



Erie County Sheriffs Office Media Release Summary

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The Erie County Sheriff's Office responded to 160 calls the week of this report. Below is a sampling of the noteworthy incidents on **Grand Island**.

Date	Street	Type	Narrative
12/7	Sheree Dr.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that a male subject was walking a dog late at night and appeared to be looking inside of cars and houses. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subject.
12/7	Center Ct.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that a male subject was walking through the apartment complex parking lot during the late hours of the night and appeared to be looking into cars. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subject.
12/7	I-190	Motorist Broke Down	Deputies assisted a motorist whose vehicle had become disabled.
12/7	Continental La.	Animal Loose	The complainant states that her dog went missing during the previous day. The Dog Control Officer was notified.
12/7	Ward Park Rd.	Criminal Mischief	The complainant states that sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) smashed the windshield of his vehicle using a cinder block.
12/7	Jamestown Rd.	Animal Loose	Deputies located a loose dog in the neighborhood. The dog was returned to its rightful owner.
12/7	Long Rd.	Deer Struck	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident involving a deer. No injuries were reported.
12/7	Grand Island Blvd.	Motorist Broke Down	Deputies assisted a motorist whose vehicle had become disabled.
12/7	Baseline Rd.	Fireworks Use	The complainant states she heard 5 shots fired in the area. Deputies checked and determined the shots to be fireworks but were unable to locate any person(s) in the area.
12/8	Glen Avon Rd.	Marijuana Possession	Following a traffic stop and subsequent investigation, Deputies arrested 24 y/o Nicholas Fachko of Grand Island for Unlawful Possession of Marijuana (Violation) and a traffic infraction. Fachko was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
12/8	Schwegler Rd.	Criminal Mischief	The complainant states that sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) used a firework to blow up his

			mailbox. This complaint is seemingly linked to the Fireworks Use complaint Deputies responded to during the night on Baseline Rd.
12/8	South State Pkwy.	Narcotics Arrest	Following a traffic stop and subsequent investigation, Deputies arrested 40 y/o Lori Smith of Grand Island for Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 7 th Degree (Class A Misdemeanor), Criminally Possessing a Hypodermic Instrument (Class A Misdemeanor), Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 rd Degree (Misdemeanor) and several traffic infractions. Smith was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
12/8	Ransom Rd.	Suspicious Person with Vehicle	Employees of the Grand Island Market state that a male patron entered the store and appeared to be intoxicated. The male then left the store and was sitting in his vehicle in the parking lot. Deputies located the male subject and the vehicle and determined he was not intoxicated. The male subject was advised and left without incident.
12/8	South State Pkwy.	Reckless Operation	The complainant states that a vehicle was travelling southbound in the northbound lanes on South State Pkwy. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given.
12/9	Whitehaven Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident involving a telephone pole. No injuries were reported. National Grid was notified due to the damage the pole sustained.
12/9	Baseline Rd.	Marijuana Possession	Following a traffic stop and subsequent investigation, Deputies arrested 22 y/o Kayla Salonek of Grand Island for Unlawful Possession of Marijuana (Violation) and a traffic infraction. Salonek was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
12/10	Whitehaven Rd.	Wires Down	Deputies responded to a report of wires in the roadway.
12/10	Stony Point Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.
12/10	Marilyn Dr.	Larceny	The complainant states that sometime during the previous evening, an unknown person(s) stole various construction items from her yard. Investigation Ongoing.
12/11	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that she was awoken by the sound of someone kicking her door down during the late hours of the night. Deputies checked and determined the complaint to be unfounded.
12/11	Riverdale Dr.	Suspicious Person with Vehicle	Deputies located a male subject sleeping in his parked vehicle during the late hours of night. The subject was advised and left without incident.
12/11	Grand Island Blvd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.
12/11	Sheree Dr.	Animal Loose	The complainant states that a loose dog was running through the neighborhood. The Dog Control Officer was notified.
12/11	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Person	Employees of Sunoco state that a male patron came inside the store and attempted to buy alcohol with a fake ID. When refused the sale, the male subject left in a

			vehicle in an unknown direction. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subject.
12/12	Calvano Dr.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) went through her garbage and may have taken personal papers.
12/12	East River Rd.	Suspicious Person with Vehicle	The complainant states that a male in a dark colored SUV was driving through the neighborhood numerous times. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle or subject by the description given.
12/12	Grand Island Blvd.	Narcotics/Traffic Arrest	Employees of Tops state that a male subject was slumped over in his vehicle and appeared to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Deputies investigation led to the arrest of 31 y/o Stephen Giddings of Grand Island for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 rd Degree (Misdemeanor) and 2 counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 7 th Degree (Class A Misdemeanor). Giddings was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
12/13	Love Rd.	Marijuana Possession	Following a traffic stop and subsequent investigation, Deputies arrested 18 y/o Benjamin Mannarino of Niagara Falls for Criminal Possession of Marijuana 3 rd Degree (Class E Felony) and traffic infractions after he was found to be in possession of approximately 12 ounces of marijuana. Mannarino was transported to the Erie County Holding Center pending his arraignment in the Town of Grand Island Court.
12/13	Love Rd.	Burglary	The complainant states that sometime in the past month, an unknown person(s) entered his business and stole various tools and construction equipment. Investigation Ongoing.
12/13	Greenway Rd.	Pistol Permit Investigation	Deputies conducted a background check of an individual who applied for a pistol permit.
12/13	Ransom Rd.	Larceny	The complainant states his child's phone was stolen by a known person(s) while at the Grand Island High School. Investigation Ongoing.
12/13	Alvin Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.

Deputies responded to 12 Burglary False alarm calls and 1 Fire Alarms during the dates of this report.