

## POLICE BLOTTER FOR AUG. 16-31, 2019



- On August 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:27 am, Officer Buda responded to Franklin Canyon Road at Alhambra Avenue for the report of two men stripping copper wire. One of the men was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Case# 19-2195.
- At 10:49 am, Officer Wah responded to Shu Cai Sushi, 6635 Alhambra Avenue, for a burglary that occurred overnight. Money from the cash register was taken during the burglary. Case# 19-2196.
- At 11:49 am, Officer Voyvodich contacted a suspicious vehicle on Wayne Street. A 30-year-old woman from Martinez was arrested for a concealed firearm and possession of a controlled substance. Case# 19-2197.
- At 3:15 pm, officers responded to a vehicle accident at Vine Hill Way and John Muir Road. Case# 19-2199.
- At 4:45 pm, Officer Wah responded to the 2100 block of Olympic Drive for a vehicle partially blocking the resident's driveway. The vehicle was a stolen vehicle from Bethel Island. Case# 19-2200.
- At 7:23 pm, Corporal Mayberry was dispatched to Ferry St. for a suspicious person. He contacted a man who is on parole. The man was in possession of a controlled substance. Parole violated him and he was booked into the Main Detention Facility (MDF). Case# 19-2201.
- At 8:49 pm, MPD units were dispatched to Rite Aid for a strong arm robbery. Three black male adults entered the store wearing hoodies over their heads. They jumped the pharmacy counter and attempted to take items from the pharmacy. They left the store without a take and fled southbound on Morello Ave. in a gold Buick. Case# 19-2203.
- On August 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:40 am, Corporal Baillie contacted a 67-year-old man at the Village Oaks Center. He had prior knowledge the man is prohibited from this property. The man was arrested and booked into MDF. Case# 19-2209.
- At 3:46 pm, a large eucalyptus tree fell on four vehicles at the softball fields at the Marina. Two vehicles were crushed. Officer Angoco took case# 19-2213.
- At 4:30 pm, high winds blew over a vender's tent at the Street Fair downtown. She ran after it and an unknown suspect stole her cell phone which was on her table. Officer Angoco, case# 19-2214.
- At 5:50 pm, Officer Buda contacted a 29-year-old man from Martinez in the 2800 block of Howe Road. Officer Buda had prior knowledge the man was wanted for a misdemeanor \$5,000.00 warrant for theft. He was booked into MDF. Case# 19-2215.
- Officer Montano investigated a former employee of the Contra Costa Cinemas, 555 Center Ave., who sent threatening messages to current employees. A case was taken and forwarded to the DA's office for review. Case# 19-2216.
- On August 18<sup>th</sup> at 8:32 am, Officer Buda responded to the 5600 block of White Mountain Ct. on a report of a theft from a garage. The victim stated his garage door was accidentally left open during the night. The suspect(s) took guitar amplifiers and a 21 speed mountain bike. Estimated loss is \$2,750.00. Case# 19-2217.

- At 9:29 am, Corporal Baillie responded to the 1200 block of Rolling Hill Ct. for a vehicle theft report. The vehicle was taken some time during the night. Case# 19-2219.
- Officer Angoco responded to the 2100 block of Olympic Dr. on a report of a suspicious vehicle. Officer Angoco contacted the owner of the vehicle, who was found to be in possession of metal knuckles and drug paraphernalia. He was cite released at the scene. The vehicle was towed for expired registration in excess of six months. Case# 19-2221.
- At 8:19 pm, Corporal Mayberry conducted a traffic stop on Pacheco Blvd. He contacted the driver, who was driving with a suspended license for a prior DUI. Cited and released for 14601.2a CVC. Case# 19-2225.
- At 9:35 pm, Corporal Mayberry attempted to conduct a traffic stop of a motorcycle rider on Muir Rd. near Pacheco Blvd. The driver fled from the officer south on Pacheco to Contra Costa Blvd. The pursuit was discontinued. A short time later Corporal Mayberry saw the rider pull into 2140 Center Avenue. Corporal Mayberry and other officers contacted the 29-year-old man from Martinez in an upstairs apartment. The man was seen fleeing into the apartment after parking the motorcycle, just prior to Corporal Mayberry arriving. The man also displayed objective signs of alcohol intoxication. He was arrested for 2800.2 CVC and 23152 a CVC. He was booked at the MPD and later released. Case # 19-2226.
- On August 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:07 am, Corporal Mayberry contacted a 32-year-old woman from Concord parked in a car at 4030 Alhambra Ave. (7 Flags Car Wash). She was in possession of .2 grams of Heroin and drug paraphernalia. She was arrested for 11350 H&S and 11364 H&S and cite released from the scene. Case # 19-2227.
- At 2:21 am, Sgt. Salamid was on foot patrol at the Martinez Amtrak Station when he contacted a 24-year-old man from Martinez. The man was in possession of .2 grams of Methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia. He was arrested for 11377 H&S and 11364 H&S and cite released from the scene. Case # 19-2228.
- At 10:33 am, Officer Angoco arrested a man for theft at Marina Market. Case #19-2232.
- At 4:29 pm, Officer Angoco responded to an unruly passenger on Amtrak. The woman was arrested for a warrant. Case #19-2234.
- At 10:28 pm, Officer Leong investigated a suspicious vehicle in the 200 block of Augustine Drive. The man in the vehicle was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Case #19-2236.
- On August 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 am, Corporal Schnabel investigated a burglary at a residence in the 6600 block of Las Animas Drive, where the garage was forced open and items were stolen. Case #19-2237.
- At 9:53 am, Officer Weems investigated a vehicle burglary in the 3900 block of Euclid Avenue, where items were stolen from inside the vehicle. Case #19-2239.
- At 2:58 pm, Sergeant Busciglio investigated multiple frauds at California Check Cashing on Center Avenue, where checks were stolen and cashed. The case is ongoing. Case #19-2241 and #19-2242.
- At 6:49 pm, Officer Voyvodich responded to a man down in Hidden Lakes Park. The man collapsed while with his wife, and he passed away to an apparent heart

