

BARTOW POLICE DEPARTMENT

Monthly Activity Report

January 2020



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PATROL DIVISION

CAPTAIN HIRAM SAUNDERS, PATROL DIVISION COMMANDER

ALPHA SQUAD - SGT. WILLIAM STEVENS

NEW EMPLOYEES

Officer Holland is working under FTO Daughtrey and Officer Sellers is training under FTO Bilbrey.

EDUCATION

Officers completed monthly Police One and Police Law Institute Training assignments. Officer Bilbrey conducted K-9 Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- ♦ JACKSON, Teresa: Aggravated Battery/Domestic Violence.
- ♦ BELL, Ron: Trespassing in a Structure.

OTHER

Alpha Squad is responsible for 22 arrests and issued 38 citations this month.

Officers conducted heavy patrols in residential areas in an attempt to minimize burglaries; Officers also maintained frequent patrols of the churches during service times and focused on directed traffic assignments in an attempt to lower traffic complaints.

BRAVO SQUAD SGT. RANDY TAGLIARINI

NEW EMPLOYEES

Officer Hanie and Officer Franchetti were assigned to Bravo Squad this month to complete their final phase of training.

EDUCATION

Officers completed their online training assignments, as well as conducting Policy Reviews.

Officer Anderson attended K9 Trainings with Lakeland Police Dept. month.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- ♦ BOTTOMS, Michael: Burglary to a Structure, Grand Theft.

OTHER

This month Charlie Squad responded to over 493 call for service, and issued 40 citations.

Officers conducted extra patrols in Azalea Gardens, School Zones and conducted several House Watch Orders.

Officer Anderson and k9 Falco were deployed twice with month for a Free Air Sniff and alerted both times resulting in 2 narcotics arrests.

In addition, Charlie Squad participated in the Annual MLK, Jr. Parade & Festival held Jan. 20, 2020.

CHARLIE SQUAD - SGT. JOHN MCKEE

NEW EMPLOYEES

N/A

EDUCATION

Officers completed their online training assignments, and conducted Policy Reviews.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- ♦ DOBSON-CENTORE, Tanner: Poss. Of Alprazolam (Xanax) and Poss. of Meth.
- ♦ DAILY-ROACH, Karissa: Poss. Of Meth.
- ♦ JACKSON, Teresa: Aggravated Battery

OTHER

Officers conducted heavy patrol in the areas Sugar Hill and Azalea Gardens in an attempt to reduce calls for service in those areas.

DELTA SQUAD - O.I.C. JORDAN MARCH

NEW EMPLOYEES

Officer Schussler and Gonzalez joined Delta Squad this month.

EDUCATION

Officers completed monthly Police One and Police Law Institute Training assignments.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- ♦ ROBERTS, Douglas: Poss. Of Meth. Violation of Pretrial Release, and Resisting w/o Violence.
- ♦ HELMS, Timothy: Domestic Violence Battery by Strangulation and Battery on a Person 65 years or Older.
- ♦ MAXWELL, Kevin: Poss. Of Meth, Poss. Of Controlled Substance w/o a Prescription.
- ♦ OUTLAW, Chasity: Poss., of Meth
- ♦ MULVEY, Michael: Driving Under the Influence.

OTHER

Alpha Squad is responsible for 22 arrests and issued 59 citations this month.

Officers also maintained frequent patrols of the churches during service times.

C.S.T. COMMUNITY SERVICES TEAM

SGT. LUKE HAUSER

NEW EMPLOYEES:

N/A

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Online Police Law training is up to date.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ THOMAS, Jennifer M: Poss. Of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ LOCKE, John: Poss. Of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ CISNEROS, Hector: Poss. Of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ SMITH, Chavis: Arrested for 2 Active Warrants, Giving False ID to Law Enforcement Officer and Resisting w/o Violence.
- ♦ ROBERTS, Samantha: Poss. Of Meth and Poss. of Drug Paraphernalia
- ♦ CST Assisted the Detective Section in locating an apprehending Jackie Richardson who was identified as the Armed Robbery suspect from 01/28 Robbery at Dollar General.

CST Officers made 11 arrests and issued 28 Traffic Citations during the month of December.

COMMUNITY SERVICE EVENTS / ACTIVITIES

Tuesday, Jan 7, 2020 CST attended the Monthly Chief's Chat held this month at Perkins Restaurant at 7:30 AM.

Tuesday, Jan. 14, 2019 Lyn Bryan attended the monthly EPAC Meeting held at Carver Rec. Center.

Wed. Jan. 15, 2020 Sgt. Hauser and Lyn Bryan attended the funeral of fallen Lakeland Police Officer.

DETECTIVE BUREAU-SGT. MICHELLE SMITH**NEW EMPLOYEES**

N/A

EDUCATION

Detectives completed Police Law Institute and Police One Academy Training.

Det. Warren attended New Detective training.

Det. Strickland attended a Cold Case Homicide Seminar

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- ♦ WHITE, Robert: Aggravated Battery on a Law Enforcement Officer.
- ♦ RICHARDSON, Jackie: Robbery with a Firearm; Robbery with a Mask, Poss. of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon, and Conspire to Commit Armed Robbery and Grand Theft.

OTHER

Detectives Fender and Vaughn attended the funeral of fallen Lakeland Police Officer on Jan. 15, 2020.

