Detectives Investigating 7-Eleven Robbery in Bear

The Delaware State Police are investigating a robbery that occurred at a 7-Eleven in Bear last night.

On December 23, 2024, at approximately 7:49 p.m., troopers responded to a report of a robbery at the 7-Eleven, located at 1700 Pulaski Highway in Bear. The preliminary investigation revealed an unknown black male suspect approached an employee inside of the store, and demanded he open the cash register. While making the demand, the suspect implied he had a gun and threatened to shoot the employee. The employee complied, and the suspect fled on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash.

The suspect is described as a black male wearing dark-colored clothing. Surveillance video and images are not yet available.

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Robbery Unit is continuing to investigate the incident. Detectives are asking anyone with information about this case to contact Detective D. Armstrong by calling (302) 365-8440. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the **Delaware State Police** or contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

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Detectives Investigating Newark Area Armed Robbery

The Delaware State Police are investigating an armed robbery that occurred at a Check ‘n Go in Newark yesterday morning.

On December 23, 2024, at approximately 11:10 a.m., troopers responded to a report of an armed robbery at the Check ‘n Go, located at 27 Chestnut Hill Plaza in Newark. The preliminary investigation revealed an unknown black male suspect entered the business, displayed a firearm, and demanded money from the cash register. The employee complied, and the suspect fled on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash.

The suspect is described as a black male wearing dark-colored clothing. Surveillance video and images are not yet available.

Delaware State Police Troop 2 Robbery Unit continues to investigate this incident. Detectives are asking anyone who witnessed this incident or has relevant information to contact Detective D. Patterson at (302) 365-8404. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the **Delaware State Police** or contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

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It’s Lovely Weather for a Sleigh Ride Together – Holiday Safety Tips

The Delaware State Police hopes everyone will have the safest and hap-hap-happiest Christmas and holiday season this year. Before families kick off their fun, old-fashioned family adventure by heading out into the country in the old front-wheel drive sleigh to embrace the frosty majesty of the winter landscape, troopers are unwrapping a gift of safety tips with a sprinkle of wordplay. As we navigate through the twinkling lights and festive delights, let’s keep safety at the top of our wish list.

1. **Plan Your Trip – No Grinches Allowed**: Before hitting the road, map out your journey. It’s not just a roadmap; it’s your holiday GPS to ensure you don’t end up ‘Lost in New York.’ Happy trails, Hans! Yippee-ki-yay!
2. **Car Love – Give Your Sleigh a Little TLC**: Make sure your ride is more than just ‘not a bad little car.’ Check all fluid levels and tire pressure, and don’t forget the spare tire. It’s not a bad little car. It’s not bad at all, really. Maybe it just needs a little love.
3. **Weather Check – Don’t Let Weather Snow on Your Parade**: Look into road and weather conditions to ensure your car can handle them. After all, we wouldn’t want you ‘stranded like a lonely Christmas tree.’
4. **Home Sweet Home Security – Light up the Night**: Lock doors, set the alarm, and put those ‘fragile’ leg lamps and lights on timers. It’s not just home security; it’s ‘Grinch-repellent.’
5. **Phone Down, Sleigh Up – No Texting While Sleighing**: Don’t let a screen light guide your sleigh tonight. Distracted driving is naughtier than the Grinch!
6. **Pit Stop Pleasantries – Pudding and Roast Beast**

Approved: Take breaks, stretch, and maybe snack on some pudding or some carved roast beast.

7. **Don’t Let Kevin Go Solo**: If you stop at a rest stop, park in a well-lit area, stay with your children, and be aware of your surroundings. Don’t let ‘Kevin’ wander on his own.
8. **Deck the Halls, Not Your Car**: When your car is parked, lock the doors and don’t leave any valuables or gifts in sight. The Grinch may be lurking, staring down from his cave with a sour grinchy frown, at the warm lighted windows below in the town.
9. **Ovaltine Over Eggnog – Stay off the Naughty List**: Don’t drive impaired. If you’ve been ‘sipping’ on holiday cheer, call a friend, family member, or ride-sharing service. Instead of eggnog, go for Ovaltine!
10. **Social Media Silence – Foil Harry and Mary**: Avoid updating your location on social media. Harry and Marv will know when no one is home, and they may try to break in. Save those photo dumps for when you return!
11. **Channel your inner ‘Elf’ on the road**: When traffic gets ‘Griswold ‘-y, remember to stay as patient as Santa’s elves and be as flexible as Buddy’s spaghetti recipe!

