Homeless Sex Offender Notification

Dover— The following are not wanted. These are Homeless Sex Offender Public Notifications. If you have information that any of 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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Troopers Investigating Gas Station Robbery – Wilmington



Wilmington (19808) – The Delaware State Police are investigating the attempted armed robbery of a Shell gas station, that took place early Friday morning.

The incident occurred at approximately 12:35 a.m., Friday, August 10, 2018 at the Shell gas station, located at 4598 Kirkwood Hwy., Wilmington. Two suspects, one of which was armed with a rifle, approached the clerk at the sales counter and demanded money. A brief struggle ensued between the clerk and the armed suspect, after which both suspects fled the business without obtaining any money or property. As a result of the struggle the clerk was knocked to the ground and also sustained a minor laceration to his hand.

The suspects were described as follows:

Suspect #1: White male, 5’8”-5’9”, average build, wearing all dark clothing, with a dark fabric covering his face.

Suspect #2: Unknown male, wearing all dark clothing, a dark fabric covering his face and in possession of a dark colored rifle.

No surveillance images are available at this time.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding the incident is asked to contact the Troop 2 Robbery Unit at 302-365-8566.

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Troopers Arrest Juvenile on Drug Charges-Bridgeville

Bridgeville— The Delaware State Police have arrested a juvenile on multiple drug charges and a second suspect remains at large.

On Thursday, August 9, 2018 at approximately 4:30 p.m., Troopers were informed of a criminal mischief complaint, in which the victim reported that her rear passenger door to her vehicle sustained a dent from being kicked by her cousin after the two engaged in a verbal argument.

Troopers later responded to the 21000 block of Mill Park Drive, in an attempt to locate the suspect, 17-year-old **De'Andre Barham** of Selbyville. As Troopers approached the residence, they saw a white in color Chrysler 300 parked in the driveway, occupied by two subjects. Contact was made with the driver, De'Andre Barham, and an odor of marijuana was detected. Troopers had Barham and his passenger, 16-year-old **Marcus J. Massey Jr**. of Bridgeville, exit the vehicle.

Troopers discovered that Barham was in possession of crack cocaine (approximately .052 grams), at which time Barham began fleeing on foot. Massey remained at the scene, and a search of the vehicle was conducted. The following was located inside the vehicle:

- Approximately 6.33 grams of marijuana
- Over $450.00 in suspected drug proceeds
- 771 bags of heroin (approximately 5.397 grams)
- Oxycodone 30mg pills (2)

Marcus J. Massey was transported back to Troop 5 where he was charged with the following:

- Possession of a controlled substance in a Tier 5 quantity
- Possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance in a Tier 4 quantity
- Conspiracy Second Degree
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
- Possession/Consume Marijuana Under 18
- Possession of a substance without a prescription

Massey was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 3 and released to a guardian on $102,800.00 unsecured bond.

De'Andre Barham has not been located and currently has active warrants out of Troop 5 for the following charges:

- Possession of a controlled substance in a Tier 5 quantity
- Possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance in a Tier 4 quantity
- Possesses with intent to deliver a controlled substance (crack cocaine)
- Conspiracy Second Degree
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
- Possession/Consume Marijuana Under 18
- Possession of a substance without a prescription
- Resisting Arrest
- Criminal Mischief

If anyone has information in reference to the whereabouts of De'Andre Barham, they are asked to please contact Troop 5, Corporal Ward 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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Public's Assistance Requested Troopers Investigating Pedestrian Crash – Stanton

Stanton – The Delaware State Police Collision Reconstruction Unit is continuing to investigate a crash involving a pedestrian that occurred at approximately 9:39 p.m., Tuesday,

August 7, 2018, on DE Rt. 4 eastbound, east of Chestnut St., Stanton.

The pedestrian has been identified as Jose Angel, 39, of Wilmington, however investigators have been unable to locate or contact any family or friends of Jose in order to make proper notification.

Anyone who has an association with Jose or who may be able to provide information is asked to contact Cpl. J. Breen of the Troop 2 Collision Reconstruction Unit by calling 302-365-8486.

