

Troopers Attempt to Identify Robbery Suspect- Wilmington



Wilmington– The Delaware State Police are attempting to identify the suspect involved in a shoplifting turned robbery, which occurred at the CVS located at 1605 Telegraph Road, Wilmington.

On October 30, 2020, at approximately 11:29 a.m., an unknown white female suspect concealed multiple boxes of hair dye in her handbag. The store manager of CVS observed the theft and asked the suspect to remove the products. The suspect then removed a box cutter from her purse and pointed at the store manager. The suspect fled the store on foot northbound on Telegraph Road.

The suspect is described as a white female approximately 25-30 years-old, 5'4"-5'5" tall, and wearing a camouflage hooded sweatshirt.

Anyone with information regarding this incident or suspect should contact Cpl. Andrew Johnson with the Delaware State Police Troop 6 by calling 302-660-3828.

Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>

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**Homeless Sex Offender
Notification- Dover**



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THOMAS FRANCKS



Risk Level	Tier 3 (High Risk)	Police Agency	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Verified On	October 27, 2023	Phone:	(302) 699-2341
Registered Since	December 17, 2009	Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover, DE 19903
In Prison	No		
Convicted Out of State	No		
Repeat Offender	No		

Date of Birth	January 16, 1970 (age 50)	Height	6' 1"
Gender	Male	Weight	175 LBS
Race	WHITE	Hair Color	BROWN
Skin Tone	MEDIUM	Eye Color	Hazel

Aliases	Scars, Marks, & Tattoos	
THOMAS FRANCKS	TAT ABDOM	
TOMMY FRANCKS	TAT L ARM	
PAUL FRANCKS	TAT R ARM	
TOM FRANCKS	TAT UL ARM	
	TAT CHEST	
	TAT LF ARM	
	TAT NECK	
	TAT UL ARM	Tattoo Arm, Left Upper
	TAT BACK	Tattoo Back Nonspecific

Addresses	Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home		ACE CTRL ROYAL FARMS, SHEPHERD GEORGETOWN, DE 19947	Sussex	Homeless
Work		(no address on file)	Other	Unemployed
School		(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

Vehicles
(no vehicles on file)



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ROBERT SCOTT



Risk Level	Tier 3 (High Risk)	Police Agency	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Verified On	October 26, 2023	Phone:	(302) 699-2341
Registered Since	April 19, 2001	Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover, DE 19903
In Prison	No		
Convicted Out of State	No		
Repeat Offender	No		

Date of Birth	October 30, 1985 (age 35)	Height	5' 9"
Gender	Male	Weight	244 LBS
Race	Black/African American	Hair Color	BLACK
Skin Tone	MEDIUM BROWN	Eye Color	Brown

Aliases	Scars, Marks, & Tattoos
ROBERT A SCOTT TONY SCOTT	(no scars, marks, or tattoos on file)

Addresses	Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home		PROBATION, QUEEN ST, COURT ST, DOVER, DE 19901	Kent	Homeless
Work		(no address on file)	Other	Unemployed
School		(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

Vehicles
(no vehicles on file)

Convictions	Adjudication Date	State	Statute	Description	Victim Age
	January 31, 2001	DE	DE-11-6772-80a1-F-B	RAPE SECOND DEGREE WITHOUT CONSENT	1-11yr
	January 31, 2001	DE	DE-11-6772-80a1-F-B	RAPE SECOND DEGREE WITHOUT CONSENT	1-11yr
	January 31, 2001	DE	DE-11-6772-80a1-F-B	RAPE SECOND DEGREE WITHOUT CONSENT	1-11yr
	January 31, 2001	DE	DE-11-6772-80a1-F-B	RAPE SECOND DEGREE WITHOUT CONSENT	1-11yr
	January 31, 2001	DE	DE-11-6772-80a1-F-B	RAPE SECOND DEGREE WITHOUT CONSENT	1-11yr



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WILLIAM H HIGNUTT



Risk Level	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)	Police Agency	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Verified On	October 26, 2020	Phone:	(302) 699-2341
Registered Since	October 20, 2009	Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover, DE 19903
In Prison	No		
Convicted Out of State	No		
Repeat Offender	No		

Date of Birth	May 04, 1992 (age 28)	Height	5' 7"
Gender	Male	Weight	198 LBS
Race	WHITE	Hair Color	BLOOD OR STRAWBERRY
Skin Tone	FAIR	Eye Color	Hazel

Aliases	Scars, Marks, & Tattoos
WILLIAM E HIGNUTT WILLIAM HIGNUTT WILIAM H HIGNUTT WILLIAM HIGNUTT WILLIAM HIGNUTT WILLIAM E HIGNUTT JR	(no scars, marks, or tattoos on file)

