



From the Desk of Chief Domonic Campbell June Monthly Report for Police Department

Date: July 2, 2019

Special Notes

We collected 5.9 pounds of pills this month.

Officers have written a total of 50 warning tickets for park violations this month. They also wrote 2 civil penalties as well for park violations. The majority of the park violations were for nonresidents using the park.

This month officers began handing out ice cream coupons to children who wear their bike helmets while riding bicycles. Officers have already handed out 50 coupons to children.

Officer Steve Cirillo is scheduled to begin working at the police department on July 22nd. Officer Cirillo previously worked at the department from 2004 – 2009. He will be moving his family into a residence in Whispering Pines very soon. He has also been handling our IT needs.

We have seen a 64% increase in the number of incident reports compared to the same time last year.

We celebrated Officer Strickland's birthday this month.

Events of interest for the month of June 2019

- 1. There were twelve (12) incidents that were investigated this month. Of these incidents, eight (8) involved an arrest with 12 total charges. *After an arrest, officers are unavailable for at least 2 hours while processing and booking subjects at the Moore County Jail in Carthage. Serving a criminal summons does not require detaining or taking the subject to jail.***
 - **June 5th – Violation of Village ordinance (dog at large).** A resident of Whispering Pines found a dog running loose on Ray's Bridge Road and brought the dog to the police department. The officer placed the dog in the kennel. A short time later the owner called to advise that he was coming to pick up his dog. The dog owner was issued a warning ticket for the violation since this was the first violation.
 - **June 5th – Possession of marijuana and marijuana paraphernalia.** As a result of a traffic stop for speeding the officer noticed some marijuana residue on the driver's lap. The driver admitted that he had marijuana in the vehicle. The officer searched the vehicle and found a marijuana edible chocolate bar, cigarillos, and a pill bottle that contained marijuana. These items were photographed and then seized for placement into evidence. The driver received a citation for speeding and was arrested by citation for possession of marijuana and marijuana paraphernalia.
 - **June 6th – Failure to appear on fraud charge.** As a result of a traffic stop for following too closely the officer determined that a passenger in the vehicle had an active order for arrest for failure to appear on a fraud charge. The officer issued the driver a warning ticket for following too closely. The passenger was placed under arrest and transported to the Moore County Jail.
 - **June 13th – Criminal summons for simple worthless check.** An officer became aware of an outstanding criminal summons, out of Wake County,

- against a Fairway Lane resident. The officer went to the residence and served the resident with the criminal summons and advised him of his court date.
- **June 14th – Violation of Village ordinance (dog at large).** An individual stopped an officer and reported finding a loose dog. The officer took the dog and contacted the dog owner. The officer returned the dog to the dog owner and issued a warning ticket to the dog owner for the violation, as this was the first violation.
 - **June 15th – Assault on a female.** A resident of Hardee Lane reported that she was having a fight with her husband and he wouldn't leave the residence. When the officer arrived, the husband had already left the residence. The officer observed scratches and red marks on her face and arms. She stated that her husband shoved and hit her. The officer obtained a statement and photographed the injuries. Officers contacted the husband to turn himself in but he avoided doing this for several days. 3 days later he turned himself in and was arrested for assault on a female.
 - **June 20th – Obtain property by false pretense.** A woman reported that her fiancé, who is currently deployed, had money transferred out of his bank account by his ex-wife and the ex-wife transferred this money to her personal account. After contacting the bank, they refunded the money to her fiancé.
 - **June 20th - Possession of marijuana and marijuana paraphernalia.** As a result of a traffic stop the officer detected the odor of marijuana when he approached the driver. At first the driver stated there wasn't anything in his vehicle but he then stated there was marijuana in the car. The officer searched the vehicle and found a bottle containing marijuana and a glass smoking pipe. The officer photographed the items and then seized them for placement into evidence. The driver was arrested by citation for possession of marijuana and marijuana paraphernalia.
 - **June 21st** – An arrest was made in connection with the obtaining property by false pretense case that was reported last month. The Moore County Sheriff's Office served the arrest warrant since the offender lives in their jurisdiction.
 - **June 25th – Verbal dispute/domestic assault.** Officers received a call to check on a resident of Hammerstone Circle. The caller believed that her mother may have been assaulted. An officer went to the residence and spoke with the female. She repeatedly claimed she was fine and the officer saw physical injuries. The female indicated that she had been arguing with her spouse but everything was fine. The officer gave the female some information about resources available to her if needed.
 - **June 28th – Larceny.** A resident of Rookery Lane reported that someone took her blower that had been just outside of her garage door. There were construction workers working next door that kept staring over in her yard. Later in the day the officer saw the two trucks that had been next door to the victim.

