# BARTOW POLICE DEPARTMENT Monthly Activity Report

# June 2018



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**BARTOW POLICE EXPLORER POST 631** 

### PATROL DIVISION CAPTAIN HIRAM SAUNDERS, PATROL DIVISION COMMANDER

#### ALPHA SQUAD - SGT. WILLIAM STEVENS

#### NEW EMPLOYEES

Officer Brown is in the FTO Program assigned to Officer McKee. **EDUCATION** 

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

#### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- SCAIFE, John: Robbery by Sudden Snatching
- BLACK, Tiffany: Grand Theft
- CHERRY, Cedrick: Burglary
- BALLARD, Matthew: Escaped Prisoner
- PHILLIPS, James: Grand Theft Motor Vehide.

#### OTHER

Alpha Squad is responsible for 24 arrests and issued 135 citations this month.

Officers conducted heavy patrols in the area of Sugar Hill and Azalea Gardens in an attempt to reduce the calls for service in these areas.

Heavy traffic enforcement was conducted on Hwy 17 and Hwy 60 and Woodlawn to curb the excessive speeding in those areas.

Officer Bilbrey and Officer Daughtry received Letters of Commendations for their actions in the arrest of an escaped prisoner.



Newest Officer, Riley Brown was sworn-in on June 4, 2018

#### BRAVO SQUAD - SGT. MICHELLE SMITH

#### EDUCATION:

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

Ofc. Anderson continues in K9 training school with new K9 (Falco).

#### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

None

#### OTHER:

Bravo Squad is responsible for 15 arrests and issued 157 citations

Officers have focused their efforts to conducting Watch Orders and Directed Patrols throughout the city.

Officers assisted CSX with the clearing of the homeless camp east of the Fort Frasier Trail

#### CHARLIE SQUAD - SGT. GERAD HUNT

#### EDUCATION

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

Officer A. Gonzalez completed 16 Hrs. of Monthly K9 Training.

#### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS

- JOHNSON, William E.: Possession of Meth, Possession of Xanax, Possession of Hydrocodone, Possession of Cannabis, Possession of Paraphernalia.
- PARMER, James Walter: Possession of Meth, Possession of Xanax, Possession of Cannabis, and Possession of Paraphernalia

#### **OTHER:**

Charlie Squad members continue to patrol in the area of Sugar Hill, L.B. Brown House, and Azalea Gardens.

Charlie Squad made 6 arrests this month and issued a total of 14 Citations.

#### DELTA SQUAD - SGT. CARL SMITH

#### NEW EMPLOYEES:

N/A

#### **EDUCATION:**

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

#### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- TORRES-MARTINEZ, Gabriel: Possession o methamphetamine and Paraphernalia.
- SMITH, Debbie: Possession of Methamphetamine and Paraphernalia.
- RICKS, Dennis: Possession of Cocaine, Paraphernalia and driving on a Suspended License.

#### OTHER:

Delta Squad is responsible for the following: 27 Arrests and 33 Citations.

### PARKING ENFORCEMENT



In an effort to make parking in downtown Bartow available for everyone, Bartow Police Department has been enforcing the City's existing parking ordinance.

Public Safety Aide Tyrinda Pride has been issuing citations for parking violations.

This month she issued over 45 citations in the downtown Bartow area.

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#### DETECTIVE BUREAU Sgt. Eric Sherouse

#### NEW EMPLOYEES

Crime Scene Technician Rosemary Lloyd completed Crime Scene Training with PCSO and began with our Unit this month. CST Lloyd will be responsible for processing major crime scenes and assisting with Property/Evidence.

#### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Detectives completed monthly Police Law Institute Training. CST Perry completed Managing the Property/Evidence Room Training through the Public Agency Training Council in Tavares.

#### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS/INVESTIGATIONS

- WHITE, Christian: First Degree Arson, Armed Burglary with Battery and Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon.
- HOLDER, Cameron & CHANEY, Michael: Grand Theft of several firearms. Holder was charged with Grand Theft, Possession of a Firearm by a Felon, Dealing Stolen Property and False Verification to a Pawn broker. Chaney was charged

with DSP, and Possession by a Felon. Detectives recovered three (3) stolen firearms related to this event.

• JOHNSON, Paige & ALVAREZ, Cristina: both for Armed Burglary.

#### CRIME SCENE / PROPERTY & EVIDENCE

Property & Evidence received 150 items of evidence/property. 42 Items were transferred to the State Lab/CPSO for processing.

CST Lloyd and Perry completed 90 evidence requests from outside agencies (State Atty, Public Def, etc.)

CST Lloyd processed evidence relative to 23 cases, recovering latent evidence on 12 cases.

Crime Scene personnel responded to two (2) death events.

#### OTHER ACTIVITY / COMMUNITY SERVICE

Detective Zorn attended the Polk County Intelligence Meeting. Detectives are currently working 81 Active Felony investigations.

#### C.S.T. COMMUNITY SERVICES TEAM

#### Sgt. Randy Tagliarini Lyn Bryan, CST Coordinator & Crime Analyst

#### **EDUCATION:**

Police Law and PoliceOne monthly training. Honor Guard members attended the monthly training with PCSO and completed over 15 hrs. of training.

