



# LACEY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

Community Policing in Forked River, Lanoka Harbor, and Bamber Lake

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## January 2017 - Monthly Statistics

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This agency handled **3801** calls-for-service between *January 1<sup>st</sup> 2017*, and *January 31st, 2017*.

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The Lacey Township Police Department handled **3801** calls-for-service during the month of *January 2017*. The monthly summary regarding the **Police Department** activities for the month of *January 2017* is as follows:

### Uniformed Patrol Division

The **Uniformed Patrol Division** activities for the month of *January 2017* are as follows:

#### Summary of Traffic Summonses

**230** Summonses & **117** Written Warnings from **1122** Motor Vehicle Stops.

- **7** DUI Arrests
- **26** Suspended License Summonses
- **9** Reckless Driving Summonses
- **4** Uninsured Vehicle Summonses
- **7** CDS in a Motor Vehicle Summonses

#### Traffic Accidents

**54** Motor Vehicle Accidents Reported

- **5** injuries
  - **0** fatality
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### **Drug Arrests**

8 arrests were made by Patrol Division personnel for drug-related offenses during the month of *January*

### **Warrant Arrests**

24 arrests were made on court-issued warrants during the month of *January*.

4 arrests were for individuals who turned themselves in at police headquarters.

### **Criminal and SC Complaints**

24 criminal complaint summonses/warrants were signed by officers within the Patrol Division during the month of *January*.

### **Directed Enforcement Details**

564 documented directed enforcement details were completed during the month of *January*.

### **Domestic Violence Incidents**

20 Domestic violence calls were answered by patrol officers during the month of *January*.

- 6 Incidents involved an application for a Temporary Restraining Order.
- 5 Incidents involved criminal charges.

### **First Aid Calls**

172 emergency first aid calls were answered by patrol officers during the month of *January*.

### **PESS Matters**

12 incidents involved the use of the Psychological Emergency Screening Service (PESS) during the month of *January*.

### **Training Assignments**

- On **January 3, 2017**, Officer John D. Simonson attended Alcotest Re-certification Training at Lakehurst Emergency Services Building from 0800 to 1200 hours. The class was hosted by the NJSP.
- On **January 11, 2017**, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny and Officer George Resetar attended LE Response to Mental Health Issues (Train-the-Trainer) at the

Middlesex County Fire Academy from 0830 to 1530 hours. The training was hosted by DOJ.

- On **January 13, 2017**, Sergeant Robert Flynn attended IA Difficult Employee Training held at the Essex County Police Academy from 0830 to 1630 hours. The training was hosted by Essex County.
- On **January 13, 2017**, Officer John McKee attended Radar Instructor re-certification training held at the John Stamler Police Academy from 0800 to 1600 hours. The class was hosted by NJDOJ.
- On **January 16, 2017**, Officer Daniel Ricciardella conducted in house CPR training/recertification for Dispatchers Fran Johnson, Joanne Wujack, Brittani Schroeder and Kasey Kanka
- On **January 17, 2017**, Officer Daniel Ricciardella conducted in house CPR training/recertification for Dispatcher Donna Favor.
- On **January 19, 2017**, Officers Jeff Slota and Charles May attended Alcotest Re-certification training held at Lakehurst Emergency Services Building from 0800 to 1200 hours. The class was hosted by the NJSP.
- **From January 26, 2017 through January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017**, Detective Kymberly Gudgeon, along with Officers Charles May and John D. Simonson attended a 5-day Law Enforcement Against Drugs (LEAD) certification program held at the Camden County Police Academy from 0830 to 1630 hours. The training was hosted by Camden County.
- On **January 31, 2017**, Officer Daniel Ricciardella attended RERP training at the Forked River Fire Department from 1900 to 2100 hours.

