

BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

Chief Daniel G. Pancoast *JULY 2021*

MANPOWER REPORT:

- The written portion of the patrol candidate testing process was administered on Saturday July 10, 2021. Fifty candidates had applied to take the test, forty-four candidates appeared for testing and twenty-five successfully completed the test. The physical agility portion of the test will be administered on August 21 at Moravian University.
- A supervisor who was injured in a motor vehicle accident while on route to work will remain on light duty while recovering. He is expected to return to duty in August.
- The Allentown Police Academy began its new session on July 6, 2021 with our next patrol officer in attendance. The academy was shut down for two weeks on July 13, 2021 after a student tested positive for COVID 19. The academy restarted on July 26th.
- A patrol officer is off duty being treated for a non-work related medical condition.

TRAINING:

• Investigator Stevens successfully completed a one-week course to be recertified to administer Polygraph Examinations.

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ARRESTS & INVESTIGATIONS:

- An arrest was made in the July 2021 Dicks Sporting Goods high value retail theft of baseball gloves.
- A stalking arrest was made after a lengthy digital investigation (ex-girlfriend stalking current girlfriend of a male).
- An arrest was made for a used cooking oil theft at the Texas Roadhouse which required an extensive investigation.
- A retail theft arrest was made for a liquor store theft which required extensive investigation.

OTHER INFORMATION:

• Officer Kirchner participated in the **Pedal for the Future** event at Bicentennial Park in Bethlehem. Walmart generously donated a bicycle which Officer Kirchner provided to a township youth.

JULY STATISTICS:

Traffic Accidents:	66	Traffic Citations:	92
Reportable:	10	Written Warnings:	123
Nonreportable:	56	Parking Tickets:	11
DUI Accidents:	0		

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Deaths: 0

Misdemeanor/Felony Arrests: 21 Summary Arrests: 8 DUI Arrests: 3

Submitted by:

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