phone at Prevea and was unable to identify a suspect. A statement was obtained from the victim. An incident report was completed.***
- ***Dec 2nd: Deputy Walters and Deputy B. Dernbach were dispatched to an address on the 400 St. for a damage to property report. The victim was reporting someone had placed a balloon in a mailbox. The balloon was popped and a white substance was found inside. The victim did not have any suspect info and stated that it occurred sometime after 1:00 p.m. Upon arrival it was confirmed that there was an unknown white powdery substance in the mailbox and on the ground around the mailbox. Deputies performed a cocaine test which was negative/inconclusive. Deputies tried to pour vinegar on the substance to see if it was baking soda. That test was also negative. A portion of the substance was bagged as well as the mail that was in the mailbox. As of this date and time it is unknown what the white powdery substance is. It is also unknown if the substance is harmful. Caution was used when dealing with this evidence. A property report was completed and the substance was double bagged and secured in an evidence locker at the Brown County Sheriff's Office.***
- ***Dec 11th: Deputy Walters was dispatched to an address on the 400 block of St. Marys Blvd for a report of fraud. The victim was reporting he was contacted by the Social Security Administration that an unknown suspect had attempted to use his social security number on an online claim for retirement benefits. The victim also received an email notification from Lifelock his personal information had been used by an open Comcast account. The victim advised he made no such claim and does not have a Comcast account. A written statement was obtained and a report completed by Deputy Walters that will be forwarded to the Brown County Sheriff's Office Investigative Unit for review.***
- ***Dec 20th: Deputy Walters was dispatched to an address on the 700 block of Terraview Dr for a damage complaint. The victim reported that on 12-18-17 he noticed damage to his garage door. The victim contacted his insurance company who advised him to contact the police. Deputy Walters observed several areas of damage to the garage door. The victim pointed out several areas of damage that he stated were new. Deputy Walters obtained photos of the garage door damage and photos of the tires tracks that were in the snow bank to the east of Robert's garage. The tire tracks appear to indicate that a vehicle turned around in the driveway. The victim stated that neither he or his wife created the tires tracks in the snow. There were no car parts in the***

driveway. Robert was unable to definitively say when the damage occurred or how the damage occurred. Incident report completed.

- *Dec 26th, Deputy N. Ronsman was dispatched to an address on the 700 block of Greene Ave for a report of theft from 4 different vehicles broken into over the weekend. Deputy Ronsman obtained written statements from the owners. There was no damage to the vehicles but multiple items were stolen. It should be noted all four vehicles were believed to be unlocked. No evidence was left at the scene by the unknown suspects. Incident report completed.*
- *January 5th, Deputy A. Ebel was dispatched to an address on the 3900 block of Wolf Ct for a possible fraud complaint. Deputy Ebel met with the victim who stated that she received 3 emails today from Best Buy confirming her purchases. The victim did not buy anything from Best Buy. The emails showed her name, but an address in Colorado. The victim had called Best Buy and told them she did not purchase anything. Best Buy told her it was purchased with a Visa Credit Card. The victim stated she had checked her bank accounts, credit card accounts, and her credit history and there was nothing showing any fraudulent activity. The victim also stated that she does not have any Visa credit cards and that she only has Mastercard. At this time, the victim is not out any money and does not have any credit cards falsely opened. Deputy Ebel advised the victim to call back if something shows up on her credit history at a later time.*
- *Jan 16th, Deputy Zeise was dispatched to the Brown County Sheriff's Office to speak with an Allouez resident about being scammed. The victim reported he received a phone call from an unknown female suspect that claimed to work for the government. The suspect claimed the victim would receive a \$9,000 grant if he would go to Wal-Mart and send her two \$100 gift cards that have "STEAM" written on the back of them. The victim did as told and called the suspect back giving them the gift card numbers and information. The suspect was then called again on Jan 16th by an unknown male suspect claiming to be a New York banker. The suspect stated the victim would receive the \$9,000 grant when he paid \$800 in taxes on this sum. The victim gave the suspect his credit card information but later changed his mind not wanting to use his credit card. The suspect instructed the victim to again go to Wal-Mart and buy 8 \$100 gift cards with the name "STREAM" written on the back. The victim realized this was a scam and called police. A statement was obtained from the victim and a report will be completed. The victim reported he will be canceling his credit card.*
- *Jan 22nd, Deputy Ebel was dispatched to an address on the 3900 block of East River Dr. for a fraud complaint. The victim reported finding an unknown charge on her Associated Bank Visa credit card that total over \$100. The fraudulent charge was made on Jan 15th in Florida. The victim has no idea who made this charge. A statement was obtained and an incident report completed. The victim canceled her credit card and will be refunded the charge.*
- *Jan 26th: Deputy Ebel was dispatched to an address on the 400 block of Simonet St for a fraud report. The victim reported receiving a telephone call today from an unknown male suspect who provided him with a badge number. The first male suspect then transferred the telephone call to another male suspect who stated he worked for the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). The suspect explained to the victim he had unpaid taxes due from 2014 and 2015 in the amount of approx. \$8,000. The suspect instructed the victim to travel to the nearest WalMart and purchase 8 \$1,000 gift cards and to call him back. The victim did as instructed and called the suspect back providing*