**ABC Details**

N/A

**Special Details/Events**

- Special Details were staffed during the month of **January**.
  - On **January 12, 2017**, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny attended an EMCA meeting at the Ocean County OEM building from 12:00pm to 1:30pm.
  - On **January 14, 2017**, Officer Noah Schaffer attended and assisted in the filming of the Heroin Public Safety Announcement Video at the Lacey High School from 1645 to 1900 hours.
  - On **January 16, 2017**, Officer Michael Verwey responded to Point Pleasant Beach for a SWAT Callout from 1145 to 1545 hours.
  - On **January 19, 2017**, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny attended a Domestic Violence Working Group meeting at the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
  - On **January 26, 2017**, Officer George Resetar attended an in house Police Explorer meeting from 1930 to 2030 hours.

## **Investigative Division**

The **Investigative Division** activities for the month of **January 2017** are as follows:

### **Case Management**

**20** cases were assigned during the month of **January** and currently **3** of the **20** remains open.

**5** cases were closed from previous months.

### **Off-hour Duty Calls**

**2** incidents required a Detective to respond during off hours during the month of **January**.

### **Grand Jury and Superior Court Appearances**

**0** cases required the appearance of a detective at Grand Jury during the month of **January**.

**0** cases required testimony from a detective at Superior Court in reference to appealed gun permit applications, during the month of *January*.

### **Drug Arrests**

**8** arrests were made by Detectives during the month of *January* for drug-related offenses.

### **Criminal and SC Complaints**

**15** Criminal complaint summonses/warrants (for **16** charges) were signed by Detectives during the month of *January*.

### **Search Warrants**

**1** Search Warrant and **0** Communications Data Warrants (CDWs) were executed during the month of *January*.

### **Background Investigations**

**Firearms** - **45** firearms background investigations/permits were processed during the month of *January*.

**Permit to Carry** – **0** permit to carry applications were completed during the month of *January*.

**Employment** - **7** background investigations were conducted during the month of *January*.

**Volunteer Fire/First Aid** - **0** volunteer background investigations were processed during the month of *January*.

**Solicitor** - **0** solicitor's permit backgrounds were processed during the month of *January*.

### **Megan's Law Registrations**

**0** registrants reported to police headquarters for their annual registration requirement. **2** registrants conducted a 90-day registration requirement. **0** new registrants were documented during the month as moving into Lacey Township. **0** registrants moved from our jurisdiction. **1** current registrant appointment was facilitated to update information. Our jurisdiction currently has **32** Megan's Law Registrants.

**Prescription Drop Box**

**42** pounds of medication were removed from the Prescription Drop Box on **3** occasions with **0** trips being made to Rahway to deliver **0** pounds of the medical items during the month of *January*.

**Training Assignments**

Detectives did not attend any training seminars during the month of *January*.

**Confidential Funds**

The confidential fund was utilized on **0** occasions during *January*. The on-hand balance is **\$691.56** as of *January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017*.

**Property & Evidence Function**

The *Property & Evidence Function* activities for the month of *January 2017* are as follows:

**17** pieces of *Found Property* were entered into the property module during the month of *January* (includes found property, recovered stolen items and items held for safekeeping).

**7 Impounded Vehicles** was entered into the property module during the month of *January*.

**208 Articles of Evidence** were entered into the property module during the month of *January*.

**22 Firearm/Weapon** items were entered into the property module and/or the Ocean County Prosecutor’s secure site (InfoShare) during the month of *January*.

**17 Articles of Evidence** were transported to the Ocean County Sheriff’s Department Criminal Investigation Unit in **3 trips** during the month of *January*.

**0 Blood samples** were turned over to the Ocean County Prosecutor’s Office at LTPD/Headquarters during the month of *January*.

**0 Seized Currency** from **0** cases was turned over (via deposit) to the Ocean County Prosecutor’s Office for forfeiture during the month of *January*.

**16 Firearm/Weapon** items were transported to the Ocean County Prosecutor's Gun Unit during the month of **January**.

**33 Evidential Recordings/Documents** were prepared for the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office/Municipal Prosecutor and/or requesting attorneys during the month of **January**.

## **Administrative/Support Services Division**

### **Records Bureau**

**34** Discovery Packages were prepared for defense attorneys, the public defender, and the public during the month of **January**.