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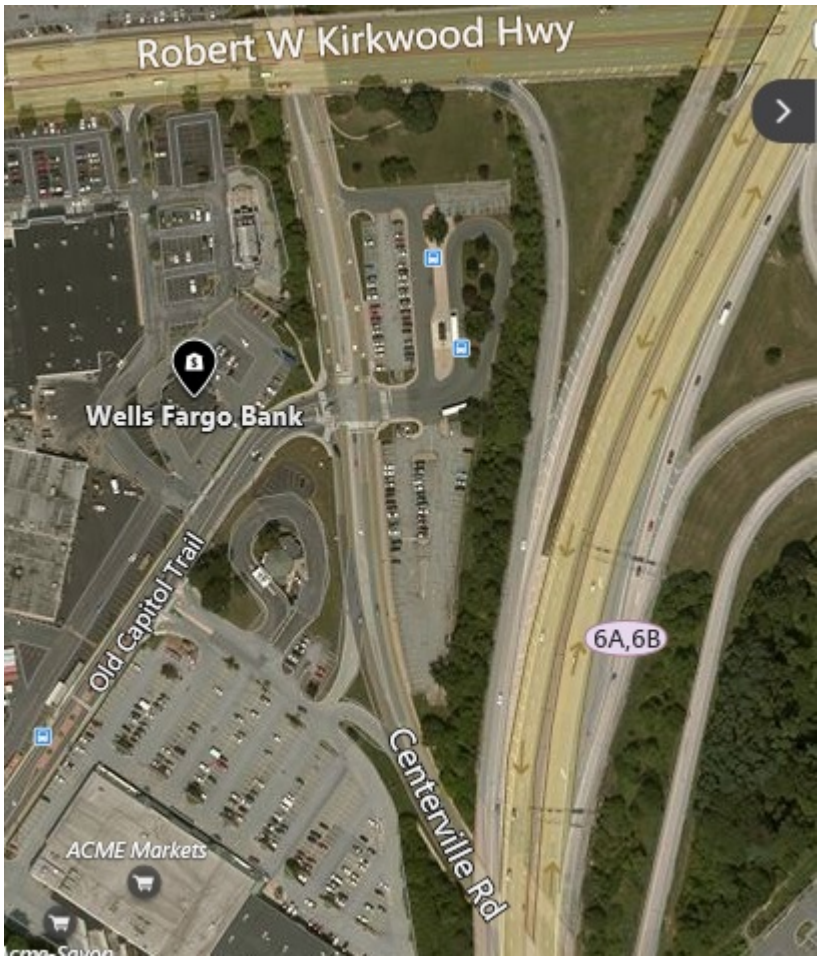
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Troopers Investigating Prices Corner Bank Robbery



Wilmington (19808) – The Delaware State Police are investigating a bank robbery that took place at the Prices Corner Wells Fargo branch, Thursday afternoon.

The incident occurred at approximately 4:05 p.m., Thursday, August 9, 2018 at the Wells Fargo bank, located at 3215 Old Capitol Trail, Wilmington. The suspect approached an employee

at the teller window and presented a demand note, instructing her to turn over money or she would be physically harmed. The employee complied with the demand by turning over an undisclosed amount money to the suspect, who then exited the bank. The suspect was last being seen fleeing eastbound from the bank on foot. The employee was not injured as a result of the incident.

The suspect was described as a black male with a dark complexion, 20-30 years of age, 6'1", with a thin build.

No surveillance images are available at this time.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding the incident is asked to contact the Troop 2 Robbery Unit at 302-365-8566.

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Troopers Investigating Report of Police Impersonator

Wilmington (19809) – The Delaware State Police are investigating the report of a police impersonator who performed a traffic stop on a female driver in late July.