him with the code on the back of each card. The victim was instructed to mail the gift cards to the Department of Treasury, 1500 Pennsylvania Ave, Washington DC. The victim did as told and mailed the cards off at a local grocery store. The suspect then stated he had found more back taxes from 2013 and 2014 in the amount of \$12,000. The victim explained he did not have that amount of money at this time. The suspect agreed with the victim that the victim could send him \$3,000 more at this time. The victim again purchased 3 \$1,000 gift cards at WalMart and called the suspect back providing him the codes on the back of each card. The victim again mailed the 3 gift cards to the Dep. Of Treasury. The suspect then told the victim this was not enough and that he was going to be arrested. The victim became fearful and purchased another 5 \$1,000 gift cards at WalMart. The victim again provided the codes and mailed them. The suspect continued to threaten the victim with being arrested and getting his wife into trouble as well. The victim returned to WalMart and purchased another 8 \$1,000 gift cards and one other gift card approx. \$800 worth. The victim again provided the codes and mailed the cards. The suspect then stated he had found another \$17,000 in back taxes. The victim told the suspect to go ahead and arrest him then. The suspect then informed the victim this would be enough money and would be sending someone over to his house with documentation. The victim eventually spoke to family members and was told to call police. An incident report was completed. Follow up was made with WalMart staff on Jan 29th. Staff advised 9 of these cards in question were redeemed by telephone at a WalMart in Union City, California. Another set of 3 cards were redeemed by telephone in Woodstock, Georgia.

Item #1

December 4th, at approx. 12:00pm, Deputy J. Rusk was dispatched to an address on the 500 block of Floral Dr. for a parking complaint. The complainant was stating a red Cadillac sedan was parked in front of his house for over a week. Dispatch ran a record check on the plate and reported to Deputy Rusk it was a stolen vehicle from the City of Green Bay. Deputy Rusk stood by until the Green Bay Police Department arrived to take custody of the vehicle. The vehicle was towed away from the scene.

Item #2

Dec 6th, approx. 11:53pm, Deputy R. Wagner performed a traffic stop on Webster Ave. at Arrowhead Dr. for a vehicle observed to be traveling at a high rate of speed on Webster Ave. Deputy Wagner reported there was an obvious odor of intoxicants on the male operator's breath along with having slurred speech and watery bloodshot eyes. Standard Field Sobriety Tests (SFST) were performed in which the operator failed. A Preliminary Breath Test (PBT) was performed and registered over 4 times the legal limit of .08. The operator was taken into custody for OWI. A search incident to arrest was performed on the vehicle. Green, leafy, plant like substance was located in the center console which later tested positive for marijuana. A DOT record check was performed on the operator showing he was on probation. The Department of Corrections was contacted and reported they would be placing a probation hold on this male at this time. The operator was transported to Aurora ER for a legal blood draw and then to the Brown County Jail on the probation hold. The operator was issued citations for OWI 1st Offense, Disorderly Conduct with a Motor Vehicle, Possession of THC, and Speeding.

Item #3

Dec 10th, at 9:00pm, Deputy Walters and other multiple deputies were dispatched to an address on the 500 block of Brookridge St for a report of a male who cocked a shotgun at the complainant and his partner. The comp and his partner were Spectrum employees. The comp advised that they were servicing an address on Dauphin Street but the box they needed to access was in the backyard of this address on Brookridge. The comp stated that he heard the racking of a shotgun but did not see a weapon. The comp

advised that the male at the address in question asked them what they were doing in his backyard and the comp advised the male that they were Spectrum employees servicing the box in his backyard. Deputies were able to make contact with the male at on Brookridge St. The suspect advised that he did rack his shotgun because he looked in his backyard and observed people with flashlights walking around his backyard at 8:30 p.m. on a Sunday night. The suspect was cooperative with deputies and stated that he did not observe the Spectrum vans parked on the street in front of his house and no one had notified him that they were going to be working in his backyard. Spectrum employees confirmed that they did not notify said address that they were going to be working in his backyard. The Spectrum employees were advised that they need to let homeowners know when they are going to be on private property so this or a worse situation does not occur.

Item#4

Dec 16th, at approx. 2:00am, Deputy Wagner and Deputy K. Verheyen were dispatched to an address on the 200 block of Lazzarre Ave for a male vs female physical disturbance. Dispatch advised the male was reporting he was holding the female to prevent her from hitting him again. Deputies arrived and were able separate both parties. Both parties were interviewed and refused to provide written statements. Due to evidence at the scene, the female was taken into custody for being the primary aggressor. The female was transported to the Brown County Jail on charges of DVO Battery and Disorderly Conduct. A review of charges by the DA's Office is being requested for the male involved in this incident.

Item #5

Dec 19th, at approx. 12:30pm Deputy J. Milkie and multiple deputies were dispatched to the area of Riverside Dr at STH 172 for a male walking in the middle of the roadway. Deputies arrived and were able to get the suspect off the roadway. The suspect was asked why he was walking in the middle of the roadway. The suspect stated there were no sidewalks. The suspect then made comment that could be considered suicidal in nature. Due to the suicidal comment, the suspect was transported to the Crisis Center for evaluation. An incident report was completed.

