



LANARK COUNTY OPP NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH UPDATE
18 November 2008

Almonte:

- 1) Between the 08th and 10th of November 2008 approximately six 3-4" cloth pipes were vandalized (cut) at the Hydro Dam project located in the vicinity of Metcalfe Street.
- 2) Sometime over the weekend between the 14th and 17th of November 2008, Naismith P.S located on King Street was vandalized with spray paint. Police are urging area residents of all local schools to report any suspicious activity/persons observed on school properties after hours.

Beckwith Township:

- 1) A vehicle was reported "egged" as it was traveling northbound on Highway 15 in the vicinity of 10th Line Beckwith (south of Carleton Place). The incident occurred at approximately 12:45 p.m. on the 15th of November 2008. This type of behaviour could be the cause of a serious motor vehicle collision and anyone aware of persons responsible for these types of incidents should report this to police.

Carleton Place:

- 1) A newer residence under construction located in the vicinity of Stone Water Bay and McNeely Avenue was reported broken into overnight on the 08th of November 2008. Entry was made via an insecure door at which time a window, some pipes and a door frame were damaged. No items were reported stolen.
- 2) A residence located on Woodward Street was reported broken into overnight on the 09th of November 2008. Entry was made via a window at which time some electronic items were reported stolen.
- 3) On the 14th of November 2008 at 7:30 p.m. youth were reported to be jumping out near the roadway and throwing items at vehicles. The incident occurred on Highway 7 in the vicinity of McNeely Avenue.
- 4) On the 14th of November 2008 at approximately 11:30 p.m. several youth were observed knocking over a post office box on Queen Street. The youth then left the area traveling southbound.
- 5) A stop sign was reported vandalized on the 16th of November 2008. The stop sign located at Mill and Princess Street had been spray painted black.

- 6) A set of license plates were reported stolen from a vehicle on the 17th of November 2008. The theft took place at a business property located on High Street. A reminder that stolen license plates should be reported stolen ASAP in order for a declaration to be issued to obtain new plates.
- 7) A car door was reported damaged after it was discovered the door appeared to have been pried open. The damage occurred on the 17th of November 2008 at a residential property on Carmel Street.
- 8) A shed was reported broken into overnight on the 18th of November 2008 and a mountain bike stolen. The incident occurred at a residential property on Flora Street.

Central Frontenac Township:

- 1) A mailbox was reported vandalized on the 10th of November 2008 in the vicinity of Richmond Lane / Road (runs south off of Babcock Road, northwest of Parham). In this incident it had been broken off its post. Prior to this incident the mailbox had been damaged with what appeared to be shotgun pellets.

North Frontenac Township:

No items to report.

Drummond/North Elmsley Township:

- 1) A utility trailer described as homemade, brown with a tail gate (has drop pins about one foot of the ground for easy loading) was reported stolen over the weekend on the 17th of November 2008. The item was stolen from a residential property on Drummond Concession 2 (County Road 10), approximately two kilometres outside of Gillies Corners.

Lanark Highlands Township:

- 1) A residence was reported broken into on the 12th of November 2008. The incident occurred between September 2008 and the 12th of November 2008 at a residential property on Princess Street in the Village of Lanark. The residence was ransacked. No items reported stolen at this time.
- 2) A church hall located on Princess Street was reported broken into overnight on the 16th of November 2008. No items were reported stolen.

Montague Township:

- 1) A quantity of gas was reported stolen from a business property on Roger Stevens Drive after someone broke the lock on the pumps between the 09th and 10th of November 2008.
- 2) Two individuals were charged with trespass by night, and theft after police received two reports of vehicles having been vandalized. The incidents occurred at a residential property on Highway 15 just south of Numogate, and a second residential property on Kelly Jordan Road. A male and female were arrested on the 16th of November 2008 in relation to the two incidents and charged.

Mississippi Mills Township:

- 1) A wood chipper was reported stolen to police on the 10th of November 2008. The item was stolen between the 07th and 10th of November 2008 from the compound yard of the Township Garage located on Old Perth Road. The item is described as a yellow 1998 Brush Bandit Model 90 wood chipper. On the wood chipper is a Mississippi Mills decal and Craig Equipment decals. The wood chipper is affixed to a two wheeled trailer but is one unit.
- 2) A mailbox and its post were reported vandalized (smashed) overnight on the 12th of November 2008. The incident occurred at a residential property on Appleton Side Road, just east of Almonte Town limits.

Tay Valley Township:

- 1) A group of mailboxes located on Stanleyville Road in the vicinity of Black Lake Road (at Stanleyville) were reported vandalized (sprayed) with black paint on the 10th of November 2008. The incident occurred within the week prior.
- 2) A mailbox was reported struck by a vehicle overnight that failed to remain on the 15th of November 2008. The incident occurred at a residential property on Zealand Road in the vicinity of Charlton Road, just northwest of Maberly.
- 3) A mailbox was reported vandalized (smashed) on the 17th of November 2008. The incident occurred overnight on the 14th of November 2008 at a residential property on Bathurst 5th Concession in the vicinity of Harper Road (northwest of Perth). This is a repeat occurrence for the victims.

Phone Numbers for Reference:

9-1-1 for an emergency

1-888-310-1122 – OPP 24 hr toll free

1-800-222-TIPS (8477) – Crime stoppers or www.mississippitaycrimestoppers.ca

1-800-268-4686 – MTO Road Information.

4-1-1 – Directory Assistance

1-866-514-2327 (MNR bear reporting centre, trouble with nuisance bears)

www.bears.mnr.gov.on.ca (MNR website regarding bears)

1-888-495-8501 – Phone Busters (to report fraud scams / helpful tips to protect yourself)

www.phonebusters.com (Phone Busters website)

1-877-TIPS-MNR (847-7667) (MNR enforcement)

www.mnr.gov.on.ca/mnr/enforcement (MNR website for enforcement)

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