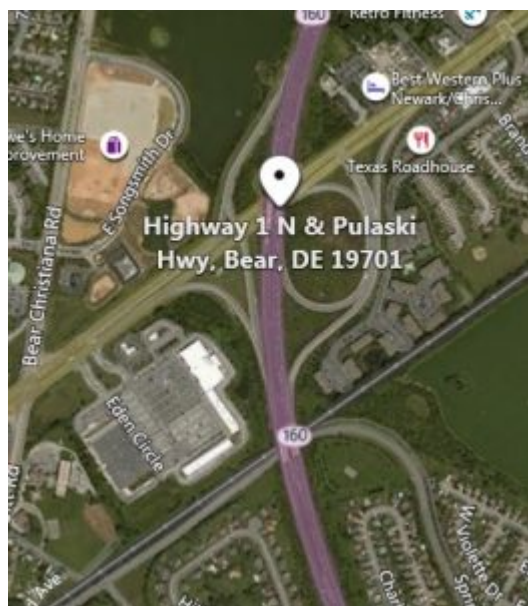


***Traffic Advisory* SR 1 Closed Both Directions due to Fatal Crash Involving Tractor Trailer – Bear**



Bear – The Delaware State Police are on scene of a fatal motor vehicle crash involving a tractor trailer that occurred at approximately 1:24 a.m., Friday, November 30, 2018 on State Route 1 northbound, approximately 1 mile south of U.S. 40 (Pulaski Hwy.).

As a result all lanes of SR 1, both northbound and southbound are closed. Northbound traffic is being diverted and forced to stay on U.S. 13 towards Tybouts Corner. South bound traffic is being forced to exit on to U.S. 40.

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

For updated traffic conditions and road closure information log on to:
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UPDATE-Traffic Advisory
Troopers Investigating Crash
Involving School Bus – I-95
Northbound at I-295



Wilmington – The Delaware State Police are continuing to investigate a crash involving a school bus that occurred at approximately 3:26 p.m., Thursday, November 29, 2018 on I-95 northbound just south of the of I-295 interchange.

The initial investigation has determined that the crash involves a total of four vehicles, one of which was a school bus that was transporting students from Delcastle Technical High School.

A total of thirteen students on board the bus and two adults from the other vehicles involved were transported to area hospitals with minor injuries.

Motorists will experience delays in the area and are advised to seek alternate routes of travel.

Further details regarding the crash will be released as they become available.

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***Traffic Advisory* Troopers Investigating Crash Involving School Bus – I-95 Northbound at I-295**



Wilmington – The Delaware State Police are currently on scene of a crash involving a school bus that occurred at approximately 3:26 p.m., Thursday, November 29, 2018 on I-95

northbound in the area of I-295.

Motorists will experience delays in the area and are advised to seek alternate routes of travel.

Further details regarding the crash will be released as they become available.

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***TRAFFIC ADVISORY* Troopers Investigating Crash Involving School Bus-Harbeson**

Harbeson – The Delaware State Police are currently on scene investigating a crash involving a school bus.

The incident occurred on Thursday, November 29, 2018 at approximately 3:11 p.m. on Harbeson Road north of Johnson Road. The roadway is closed at this time between Hurtle Ditch Road and Hollyville Road.

Motorist should expect delays in this area and are advised to seek alternate routes of travel.

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Troopers Apprehend New Jersey Fugitive Wanted in Connection with 2013 Murder

New Castle – The Delaware State Police have arrested Norman Kacewich, 30, formerly of Fairfield Township, New Jersey on an out of state fugitive warrant, in reference to a 2013 New Jersey State Police murder investigation.

On Wednesday, November 28, 2018 at approximately 9:26 p.m., Troopers responded to the Delaware Auto Court, located at 235 S. DuPont Hwy., after receiving information that a subject wanted in connection with a New Jersey murder investigation was staying at the motel. Troopers were able to secure the perimeter of the property while attempting to determine the validity of the information as well as identifying the specific location of the suspect. Through a variety of investigative measures a male subject, who would later be positively identified as Kacewich, was located in one of the rooms and taken in to custody without incident. . Kacewich initially provided a false name however during the course of a subsequent interview he admitted to being the wanted subject.

After confirming Kacewich' s identity Troopers were able to confirm that he was wanted out of the Cumberland County (N.J.) Prosecutor's Office for one count each of Desecration of Human Remains and Hindering Prosecution. The charges stem from Kacewich's role in helping to bury the body of a murder victim.

Kacewich was arraigned on an Out of State Fugitive warrant and then committed to the Howard R. Young Correctional Institution, pending extradition back to New Jersey.

Initial New Jersey State Police Investigation News Release:
<https://www.njsp.org/news/pr101013.html>

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Troopers Seek Public's Assistance in Locating Wanted

Suspect

Frankford– The Delaware State Police are asking for the public's assistance in locating the pictured suspect who is wanted in connection with multiple burglaries to the Frankford United Methodist Church.

The incidents occurred between November 8 and 19, 2018, when a series of burglaries to the church was reported to Troopers. It was discovered that a suspect had forced entry into the church on three separate occasions and had either consumed or removed food from inside.

Through investigative measures, Troopers identified the suspect as 32-year-old **Quinton J. Gordon** of Selbyville.

Troopers have been unable to locate Gordon who currently has active warrants out of Troop 4 for Burglary, Theft, Criminal Mischief charges, and an unrelated Harassment charge. Gordon is known to frequent the Frankford area.

If anyone has information on the whereabouts of Gordon, they are asked to please contact Troop 4, at 302-856-5850. 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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Troopers Seek Public's Assistance in Locating Wanted Suspect

Delmar- The Delaware State Police are asking for the public's assistance in locating the pictured suspect who is wanted in connection with burglary and theft of motor vehicle charges.