**141** DCP&P (DYFS) Background Inquiries were facilitated during the month of **January**.

**\$507.28** was collected by the Records Bureau during the month of **January**.

Walk-ins **76**    Mail/Discovery **45**                      Firearms **70**                      Solicitors **0**

**12** Records-based background inquiries were facilitated for various agencies during the month of **January**.

**91** Applications for Firearms Permits/ID cards were received from residents during the month of **January**.

**84** Applications for Firearms Permits/ID cards were processed from Residents during the month of **January**.

**80** Firearms Permits and **41** ID cards were prepared, finalized, and provided to residents during the month of **January**.

**5** Firearms Permit Renewals were processed during the month of **January**.

**13** OPRA requests for motor vehicle accidents were facilitated and forwarded to the township Clerk's Office during the month of **January**.

### **Municipal Court Liaison**

**Court Security** –A Class II Special Officer was assigned to court security for **24** hours on 3 separate occasions. A regular police officer was assigned to the court for 8 hours on 1 occasion.

**Court Attendant** – A Class II Special Officer was assigned to conduct security checks with a hand-held metal detector for the court for a total of **32 hours** on 4 separate court dates

### **Off-hour Duty Support Services Callouts (Not including Traffic/DRE/Fast Team)**

**1 incident** required off-duty assistance during the month of **January**.

### **Discovery Recordings, IT Projects, Problems, etc.**

- XCAD Geo Entries **0**
- XRMS Consolidations **10**
- XRMS Expungements **1**
- XMOBILE Report Building **0**
- Discovery Recordings copied/prepared **8**
- Infoshare implementation/ECDR Updates
- NJTR1 Updates (still not complete)

### **SLEO Special Assignments**

- Class II Special Officer Adam Bylsma and Special Officer Robert Campolei continued working steady Tuesday's as the Class II Court Security Officers.
- Class II Special Officers Robert Campolei handled the Lacey Township re-organization meeting on January 1, 2017.
- Class II Special Officer Adam Bylsma handled Sunday Church traffic.

### **Extra-Duty Employment Contractor Assignments**

The following extra-duty employment contracts/invoices were processed for contractor assignments:

- Officer Jason Lee was assigned to Community Medical Center on a prisoner detail on 1/5/2017 for 10 hours.



- Detective Lieutenant Christopher Cornelius presented a drug presentation at the Mill Pond School for 4 hours on 01/14/2017.
- Lieutenant Paul Sullivan presented senior scams on 1/16/2017 to the Old Guard at Community Hall.
- Officer Daniel Ricciardella conducted RERP training at the Forked River School for the FRFD on 1/31/2017.

### **Building Maintenance:**

- The HVAC contractors have completed their HVAC repairs this month
- The annual DOC Cell Inspection was conducted on 01/04/2017.
- The annual fire extinguisher inspection was held on 01/05/2017.

### **Extra-Duty Non contractor**

- Officer Lee was assigned to Community Medical Center on a prisoner detail on 1/5/2017 for 10 hours.
- Lt. Cornelius presented a drug presentation at the Mill Pond School for 4 hours on 01/14/2017.
- Lt. Sullivan presented senior scams on 1/16/2017 to the Old Guard at Community Hall
- Ptl. Ricciardella conducted RERP training at the Forked River School for the FRFD on 1/31/2017.

### **Traffic Safety Assignments-DRE/DDEF/OCPO Details/FAST Team Callouts**

- There were six documented coordinated traffic details (non-overtime details) run during the month of January with various objectives for a combined 4.25hrs yielding 62 motor vehicle stops.