Addresses	Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home		DOVER DONNEL MALL, LIBRARY, 83 DOVER, DE 19904	Kent	Homeless
Work		333 S Governors AVE DOVER, DE 19901	Kent	ACCESS LABOR
School		(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

Vehicles
(no vehicles on file)

Convictions	Adjudication Date	State	Statute	Description	Victim Age
	September 14, 2009	DE	DE-11-8760-0000-F-G	UNLAWFUL SEXUAL CONTACT SECOND DEGREE 1-11yr HAVE SEXUAL CONTACT	



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ARTHUR BAUGH



Risk Level	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)	Police Agency	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Verified On	October 26, 2020	Phone:	(302) 699-2341
Registered Since	December 5, 1987	Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover, DE 19903
In Prison	No		
Convicted Out of State	No		
Repeat Offender	No		

Date of Birth	December 05, 1977 (age 42)	Height	5' 10"
Gender	Male	Weight	160 LBS
Race	Black/African American	Hair Color	BLACK
Skin Tone	DARK BROWN	Eye Color	Brown

Aliases	Scars, Marks, & Tattoos
ARTHUR C BAUGH JR CRAG JAMES JONES DONNELL JAMES CRAG ARTHUR C BAUGH JR ARTHUR B CJ JAMES C ARTHOR ARTHUR B CHANCES ARTHUR B ARTHUR CJ A BAUGH ARTHUR J CRAIG CHANCES A BAUGH ARTHUR A BAUGHJR	(no scars, marks, or tattoos on file)

Addresses	Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home		W DENMEYS, SAUSBURY RD, LOOK DOVER, DE 19901	Kent	Homeless
Work		665 S Center RD SMYRNA, DE 19977	Kent	EXPRESS PROFESSIONALS
School		(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

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CARLTON L HARDING



Risk Level	Tier 3 (High Risk)	Police Agency	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Verified On	October 23, 2020	Phone:	(302) 699-2341
Registered Since	March 5, 2020	Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover, DE 19903
In Prison	No		
Convicted Out of State	No		
Repeat Offender	No		

Date of Birth	January 27, 1984 (age 36)	Height	6' 0"
Gender	Male	Weight	210 LBS
Race	Black/African American	Hair Color	BLACK
Skin Tone	DARK	Eye Color	Brown

Aliases	Scars, Marks, & Tattoos
(no aliases on file)	SC R EYE DA ALCOHOL MC DRUGAB DA MARIJUA MC BEHAVIO TD ADEPRES MC NERVOUS SC L ANKL

Addresses	Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home		CAPITAL GREEN STATE ST, DOWE DOVER, DE 19901	Kent	Homeless
Work		(no address on file)	Other	Unemployed
School		(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

Vehicles
(no vehicles on file)

Dover- The following subjects are not wanted. This is a

Homeless Sex Offender Public Notification. If you have information that the listed subjects are occupying a residence, please call 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by calling Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333, via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>.
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Delaware State Police Investigating Fatal Motor Vehicle Collision- Millsboro

Millsboro- Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal motor vehicle collision that occurred on Wednesday, October

28, 2020, at approximately 1:54 p.m. on John J. Williams Highway and Layton Davis Road.

A 2006 Ford F250 pickup truck operated by a 57-year-old male of Millsboro was exiting the parking lot of WMF Watercraft & Marine located at the intersection of John J. Williams Highway and Layton Davis Road. A 2013 Buick Verano operated by a 64-year-old male of Millsboro was traveling eastbound on John J. Williams Highway approaching the intersection. The Ford pulled out from the parking lot, intending to travel west on John J. Williams Highway, directly into the path of the Buick, resulting in the left front of the Ford striking the right front of the Buick.

A 67-year-old female of Millsboro was seated in the Buick's front passenger seat was transported to an area hospital in serious condition. On October 29, 2020, she succumbed to her injuries. Identification is pending notification to next to kin.

This crash remains under investigation by Delaware State Police Troop 7 Crash Reconstruction Unit. Anyone with information regarding the collision should contact Detective K. Argo by calling 302-644-5020. Information may also be provided by calling Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>.

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Heather Pepper

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Troopers Arrest Selbyville

Man for Pointing a Firearm at Subjects- Selbyville

Selbyville- Delaware State Police arrested 22-year-old **Demetrius Jenkins** of Selbyville on aggravated menacing charges following an incident on Wednesday afternoon.