Ensuring that all these points are checked can prevent a family trip from being jeopardized. The “obvious” things can be easily overlooked – wouldn’t it be quite the bulbous blunder to meticulously check thousands of tiny twinkling lights, only to discover the extension cord was plugged in and the light switch was off?

And when it comes to safety, there’s always time to double-check. Even if you still have to brush your teeth, feed the hog, have some homework to do, and still have those bills to pay – make the time! This isn’t charity – it’s family.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific – travel safely and enjoy the holiday

season!

Detectives Investigating Strong-Arm Robbery in Newark

The Delaware State Police are investigating a strong-arm robbery that occurred Saturday night in Newark.

On December 21, 2024, at approximately 10:48 p.m., troopers responded to a report of a strong-arm robbery that occurred on Salem Church Road in the area of Bradley Drive in Newark. The preliminary investigation revealed that the 3 teenage victims were walking on Salem Church Road when they were approached by a group of unknown suspects and assaulted. The suspects fled in a dark-colored pickup truck towards Pulaski Highway with various personal property belonging to the victims. The victims, a 17-year-old male, 16-year-old female, and 14-year-old female, sustained minor injuries.

The suspects are described as a black male, a Hispanic female, 2 teenage Hispanic females, 2 teenage Hispanic males, and 1 teenage white male. Surveillance video and images of the suspects are not available.

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Robbery Unit continues to investigate this incident. Detectives are asking anyone with information about this case to contact detectives by calling (302) 365-8566. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the **Delaware State Police** or contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

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Detectives Investigating Shoplifting Turned Armed Robbery at Royal Farms in Wilmington

The Delaware State Police are investigating an armed robbery stemming from a shoplifting that occurred at the Royal Farms in Wilmington on Saturday night.

On December 21, 2024, at approximately 9:27 p.m., troopers responded to a report of an armed robbery at the Royal Farms, located at 3701 Kirkwood Highway in Wilmington. The preliminary investigation revealed an unknown white male suspect concealed merchandise on his person and attempted to leave the store with the unpaid products. Employees confronted the suspect as he exited the store, at which point the suspect displayed a handgun and threatened the employees. The suspect then fled from the store in a blue sedan driven by an unknown subject.

The suspect is described as a white male wearing dark-colored clothing. There is no further description available for the suspect vehicle or its driver. Surveillance video and images of the suspect and suspect vehicle are not available.

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State Police Homicide Detectives Investigating New Castle Area Motel Shooting

The Delaware State Police are investigating a shooting that occurred Sunday night at the Budget Inn in New Castle that left one man dead.

On December 22, 2024, at approximately 8:21 p.m., troopers responded to the Budget Inn, located at 3 Memorial Drive, New Castle, for a report of a shooting. Upon arriving, troopers found the victim in the parking lot suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. The victim, a 49-year-old man from Wilmington, Delaware, was transported by EMS to an area hospital, where he was later pronounced dead. His name is being withheld until his family and relatives are notified. Due to the circumstances, the Delaware State Police Homicide Unit assumed

the investigation.

The preliminary investigation revealed that the victim was shot by an unknown suspect during a robbery that occurred in the rear parking lot of the motel. At this time, a description of the suspect is unavailable.