attack. Case #19-2244.

- On August 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:37 am, Corporal Schnabel arrested a man on Fountainhead Court for a warrant. Case #19-2245.
- At 8:20 am, Sergeant Busciglio arrested a man in the 1100 block of Arnold Drive for a warrant. Case #19-2246.
- At 10:08 am, Officer Weems responded to the lobby for a stolen vehicle report. The vehicle was stolen from Greenway Drive. Case #19-2248.
- At 2:10 pm, Officer Weems arrested a man in the 700 block of Alhambra Avenue for a restraining order violation. Case #19-2250.
- On August 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4:34 am, Officer Espinoza responded to Golden Vintage Market for a burglary. Unknown suspects broke the front window to gain entry. Case #19-2254.
- At 4:36 am, Officer Ramos responded to a burglary at Buon Aroma. The reporting person observed two men get out of a small white pickup with masks on their faces. The men forced entry into the front doors and took the cash register and money. Case #19-2255.
- At 1:45 pm, Corporal Baillie took two window smash auto burglaries. Cases 19-2261 and 19-2262.
- At 5:00 pm, Sergeant Gaul observed a wanted man in the 4100 block of Alhambra Avenue. The man was arrested for the warrant without incident. Case #19-2265.
- On August 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2:59 am, Officer Ramos responded to an interrupted burglary at Limon Taqueria, where three men broke the glass doors to gain entry. A contractor inside the restaurant confronted the men and they fled in a red vehicle. The same type of incident was reported approximately a half hour earlier in Pleasant Hill. Video surveillance of the possible vehicle was obtained. The investigation is ongoing. Case #19-2270.
- At 8:40 am, officers were dispatched to Safeway, 6688 Alhambra Ave., for the report of a suspect masturbating in his vehicle. The victim observed the suspect parked in his truck next to hers. He fled prior to the officer's arrival. Officer Buda took case# 19-2271.
- At 10:45 am, Officer Wah was on foot at the old Amtrak station and contacted a 35-year-old woman from Martinez. The woman was arrested for a misdemeanor \$20,000.00 warrant for drug possession and a \$10,000.00 warrant for theft violations. Booked MDF. Case# 19-2272.
- At 11:30 am, officers were dispatched to a suspicious person in Dollar Tree, 1047 Arnold Drive. They contacted a 31-year-old woman from Martinez. She was arrested for a misdemeanor \$10,000.00 warrant for drug possession.
- Corporal Baillie responded to Public Storage, 901 Arnold Drive, for a storage locker that was forced open and miscellaneous personal property was stolen. Case# 19-2274.
- At 3:20 pm, Officer Buda responded to the Wildcroft Clubhouse, 515 Wildcroft Dr., for a door kick that occurred between 12:00 and 3:00. Case# 19-2276.
- At 10:14 pm, Corporal Mayberry contacted a 26-year-old man from Martinez in the 400 block of Howe Road. The man had a felony warrant for his arrest and was booked into the Martinez Detention Facility (MDF). Case # 19-2277.