DETECTIVE SECTION MONTHLY CLEARANCE RATE						
DETECTIVE	JAN. ARRESTS	Arrests To Date - 2020	INDIVIDUAL CASE LOAD			CLEARANCE RATE
			INACTIVE	ACTIVE	CLEARED	
Det. Ken Fender	2	2	0	23	6	26%
Det. Toni Strickland	0	0	14	25	5	8%
Det. Cody Vaughn	2	2	0	39	3	13%
Det. Christopher Warren	0	0	9	35	5	9%
(Total)	4	4	23	122	19	13%

Volunteer Activity

JANUARY 2020 BARTOW POLICE DEPARTMENT VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY						
CITIZENS ON PATROL				RESERVE OFFICERS		OTHER VOLUNTEERS
Russ Cannons	0	David Lane	4.00	Mike Butler	32.50	Patrick Halley 12.00
Delores Lane	4.00	Julie Shaffer	0	William Groover	11.00	
Marvin Wiggins	3.50			William Nelson	0	
TOTAL VOLUNTEER HOURS FOR 2020				67.00		

JANUARY 2020 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES - 16 PROPERTY CRIME TYPES RESIDENTIAL / CONVEYANCE / BUSINESS	TIME OF OCCURRENCE			TYPE OF ENTRY		
	DAY	NIGHT	UNK	FORCED	NO FORCE	UNK
RESIDENTIAL TOTAL: 6 Includes Single family homes, Apartments, Mobile Homes, Carport, Storage Sheds	17%	67%	17%	33%	67%	0%
CONVEYANCE TOTAL- 7 Includes All Vehicles, Boats, and Trailers	43%	43%	14%	0%	100%	0%
BUSINESS TOTAL: 3 Includes Businesses, Churches, Storage Facilities, and Schools	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%

PROPERTY CRIMES 2014-2020							
	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
JAN	16	10	18	27	16	21	31
FEB		19	11	15	15	24	21
MAR		8	35	15	22	29	42
APR		9	20	16	47	33	47
MAY		12	24	16	42	26	25
JUNE		11	7	24	33	21	29
JULY		20	26	20	21	17	22
AUG		21	24	39	24	18	36
SEPT		24	28	19	23	23	34
OCT		29	32	19	26	27	40
NOV		33	34	15	23	33	25
DEC		13	30	17	17	37	25
TOTAL	16	209	289	242	309	309	377

• The number of Property Crimes reported in January was up 60% from January of last year, and up 23% from last month.

• ZONE/BEAT "B" had highest number of reported Property Crimes this month.

(see page 5 for zone/beat areas)

✓ Does Neighborhood Watch Work?

Neighborhood Watch is one of the oldest and most effective crime prevention programs in the country. The program brings citizens and communities together, with law enforcement to deter crime and make communities safer. For more information on how to start a Crime Watch Group in your neighborhood, contact:

Crime Prevention Practitioner
Lyn Bryan at 863-534-5034 or
email lbryan.pd@cityofbartow.net

City of Bartow (26) Beat Map

A

North of West Main St.(Hwy60) to
Van Fleet, West of Van Fleet to
Broadway (Hwy 98)

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Polk Street Center, Gause Academy
- Stephens & Spessard Holland Elem. Schools
- Highland Lake Estates, Richland Manor
- Magnolia Walk, Griffin's Landing & Green
- Wind Meadows, Saddlewood
- Holiday Inn Express
- Portions of Lyle Pkwy & EF Griffin Rd

B

South of Main Street,
West of Broadway Ave.

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Square Lake (gated homes), Wildwood Cemetery
- Floral Ave. Elem, First Methodist School
- 555 Ballpark Facilities, Bartow Chevrolet
- Civic Center, Polk School Bd. Offices, Floral Lakes
- Laurel Meadows & The Villages

C

South of Main St, East of Broadway Ave,
West of Hwy 17

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Bartow Elementary Academy
- Bartow Middle & High Schools
- Mary Holland & Nye Jordan Parks
- Oak Hammock Mobile Home Pk
- Post Office
- Kissingen Ave.

D

East of Hwy 98, North of Van Fleet Drive & Hwy
60 Bypass, Primarily a Business District

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Bartow Ford Co. & Ernest Smith Blvd, Bartow Reg. Medical Center
- Old Bartow Eagle Lake Rd, The Meeting House
- James Point, Taylor Brooke
- Wal-Mart & The Hampton Inn
- Fountain Place Apts. Badcock Home Furn., Tractor Supply
- Bear Creek Apts.

E

East of Hwy 17, South of Main Street (Hwy
60) and Flamingo

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Azalea Gardens & Carver Village
- Savannah Court, Rohr Home, Bartow Center
- Jail Annex Facilities, Peace River CSU, County Offices
- County Extension Office, Agriculture Center
- Orange Plant (Peace River Citrus)
- Golf Course, Union Academy, Gibbons St. Elementary

F

The Center of Bartow, North of Main Street
(Hwy 60) to Van Fleet (Hwy 60 Bypass)

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Polk Historical Courthouse, Polk Courthouse, PCBC Offices
- Historical Church Street, Summerlin Oaks Apts.
- Publix Shopping Center & Lowes
- Dept. of Transportation Office
- PCSO Book-In/Jail Intake
- Bartow City Hall, Police & Fire Depts.