An officer stopped the trucks. The officer found the missing blower in one of the trucks. The officer seized the blower and placed one of the drivers under arrest for the larceny of the blower. He was then transported to the Moore County Jail.

- **June 28th – Failure to appear on a driving while impaired charge.** An officer was flagged down by two individuals who were walking and thought they may be lost. They were in fact traveling in the wrong direction. The officer checked the names and determined that one of the individuals had an outstanding order for arrest out of Robeson County for failure to appear on a driving while impaired charge. The individual was placed under arrest and transported to the Moore County Jail.
- **June 29th – Violation of Village ordinance (dog at large).** A resident of Herons Brook reported that she found some dogs running loose and had them in her backyard. The dogs had tags and the officer contacted the dog owner. The dog owner came to pick up her dogs. The officer issued her a warning ticket for the violation since this was the first violation.

2. There were two (2) traffic accidents in the Village this month.

- **June 8th** – An accident occurred at the intersection of Niagara Carthage Road and Vass Carthage Road. A vehicle stopped at a stop sign but then pulled out in front of an oncoming vehicle that had the right of way. Several individuals possibly had injuries and were transported to the hospital. Both vehicles had to be towed from the scene.
- **June 28th** – An accident occurred at the intersection of Niagara Carthage Road and Airport Road. A vehicle failed to stop at the stop sign and pulled out in front of an oncoming vehicle. There were no injuries reported. One of the vehicles had to be towed from the scene. The driver who failed to stop was issued a citation for unsafe movement.

3. Safety (Department)

- We continue to provide training for police staff above what is required.

4. Safety (Village)

- Officers have performed numerous saturation patrols on roads where complaints have been received about speeding violations.
- Extra officers were scheduled to handle the crowd that attended the June 15th concert.
- Officers stood by for the parachute drop in Thagard Lake.
- Adjusted work schedule to cover the lake on weekends.

5. Other Events of Interest

- **June 12th** – Lt. Dozier attended the monthly Investigators Meeting at the Moore County Sheriff’s Office where issues of common concern are discussed among local law enforcement agencies.
- **June 18th** - Investigator Elaine Staley with the NC State Crime Lab came to the PD to meet with Lt. Dozier and Sgt. Graham to go over new laws regulating the tracking of sexual assault kits by the lab. Staley also discussed the agencies responsibility of entering sexual assault kits (SAK) into the new STIMS system so that the SAK can be tracked, and the victim will have access to check the website to see where their individual kit is at any given time.

7. Ordinance Violations

Parked in right-of-way – 6

Parked in roadway - 1

Dog at large – 3

Park violations – 50

Park violation – 2 (civil penalty)



The Whispering Pines Police Department would like to thank Safe Kids Mid-Carolinas for allowing us to use their Hot Cars Display. Senior Officer Holt and Officer Hinson set the display up at Food Lion and the temperature inside the vehicle reached all the way up to 126 degrees!!

Senior Officer Holt stated that the purpose of setting this display up was to raise awareness of the concerns with leaving your children and pets inside vehicles. Even if you are only going inside for a 'few minutes', it is way too dangerous to leave them inside a vehicle.

