



## Erie County Sheriffs Office Media Release Summary

**Dates: 8/15/2015 to 8/21/2015**

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The Erie County Sheriff's Office responded to 195 calls the week of this report. Below is a sampling of the noteworthy incidents on **Grand Island**.

Date	Street	Type	Narrative
8/15	Baseline Rd.	Weapons Possession	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 18 y/o Eric Brylinski of Tonawanda for Criminal Possession of a Weapon 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree (Class A Misdemeanor) and several traffic infractions after Brylinski was found to be in possession of a stun gun. Brylinski was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
8/15	Staley Rd.	Suspicious Person with Vehicle	The complainant states that a male subject was rummaging through the trunk of a vehicle near a local business. Deputies located the male subject and determined his tire was flat and he was attempting to make repairs.
8/15	Baseline Rd.	Traffic Control Device	Deputies responded to a report that the traffic signal at the intersection of Staley Rd. was out. The Grand Island Highway Department responded and was able to get the light working again.
8/15	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.
8/15	Grand Island Blvd.	Larceny	The complainant states that while he was at Fantasy Island an unknown person(s) stole a pair of shorts containing his wallet while he was at the water park. The shorts were turned into park security but the wallet was not found.
8/15	South State Pkwy.	Road Obstruction	The complainant states that 3 back packs were lying in the roadway near Love Rd. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the back packs.
8/15	Grand Island Blvd.	Motorist Broke Down	Deputies responded to a report of a motorist broke down in the parking lot of Walgreens. The motorist was assisted and picked up by family members.
8/15	East River Rd.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that a female subject was standing underneath the south Grand Island Bridge. Deputies located the female who stated she was waiting for a friend.

8/15	Whitehaven Rd.	Traffic Complaint	The complainant states that a male subject drove into NOCO and appeared to be intoxicated. The male subject left the premise prior to the arrival of Patrol. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given.
8/15	East River Rd.	Loud Music	The complainant states that loud music was coming from a residence nearby during the late hours of the night. Deputies located the source of the music and advised the occupants.
8/16	Whitehaven Rd.	Fight	The complainant states that several members of a wedding party at Byblos Niagara Resort & Spa were fighting in the parking lot during the late hours of the night. The subjects left in an unknown direction prior to the arrival of Patrol. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subjects involved in the fight.
8/16	Huth Rd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that a young male subject was trying to break into her car during the late hours of the night. The suspect fled prior to the arrival of Patrol. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subject by the description given. Nothing was reported stolen or damaged.
8/16	Stony Point Rd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that sometime during the night, an unknown person(s) egged and toilet papered her residence.
8/16	Grand Island Blvd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident in the parking lot of the VFW Post. No injuries were reported.
8/16	Grand Island Blvd.	Traffic Arrest	While investigating the above incident, Deputies arrested 35 y/o David Munoz of Buffalo for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently suspended. Munoz was transported to the Erie County Holding Center in lieu of \$250 bail.
8/16	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that a child was sitting in a running vehicle in the parking lot of Tops. The vehicle left prior to the arrival of Patrol but Deputies located the car a short distance away. The driver was advised.
8/16	Whitehaven Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident near the I-190 overpass. No injuries were reported.
8/16	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that a male subject was observed taking the license plates off of a vehicle in the yard of Grand Island Auto Tech. Deputies checked with the owner of the business and determined the male was the owner of the vehicle and came to retrieve property.
8/17	Grand Island Blvd.	Animal Complaint	The complainant states that a dog was left in an unattended vehicle in the parking lot of Tops. Deputies checked the lot and determined the vehicle had left prior to their arrival.
8/17	Staley Rd.	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 22 y/o Thomas Huttenmaier of Lancaster for Operating a Motor Vehicle with a Suspended Registration (Misdemeanor)

			and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his registration was currently suspended. Huttenmaier was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
8/18	Love Rd.	Larceny	Employees of 711 state that a male subject entered the store on several different occasions and stole a large amount of merchandise. The incidents were caught on the surveillance system. Investigation Ongoing.
8/18	Fairview Ct.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that a young male subject was hanging around the area during the past few days and after asking several neighbors, no one was able to identify him. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the male at the time of the call.
8/18	Broadway	Fight	Deputies responded to a report of 2 male subjects fighting on Broadway. Their investigation led to the arrest of 20 y/o Jonathan Armitage of Grand Island for Harassment 2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree (Violation). Armitage was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
8/18	East River Rd.	Suspicious Person with vehicle	The complainant states that several subjects were hanging around a car in the parking lot of his apartment complex during the late hours of the night. The subjects then walked away from the car and onto the golf course before he lost sight of them. Deputies located the subjects nearby and advised them.
8/19	East River Rd.	Suspicious Vehicle	Deputies located a vehicle parked at Fisherman's Landing during the late hours of the night. The occupants were advised and left without incident.
8/19	I-190	Warrant Arrest	Deputies arrested 30 y/o Mark Ness of Cheektowaga on an outstanding Bench Warrant after Ness was turned over from the New York State Police. Ness was transported to the Erie County Holding Center.
8/19	Bedell Rd.	Larceny	The complainant states that while she was at Veterans Park she left her phone unattended and an unknown person(s) stole it.
8/19	Stony Point Rd.	Wires Down	Deputies responded to a report of low hanging wires on Stony Point Rd. Time Warner Cable was notified.
8/19	Baseline Rd.	Residential Burglary	The complainant states that sometime in recent days an unknown person(s) broke into her residence and stole various items from inside. Investigation Ongoing.
8/19	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Vehicle	The complainant states that a suspicious vehicle was parked in the lot of Bailly's Food Market for the past hour. Deputies checked but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given.
8/20	Heather La.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.
8/20	Grand Island Blvd.	Disorderly Person	Employees from Fantasy Island state that a female subject was causing a disturbance in the park over a financial dispute. The female's money was refunded and she left without incident.
8/20	Sandy Beach Rd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that sometime during the night an unknown person(s) egged his residence and smeared sludge on his vehicle.

8/20	Bedell Rd.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states that a vehicle was parked in the lot of his apartment complex and the subjects inside appeared to be smoking marijuana. Deputies checked and determined the complaint to be unfounded.
8/21	Carl Rd.	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 48 y/o Joseph Kaefer of Grand Island for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently revoked. Kaefer was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
8/21	Warner Dr.	Animal Loose	The complainant states that a pit bull was running loose in the area. The dog was secured by a neighbor. The Dog Control Officer was notified.
8/21	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Vehicle	The complainant states that 2 subjects were walking around vehicles in the parking lot of the Cinderella Motel & Campground. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subjects by the description given.

**Deputies responded to 15 Burglary False alarm calls and 5 Fire Alarms during the dates of this report.**