



# HILLTOWN TOWNSHIP POLICE

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## PRESS RELEASE FOR JULY 2, 2018

### Theft and Related Offenses

On February 28, 2018 at 08:35 hours, Hilltown Police responded to Walmart, 1515 Bethlehem Pike, for a retail theft. Investigation determined a male patron, identified as Matthew Robert Strobel, 34, from the 2100 block of Upper Rocky Dale Road, Green Lane, PA, had concealed numerous electronic devices within a book bag. Strobel then proceeded through the self-checkout line without paying for the items and passed all points of retail sales before being stopped by store security. Police searched Strobel and found controlled substance on his person. Strobel was charged with Retail Theft, and Possession of Controlled Substance.

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

On May 4, 2018 at 15:53 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the 700 block of Route 113 for an unconscious driver seated in a running vehicle. The driver was identified as Ryan A. Stout, 34, from the 400 block of East Walnut Street, Perkasio, PA. Stout displayed indications of controlled substance impairment. Stout was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test which later revealed the presence of controlled substance. Stout was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Controlled Substance, Possession of Controlled Substance, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On May 20, 2018 at 06:50 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the 1900 block of Hilltown Pike for a single vehicle crash. Investigation determined that a vehicle, driven by Hannah Louise Klupp, 23, from the 700 block of Callowhill Road, Perkasio, PA, had driven off the roadway and crashed into a yard. Klupp left the scene in a second vehicle and was stopped a short distance from the crash. Klupp displayed indications of controlled substance impairment. Klupp was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test which later revealed the presence of controlled substance. Klupp was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Controlled Substance, and Immediate Notice of Accident to Police.

On June 8, 2018 at 09:45 hours, Hilltown Police assisted Telford Borough Police Department in arresting a subject, identified as Sean Christopher McCarty, 34, from the 200 block of Country Side Lane, Telford, PA, for a PFA violation at a business in the 4000 block of Bethlehem Pike. McCarthy was observed driving his vehicle to that location prior to his arrest. Upon his arrest for the PFA violation, Police observed that McCarthy displayed indications of alcohol impairment. McCarthy was transported for a blood test. McCarthy has been charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol.

On May 26, 2018 at 00:25 hours, Hilltown Police responded to the 500 block of Church Road for the report of a traffic accident. Investigation determined that the operator of the involved vehicle was Ryan Hoyt Smith, 22, from the 700 block of Mill Road, Hatfield, PA. Smith displayed indications of alcohol and controlled substance impairment and failed a series of field sobriety tests. Smith was placed under arrest and transported for a blood test. Smith was charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and Controlled Substance, and Driving on Roadways Laned for Traffic.

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On June 9, 2018 at 02:15 hours, Hilltown Police observed a suspicious vehicle on the roadway in the 300 block of Upper Church Road. Investigation identified the operator as Nathan Randy Hamilton, 42, from the 1300 block of Schwab Road, Lansdale, PA. Further investigation found a gas container partially full with a siphon next to a vehicle parked in a nearby driveway. Hamilton had a strong odor of gasoline on his clothing and shoes. Hamilton was charged with Theft from a Motor Vehicle, Loitering and Prowling at Nighttime, Registration and Certificate of Title Required, and Required Financial Responsibility.