The Homicide Unit is still actively investigating this incident. Detectives are asking for anyone with information regarding this case to contact Detective D. Grassi by email at daniel.grassi@delaware.gov or by calling 302-365-8441. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the **Delaware State Police** or contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

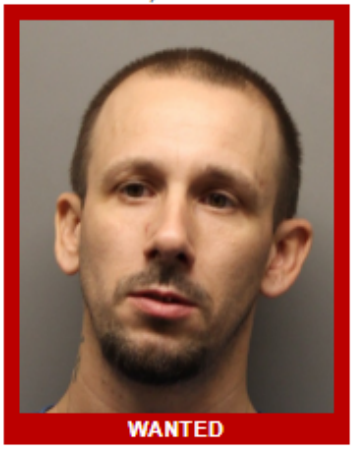
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Delaware State Police S.O.A.R. Searching for Wanted Sex Offenders

The Delaware State Police Sex Offender Apprehension and Registration Unit (S.O.A.R.) is currently looking for the following **wanted** sex offenders after they either failed to register or re-register at their current address. If anyone knows the location of these individuals, please call

302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

DAILEY , DONALD L



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Registration Information

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	June 10, 2024
Registered Since:	August 21, 2009
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	TROOP 4 STATE POLICE
Address:	23652 SHORTLY ROAD GEORGETOWN , DE 19947
Phone:	3028565850

KELLAM , JERIN



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Registration Information **(Homeless)**

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	October 24, 2024
Registered Since:	October 16, 1997
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	Yes

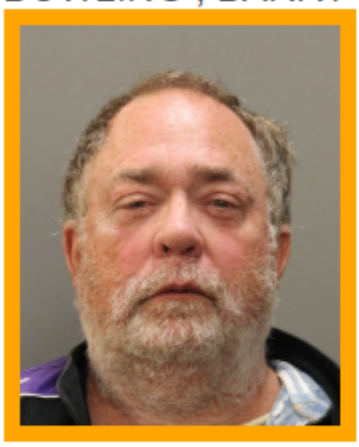
Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover , DE 19903
Phone:	3026592341

Homeless Sex Offender Notification

The following individual is **not wanted**. This is a Homeless Sex Offender Public Notification. If you have information that the listed individual is occupying a residence, please call 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

BOWLING , BARRY L



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Registration Information **(Homeless)**

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	December 17, 2024
Registered Since:	July 19, 2012
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	Yes

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover , DE 19903
Phone:	3026592341

Delaware State Police Urges

Public to Responsibly Report Suspicious Drone Activity

The Delaware State Police is aware of recent sightings of potential drone activity throughout the state. The operation of a drone is a legal activity. If there is an occasion that you find a drone in a suspicious area or the appearance of suspicious activity, the Delaware State Police is asking that these events be reported to our Delaware Anti-Terrorism Tipline at **1-800-FORCE-1-2**. Reporting these events in this manner will allow experts to evaluate the details of the event for proper action.

Important Reminders About Drones

- Shooting at aircraft, including drones, is illegal.
- Many legal aircraft, both manned and unmanned, have lights visible at night. Drone flights after dark are permitted under certain conditions.
- Before reporting, consider using free resources such as **FlightAware**, **Flightradar24**, and **ADSBexchange** to help identify aircraft that may appear unusual but are operating legally.

How You Can Help:

1. Capture clear video evidence, if safe to do so.
2. Record specific details, including the sighting's date, time, duration and location. Also note the size, movement, and unique features of the object.
3. Report promptly to the Delaware Anti-Terrorism Tipline for further investigation.
    - Phone: 1-800-FORCE-1-2
    - Email: force12@delaware.gov

What to Do if You See a Drone on the Ground

- Stay at a safe distance.
- Call 911 immediately.

Your vigilance ensures that reports are directed to the appropriate agency, helping law enforcement focus on critical incidents and maintain public safety. Thank you for your cooperation and commitment to keeping Delaware safe.

Update – Victim Identified State Police Investigating Single-Vehicle Fatal Crash Near Ellendale

The Delaware State Police have identified 38-year-old **William Malachi** of New Castle, Delaware as the man who died in the single-vehicle fatal crash on Wednesday morning.

The Delaware State Police Troop 7 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this incident. Troopers are asking anyone who witnessed this crash to contact Sergeant A. Mitchell by calling (302) 703-3269. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the **Delaware State Police** or contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

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