Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, www.greenbeltmd.gov/police. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Robbery

September 2, 10:35 p.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive. Two men approached a person walking to a residence and demanded his wallet. When he refused, one of them sprayed him in the face with an unknown substance and took the wallet. The man then got someone to transport him to Doctors Community Hospital for treatment.

Reckless Endangerment

August 30, 7:08 p.m., 7500 block Mandan Road. Officers responded to a report of the sound of gunshots as two vehicles left the area, where officers located several bullet casings. There were no reports of injuries. A witness said she saw two red SUVs with the operators involved in some type of verbal altercation prior to the incident.

Sex Offense

August 30, 3:37 p.m., Buddy Attick Park. A woman reported that on August 16 she was approached by a man she knew, who attempted to hug her and then touched her inappropriately. The investigation is ongoing.

Theft

August 28, 5:20 p.m., 7500 block Greenway Center Drive. A wallet was taken from a purse in an office suite.

August 28, 7:50 p.m., 6200 block Springhill Drive. An unattended carry pouch was taken from the counter at the Franklin Park Pool. A credit card in the pouch was later used to make unauthorized purchases.

September 2, 9:54 p.m., 20 Southway. A cashier at the BP Service Station reported that two men with crowbars entered the lobby and began hitting the ATM machine. The cashier locked herself in a back office. The men left after taking money. They are described as black, one 5 feet 7 inches tall weighing 145 pounds and each wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt, black baseball cap and red gloves. One appeared to be wearing black sneakers and the other white ones.

Disorderly Conduct

August 31, 3:39 p.m., 5500 block Cherrywood Lane. A 25-year-old resident was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct, second degree assault and

vandalism when officers responded to a report of a man throwing furniture in front of the Chipotles restaurant. He was transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Indecent Exposure

August 31, 6:21 p.m., 5700 block Cherrywood Lane. A 32-year-old nonresident was arrested and charged with indecent exposure after he was found lying next to a bus stop exposing himself. He was transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Vandalism

August 29, 10 p.m., 8 Court Southway. Two electrical meter boxes were vandalized.

Vehicle Crime

A 2010 Ford Econoline-100 van taken on September 2 from the 6200 block Springhill Court was recovered the same day by Prince George's County police in the 6400 block Landing Way in Landover.

A 2018 Nissan Altima reported stolen on August 26 from the 6100 block Breezewood Drive was recovered August 31 by D.C. Metropolitan police in the 3100 block South Dakota Avenue, N.E.

A 2020 Ford Explorer SUV was recovered on September 1 in the 9100 block Edmonston Road prior to it having been reported stolen to the Falls Church Police Department.

Rear Maryland tag A355255 was taken from a vehicle in the 5900 block Cherrywood Lane on August 30.

Tampering occurred on September 2 when officers responded to a report of a man in the 9300 block Edmonston Road pulling on door handles of vehicles.

A window was broken out and a laptop computer taken on Mandan Road near Mathew Street on August 31.

A window was broken out on August 31 in the 7500 block Mandan Road.

Mustard and ketchup were poured on a vehicle on September 3 in the 7200 block Sunset Place. The person involved was identified and the matter was settled between the parties.

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter.

Call 1-866-411-TIPS. Drug Tip Line at 240-542-2145.



Butterflies at 15 Court Laurel Hill Road

CDCG Skills Training Helps Groups Nurture Members

by Aileen Kroll

Greenbelt's Community Pledge embodies the best of what city residents have to offer, emphasizing that the city's strength is "diverse people living together in a spirit of cooperation. We celebrate people of many cultures, faiths, and races living together. By sharing together, we all are enriched." Seeking to enact these words, The Center for Dynamic Community Governance (CDCG) will be offering an opportunity to learn about how to help groups be well-run and to provide positive opportunities for individual and group growth and development. The session, open to all residents of the Greenbelt community, will be held on Saturday, September 21, at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center.

This is the second in a threepart series of training sessions entitled Growing Skills & Nurturing Talent. The session aims to help participants develop skills to run meetings that are both efficient as well as a positive experience for attendees. The session will train participants how groups make decisions and resolve disagreements in creative, transparent and inclusive ways. CDCG presented the first session on April 13 at the Community Center. Dynamic and interactive group discussions were held throughout the day with community organization representatives and local business people. All who attended that meeting are welcome to attend this upcoming session in order to receive additional training in effective governance modalities. The staff of CDCG also welcomes newcomers. This training session is open to all including local business people, community organizers and anyone interested in growing their organizational skills. CDCG extends a special invitation to children and teens who want to develop their leadership skills. The mighty Earth Squad kids will be participating during the course of the day. There is no cost for the training and no registration is required. Attendees may stop by any time during the hours in which this training will be offered. International CDCG trainer, John Buck, will also be offering one-on-one confidential, professional, customized analysis of community group and business processes and operations, including workflow design and volunteer management in 45-minute increments throughout the day. This offering includes a month of no-cost follow-up coaching. Contact Aileen Kroll at aileen@dynamicgovernance.org to schedule a time slot for the training session. The conveners of this session will be assisted by members of the Greenbelt Time Bank. Participants will have the opportunity to learn about TimeBank and how it

works. CDCG is grateful to the Greenbelt Community Foundation for supporting this series of sessions.

Aileen Kroll is co-founder and co-director of CDCG.

GHI Notes

Thursday, September 12, 6:30 p.m., Investment Committee Meeting, Board Room; 7:30 p.m., Finance Committee Meeting, Board Room

Tuesday, September 17, 7 p.m., Communications Committee Meeting, GHI Kitchen; 7:30 p.m., Companion Animal Committee Meeting, GHI Lobby; 7:30 p.m., Legislative and Government Affairs Committee Meeting, Board Room

Wednesday, September 18, 7 p.m., Bicycle Committee Meeting, GHI Lobby; 7 p.m., Woodlands Committee Meeting, Board Room

Thursday, September 19, 7:45 p.m., Board of Directors Meeting, Board Room

Friday, September 20, office closed. Emergency maintenance service available at 301-474-6011.



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