The incident, which was not immediately reported, occurred at approximately 9:00 p.m., Saturday, July 14, 2018 in the 500 block of Marsh Rd., Wilmington. The victim, a 26 year old Newark woman advised that she was driving northbound on Marsh Rd., just south of Washington St., when she saw a vehicle with flashing blue lights directly behind her. After observing the lights she immediately pulled on to the right shoulder and came to a stop, at which time the trailing vehicle came to a stop directly behind her. A subject then exited the vehicle and approached the victim at her driver's side window. The subject began asking her why she was in the area and accused her of having drugs in her vehicle. The subject then opened the driver's door, removed the victim from the vehicle and proceeded to frisk her, allegedly for drugs. The subject then did a search of the interior of the victim's vehicle. After finishing the search he returned to his vehicle and fled the scene. The victim was not injured during the incident and no

property was taken from her or the vehicle.

The suspect, who did not identify himself or claim to be with any agency, was described as a black male, bald head, with a muscular build, wearing a dark blue uniform, with a yellow stripe down each pant leg. The suspect vehicle was described as a dark blue SUV with an all blue light bar on the roof and no other markings or signage.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Cpl. D. Hudak at Troop 1 by calling 302-660-4300. 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

The Delaware State Police State would like to advise motorists who are being pulled over by a person in an unmarked vehicle or who believe may not be a police officer to follow a few safety tips:

- Put on your flashers, drive the speed limit and call 911 from your cell phone. Tell the 911 dispatcher that you are concerned. If you do not have a cell phone, drive to a well-lit, busy area, such as the parking lot of a busy store.
- Do not stop your vehicle or get out of your vehicle until a dispatcher can confirm you are being pulled over by a legitimate police officer.
- If the dispatcher cannot confirm that you are being pulled over by a police officer, stay on the line with the dispatcher. Drive carefully to a safe place, such as a local police department.
- If you are issued documents that may be suspicious, contact the issuing agency about their legitimacy.
- Report anything that you believe to be suspicious or just does not seem right.
- Trust Your Gut

- See Something – Say Something

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Troopers Arrest Suspect for Assault on Law Enforcement Officers-Smyrna

Smyrna– The Delaware State Police have arrested a Smyrna man after a traffic stop led to an assault on two Law Enforcement Officers.

The incident occurred on Wednesday, August 8, 2018 at approximately 8:25 p.m., when members of the of the Kent County Governor's Task Force conducted a traffic stop on a

white Honda Accord that was traveling northbound on Dupont Parkway (SR 13), south of Smyrna Landing Road. It was known to Troopers, that the driver, identified as 38-year-old **James Mayer** had an active warrant in reference to a drug investigation.

As Troopers attempted to place Mayer into custody, he began to resist. The Trooper deployed his TASER at which time Mayer was able to be detained. During the struggle with Mayer, two Troopers sustained minor injuries. One Trooper responded to the Bayhealth Kent General Hospital where he was treated and released. The second Trooper declined medical treatment.

During this incident Mayer was found to be in possession of 54.67 grams of crack cocaine and 17 Oxycodone pills. Mayer was transported back to Troop 3 where he was charged with the following:

- Possession of a controlled substance in a Tier 5 quantity
- Manufactures, delivers, or possesses with intent to deliver a controlled substance in a Tier 4 quantity
- Assault 2nd injure a Law Enforcement Officer (2 counts)
- Resisting Arrest
- Possession of a Controlled or Counterfeit Substance
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

Mayer was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 11, for his active warrant on drug related charges and current charges. He was committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on $120,000.oo secured bond.

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Troopers Investigating Fatal Pedestrian Crash – Stanton



Stanton – The Delaware State Police Collision Reconstruction Unit is investigating a fatal crash involving a pedestrian that took place Tuesday night.

The incident occurred at approximately 9:39 p.m., Tuesday, August 7, 2018, on DE Rt. 4 eastbound, east of Chestnut St., Stanton. A 2010 Honda Accord, operated by a 37 year old Drexel Hill, PA man, was traveling eastbound on Rt. 4 in the right

lane, east of Chestnut St. A pedestrian, who was initially on the right shoulder of Rt. 4, entered into the right lane of travel, directly into the path of the Accord at which time he was struck by the front right end of the vehicle and thrown onto the windshield, before coming to rest in the roadway. The Accord was brought to a controlled stop and remained at the scene.

The pedestrian, a 39 year old Wilmington man, was transported to the Christiana Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries. The initial investigation determined that he was not wearing any reflective clothing, not carrying a flashlight and not utilizing a marked crosswalk. Impairment on his behalf is unknown at this time. Identification is pending the notification of next of kin.

