



LACEY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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

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August 2017 - Monthly Statistics

This agency handled **27398** calls-for-service between **January 1st 2017**, and **August 31st, 2017**.

The Lacey Township Police Department handled **3150** calls-for-service during the month of **August 2017**. The monthly summary regarding the **Police Department** activities for the month of **August 2017** is as follows:

Uniformed Patrol Division

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

Summary of Traffic Summonses

189 Summonses & **39** Written Warnings from **543** Motor Vehicle Stops.

- **9** DUI Arrests
- **12** Suspended License Summonses
- **10** Reckless Driving Summonses
- **4** Uninsured Vehicle Summonses
- **5** CDS in a Motor Vehicle Summonses

Traffic Accidents

63 Motor Vehicle Accidents Reported

- **15** injuries
 - **0** fatalities
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Drug Arrests

10 arrests were made by Patrol Division personnel for drug-related offenses during the month of **August**.

Warrant Arrests

44 arrests were made on court-issued warrants during the month of **August**.

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

Criminal and SC Complaints

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

Directed Enforcement Details

363 documented directed enforcement details were completed during the month of **August**.

Domestic Violence Incidents

34 Domestic violence calls were answered by patrol officers during the month of **August**

- 13 Incidents involved an application for a Temporary Restraining Order.
- 8 Incidents involved criminal charges.

First Aid Calls

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

PESS Matters

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

Training Assignments

- On August 2, 2017, Chief Michael DiBella, Lieutenant Paul Sullivan, Sergeants Ronald Buxton and Robert Flynn, Detective Samuel Della Sala, and Officers John Cernek, Robert Duffy, John McKee, Evan Androcy, Andrew Slota, Jason Lee, Patrick Watkins and Jesse Dalziel attended LE Response to individuals with special needs/mental health issues. This was mandatory training instructed by the Ocean County Prosecutors Office.

- On August 3, 2017, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny attended CERT Training from 1900 to 2300 hours
- On August 3, 2017, Officers Daniel Ricciardella and Brian Holt attended Radiological Safety Officer Training instructed by the Ocean County Office of Emergency Management from 0900 to 1400 hours.
- On August 10, 2017, ADMSEC Linda Cortese and CLRK2 Lynn Talarico attended OPRA/Cyber Hygiene Training in Trenton from 0700 to 1630 hours.
- On August 11, 2017, Sergeant Robert Flynn, Detective Keith Pearce and Officers Robert Duffy, Scott Anderson, John McKee, George Resetar, Elton Copes, Jesse Dalziel and Martin Julian attended Active Shooter Training at the Lacey Township High School. The instructors included Lt. Christopher Kenny, Detective Samuel Della Sala, Officers Charles May and Michael Verwey, with Sergeant Michael Eden serving as a safety instructor. The training went from 0800 to 1230 hours.
- **8** officers (Buxton, R. Flynn, Cernek, McKee, Androcy, A. Slota, Watkins, & Dalziel) attended LE Response to Individuals with Special Needs / Mental Health Issues on **Wednesday, August 2, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** The training was held at the Jackson Memorial High School and was hosted by Jackson Township Police.
- **12** officers (Platoon 1) attended School Active Shooter on **Friday, August 11, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** The training was held at Lacey Township High School and was hosted by Lacey Township Police Department.
- **2** officers (May & Resetar) attended GXP School Active Shooter training on **Wednesday, August 16, 2017 from 7:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** The training was held at Central Regional High School and was hosted by OCPO.

ABC Details

N/A

Special Details/Events

- On August 3, 2017, Officer Daniel Ricciardella attended The Lacey Township Explores Post meeting from 1900 to 2100 hours.
- On August 5, 2017, Officer John McKee worked a DDEF detail from 1600 to 2200 hours.
- On August 10, 2017, Sergeant Michael Eden attended an Oyster Creek Security meeting at 1000 hours at building Foxtrot.
- On August 10, 2017, Officer Charles May responded to a SWAT callout in Barnegat Township from 2000 to 0000 hours.

- On August 18, 2017, Officer Scott Anderson worked a DDEF detail from 2000 to 0100 hours.
- On August 19, 2017, Officer John McKee worked a DDEF detail from 2000 to 0100 hours.
- On August 19, 2017, Lieutenant Vincent Meehan and Officer Michael Verwey attended the Marles Award Ceremony held at the Lakewood Blueclaws. Officer Michael Verwey was presented with the top award for his hard work in the field of preventing Drunk Driving.
- On August 20, 2017 Officer Jesse Daziel worked a DDEF detail from 2000 to 0100 hours.
- On August 26, 2017, The Lacey Township Police provided coverage for the annual 5K race held at Gille Park.
- On August 26, 2017, Officer Scott Anderson worked a DDEF detail from 2000 to 0100 hours.
- On August 29, 2017, Chief Michael DiBella, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny, Sergeant Michael Eden, Officer Brian Holt and PST Fran Holmes attended the EOC/FEMA Graded practice drill held at police headquarters from 0800 to 1400 hours.
- On August 29, 2017, Officer Daniel Ricciardella attended the Distribution of KI pills from the Health Department at the Lacey Township High School from 1200 to 1600 hours.
- On **Tuesday, August 1, 2017**, the Lacey Township Police Department participated in the National Night Out event held at Gille Park from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
- On **Wednesday, August 16, 2017**, Lt. Kenny attended the GXP Active Shooter Demonstration from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The demonstration was held at Central Regional High School and hosted by OCPO.
- On **Tuesday, August 29, 2017**, Lt. Kenny participated in the 2017 Plume Phase Practice exercise from 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The exercise was held in the Lacey Township EOC and was hosted by OCOEM.

