



# HILLTOWN TOWNSHIP POLICE

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## PRESS RELEASE FOR OCTOBER 27, 2017

### Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and/or Controlled Substance

On October 23, 2017 at 10:00 hours, Hilltown Police responded to Jerry's Auto body to check the well-being of a subject. The subject, identified as Junior Sandy Gomez-Hernandez, 39, from the 100 block of 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Perkasio, PA, arrived operating a motorcycle carrying a passenger to pick-up a vehicle that was impounded from him the night before. Gomez-Hernandez displayed indications of substance related impairment upon arrival. Gomez-Hernandez was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test. Gomez-Hernandez was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Controlled Substance, Possession of Controlled Substance, and Driving While Operating Privilege is Suspended.

On September 25, 2017 at 20:22 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the 1100 block of Callowhill Road for the report of a two vehicle crash. Investigation determined a vehicle driven by Cynthia Lynn Heacock 31, from the 900 block of Callowhill Road, Perkasio, PA, was traveling northbound on Callowhill Road and crossed into the southbound lane and struck another vehicle head on. Heacock displayed indications of alcohol impairment and failed a series of field sobriety tests. Heacock was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test which she refused. Heacock was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, Careless Driving, and Driving on Roadways Laned for Traffic.

On September 27, 2017 at 02:25 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the area of Bethlehem Pike and Church Road for the report of a disabled vehicle. Investigation determined that a vehicle driven by Rodney E. Kratz, 58, from the 700 block of Main Street, Harleysville, PA had impacted a curb, damaging a tire and wheel. Kratz displayed indications of alcohol impairment and failed a series of field sobriety tests. Kratz was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test which later resulted in failure. Kratz was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, and Careless Driving.

On September 30, 2017 at 23:28 hours, Hilltown Police stopped a vehicle on Applewood Drive near Strawberry Court for erratic operation. The operator was identified as Kelly Lynn Mastergeorge, 46, from the 2300 block of Applewood Court, Perkasio, PA. Mastergeorge displayed indications of alcohol impairment. Mastergeorge was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test which she refused. Mastergeorge was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, Driving Under the Influence While Operating Privilege is DUI Suspended, and Careless Driving.

## Possession of Controlled Substance

On October 1, 2017, Hilltown Police responded to the 1900 block of Clearview Road, for the report of a suspicious male walking along the road. Upon arrival, police identified the male as David Volodymir Moyer, 19, from the 600 block of Indian Creek Road, Telford, PA. Upon interviewing Moyer, police observed drug paraphernalia on Moyer's person. The paraphernalia was seized and submitted for laboratory analysis. Moyer was charged with Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On September 24, 2017, Hilltown Police stopped a suspicious vehicle which was parked and subsequently left a closed auto dealership located on Bethlehem Pike. The driver was identified as Brian Robert Thompson, 47, from the 300 block of South 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Perkasio, PA and a female passenger was identified as Christina Fitzwater, 38, from the same address. Controlled substance was observed within the vehicle. Both occupants were removed from the vehicle and found in possession of controlled substance. Thompson was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Driving While Operating Privilege is Suspended for a DUI related offense, and Restrictions on Alcoholic Beverages. Fitzwater was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On September 24, 2017 at 15:17 hours, Hilltown Police responded to Sterling Drive for the report of a suspicious male subject. The male was located and stopped a short distance away. The male was identified as James Michael Holahan, 39, from the 100 block of Gentry Drive, Perkasio, PA. Controlled substance was observed in his possession, seized and submitted for analysis. Holahan was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On September 28, 2017 at 07:55 hours, Hilltown Police stopped a vehicle at Green Street and Park Avenue, Silverdale Borough for speeding. The operator was identified as Sean William Brady, 23, from the 900 block of Pine Street, Perkasio, PA. Controlled substance was detected within the vehicle, seized and submitted for analysis. Brady was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance, and Maximum Speed Limits.

On October 10, 2017 at 01:42 hours, Hilltown Police stopped a vehicle on Route 309 north of Hilltown Pike for a traffic violation. The operator was identified as Dashawn Lamont Caulder, 22, from the 100 block of South 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Perkasio, PA. Police detected the presence of controlled substance within the vehicle. The substance was seized and submitted for laboratory analysis. Caulder was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Driving While Operating Privilege is Suspended, and Traffic Control Signals.

On October 1, 2017 at 23:48 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the area of Clarion Drive and Cherry Road for a possible assault. Upon arrival, Police located a male identified as Randall Stuart Campbell Jennings who displayed injuries. An ambulance was summoned to transport Campbell Jennings for treatment. While being loaded, Jennings was observed discarding a bag of controlled substance from his person. The substance was collected and submitted for analysis. Campbell Jennings was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance.

### **Stalking**

On October 05, 2017, Hilltown Police met with a complainant, a female shopper, which reported that on June 21, 2017 while shopping in Walmart, 1515 Bethlehem Pike, she was continuously followed throughout the store by a male subject not known to her. This male subject further stood across from the female shopper while she checked out, stared at her and then encroached upon her personal space. The complainant advised this occurred again on September 8<sup>th</sup> while shopping at the Walmart. The complaint further advised that on September 11, 2017, she observed the same male subject following her closely while driving on County Line Road, near Bethlehem Pike. On October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 12:20 hours, the female encountered the male subject again in Walmart while shopping. Through investigation the male subject was identified as Hans Sturm, 53, from the 1300 block of Bridgetown Hill Road, Upper Black Eddy, PA. Video surveillance obtained from Walmart corroborated the female's complaint. Sturm was charged with 1<sup>st</sup> degree Misdemeanor charge of Stalking.

### **Theft and Related Offenses**

On October 11, 2017 at 12:00 hours, Hilltown Police responded to a residence located on Audrey Lane for a report of theft of money from the residence. Investigation determined that a home health care worker caring for residents on Audrey Lane had taken over \$1,200.00 in assorted cash currency. The health care worker was identified as Melanie Gardy, 45, from the 100 block of East Ashland Street, Doylestown PA. Gardy was interviewed by Police where she confessed to stealing the money over several occasions. Gardy was charged with Theft by Unlawful Taking, and Receiving Stolen Property.

On September 28, 2017 at 19:03 hours, Hilltown Police responded to Fine Wine and Good Spirits, located at 1547 Bethlehem Pike, for a retail theft. Investigation determined that a male patron had concealed alcohol under his clothing and left the store without paying for it. The male was identified through investigation as Christopher Allen Oliver, 55, from the 100 block of South County Line Road, Souderton, PA. Oliver was charged with Felony Retail Theft.