On October 28, 2020, at approximately 1:38 p.m., Delaware State Police responded to Lincoln Street for a report of a subject displaying a rifle style firearm at four subjects on the property. The investigation determined a 20-year-old female was seated in the driver seat of her vehicle parked in the driveway of a residence on Lincoln Street when a white Audi pulled up to her driver's side window. The vehicle operator, later identified as Demetrius Jenkins, asked the female if a family member of hers was at the residence. As she informed Jenkins, the family member was not home; a second vehicle pulled into the driveway on the other side of Jenkin's vehicle. The vehicle, which was occupied by a 38-year-old female, 20 -year-old female, and a 35-year-old male, continued speaking with Jenkins when he pulled out what appeared to be a black AR-15 style rifle and pointed it at each subject while asking them if they threw a rock at his vehicle. Jenkins fled the scene after the incident.

Jenkins was taken into custody on October 29, 2020, and charged with the following crimes:

- Four counts- Aggravated Menacing (Felony)

Jenkins was arraigned in the Justice of the Peace Court #3 and committed to Sussex Correctional Institution on a \$10,000.00 secured bond.

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Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1-800-842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@state.de.us.

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Delaware State Police

Arrested Millsboro Woman on Burglary Charges- Harrington

Harrington- Delaware State Police arrested 32-year-old **Ashley L. Smith** of Millsboro on burglary and related charges.

On October 29, 2020, at approximately 3:08 p.m., Delaware State Police responded to a residence on Whiteleysburg Road for a reported burglary. The investigation determined Ashley L. Smith responded to the residence to confront an acquaintance. When she arrived at the home, Smith observed the acquaintance vehicle parked in the driveway. Smith exited her car and kicked in the door to the residence, attempting to locate the acquaintance. When she could not find anyone inside the home, she fled the scene. Troopers contacted Smith by telephone, and she turned herself into Delaware State Police Troop 4.

Smith was charged with the following crimes:

- Burglary 1st Degree (Felony)
- Criminal Mischief Under \$1,000 Damage

She was arraigned in the Justice of the Peace Court #11 and released on her Own Recognizance.

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**Seaford Man Arrested by
Troopers After Striking
Acquaintance with His**

Vehicle- Bridgeville

Bridgeville- Delaware State Police arrested 19-year-old **Stephen J. Disilvestri** of Seaford following an incident Wednesday, where he struck an acquaintance with his vehicle.

On October 28, 2020, at approximately 2:10 p.m., troopers responded to Sunnyside Road for a reported assault. The investigation determined Disilvestri drove his yellow Ford Mustang to the residence to confront a 19-year-old male acquaintance. Once he arrived at the location, Disilvestri located the acquaintance standing outside as he drove his vehicle onto a concrete lot located past the resident's driveway. Disilvestri threatened to cause bodily harm to the male, and when the acquaintance refused to come over to him, he drove the Mustang from the concrete lot into the yard of the residence and directly into the path of the acquaintance, causing him to jump on the hood of the vehicle to avoid being struck. Disilvestri then backed up onto the grass and sped forward as he performed a burnout in the yard. He then turned the car around to face the acquaintance and drove forward. This time the vehicle hit the acquaintance foot, causing him to flip and land over the vehicle before falling to the rear of the Mustang on the ground. Disilvestri then proceeded to back up in the driveway before driving toward the subject again. As the acquaintance jumped, he fell on the front windshield, causing it to crack. He then pushed himself off of the car, ran to the garage, and grabbed a crowbar. When Disilvestri drove toward him again, the acquaintance threw the crowbar at the Mustang's windshield, at which time the vehicle's front bumper struck the acquaintance legs before it stopped. The acquaintance retrieved the crowbar, and Disilvestri left the property after a verbal altercation between the subjects. The victim did not require medical treatment.

Disilvestri was contacted by the trooper and taken into

custody without incident, and transported to Troop 5, where he was charged with the following crimes:

- Possession of a Deadly Weapon During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)
- Reckless Endangering 1st Degree (Felony)
- Terroristic Threatening
- Vehicular Assault 2nd Degree
- Criminal Mischief Under \$1,000 Damage
- Criminal Trespass 3rd Degree

Disilvestri was arraigned in the Justice of the Peace Court #3 and released on his Own Recognizance.

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Troopers Arrest Two Individuals on Attempted Burglary and Related Charges-Frankford

Frankford- Delaware State Police arrested 22-year-old **William D. Mansfield** of Dagsboro and a 17-year-old male of Dagsboro for attempted burglary and related charges Wednesday evening.

On October 28, 2020, at approximately 5:45 p.m., Delaware State Police responded to a residence on Stump Road for an attempted burglary. Through the investigation, troopers discovered two individuals walking on Stump Road observed Mansfield and the 17-year-old male attempting to break into a residence. As the defendants observed the individuals approaching, they fled the area in a gold-colored Saturn. A valid tag number was obtained, and troopers responded to Mansfield residence, where he was taken into custody without incident. The 17-year-old was contacted at his residence and taken into custody without incident. Both were transported to Troop 4.