## **Training Assignments**

### **Employee training during the month of January**

- **Alcotest 7110 MK-III-C Refresher**— Captain Patrick Ganley, Detective Lieutenant Christopher Cornelius, Lieutenant Paul Sullivan, Detectives Michael Eden, Keith Pearce, Kymberly Gudgeon Adam Ewart, and Officers John D. Simonson, Noah Schafffer, Darrell Nick, Charles May, and Jeffrey Slota
- **Law Enforcement Response to Individuals with Special Needs (Train the Trainer)**— Lieutenant Christopher Kenny, Detective Michael Eden and Officer George Resetar

- **Documenting Discipline and Dealing with Difficult Employees**—Acting Sergeant Robert Flynn, and Detectives Robert Surtees and Michael Eden
- **Radar Instructor Refresher**—Officer John McKee
- **High Impact Supervision**—Detective Robert Surtees
- **Law Enforcement Against Drugs Certification (LEADS)** — Detective Kymberly Gudgeon, and Officers Charles May and John D. Simonson
- **Emergency Worker Self Protection (Train the Trainer)**—Chief Michael DiBella and Detective Michael Eden
- **High Impact Supervision**—Officer John McKee

### **Roll-Call Training**

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Christopher Kenny** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Vincent Meehan** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Sergeant Ronald Buxton** of the patrol division.

2 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Acting Sergeant Robert Flynn** of the patrol division.

6 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Acting Sergeant Samuel Della Sala** of the patrol division.

2 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Acting Sergeant Dimitrios Tsarnas** of the patrol division.

1 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Christopher Cornelius** of the investigative division.

### **NJ Learn**

The following NJ Learn Courses were assigned to all Law Enforcement personnel:

Blood Borne Pathogens  
Blood Borne Pathogens Awareness

The following NJ Learn Courses were assigned to all Public Safety Telecommunicators:

Blood Borne Pathogens  
Blood Borne Pathogens Awareness

### **Field Training**

Probationary Officer Michael Baldasari completed his field training and is in his second month of solo patrol. He is doing an outstanding job with his patrol duties. Officer Baldasari is currently working on shift 3 Squad D. Lieutenant Meehan is his supervisor.

Officer Martin Julian completed his ninth month of solo patrol at the end of January 2017. Officer Martin Julian is assigned to shift 4 of Squad B. The supervisor of the Platoon is Lieutenant Christopher Kenny. Officer Julian is doing well and has no issues with his duties and responsibilities in patrol.

### **Firearms**

#### **Handgun Qualifications**

N/A

#### **Handgun Training**

N/A

#### **Shotgun Training**

N/A

#### **Rifle / Subgun Training**

N/A

### **Training Documentation**

The In-Service Training binder has been updated for the month of **January**.

The Field Training assignments were signed off on for the month of **January**.

### **Policy Review & Revision**

2 policies were reviewed.

1 policy was sent for final approval.

### OPRA Requests

11 OPRA requests were processed for the month of **January**.

### SWAT Coordination

- **2** Swat training sessions were attended during the month of **January**.
  - On **January 4, 2017**, Officers Charles May, Michael Verwey, & Anthony Sarno attended regularly scheduled SWAT training from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The training was held at Stafford Township Police Department. The training consisted of Use of Force and SWAT Policy review.
  - On **January 18, 2017**, Officers Charles May, Michael Verwey, & Anthony Sarno participated in regularly scheduled SWAT training from 2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. The training was held in Wall Township and consisted of low light active shooter and room clearing drills.
  
- **2** Swat callouts were answered during the month of **January**.
  - On **January 16, 2017**, the Ocean County Regional SWAT team was activated at 11:45 a.m. Officer Michael Verwey responded to Point Pleasant Beach in order to assist in a barricaded subject incident. The subject was taken into custody without incident.
  - On **January 19, 2017**, the Ocean County Regional SWAT team was activated at 3:00 a.m. Officers Charles May, Michael Verwey, & Anthony Sarno responded to Jackson Township in order to assist in the serving of multiple No-Knock Drug Warrants.

### **Internal Affairs Investigations**

0 internal affairs investigation(s) were initiated for the month of **January**.

Source

Citizen—**0**

Department Initiated—**0**

1 internal affairs investigation(s) currently open being investigated.

0 internal affairs investigation(s) disposed during month of January.