Item #6

Dec 30th, approx. 8:00am, Deputy Rusk and multiple deputies were dispatched to an address on the 500 block of Clover Ln for a reported Male vs. Female physical disturbance. Dispatch advised they could hear a male on the phone yelling "get off of me" and a female yelling "what are you doing" before the phone line was disconnected. Deputies arrived and were able to separate both parties. Both parties were interviewed. The male refused to provide a written statement at this time. Due to the evidence on the scene the female was found to be the primary aggressor. She was taken into custody and transported to the Brown County Jail on charges of DVO Battery and Disorderly Conduct.

Item #7

Jan 11th, at approx. 10:00pm, Deputy Sanborn and Deputy Tassoul were dispatched to an address on the 1400 block of McCormick St for a rock being thrown into a front house window. The victim stated they located footprints outside and followed the foot prints to an address on Suydam St. in the City of Green Bay. Deputies interviewed the subjects living at this address and one of the subjects confessed to throwing the rock. An ordinance citation was issued suspect for Criminal Damage to Property.

Item#8

Jan 14th, approx. 3:30pm, Deputy Ebel and multiple deputies were dispatched to an address on the 3800 block of East River Dr. for a suspicious situation. The complainant saw 2 males enter a town home with what appeared to be a high powered gun. The complainant stated the males parked in the back of the complex, but was unsure what kind of vehicles they came in. It is also unknown what apartment they went into. Upon arrival Sgt Belleau observed two vehicles leave the scene and both drivers were young males matching the description the complainant gave. Sgt Belleau initiated a traffic stop on an SUV and once Deputy Ebel pulled behind him, Sgt. Belleau initiated a second

traffic stop on the other vehicle in front of the SUV. Deputy Ebel approached the male driver in the SUV and as she was walking past the back seat she observed a cardboard box with a picture of a black rifle on it. Deputy Ebel advised the male driver why he was stopped. The male driver stated it was an airsoft gun. The driver stated he was bringing it to his friend's house to show him. The driver was advised in the future to be more cognizant of his surroundings and to think of better ways to bring, what appears to be a real gun, into an apartment building (bring the box in, etc). Sgt Belleau identified the other vehicle's driver. This driver did not have an airsoft gun in his vehicle. Both individuals were sent on their way.

Item#9

Jan 20th, Deputy Dennis was dispatched to Webster Ave Market, located at 1220 S Webster Ave, for a disturbance that was over with. Upon arrival Deputy Dennis made contact with the Store Manager. The manager stated a female was walking around the store today and it appeared she might have concealed some steaks. The manager stated the female was carrying the steaks and when she came to the front she no longer had them visible. When the staff questioned the female about the steaks she became very upset and began causing a disturbance. The female had to be walked out by staff. As they were walking her out she threatened the manager. The manager said the female left in a vehicle. A records check was conducted on the registration. Deputy Dennis responded to the address of the plate and made contact with the suspect female. The suspect stated she was upset with the Webster Market Staff for accusing her of stealing. The suspect admitted to causing a disturbance and apologized for the incident. Deputy Dennis advised the suspect that Webster Market did not wish to have charges filed for Disorderly Conduct, however they gave Deputy Dennis a form to have the suspect sign indicating she was no longer welcome at the Webster Ave Market. The suspect signed the document and stated she would not go back to the store. Deputy Dennis returned back to the store and provided the manager with the form which the suspect had signed. Deputy Dennis advised that if the suspect returned to call us and she would be either cited or arrested for trespassing.

Item#10

Jan 22nd, at approx. 1:30pm, Deputy Rusk and multiple deputies were dispatched to the area of S Webster Ave and St. Joseph St, in reference to a disturbance. Notes indicated that a male subject took off running from the Bellin Psychiatric Center. The security team from Bellin was following the male, who was wearing blue scrubs. Deputy Mueller, Deputy Campbell, Deputy Stevens and Deputy Fischer also responded to the area. Deputy Rusk advised that the male was running away from him on Allouez Ave. towards Jourdain La. Deputy Rusk was able to catch the suspect and take the male in custody at this intersection. The suspect stated he was not going back to Bellin and wanted to go to the jail. The suspect became cooperative after being detained. The suspect was transported back to Bellin Psychiatric. It was verified no disturbance occurred at Bellin Psychiatric, only that the suspect decided to take off from the facility.

House Check Request Forms

A reminder to all the residents in Allouez that are planning on being away from their home for an extended period of time this coming year. The Village of Allouez and the Brown County Sheriff's Office are offering to have a deputy check on your house periodically while away when time permits. It should be noted, by performing this service during the noted absence, no guarantees are made or implied to the owner that the property will remain safe. Should it appear that the property was compromised in some way; every effort will be made to contact the owner with the information provided, and to secure the property until the owner returns. An up to date folder is kept in the Allouez squad car with these completed request forms. You can print out a request form by going on the Village of Allouez website. The House Check Request Form is located in the General Forms section. You can also pick up a form here at the village hall.