The operator of the Accord was properly restrained and did not sustain any injuries. Impairment on his behalf is not a factor in the crash.

DE Rt. 4 eastbound was closed for approximately 2 hours while the scene was investigated and cleared.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding the incident is asked to contact Cpl. J. Breen of the Troop 2 Collision Reconstruction Unit by calling 302-365-8486.

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Troopers Arrest Three Suspects for Burglary-Georgetown

Georgetown- The Delaware State Police have arrested three suspects in connection with a burglary that occurred in late July 2018.

The incident occurred on July 21, 2018, at approximately 5:27 a.m., when Troopers were dispatched to Old Furnace Road for a report of a burglary. Upon arrival, contact was made with a 95-year-old female victim who advised she was awoke in the middle of the night by a person standing in the doorway to her bedroom. As the victim proceeded out of her bedroom, she encountered a second suspect and both immediately fled.

Further investigation revealed that several items were missing from her residence. It was discovered that the suspects had entered the victim's residence by prying open a window on the screen in porch, causing damage to the screen and frame. The suspects removed two rifles, a set of spoons, the victim's credit and debit cards, a jar of change, a jewelry box with assorted jewelry, and her emergency medical alert transponder.

Through investigative measures, Troopers were able to identify, three suspects, 27-year-old **Ethan A. Mulford** of Seaford, 27-year-old **Mark J. Smith Jr**. of Georgetown, and 32-year-old **Matthew R. King Jr.** of Laurel.

On Tuesday, August 7, 2018 **Ethan Mulford** responded to Troop 4 where he turned himself in without incident and was charged with the following:

- Possession of a Deadly Weapon During the Commission of a Felony
- Burglary First Degree
- Possession or Control of a Firearm or Ammunition by a Person
  Prohibited
- Possession of Burglar Tools
- Theft of a Firearm (2 counts)
- Theft Under $1500 Where a Victim is 62 Years of Age or Older
- Conspiracy Second Degree
- Theft By False Pretense
- Falsifying Business Records
- Selling Stolen Property
- Criminal Mischief

Mulford was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 2 and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on $106,100.00 secured bond.

On Tuesday, August 7, 2018, **Mark J. Smith Jr.** was taken into

custody at his residence on Old Furnace Road without incident. Smith was transported to Troop 4 where he was charged with the following:

- Possession of a Deadly Weapon During the Commission of a Felony
- Burglary First Degree
- Possession of Burglar Tools
- Theft of a Firearm (2 counts)
- Theft Under $1500 Where a Victim is 62 Years of Age or Older
- Conspiracy Second Degree
- Theft By False Pretense
- Falsifying Business Records
- Selling Stolen Property
- Criminal Mischief

Smith was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 2 and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on $14,200.00 secured bond.

On Tuesday, August 7, 2018, **Matthew R. King Jr**. was taken into custody at his residence on Oak Street in Laurel without incident. He was transported back to Troop 4 where he was charged with the following:

- Possession of a Deadly Weapon During the Commission of a Felony
- Burglary First Degree
- Possession or Control of a Firearm or Ammunition by a Person
  Prohibited
- Possession of Burglar Tools
- Theft of a Firearm (2 counts)
- Theft Under $1500 Where a Victim is 62 Years of Age or Older
- Conspiracy Second Degree
- Criminal Mischief Under $1000

King was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 2 and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on $103,100.00 cash only bond.

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Troopers Seek Public's Assistance in Locating Wanted Subject

Wilmington – The Delaware State Police are requesting assistance in locating **Christan K. Washington, 35, of Wilmington**, who is wanted on Stalking and Terroristic Threatening charges.

Washington is wanted in connection with an alleged domestic

incident that occurred on consecutive days, Monday, August 6th and Tuesday, August 7th, 2018 when he repeatedly contacted, followed and made threatening statements to an ex-girlfriend.

Anyone with information regarding the whereabouts of Washington are asked to contact Detective H. Carroll of the Troop 2 Major Crimes Unit by calling 302-365-8467 or by calling 911.

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