

Daily Report 11/07/16

In the last 72 hours Annapolis Police officers responded to 330 calls for service and arrested 9 people.

Thefts from Vehicles – 201600004909 – 1800 block of Bay Ridge Av – 11/04 from 10:30am to 12:03pm: Two vehicles had their windows shattered and purses stolen from the front passenger seats of each of them.

Vehicle Theft – 201600004910 – Unit block of Hudson St – 11/04 at 1:46pm: A black 2008 Hyundai Azera four door sedan displaying MD reg. 45121CG was stolen from a parking lot.

Stabbing – 201600004929 – 1000 block of Martha Ct – 11/05 at 1am: Officers responded to Anne Arundel Medical Center for a report of a stabbing. The adult male victim had a laceration to his arm that occurred during a fight in the 1000 block of Martha Ct.

Vehicle Theft – 201600004923 – 700 block of Newtowne Dr – 11/04 from 7pm to 10:55pm: A white 2001 Volkswagen Golf four door sedan, MD reg. 3CG2865, was stolen from the parking lot.

Shooting – 201600004931 – 1000 block of Monroe St – 11/05 at 12:23pm: Officers responded to the area for a report of shots being fired. Officers located an adult male shooting victim. The victim was transported to the University of Maryland Shock Trauma Center with serious injuries. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Annapolis Police Department detectives at 410-260-3439. You can also call Metro Crime Stoppers at 1-877-7LOCKUP and submit an anonymous tip. If your tip leads to an arrest or indictment you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$2,000.

Vehicle Theft – 201600004939 – 500 block of Chesapeake Av – 10/29 at 5pm to 11/05 at 7pm: A blue 2014 Hyundai Elantra, VA reg. VMF9340, was reported stolen. It is possible the vehicle was moved due to roadwork in the area, but no record of a tow could be found.

Shooting – 201600004942 – Frederick Douglass St at Medgar Evers St – 11/05 at 10:34pm: Officers responded to the area for a report of a shooting. Officers working in the area located an adult male shooting victim in the 1100 block of Madison St. The victim was transported to an area hospital with non-life threatening injuries. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Annapolis Police Department detectives at 410-260-3439. You can also call Metro Crime Stoppers at 1-877-7LOCKUP and submit an anonymous tip. If your tip leads to an arrest or indictment you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$2,000.

Armed Robbery – 201600004952 – Bywater Rd at Annapolitan La – 11/06 at 7:45pm: The adult male victim was riding his bicycle in the area when he was approached by a male suspect who pushed him off his bicycle. Two other male suspects approached and struck the victim in the head. They pointed handguns at the victim and demanded money. The suspects took the

victim's wallet and fled the area on foot. The victim was treated for minor injuries at Anne Arundel Medical Center. The suspects were not located.

Attempted Theft from Vehicle – 201600004953 – Unit block of Melrob Ct –11/06 at 11:19pm: A resident reported seeing a man inside her vehicle. He fled the apparently unlocked vehicle when she confronted him.

Crime Alert – Burglaries and Thefts from Vehicles

Some neighborhoods in Annapolis have recently seen an increase in burglaries and thefts from vehicles. Neighborhoods with recent burglaries include Ambridge, Hunt Meadow, Timber Creek, August Woods, and Mariners Point. Many of the burglaries have involved forced entry to a locked door or window in the rear of the home. Many of these homes back to dark or wooded areas. Most of the thefts from vehicles have been from unlocked vehicles. Burglaries and thefts from vehicles remain below the level we saw in Annapolis last year. Please read the tips below to help us combat this increase.

We have plainclothes and uniformed officers in the areas most affected by the increases.

What to do before the burglar comes!

Not *if* he comes but *when* he comes. Because, he is coming. Down your street. And looking for easy targets. He's looking for easy targets because he's not a professional! He's an amateur. And so he *must* find easy targets! And he does.

- Make your home look (and sound) occupied
- Never leave garage doors open-especially with no car in sight
- Be a good neighbor-keep an eye on your neighbor's homes, get them to do the same for you
- Install good locks...and LOCK them!
- Secure your windows
- Turn on exterior lights or install motion activated lights
- Be aware when you are leaving your home, is anyone watching you?
- Change your locks at the drop of a threat!
- Don't open your door to anyone with no business inside
- Don't advertise your vacation plans!
- Tell the police you'll be away for an extended time, call 410-268-4141 and ask for a frequent check
- Join Operation Identification-Operation ID has effectively reduced burglary wherever it has been properly implemented*
- Have a security survey done at your home to help prevent ways of becoming a victim of a burglary*

*For more information on Operation ID or having a security survey conducted, please contact Corporal Amy Miguez at 410-268-9000 x 7261 or amiguez@annapolis.gov.

Report Suspicious Activity: We encourage citizens to call the police if you see suspicious activity in your neighborhood. Suspicious activity is activity that is unusual for your community, the time of day, or season. If you see someone walking through your neighborhood in the middle of the night, they might be up to no good, and we need to come out right away. Don't wait until the morning to call us because if you do, they will be long gone. Please talk to your neighbors about this topic so they can join us in preventing these crimes.

Report suspicious activity immediately by calling 9-1-1

For non-emergencies you can also reach us 24 hours a day at 410-268-4141

Residents can sign up to receive police department daily reports by going to www.annapolis.gov/police. Register to start receiving daily reports and other city news. There is also an interactive crime map on our website. You can use it to sign up for crime alerts based on a location.

Download our new mobile app, available for Apple and Android smart phones. This free app allows you to receive real-time alerts and immediate access to the latest police department news, crime maps, and social media accounts. Simply search "Annapolis Police Department" in the Apple App Store or Google Marketplace.

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Follow us on Twitter @AnnapolisPD

We are also on Nextdoor, sign up at Nextdoor.com

No Shave November

Annapolis officers are retiring their razors during the month of November to support those touched by cancer. Chief Michael Pristoop has authorized officers and employees to let their hair grow in a way not normally permitted by our regulations. Participants donated at least \$25 to METAvivor, an Annapolis based charity that is dedicated to the specific fight of women and men living with stage 4 metastatic breast cancer. Employees not growing beards and the public are also encouraged to donate money to this important cause. Anyone wishing to make a donation can do so directly to METAvivor through this link

<https://secure.metavivor.org/page/contribute/>.

Submitting Anonymous Tips to Metro Crime Stoppers of Maryland

Metro Crime Stoppers of Maryland is an organization separate from the Annapolis Police Department. When you text, phone in, or submit your Annapolis crime tip online Metro Crime Stoppers receives your tip anonymously and only forwards your tip information to the Annapolis Police Department. No identifying information is ever forwarded to us. Please be assured that only your tip is communicated from Metro Crime Stoppers to the police department, not any identifying information about you. Metro Crime Stoppers uses a special coding system to protect your identity, they do not use Caller ID or record telephone conversations. If your tip leads to the arrest or indictment of a person for a felony you could qualify for up to a \$2,000 cash reward from Metro Crime Stoppers. You can submit a tip by calling 1-866-7LOCKUP (1-866-756-2587), texting CRIMES (274637) or visiting www.metrocrimestoppers.org.

If Your Tip to the Hotline Leads to an Arrest and Indictment of the Individuals that Committed the Above Crimes, You may be Eligible for a Cash Reward of Up to \$2,000!!!

If you have information on the above crime contact:

Metro Crime Stoppers Hotline Toll Free 1-866-7LOCKUP.

You can also provide information confidentially online through

<http://www.metrocrimestoppers.org> or

by texting “MCS plus your message” to CRIMES (274637)

Calls are NOT Recorded AND Callers Remain Anonymous