



Erie County Sheriffs Office Media Release Summary

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The Erie County Sheriff's Office responded to 230 calls the week of this report. Below is a sampling of the noteworthy incidents on **Grand Island**.

| Date | Street | Type | Narrative |
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| 7/2 | I-190 | Traffic Arrest | Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 46 y/o Steven Newkirk of Buffalo for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 rd Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently revoked. Newkirk was also found to have an outstanding warrant from the City of Buffalo and was turned over to the custody of the Buffalo Police Department. |
| 7/2 | Riverdale Dr. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states he heard 1 loud gun shot during the late hours of the night. Deputies checked the area and determined the noise was a firework but were unable to locate any subjects. |
| 7/2 | Baseline Rd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states that he heard several loud bangs from the wooded area from across the street. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the source. |
| 7/2 | Grand Island Blvd. | Accident PDO | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident in the parking lot of Tops. No injuries were reported. |
| 7/3 | Carl Rd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states he heard 2 females arguing near the playground during the late hours of the night. Deputies spoke with the subjects who were just talking loud and apologized for the noise. |
| 7/3 | Bedell Rd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states that a male subject who was bloody and barefoot was knocking on her apartment door during the late hours of the night. Deputies checked but were unable to locate the subject by the description given. |
| 7/3 | I-190 | Traffic Arrest | Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 29 y/o Latasha Crutcher of Buffalo for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 rd Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed her license was |

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| | | | currently suspended. Crutcher was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court. |
| 7/4 | Grand Island Blvd. | Missing Person | The complainant states that a youth was separated from his family during the Grand Island 4 th of July Parade. Deputies located the family and reunited them with the youth. |
| 7/4 | West River Rd. | Driving While Ability Impaired by Drugs | Following a traffic complaint of a vehicle swerving all over the road and driving recklessly, Deputies arrested 25 y/o Christopher Shores of Grand Island for Driving While Ability Impaired by Drugs (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions. Shores was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court. |
| 7/4 | Grand Island Blvd. | Unwelcome Guest | Employees of KOA campground state that several customers had overextended their stay and were refusing to leave. Deputies advised the subjects who left without further incident. |
| 7/5 | Baseline Rd. | Parking Complaint | The complainant states that a vehicle was parked on Baseline Rd. for the last several days. Deputies checked and found the vehicle was parked to close to a nearby fire hydrant. The vehicle was issued a parking ticket. |
| 7/5 | Whitehaven Rd. | Lost Property | The complainant states that she observed a book bag lying in the roadway when she was driving. Deputies checked the area but determined the complaint was unfounded. |
| 7/5 | Grand Island Blvd. | Accident Injury | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. 1 driver was transported to a local hospital with seemingly non-life threatening injuries. |
| 7/5 | Grand Island Blvd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states that she found 2 shell casings in the parking lot of Key Bank. Deputies determined the casings were old by the damage done to them and had not been fired recently. The casings were disposed of. |
| 7/5 | Stony Point Rd. | Accident PDO | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported. |
| 7/6 | Fix Rd. | Suspicious Person | The complainant states that a male and a female subject were lying on his front lawn and didn't speak any English. The subjects left prior to the arrival of Patrol. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subjects by the description given. |
| 7/6 | Baseline Rd. | Motorist Broke Down | Deputies assisted a motorist whose vehicle had become disabled when it ran out of fuel. |
| 7/6 | West River Rd. | Accident Injury | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident near the intersection of Bedell Rd. 1 driver was transported to a local hospital with seemingly non-life threatening injuries. |
| 7/6 | Bedell Rd. | Accident PDO | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident at the intersection of Driftwood Dr. No injuries were reported. |
| 7/6 | Grand Island Blvd. | Traffic Complaint | The complainant states that another driver was driving aggressively then passed her while flipping her off. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given. |
| 7/6 | Whitehaven Rd. | Shots Fired | The complainant states he heard several shots come from |

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| | | | the wooded area behind his house. Deputies checked the area but heard no more shots. |
| 7/7 | Red Jacket Rd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states that sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) egged her car. No damage was observed |
| 7/7 | Grand Island Blvd. | Larceny | The complainant states that sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) stole items from her unlocked vehicle. |
| 7/7 | Baseline Rd. | Traffic Complaint | The complainant states that a vehicle was swerving all over the roadway. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given. |
| 7/8 | Grand Island Blvd. | Larceny | Employees of Tops state that several subjects came into the store several days prior and purposely distracted the cashier while purchasing items. The subjects asked to exchange numerous amounts of currency and when the drawer was counted at the end of the night, it was short some money. |
| 7/8 | Staley Rd. | Traffic Complaint | The complainant states that a vehicle was swerving all over the roadway. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given. |
| 7/8 | Baseline Rd. | Accident PDO | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident at the intersection of Bedell Rd. No injuries were reported. |
| 7/8 | Bedell Rd. | Suspicious Incident | The complainant states that an odor of marijuana was coming from an apartment in his building at Country Glen. Deputies checked but determined the complaint was unfounded. |
| 7/8 | Grand Island Blvd. | Accident Injury | Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident at the intersection of Whitehaven Rd. 1 driver was transported to a local hospital with seemingly non-life threatening injuries. |

Deputies responded to 12 Burglary False alarm calls and 9 Fire Alarms during the dates of this report.