Investigative Division

The **Investigative Division** activities for the month of **August**

2017 are as follows:

Case Management

22 cases were assigned during the month of **August** and currently **4** of the **22** remain open.

3 cases were closed from previous months.

Off-hour Duty Calls

0 incidents required a Detective to respond during off hours during the month of **August**.

Grand Jury and Superior Court Appearances

2 cases required the appearance of a detective at Grand Jury during the month of **August**.

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

Drug Arrests

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

Criminal and SC Complaints

18 Criminal complaint summonses/warrants were signed by Detectives during the month of **August**.

Search Warrants

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

Background Investigations

Firearms - 27 firearms background investigations/permits were processed during the month of **August**.

Permit to Carry – 0 permits to carry applications were completed during the month of **August**.

Employment - 4 background investigations were conducted during the month of **August**.

Volunteer Fire/First Aid - 2 volunteer background investigations were processed during the month of **August**.

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

Megan's Law Registrations

2 registrants reported to police headquarters for their annual registration requirement. **1** registrant conducted a 90-day registration requirement. **2** new registrants were documented during the month as moving into Lacey Township. **1** registrants moved from our jurisdiction. **0** current registrant appointments were facilitated to update information. **0** registrants were removed from Megan's Law. Our jurisdiction currently has **31** Megan's Law Registrants.

Prescription Drop Box

117 pounds of medication were removed from the Prescription Drop Box on **5** occasions with **1** trip being made to Rahway to deliver **258** pounds of the medical items during the month of **August**.

Blue HART

2 adults sought assistance with addiction through the Blue HART Program in **August**. The enrollees originated from Lacey and Toms River.

Training Assignments

Detective Pearce attended a five-hour in-house block of instruction at the Lacey Township High School on August 11th. The training simulated conditions of a school shooter and provided officers with hands on training to eliminate the threat appropriately.

Confidential Funds

The confidential fund was utilized on **0** occasions during **August**. The on-hand balance is **\$1199.12** as of **August 31, 2017**.

Property & Evidence Function

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

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

0 Impounded Vehicles were entered into the property module during the month of **August**.

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

20 Articles of Evidence were transported to the Ocean County Sheriff's Department Criminal Investigation Unit in **5 trips** during the month of **August**.

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

2 Blood samples were turned over to the New Jersey State Police Lab during the month of **August**.

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

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

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

Administrative/Support Services Division

Records Bureau

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

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

\$387.32 was collected by the Records Bureau during the month of **August**.

Walk-ins **83** Mail/Discovery **44** Firearms **32** Solicitors **0**

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

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

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

36 Firearms Permits and **13** ID cards were prepared, finalized, and provided to residents during the month of **August**.

3 Firearms Permit Renewals were processed during the month of **August**.

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

Municipal Court Liaison

Court Security –A Class II Special Officer was assigned to court security for **40** hours on **5** separate occasions.

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 **40** hours on **5** separate court dates.

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

0 incidents required off-duty assistance during the month of *June*.

Discovery Recordings, IT Projects, Problems, etc.

- XCAD Geo Entries **0**
- XRMS Consolidations **10**
- XRMS Expungements **12**
- XMOBILE Report Building **0**
- Discovery Recordings copied/prepared **11**

SLEO Special Assignments

- Special Officer Campolei, Lenkauskus, and Edwards were assigned to the National Night Out on August 1, 2017.
- Class I Edwards was assigned to the "Gathering in the Pines" for traffic control on August 5 and August 6 2017 for 10 hours each day
- Special Officer Edwards was assigned to the Skate Park for 25 hours per week from Wed-Sun with the exception of the week of August 14, 2017
- Special Officer Campolei was assigned to regular church traffic each Sunday
- Special Officers Campolei and Edwards were assigned to the LTPD Active Shooter Training on August 9 and August 11, 2017
- Special Officer Edwards was assigned to the DPW paper shredding on August 12, 2017
- Special Officer Triano and Carhart were assigned to orientation on August 15, 2017 and August 16, 2017
- Special Officer Campolei and Carhart were assigned to the Play Day Place on August 19, 2017.
- Special Officer Carhart, Triano, Edwards and Campolei were assigned to the Lacey 5k on August 26, 2017
- Special Officer Edwards was assigned to the LTHI Health Event with the medicine drop box on August 29, 2017
- Special Officer Carhart and Triano were assigned to crossing guard training on August 31, 2017