- On August 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:47 am, Officer Angoco responded to a commercial burglary at Norcal Courts, 360 Ferry Street. Loss is \$160.00. Case# 19-2278.
- At 9:30 am, Sergeant Gaul observed a man exiting a business in the 3000 block of Howe Road. He had prior knowledge the man was wanted for a \$7,000.00 misdemeanor warrant for DUI. Officer Wah, case# 19-1495.
- At 8:36 pm, officers responded to 3334 Alhambra Ave. (Safeway) for a report of a subject dancing in the isles of the store. Store staff wanted him to leave. The subject, a 27-year-old from El Salvador, left the area but returned a short time later and began yelling at Safeway staff. The man was highly agitated. Officers placed him under arrest for 602 PC (Trespassing). He actively resisted and was placed in a WRAP restraint. He was combative and resisted during the arrest and at MDF. Case # 19-2280 by Officer Parsons.
- On August 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am, Officer Wah stopped a vehicle in the 3800 block of Vista Oaks. He contacted a 48-year-old man from Martinez. The man was found to be in possession of stolen property and cite released. Case# 19-2282.
- At 3:45 pm, officers were dispatched to the 6600 block of Alhambra Ave. for the report of a woman driving her vehicle into a pole in the parking lot. The officers arrested the 67-year-old woman and booked her into MDF for DUI. Officers Wah and Buda. Case# 19-2285.
- At 4:45 pm, Sergeant Gaul responded to Eagle Nest Dr. for the theft of a drone, camera and camera equipment. Investigation continuing. Case# 19-2286.
- At 8:30 pm, Officer Parsons was alerted about a stolen car in the 800 block of Howe Road. He located the stolen Dodge pickup that had been stolen out of our city. The truck was not occupied. Case# 19-2248.
- At 11:55 pm, Officer Parson was dispatched to a suspicious person at Robinson and Estudillo Street. He contacted the man and arrested him for possession of a controlled substance. He was cited and released at the scene. Case# 19-2289.
- On August 26<sup>th</sup> at 1:44 am, Officer Parson made a traffic stop at Connolly and Taylor. He contacted a woman and arrested her for possession of controlled substance. She was cited and released at the scene. Case# 19-2290.
- At 8:34 am, Officer Winslett took a stolen vehicle report form a resident in the 2400 block of Saybrook Place. Case #19-2291.
- At 10:42 am, Officer Winslett arrested a man at Safeway (Virginia Hills) for public intoxication and battery. Case #19-2294.
- At 7:16 pm, Officer Ramos made a traffic stop at Pacheco Boulevard and Camino Del Sol. The male driver was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Case #19-2298.
- On August 27<sup>th</sup> at 12:37 am, Officer Lucido responded to Muir Station Road and Alhambra Way for a vehicle blocking the roadway. The vehicle was an unreported stolen vehicle from a residence in the 800 block of Vine Hill Way. Case #19-2302.
- At 11:26 am, Corporal Schnabel responded to a residence in the 2300 block of Wayne Street for a possible explosive device in the yard. The device was determined to be a pipe bomb. The area was evacuated to a safe distance and the Walnut Creek Bomb Squad responded. The device was detonated in its location. There were no injuries or damages. Case #19-2306.

- At 6:30 pm, Officer Weems responded to the lobby for a stolen vehicle report. The vehicle was stolen from a residence on Midhill Road. Case #19-2312.
- At 7:32 pm, Officer Ramos responded to the 1100 block of Arnold Drive for a man down on the sidewalk. Case #19-2314.
- At 12:23 pm, Officer Ramos investigated a suspicious vehicle in the 1200 block of Muir Road. The male driver was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Case #19-2316.
- On August 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:16 am, Officer Miller responded to a suspicious man looking in yards in the 700 block of Arriba Street. The man was contacted and arrested for a warrant and possession of methamphetamine. Case #19-2320.
- At 1:51 pm, Officer Estanol took a report of a stolen trailer from a resident in the 900 block of Harbor View Drive. Case #19-2323.
- At 7:28 pm, Officer Weems located a stolen vehicle, via a license plate reader (LPR) alert. The vehicle was stopped on eastbound HWY 4 at Alhambra Avenue. The female driver was arrested. Case #19-2324.
- On August 29<sup>th</sup> at 2:21 am, Officer Weems investigated a suspicious vehicle in the 4100 block of Alhambra Avenue. The female passenger was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Case #19- 2327.
- At 12:37 pm, officers responded to a 911 call of a man pointing a shotgun at a woman in the area of Old Orchard Road and Arnold Drive. The woman was contacted in the Walmart parking lot. The man fled into Home Depot while officers were attempting to contact him. Officers were evacuating Home Depot when the man attempted to flee out the front door, and assaulted a Home Depot employee before being taken into custody. A search of the store was conducted for the weapon. Located was a loaded modified 12-gauge shotgun. The man was arrested for possession of a short barrel shotgun, possession of a loaded concealed weapon in public, assault with a deadly weapon and a probation violation. Case #19-2331.
- At 1:50 pm, Officer Miller arrested a woman at Ferry Point Park for public intoxication. Case #19-2333.
- At 2:40 pm, Detective Lekse arrested a man and woman for warrants at Safeway in Pleasant Hill. Case #19-2333.
- At 7:18 pm, Officer Weems responded to the high school for a man urinating on the stadium ticket booth. The man was arrested for warrants. Case #19-2334.