We also would like to thank Food Lion for allowing us to set everything up in front of the store!

If you see a child or pet left inside the vehicle, please call the police department at (910) 949-9961 or by dialing 911.



Statistics 2019

MONTH	INCIDENTS	ARRESTS	ARREST CHARGES	ACCIDENTS	WARNINGS	WARNING CHARGES	CITATIONS	CITATION CHARGES	COMMUNITY HOUSE CHECKS	BUSINESS CHECKS
January	41	7	15	4	103	116	121	167	503	1,107
February	25	11	22	2	93	114	82	118	515	954
March	24	11	22	4	153	166	114	153	466	1,098
April	26	10	18	5	89	99	87	133	445	1,042
May	23	10	17	1	93	102	75	106	580	1,113
June	12	8	12	2	129	137	77	105	667	1006
July										
August										
September										
October										
November										
December										
TOTALS	151	57	106	18	660	734	556	782	3,176	6,320

Statistics 2018

MONTH	INCIDENTS	ARRESTS	ARREST CHARGES	ACCIDENTS	WARNINGS	WARNING CHARGES	CITATIONS	CITATION CHARGES	COMMUNITY HOUSE CHECKS	BUSINESS CHECKS
January	9	5	10	6	69	72	59	78	545	990
February	15	6	28	5	82	92	72	102	442	897
March	13	6	11	4	71	81	87	115	435	999
April	17	10	22	2	93	104	60	89	539	1,026
May	21	11	19	1	91	98	86	118	529	986
June	17	8	8	4	104	111	75	98	668	1,008
July	24	15	21	3	102	118	83	110	701	923
August	17	11	20	3	93	102	94	134	657	1,105
September	21	13	21	2	65	81	69	105	503	955
October	26	12	25	4	122	135	106	156	499	1,005
November	20	9	17	3	96	103	83	116	577	1,043
December	24	13	26	1	84	92	96	134	745	965
TOTALS	224	119	228	38	1,072	1,189	970	1,355	6,840	11,902

Activity Log Event Summary (Cumulative Totals)

Whispering Pines Police Department

(06/01/2019 - 06/30/2019)

Accident/No fatality	2	Animal Complaint	4
Arrest - All Other	4	Arrest - Drug Violation	2
ASSIST - CITIZEN	7	ASSIST - EMS	17
ASSIST - FIRE DEPARTMENT	5	ASSIST - OFFICER	20
Bank Deposit	4	Bike Helmet Certificate	51
Business Check	26	Business Contact	1
Case Follow Up	7	Child Safety Seat Install/Inspect	1
Citation - All Other	2	Citation - Defective Safety Equipment	2
Citation - Displaying an Expired Registration	17	Citation - Driver's License Revoked. (G.S. 20-28)	17
Citation - Failing to See Before Turning From a	1	Citation - Failure to Carry Driver License	1
Citation - Failure to Register	2	Citation - Fictitious Plate	2
Citation - Inspection	12	Citation - No Insurance	5
Citation - No Operating License	4	Citation - Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	2
Citation - Registration Plate Revoked GS	5	Citation - Simple Misdemeanor or Possession of	2
Citation - Speeding	30	Citation -Without Being Licensed as a Driver in	1
CITIZEN CONTACT	36	Cleaned Patrol Vehicle	8
COURT	3	DESTROYED EVIDENCE	3
Directing Traffic	3	Disturbance Call	1
Fingerprint Subject at PD	7	Foot Patrol at Food Lion Plaza	66
Incident - Domestic Assault	1	Incident - Fraud	1
Incident - Larceny	1	Incident - Ordinance Violations	3
Incident - Other	1	Incident - Possession Drug/Paraphernalia	2

