

A COLLECTION OF INCIDENTS, SOME ARRESTS, SOME CRIME TIPS, AND A FEW KNUCKLEHEADS



# Weekly Wrap Up

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## Crime and Punishment for This Week

### Burglary

|      |                               |       |      |   |
|------|-------------------------------|-------|------|---|
| 1788 | 6800 block Brandon Mill Drive | 30328 | 2/10 | Someone door-kicked the front door to the home. No mention of what was taken if anything.   |
| 1861 | 700 block Hammond Drive       | 30328 | 2/12 | Someone broke into a storage unit and took a Talon bike and ammunition for a 9mm and .45.   |
| 1897 | 1400 block Jefferson Drive    | 30350 | 2/13 | The victim said her baby's daddy broke in and took stuff including her MacBook.   |
| 1903 | 5300 block Trimble Road       | 30342 | 2/13 | A rock was thrown through the back patio door glass. The resident reported jewelry taken from the home.   |
| 1917 | 7855 Roswell Road             | 30350 | 2/14 | Elite Liquor-The report indicates the burglary occurred just before 5 a.m. Someone removed glass from a lower window in order to get into the liquor store. Apparently they did not make it in. The building next to it is a construction area where they first tried to get in. The owner said a man he knew, contacted him at the same time of the burglary, telling him he saw two men breaking in. Later, when the officer tried to reach the man, he did not answer the phone. |

### Larceny

|      |                            |       |      |  |
|------|----------------------------|-------|------|--|
| 1767 | 1165 Perimeter Center West | 30328 | 2/10 | MVT from REI   |
| 1774 | 6650 Roswell Road          | 30328 | 2/10 | Someone swiped the victim's wallet and contents from the Goodwill Store. |
| 1795 | 4700 block Roswell Road    | 30342 | 2/11 | Theft occurred in December.  |
| 1815 | 6100 block Roswell Road    | 30328 | 2/12 | U-Haul Theft   |
| 1827 | 800 block Hammond Drive    | 30328 | 2/12 | This was a theft of an iPad from a room at the Sheraton Hotel.           |

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|------|------------------------------|-------|------|--|
| 1835 | 8700 block Roswell Road      | 30350 | 2/12 | A man left his wallet on the counter at the Publix prescription area. Minutes later when he realized it, he returned but the wallet and contents were gone. Video results are pending.   |
| 1889 | 200 block Hilderbrand Drive  | 30328 | 2/13 | MVT  |
| 1898 | 700 block Willow Creek Drive | 30328 | 2/13 | A woman reported that her ex-roommate stolen her 30-inch TV, shelving tables, as well as apartment and mailbox keys. Apparently, there were like four roomies in this deal.  |
| 1904 | 6100 block PDR               | 30328 | 2/13 | A guest at the Comfort Inn reported she left the hotel room to go to work. Shortly after, she realized her engagement ring had been left in the room. She called the hotel to inform the cleaning staff to look for the ring. They told her they did not locate it. Video will show who entered the room. Those results are pending. |
| 1906 | 6300 Powers Ferry Road       | 30339 | 2/13 | Publix, Shoplifting  |
| 1945 | 5600 block PDR               | 30342 | 2/14 | A 56-year old man, a patient at St. Joes, reported a MacBook Pro, valued at \$3300, was stolen from his room.  |

## Thefts from Vehicles

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|------|---------------------|-------|------|--|
| 1880 | 5600 block PDR      | 30342 | 2/13 | Driver's side window was forced. Stolen was a backpack and med supplies. |
| 1930 | 7700 Roswell Road   | 30350 | 2/14 | Classic Cadillac   |
| 1959 | 1155 Mt. Vernon Hwy | 30328 | 2/15 | Near Regal Cinema  |

## Fraud Case



*Ms. Chloe Perriman*, manager of the Rite Aid Drug Store at 1100 Hammond Drive, saved a woman a lot of heartache and about \$500 when she recognized a scam. A 54-year old woman was in the process of purchasing two pre-paid gift cards after receiving a call from someone who said they were with the DeKalb County Sheriff's Department and who informed the woman she missed jury duty resulting in a fine that could be paid by a gift card. (Okay, that alone is ridiculous.) The officer called the number listed but it had been disconnected.

## Fraud

|      |                                     |       |      |   |
|------|-------------------------------------|-------|------|---|
| 1755 | 1100 Hammond Drive                  | 30328 | 2/10 | (See Above)   |
| 1829 | 400 block Summerset Lane            | 30328 | 2/12 | The victim received a call from a man with a "European" voice who said police were coming to arrest her regarding taxes owed and that a lawsuit was filed against her. Of course, this would all be taken care of if she purchased prepaid cards. She was told to meet a man in the parking lot of Target. She said she was worried but hung up anyway. |
| 1830 | 400 block of Monterey Pkwy          | 30350 | 2/12 | The victim's name and info were used to open a couple of Verizon accounts. She was contacted by the collection agency.  |
| 1877 | 200 block Legran Bend               | 30328 | 2/13 | (See Below)   |
| 1885 | 300 block of Thornwood Drive        | 30328 | 2/13 | Someone used the victim's personal info in an attempt to buy a car in Alabama. They took a test drive in a \$70,000 car and failed to return it.  |
| 1911 | 5900 block Roswell Road Whole Foods | 30328 | 2/13 | A woman arranged to sell an iPad with a man who contacted her on the app LetGo. He gave her \$600 in what was counterfeit money, and then fled in a 2018 Ford Fusion with a MA tag. The tag info was obtained.  |

