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WEEK REPORT

2018-11-19 to 2018-11-25

Amherst Police responded to 119 complaints.

Monday:

A female reported her licence plate validation tag was stolen off her vehicle while it was parked on Eddy Street. Police are investigating.

Witnesses reported observing a vehicle reversing on South Albion Street from the Tim Hortons/Wendys restaurant to D.R. Polleys. A vehicle was stopped by police and the male was issued a violation ticket for unsafe backing.

Tuesday:

Police are investigating a shoplifting incident at a store in the Amherst Centre Mall. A female is reported to have taken a jacket from the store. The female has been identified and charges are probable.

Police received a report from a female stating her vehicle was stolen and another vehicle was left in her driveway. The investigation revealed the female had taken the wrong vehicle home from a local business. No charges were laid; however, a driver's review was applied for by police.

Wednesday:

Police are investigating an incident in the parking lot of a South Albion Street business. A male approached another male and spat on him. The male also uttered a threat to the victim. The male is described as a tall Caucasian with brown hair. The male left the scene in a silver, two-door, Honda Civic. Police are investigating the incident.

Officers responded to a complaint of a fight between a male and a female at a South Albion Street area residence. It was discovered the male and female were arguing, however, it was not a physical fight. No charges were laid in the incident.

Two males are facing charges after a vehicle compliance officer stopped a vehicle in the Amherst Centre Mall parking lot. The males failed to stop at the scales with a dump truck that they were driving. The Vehicle

Compliance officer asked the driver to drive the vehicle back to the scales. The two males fled the vehicle and APD officers were notified. The Vehicle Compliance officer and an APD member apprehended the two males behind the Tim Hortons-Wendy's parking lot. A search of one of the males subsequent to his arrest produced a disassembled shotgun and ammunition. A 36-year-old male has been charged with possession of stolen property, driving while disqualified and failing to comply with a probation order. A 20-year-old male faces several firearms related offences and a charge of possessing property obtained by crime. Both were released on a promise to appear in court on Jan. 21 for plea.

Thursday:

A vehicle rental business reported a female refused to return a vehicle she had rented. Police investigating the complaint discovered the female had returned the vehicle and the matter is now a civil matter.

A male is facing a possible breach charge after police attended his West Victoria Street residence for a curfew check. The male was not home and charges are likely to be laid in the matter.

Friday:

A 28-year-old male has been referred to Restorative Justice after he was caught shoplifting from a South Albion Street store. The male had taken several items from the store before being detained.

Police received a call of a shoplifting incident at a Robert Angus Drive store. A male, identified by witnesses, is reported to have stolen items from the store. The business did not wish to proceed with charges but the male was barred from the business.

Saturday:

A grey Toyota 4Runner was reported stolen from an Abbey Road residence. The vehicle had a Nova Scotia licence plate AGG84 affixed to it. Police are investigating the incident.

Police responded to a report of an assault at a Rupert Street residence. The investigation revealed three females had gotten into an argument. No arrests were made; however, police are still investigating.

Sunday:

Police responded to reports that a male was detained by residents after he was spotted going through their vehicle on Fullerton Street. The male, 27, was arrested by police officers and several items on him indicated he had been breaking into cars. The male is facing charges of theft, trespassing at night and possession of a Schedule 1 drug. He is slated to appear in court on Jan. 7 for plea.

Officers responded to a 911 open-line call in the East Pleasant Street area. Investigation into the call led to a 36-year-old male being charged with assault and uttering threats. The domestic incident is still under investigation. The male was released on a promise to appear in court on Dec. 10 for plea.

Anyone with information related to these incidents is asked to contact the Amherst Police Department at 667-8600 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).