Investigate (All Other)	14	Investigate Traffic Complaint (via 911 or person)	3
Investigate Village Ordinance Complaint	15	License Check	3
Meeting	12	Ordinance Violations (Civil Penalty)	2
Park Patrol	128	Presentation	1
Request visit by Citizen	9	RESIDENCE CHECKS	30
RESPOND TO ALARM CALL	8	Saturation Patrol	34
SCHOOL/TRAINING	22	Served Criminal Summons	1
Speed Trailer	4	Store Closing	55
Suspicious Person	6	Suspicious Vehicle	9
Unlock locked vehicle	2	Vehicle Servicing	9
Warning Ticket - All Other	2	Warning Ticket - Defective Safety Equipment	10
Warning Ticket - Exceeding Posted Speed	39	Warning Ticket - Expired Inspection	7
Warning Ticket - Expired Registration	11	Warning Ticket - Failure to Stop at Stop Sign	2
Warning Ticket - Left of Center	2	Warning Ticket - Seat Belt Violation	3
Warning Ticket - Unsafe Movement	1	Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	3
Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	50	Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	6
Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	1	Welcome New Resident	25
Welfare Check Request	4		

Total Number of Events: 9

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

Goal #1: To provide a uniform standard that will enable personnel of the department to be more consistent in procedures when handling situations.

Daily briefings are being conducted by officers at shift changes. The Lieutenant and Sergeant have also discussed monthly schedule and operational concerns with all officers this month.

A quarterly staff meeting was held on June 11th. Some of the topics covered included enforcement of lake/park ordinances, parking issues, and volunteer program to name a few.

General Order 006 – Custody Procedures for Wanted Persons was revised to change the reporting procedures now that we have NIBRS reporting.

All officers completed policy reviews of General Order 023 – DCI Verification and Entries and General Order 024 – Citizen Complaint Procedures.

Goal #2: To provide for education and further development of department personnel to enhance officer and department professionalism.

All officers viewed a training video about how to reduce your risk of being dragged by a vehicle during a traffic stop.

Senior Officer Holt completed the mandated in-service training Leadership and Professional Development course on June 3rd.

Sgt. Graham completed the mandated in-service training 2019 Individual Wellness: Coping with Stress and PTSD on June 7th and 2019 Domestic Violence: Law and Procedure Update on June 13th.

On June 11th all police department personnel completed the CPR and AED training to recertify for another 2 years.

On June 13th all police department personnel completed First Aid training to recertify for another 2 years.

Goal #3: Provide for a higher degree of personal contact between community and department personnel.

Officers welcomed 19 new residents this month and provided the new residents with a police “Welcome Packet” describing many of the services offered by our department.

Child IDs – 0

Chief Campbell, Sgt. Graham, and Officer Strickland attended the monthly LEO meeting in Carthage.

Child seat installations – 1

Goal #4: Conduct special enforcement programs and participate in GHSP campaigns.

Officers conducted a checkpoint on June 13th on Hardee Lane. 2 citations were issued during this hour-long checkpoint. Our department also earned 50 points in the GHSP Step Reporting Program for conducting this checkpoint.

Goal #5: Continue current crime prevention programs to maintain the Village’s low crime statistics.

We remain fully staffed.

Traffic complaints were received for speeding issues on Cardinal Drive and Herons Brooks Drive. So far officers have conducted 26 saturation patrols on Cardinal Drive and 8 saturation patrols on Herons Brook Drive.

Officers have conducted:

- House checks – 667 (average 22 a day)
- Business checks – 1,006
- Store closings – 55
- Food Lion foot patrols - 66

We now have 10 seniors in the Senior Call In Program. One senior in the program moved out of state this month.

We provided the new The Pitch with stats from June and an article about the hot car display at Food Lion on June 18th.

We have 5 certified child seat technicians. 4 officers and the Sergeant are certified child seat technicians.

Goal #6: Proactive approach in looking for safety concerns.

In our efforts to meet OSHA requirements, quarterly and yearly reviews of the Infectious Disease Control Plan have been scheduled. Chief Campbell completed a yearly review and found no changes needed at this time. The next quarterly review will be scheduled for September 2019.