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE EVENTS / ACTIVITIES**

Sgt. Tagliarini was sworn-in at a ceremony held at Bartow City Hall on June 4th, 2018.

Attended the monthly Chief's Chat held at the Broadway Diner on June 5, 2018 at 7:30 AM.

Sgt. Tagliarini presented Active Shooter Training to several groups this month, including: members of Bible Baptist Church, Main Street Baptist Church and to employees at Centerstate Bank.

June 21, Sgt. Tagliarini presented to the residents at the Meetinghouse a program on Fraud & Scams.



## BARTOW FORD HOSTS "BLUE LIVES MATTER" EVENT



On Thursday, June 28, Bartow Ford Co. provided lunch to law enforcement agencies from all over the Polk County and surrounding counties.







### **BARTOW POLICE EXPLORER POST 631**

Friday, June 8, 2018 members of the Bartow Police Explorer Post 631 graduated from a week-long Explorer Ride-Along Academy. The Explorer Post is supervised by Sergeant Michelle Smith and Officer Amber White. Explorers from several agencies including, Lakeland PD, Winter Haven PD, Haines City PD, Polk County Sheriff's Office and Hardee County Sheriff's Office also participated in the class.

The Bartow Police Explorer Post is comprised of youth between the ages of 14 and 21, who are interested in law enforcement. They meet every two weeks and must maintain at least a 2.0 GPA. If interested in this program, please call Sgt. Michelle Smith at 863-534-5034.





## Happy Birthday Tag!

On Saturday, June 2, Main Street Baptist Church surprised C.S.T. Officer Randy Tagliarini with a birthday cake, following Officer Tagliarini "Active Shooter" Program at the church,

Grayson O'Cain, representing the group, presented him with a cake. Grayson participated in Bartow Police Department's 2018 Citizens Police Academy.

#### JUNE 2018 VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY

The COP Volunteers patrol in pairs, throughout the city during the daylight hours. In addition to patrolling, the volunteers look out for and report suspicious activity. They assist the Crime Prevention Practitioner with many Crime Prevention Programs, and the CST Unit in many public events and several parades throughout the year.

If you are interested in one of the Volunteer Programs, please call:

Community Services Coordinator Lyn Bryan (863) 534-5034 or email <u>Ibryan.pd@cityofbartow.net</u>

VOLUNTEER HOURS LOGGED THIS	5 MONTH
Citizens on Patrol (COP)	29.00
Reserve Officer Unit	12.00
TOTAL HOURS THIS MONTH	<u>41.00</u>
Total Volunteer Hours for 2018	427.00



C.O.P, Volunteer Nita Leslie and Kathy Home Patrol every Tuesday from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

## JUNE 2018 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES - 7	TIME OF OCCURRENCE			TYPE OF ENTRY		
PROPERTY CRIME TYPES RESIDENTIAL / CONVEYANCE / BUSINESS		NIGHT	UNK	FORCED	NO FORCE	UNK
TOTAL: 4 RESIDENTIAL: Includes Single family homes, Apartments, Mobile Homes, Carport, Storage Sheds	0%	75%	25%	50%	50%	0%
TOTAL – 3 CONVEYANCE: Includes All Vehicles, Boats, and Trailers	100%	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%
TOTAL: 0 BUSINESS: Includes Businesses, Churches, Storage Facilities, and Schools	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

#### **TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES 2018-2013**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
JAN	18	27	16	21	31	27
FEB	11	15	15	24	21	32
MAR	35	15	22	29	42	31
APR	20	16	47	33	47	39
MAY	24	16	42	26	25	32
JUNE	7	24	33	21	29	34
JULY		20	21	17	22	31
AUG		39	24	18	36	27
SEPT		19	23	23	34	35
ОСТ		19	26	27	40	39
NOV		15	23	33	25	40
DEC		17	17	37	25	42
TOTAL	115	242	309	309	377	409

## June 2018 accounts for the fewest property crimes since the Crime Analyst began Statistic Reports in 2008!

## \* There were no business burglaries reported this month.

2018 PROPERTY CRIMES BY BEAT (A-F)							
	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	TOTAL
JAN	5	0	3	2	3	5	18
FEB	2	0	3	1	4	1	11
MAR	17	2	3	9	3	1	35
APR	5	2	7	1	3	2	20
MAY	7	6	4	1	6	0	24
JUNE	2	1	1	0	1	2	7
TOTAL	36	4	16	13	13	9	115

## **Does Neighborhood Watch Work?**

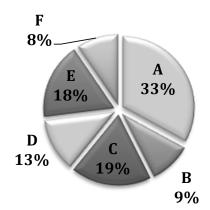
YES! In recent burglary cases, suspects were apprehended by the police as a direct result of neighbors who called the police to report suspicious activity in their neighborhood. In most cases, the victims recovered all of their stolen property!

**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 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

#### Percentage of Property Crimes by Zone for 2018 (Zones defined on page 6)



## City of Bartow (26) Beat Map



#### 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

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#### South of Main Street, West of Broadway Ave.

#### NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Square Lake Estates, 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

#### 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.

## 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.

#### 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

#### 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.

