



Greenhills Police Department Monthly Report



May - June 2016

Dear Mayor and Members of Council:

The following is a summary of the activities of the Greenhills Police Department during the past month:

- On May 26, Lieutenant Dave Schaefer, Commander of the regional Drug Abuse Task Force, interviewed several of our current full-time officers for assignment as an agent to the Task Force. Sergeant Lukes assisted, and Lieutenant Ward and I observed the interviews. Police Officer Mike Spinelli was selected for the assignment. He has been a Greenhills police officer since 2013.
- Municipal Manager Evonne Kovach conducted two "Park Talks" with residents: in the "D" section on May 31, and in the "B" section on June 7. I also attended and talked about neighborhood watch and crime concerns. Both segments were well attended, and additional neighborhood meetings will be conducted this summer and into the fall.



- On June 8, the department was honored by Mayor David Moore and Municipal Manager Evonne Kovach when the Mayor declared June as Greenhills Police Month at a Concert on the Commons on June 8. During a ceremony at the concert intermission, the Mayor and Municipal Manager honored the department, including its most senior officer, Tony Patton, and its newest officer, Zzachery Clark. Alumni from our Inaugural Citizens Police Academy planned the ceremony and were on hand to



(Left to right): Greenhills' most senior police officer, Tony Patton, is shown with Officer Cameron Guilfoyle, our current newest officer. He will give that title up to Zzachery Clark, who will be hired upon graduation from the police academy. He is shown with Greenhills Police Chief Neil Ferdelman.

- assist and distribute materials to the crowd. To see photos of the event, click [here](#). To see a copy of the Mayor's Proclamation, click [here](#). To see Officer Patton's certification, click [here](#). To see the presentation 58 minutes into the concert, click [here](#).
- On June 11, the department conducted an entry level exam for police officers at Molloys on the Green. Of the 34 applicants signed up for the exam, 21 participated and 15 ultimately passed. We began the interview process on June 20 and plan to complete interviews on July 13 to fill an upcoming vacancy.
- On June 21, Lieutenant Ward, Sergeant Lukes, and I attended a law enforcement leadership seminar conducted by nationally recognized police leadership expert Gordon Graham of California. He will be speaking later this year in Ohio, and the cost for attendance is \$175 per person. We attended this seminar in West Chester at no cost to us as the guests of Butler County Sheriff Rick Jones.
- Also on June 21, the department sponsored an Addictions Seminar at the Village Troubadour. The presentation was for residents who wanted to learn more about the drug problem and the addictions it causes. It included specific information about heroin along with other addictive drugs. Speakers

pointed to warning signs of drug usage that families should recognize. Over 50 of our residents attended. The team of presenters included:

- *Hamilton County Sheriff Jim Neil, who attended along with Chief Deputy Mark Schoonover;*
 - *Steve Stuhlreyer, Licensed Professional Clinical and Chemical Dependency Counselor;*
 - *Chief Tom Synan, Commander, the Hamilton County Heroin Task Force;*
 - *Lieutenant Dave Schaefer, Commander, Drug Abuse Task Force;*
 - *Corporal Bryan Johnston, Greenhills Police Narcotics Investigator.*
- On June 25, the department will be assisting with the Pioneer Day Run and Parade, and providing traffic control and security for both events.
 - Additional residents have signed up for our upcoming Greenhills Citizens Police Academy that will start this fall on September 15, and continue every other Thursday until November 10. Classes will begin at 6 PM and conclude at 8:30 PM. Additional information and an application can be found [here](#).
 - On June 16, new Greenhills Police Officer Zzachery Clark graduated from the Butler Tech Police Academy and was sworn in immediately following his graduation. He reported for duty on June 17 and has been assigned to our Field Training Officer program.



*(Left) Officer Clark after his swearing in ceremony with Chief Ferdelman
(Right) Officer Clark with Lieutenant Ward and Chief Ferdelman after the ceremony.*

- During the month of May, the department investigated six accidents (up from three in May of 2015), four crimes (down from nine last May), and 161 other incidents (down from 207 last May). Of a total of 558 contacts (766 last May), 328 were dispatched or received by telephone as compared to 322 last May, and 230 were self-initiated by police officers as compared to 444 last May. The department provided assistance to the public in 66 instances (129 times last May), assisted other agencies 39 times (down from 67 times last May), and made 32 criminal arrests (compared to 28 last May) and 58 traffic arrests (79 last May). Each crime was analyzed for geographic, temporal, and other factors. Details are attached.

Very Respectfully,

Neil R. Ferdelman

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Chief of Police

MONTHLY STATISTICS - MAY 2016

Vehicle Accidents

Public Roadway	5
Private Property	1
With Injuries (Inclusive)	2
Total	6

Reports & Incidents

Part I Crimes

Murder	0
Sexual Offenses	0
Robbery	0
Assaults (Including Domestic Violence)	0
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	1
Theft	3
Auto Theft	0
Total	4

Other Incidents

Narcotics (Including Minor Misd.)	4
Disorderly Conduct	6
Liquor Law Violations	1
Curfew Violations	5
Domestic Disturbance	2
Garbage or Noise Complaints	3
Animal Complaints	9
Other Calls	17
Prowlers	0
Silent 911 Calls	1
Follow-up Investigations	0
Foot Patrol	1
Preventive/Directed Patrol	66
Bike Patrol	0
Alarm Drops	7
Reports Taken	39
Total	161

How Initiated

Dispatched/Phone	328
Self-Initiated	230
Total	558

Public Service

Motorists Assisted	8
Public Relations Details	7
Vacation House Checks	4
Business Checks	46
Bank Escorts	1
Total	66

Assists to Other Agencies

Fire & EMS Assists	14
Other Police Agency Assists	25
Total	39

Criminal Arrests

Felony - Adult	3
Misdemeanor & MM - Adult	8
Felony - Juvenile	4
Misdemeanor - Juvenile	6
Warrants Served	11
Total	32

Traffic Arrests

Moving Violations	50
Non Moving Violations	8
OVI (Inclusive)	1
Total	58



REPORT TO COUNCIL

May 2016

Monthly Crime Analysis Report –May 2016

Offense/Report #	Geographic factors	Temporal factor	Victim/target descriptors	Suspect descriptors	Suspect vehicle descriptors	MO Factor	Physical evidence
Burglary							
16-3656	Single Family Home "G" section	Sunday 1414	F/W-54	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown subject entered victims garage and stole a bike	None
B&E							
<i>None</i>							
Thefts							
16-3248	Golf Course	Wednesday 2000	Village of Greenhills	M/W-19	White Volkswagen	Suspect failed to pay \$36 in golf fees. He did pay for the golf after report was made.	None
16-3473	Business "E" section	Friday 1906	Village Troubadour	F/W-13	None	Juveniles stole \$20 from the tip jar	None
Vandalism							
<i>None</i>							
Assaults							
<i>None</i>							
Domestic violence							
<i>None</i>							
Homicide							
<i>None</i>							
Robbery							
<i>None</i>							
Arson							
<i>None</i>							
Sex Offenses							
<i>None</i>							