The incidents occurred on November 21, 2018 when Troopers responded to the 8300 block of Woodland Ferry Road for a report of a suspicious vehicle complaint. It was discovered that a subject had entered on the property and removed a disabled van by towing it with their vehicle. A similar incident was also reported on the same date at a residence in the 36000 block of Susan Beach Road. The suspect entered on the property and removed a disabled vehicle. It was discovered that the suspect claimed to be the owner of the vehicles and sold them to scrap yards.

Through investigative measures, the suspect was identified as 43-year-old, **Ronald T. Hastings** of Laurel.

Hastings currently has active warrants out of Troop 5 for Burglary (2 counts), Theft of a Motor Vehicle (2 counts), and

multiple related charges. Troopers have been unable to locate him and he may be operating a 1999 Red Ford F150, DE registration C66841.

If anyone has information on the whereabouts of Hastings, they are asked to please contact Troop 5, at 302-337-8253. 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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Troopers Arrest Wilmington Man for 4th Offense DUI and Weapons Offenses after Vehicle Crash

Wilmington (19804) – The Delaware State Police have charged Jason W. Carroll, 31 of Wilmington with multiple weapons and traffic related offenses after he was involved in a collision while under the influence of alcohol.

At approximately 10:24 p.m., on Friday, November 23, 2018 Troopers responded to Centerville Rd. in the area of Boxwood Rd., for the report of a three vehicle crash. The investigation determined that a 2012 Ford F-350 pick-up truck operated by Carroll had rear ended a 2008 Dodge Nitro, which was then forced into a 2001 Honda Odyssey. Upon making contact with Carroll, Troopers could smell an odor of alcohol at which time they initiated a DUI investigation. The subsequent investigation determined that Carroll was under the influence of alcohol at the time of the collision and that he has three prior convictions for DUI. A search of the passenger compartment of Carroll's pick-up truck produced a 7.62 Norinco Samozaryadny Karabin (SKS) rifle along with 2 fully loaded 30 round magazines.

Carroll was taken in to custody without incident and then transported to Troop 6 where he was charged with the following offenses:

- DUI 4th Offense
- Possession of a Firearm or Ammunition by a Person Prohibited (2 counts)
- Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon
- Possession of a Firearm While Under the Influence

- Inattentive Driving
- No Proof of Insurance
- No Proof of Registration

He was then arraigned in Justice of the Peace Court #2 and released after posting \$3000.00 secured bond.

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Troopers Investigating Fatal Crash – Camden-Wyoming



Camden – The Delaware State Police Troop 3 Collision Reconstruction Unit is continuing to investigate a single vehicle crash that occurred early Saturday morning which has claimed the life of a Hartly man.

The incident occurred at approximately 12:57 a.m., Saturday, November 24, 2018 on Willow Grove Rd. just west of Steeles Ridge Rd., Camden-Wyoming. A 2002 Chevy Trailblazer operated by William E. Clough, 35, of Hartly was traveling westbound on Willow Grove Rd., at an apparent high rate of speed, when he lost control on a curve at which time the vehicle began spinning. The Chevy continued to spin and traveled off the north side of the road before overturning, causing Clough to be ejected from the vehicle.

Clough was transported to Kent General Hospital with life threatening injuries but ultimately succumbed to those injuries and was pronounced deceased on Sunday, November 25.

Clough was not seat belted at the time of the crash, speed and impairment are being considered as contributing factors.

Willow Grove Rd. was closed for approximately 3 hours while the scene was investigated and cleared.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800

VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@delaware.gov.

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Troopers Arrest Frederica Man after a Stolen Pit Bull Mauled a 4-Year-Old Boy – Frederica

Frederica, Delaware – Delaware State Troopers responded to a report of a dog attack yesterday afternoon in Frederica.

On Sunday, November 25, 2018 at approximately 12:36 p.m., troopers responded to the 100 block of Fifth Street, Frederica for a dog attack of a four year old boy. It was reported the suspect, Roger O. Scarborough trespassed onto a yard on Jackson Street, Frederica and stole a Pit Bull dog. Scarborough then fled with the dog, restrained only by a bungee cord, to Fifth Street where a four year boy was on his bicycle near his residence. It was at this point the dog viciously attacked the little boy while he played near his residence. The mother of the boy and a friend struggled to free the boy from the dog and were able to get the pit-bull off of the child, but only after sustaining serious injuries themselves.

The four year old boy was transported to the Kent General Hospital where it was determined that he had a lacerations to his right shoulder, face, back of his neck, and scalp. Due to his injuries he was transported to the Nemours/Alfred I. DuPont Hospital for Children where his is currently listed in stable condition.

The boy's mother, 39 of Frederica, was transported to the Kent General Hospital. She was treated for two open fractures to her left hand, along with a puncture wound to her right leg.

The friend, 35 of Frederica, was transported to the Kent General Hospital where he was treated for several lacerations to his right hand.

Roger O. Scarborough, 62 of Frederica, was taken into custody by responding troopers and transported to Troop 3, Camden, Delaware. Scarborough was charged with Reckless Endanger 1st Degree – Creates a Substantial Risk of Death to Another, two counts of Reckless Endangering 2nd Degree, Criminal Trespass 3rd Degree, and Theft. Roger O. Scarborough was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 7 and was committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution in default of \$6,500.00 secured bond.

The Pit Bull dog was turned over to the Delaware Office of Animal Welfare to be quarantined and the owner has to provide proof the dog was vaccinated against rabies. This incident remains under investigation.

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