Extra-Duty Employment Contractor Assignments

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

- Officer Sarno worked for JCPL on 8/1/2017 for 4 hours

- Officers Resetar and Julian worked for Gray Supply on 8/2/2017 for 10 hours
- Officer Hein worked for JCPL on 8/8/2017 for 7 hours
- Officer Holt worked for JCPL on 08/09/2017 for 5.5 hours
- Officer Cernek worked for JCPL on 08/10/2017 for 6 hours
- Detective May and Officer Tsarnas worked for Verizon on 08/19/2017 for a combined 29 hours
- Officers Sarno and Meyler worked for Verizon on 08/19/2017 for a combined 6 hours
- Lt. Kenny, Officer Slota, and Officer McKee worked for Brickwall on 08/26/2017 for a combined 24 hours
- Officers Julian, Slota, and McKee worked for Brickwall on 08/26/2017 for a combined 24 hours

Extra-Duty Non contractor

A combined 11 officers worked a combined 65.25 hours for National Night Out

Building Maintenance:

There were no issues to report.

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

- McKee worked DDEF for 6 hours on 8/5/2017
- Tsarnas worked DDEF for 6 hours on 8/06/2017
- Anderson worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/18/2017 for 5 hours
- McKee worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/19/2017 for 5 hours
- Delziel worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/20/2017 for 5 hours
- Hein worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/24/2017 for 5 hours
- Sarno and Keefe worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/25/2017 for a combined 10 hours
- Anderson worked Drive Sober Grant on 08/26/2017 for 5 hours

Training Assignments

Employee training during the month of July

Law Enforcement Response to individuals with special needs- Chief Michael DiBella, Lt. Paul Sullivan, Sgt. Ronald Buxton, Sgt. Robert Flynn, Det. Sam Della Sala, Ptl. John Cernek, Ptl. Robert Duffy, Ptl. Jeffrey Slota, Ptl. John McKee, Ptl. Evan Androcy, Ptl. Andrew Slota, Ptl. George Resetar, Ptl. Jason Lee, Ptl. Patrick Watkins, Ptl. Jesse Dalziel,

A Review of OPRA and Cyber Hygiene- Linda Cortese, Lynn Talarico

Work Zone Safety Awareness- Lt. Paul Sullivan, Ptl. George Resetar

Evidence.com- DLt. Chris Cornelius, Scott Frey

EOC Operations Course- Chief Michael DiBella, Lt. Christopher Kenny, Sgt. Michael Eden

EOC FEMA Practice Drill- Chief Michael DiBella, Lt. Christopher Kenny, Sgt. Michael Eden, Ptl. Dan Ricciardella, Ptl. Brian Holt, PST. F. Holmes

Roll-Call Training

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

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.

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

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

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

NJ Learn

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

Blood borne Pathogens

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

There have been no new courses assigned

Field Training

Probationary Officer Michael Baldasari is in his 9th Month of solo patrol. Lt. Vincent Meehan is Officer Baldasari's Platoon Supervisor.

- Officer Michael Baldasari is assigned to shift 3 of Squad D. The supervisor of the shift is Sgt. Robert Surtees
- No issues or concerns with have been documented by his immediate supervisor

PST Trainee Matthew Bender has been officially released off of the FTO program and is dispatching on his own.

PST Trainee M. Fusciello is in his 3rd month of training and is currently assigned to Shift 2. PST F. Holmes will be overseeing his progress. Lt. Sullivan will be overseeing M. Fusciello's performance throughout his training.

PST Trainee Brie Zonin started her 1st month of training and is assigned to Shift 1. PST. K. Lawler will be overseeing her progress. Lt. Sullivan will be keeping me apprised of B. Zonin's performance throughout her training.

Firearms

Handgun Qualifications

- Fall handgun qualifications are scheduled for the month of October

Handgun Training

- N/A

Shotgun Training

- Fall shotgun qualifications are scheduled for the month of October

Rifle / Subgun Training

- 3rd Quarter Rifle training/qualifications are scheduled in the month of September

Training Documentation

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

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

Policy Review & Revision

2 policies were reviewed.

2 policies were sent for final approval.

OPRA Requests

7 OPRA requests were processed for the month of **August**.

SWAT Coordination

- **1** SWAT training session was attended during the month of **August**.
 - On **Wednesday, August 30, 2017**, Officers May & Verwey attended regularly scheduled SWAT training from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The training was held at Jackson Township Firearms Range.

- **1** SWAT callout was answered during the month of **August**.
 - On **Thursday, August 10, 2017**, the Ocean County Regional SWAT team was activated at 8:00 p.m. Officers May, Sarno, & Verwey responded to Barnegat Township Police Department in reference to serving a No-Knock search warrant.

Internal Affairs Investigations

2 internal affairs investigation(s) were initiated for the month of **August**.

Source

Citizen— **1**

Department Initiated—**1**

2 internal affairs investigation(s) currently open being investigated in **August**.

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