The 17-year-old male was charged with the following crimes:

- Attempted Burglary 2nd Degree (Felony)
- Conspiracy 2nd Degree (Felony)
- Criminal Mischief Under \$1,000 Damage

He was arraigned in the Justice of the Peace Court #3 and released on his Own Recognizance.



Mansfield was charged with the following crimes:

- Attempted Burglary 2nd Degree (Felony)
- Conspiracy 2nd Degree (Felony)
- Criminal Mischief Under \$1,000 Damage

Mansfield was arraigned in the Justice of the Peace Court #3 and released on a \$3,100.00 unsecured bond.

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Delaware State Police Arrest Two Individuals on Drug

Charges Following Traffic Stop- Rehoboth Beach

Rehoboth Beach- Delaware State Police arrested 31-year-old **Christopher Boone** of Lincoln and 32-year-old **Lauren L. Wingate** of Millsboro on drug and related charges following a traffic stop Tuesday.

On October 27, 2020, at approximately 3:45 p.m., a trooper on patrol in the area of 19000 Coastal Highway observed a silver Nissan Sentra traveling on the roadway with a large crack in the center of the windshield. The Sentra turned into the Rodeway Inn parking lot, and a traffic stop was initiated on the vehicle. Contact was made with the driver, later identified as Christopher Boone, and the passenger, later identified as Lauren L. Wingate. During the interaction with Boone and Wingate, the trooper identified their abnormal behavior to be consistent with criminal activity, and a criminal investigation ensued. Located in Boone's possession were drug paraphernalia and approximately .203 grams of heroin. Located in Wingate's possession were drug paraphernalia and approximately .07 grams of heroin.

A computer search revealed Boone had two active capiases out of Sussex County Superior Court for Violation of Probation.



Boone was taken into custody without incident and transported to Troop 7, where he was charged with the following crimes:

- Possession with Intent to Deliver Controlled Substance (Felony)
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
- Driving While Suspended
- Failure to Have Insurance Identification in Possession
- Failure to Have Registration Identification in Possession
- Driver Must Properly Wear Seatbelt (Civil Violation)
- Safety Glass Violation

Boone was arraigned in Justice of the Peace Court #3 and was issued a \$10,550.00 unsecured bond. He was committed to Sussex

Correctional Institution for Violation of Probation.



Wingate was taken into custody and transported to Troop 7, where she was charged with the following crimes:

- Tampering with Physical Evidence (Felony)
- Possession of a Controlled Substance
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

Wingate was arraigned in Justice of the Peace Court #3 and released on her Own Recognizance.

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***Update* Delaware State Police Investigating Fatal Crash Route 273 at South Harmony Road- Newark**

Newark– Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal motor vehicle crash involving a trash truck that occurred at approximately 6:13 a.m., this morning Tuesday, October 27, 2020, on Route 273.

The initial investigation has determined a 2001 Mack 600 trash truck was traveling westbound on Route 273 in the right lane, when it became disabled west of South Harmony Road due to a ruptured fuel line. A 2000 Infiniti I30 operated by a 30 year-old male from Newark, was traveling in the right lane of westbound Route 273 and failed to perceive the stopped trash truck in the roadway. The front of the Infiniti struck the

rear of the trash truck.

The operator of the Infiniti who was not properly restrained was transported to Christiana Hospital where he was pronounced deceased. His name is being withheld at this time pending the notification of next of kin.

The operator of the trash truck, a 33 year-old male from Wilmington, DE, was not injured as a result of the crash.

Route 273 westbound was completely shut down for approximately 3.5 hours while the crash was investigated and cleared. Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control (DNREC) also responded and cleaned up spilled diesel fuel.

The investigation is ongoing, and anyone with information regarding the crash should contact Det. Calio of the Troop 2 Collision Reconstruction Unit by calling 302-365-8483.

Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>

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Presented by Public Information Officer, Corporal/1 Jason Hatchell

Released: 102720 1345

***Traffic Advisory* Delaware State Police Investigating Fatal Crash Route 273 at South Harmony Road- Newark**

Newark – Delaware State Police are on the scene of a fatal motor vehicle crash involving a trash truck that occurred at approximately 6:13 a.m., Tuesday, October 27, 2020, on Route 273 in the area of South Harmony Road.

As a result of the crash, all lanes of westbound Route 273 are closed. Motorists are advised to avoid the area and seek alternate routes of travel. The road closure is anticipated to be lengthy, with no estimated time for a re-opening.

For updated road closure information and traffic conditions log on to:

http://www.deldot.gov/Traffic/travel_advisory/index.shtml#advisories

The investigation is in the early stages with further details being released as they become available.

Presented by Public Information Officer, Corporal/1 Jason

Hatchell

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