



BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT
MONTHLY REPORT
Chief Daniel G. Pancoast

AUGUST 2016

MANPOWER REPORT:

- While off duty, a patrol officer injured his ankle and remained on light duty for about six weeks. He returned to full, active duty on August 10th.
- A patrol officer remains absent from duty until February 2017 while on active duty assignment with the Pennsylvania National Guard.

TRAINING:

- Trainee Meehan completed a 3-day SFST(Standardized Field Sobriety Training) course.

ARRESTS & INVESTIGATIONS:

- A young woman was shot in the back by her boyfriend at a residence in the Vineyards. The victim survived and the male charged with the shooting.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- Bethlehem Township's version of National Nite Out was held at the Municipal Park on Farmersville Road. Hundreds of citizens came out to meet with emergency response personnel, several county departments, Turning Point of the Lehigh Valley and others.
- Our department received funding to begin participation in Project Lifesaver. The primary mission of Project Lifesaver is to provide timely response to save lives and reduce potential injury for adults and children who wander due to Alzheimer's, Autism, and other related conditions and disorders.

- Cpls. Powell and Abelovsky along with Officers Beck, Anderson, Kraemer and Kanaskie participated in an emergency response to a critical incident at St. Luke's Anderson Campus.
- Officers Stanton and Lindsay rescued a 64 year old male who was trapped on the second floor of residence where a fire had started on the first floor. There were no injuries as a result of their efforts.

LETTERS OF PRAISE:

- NA

AUGUST STATISTICS:

Traffic Accidents:	67	Traffic Citations:	168
Number of Vehicles:	129	Written Warnings:	176
Injuries:	17	Parking Tickets:	15
Deaths:	0		

Misdemeanor/ Felony Arrests:	32
Summary Arrests:	11
DUI Arrests:	3

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