A resident on Legran Bend said she received an email from a friend who urged her to contact a person named Mike Cashman. Her friend said he/she made money from retirement funds and urged her to do the same. Turns out the email had been spoofed and in fact was not her friend. The victim did contact Cashman and was told to send \$2900, keep some, then buy a Walmart gift card and send that to the (Cashman) subject. After she cashed the check, she was told it was fraudulent. She has since received more "checks," coming from Memphis, TN, that were later put into PD evidence. I'm not sure how much she lost on this deal.

## Assault

|  |                   |       |      |    |
|--|-------------------|-------|------|----|
|  | 4600 Roswell Road | 30342 | 2/10 | DV |
|  | 1100 block PDR    | 30328 | 2/12 | DV |

|      |                          |       |      |   |
|------|--------------------------|-------|------|---|
| N/A  | 300 block Monterrey Pkwy | 30350 | 2/13 | Juvenile complaint  |
|      | 4717 Roswell Road        | 30342 | 2/14 | DV-A 29-year old woman reported her husband tried to get into her car as she was leaving. When he tried, the doors were locked and windows up. He apparently fired several shots into the car, damaging it but not injuring the driver. Warrants were taken for his arrest. He resides in Marietta.   |
| 1925 | 5400 Roswell Road        | 30342 | 2/14 | Shooting-A 23-year old woman reported she was leaving the address in her car when her driver's side window shattered, injuring her on her hand and abdomen. She was apparently unaware that she was shot at until the officers found the projectile between the door and seat on the driver's side. A casing was also found nearby. She was treated for non-life threatening injuries. The motive or suspects remain unknown. |
| 1961 | 7900 block Roswell       | 30350 | 2/15 | Man claimed a female cut him with a knife. She said he cornered her in the room and she was threatened and grabbed a knife to protect herself. The man had minor cuts on his hands. He was later arrested.  |

## Other Things

|      |                                |       |      |   |
|------|--------------------------------|-------|------|---|
| 1748 | 5335 Northside Drive           | 30327 | 2/10 | The owner of the home on Northside Drive was cited for the noise violation after a complaint was made regarding loud music after midnight. On arrival, the officer said he could hear the music from a distance. He said the complaints indicated the music was consistent throughout the week. |
| 1805 | 6200 block Roswell Road        | 30328 | 2/11 | Threats (See Below)   |
| 1871 | 200 block Hilderbrand Drive    | 30328 | 2/13 | Embezzlement Complaint  |
| 1940 | 100 block Cliftwood Drive      | 30328 | 2/14 | Harassing Communications, robot calls referencing his "Google" listing  |
| 1955 | 5500 block Glenridge Connector | 30342 | 2/14 | The victim said a coworker, who was later fired for sending her unwanted text messages, poems, and other creepy stuff, is harassing her.  |



A 36-year old woman from Balboa Ct. in Atlanta told cops she dated a guy named Brad for about four months, but broke up with him. Apparently, during that time, she forgot to get his last name, so now everyone named Brad is a suspect. He told her, via text, that he would kill her and she would go to jail for the rest of her life.

Okay, it doesn't work that way. If you are killed, you don't go to jail. I guess that's the good news in that scenario. Also, if you date a guy four months, grab that last name at some point and for those of you named Brad, we'll be in touch at some point.

## Arrests

|      |                                   |       |      |   |
|------|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---|
| 1754 | 1500 blk Dunwoody Club Drive      | 30350 | 2/10 |   |
| 1769 | 8800 Dunwoody Place               | 30350 | 2/10 |   |
| 1776 | Abernathy / Barfield Road         | 30328 | 2/10 | DOC   |
| 1801 | 250 Hammond Drive                 | 30328 | 2/11 | Wanted Person                                 |
| 1803 | Abernathy / Williamson Drive      | 30328 | 2/11 | DUI   |
| 1840 | I-285 / Northside Drive           | 30327 | 2/12 | Wanted Person                                 |
| 1863 | 1100 block Huntcliff Village Ct.  | 30350 | 2/12 | Wanted Person                                 |
| 1867 | 1160 Hammond Drive                | 30328 | 2/12 | DOC   |
| 1894 | 5700 Roswell Road (Shell Station) | 30342 | 2/13 | Fight Call, one man arrested for Public Drunk |
| 1905 | 285 / Riverside                   | 30328 | 2/13 | Wanted Person                                 |
| 1896 | 5000 block Kingsport Drive        | 30342 | 2/14 | Narcotics Trafficking                         |

## This Week's Einsteins

Courtesy of Chuck Shepherd's News of the Weird

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Police in Logansport, Indiana, finally caught up with the thief who had been targeting churches in the area since Jan. 16: Christian J. Alter, 22, of Kewanna, was charged with breaking into five houses of worship and stealing cash, according to the Logansport Pharos-Tribune. Alter was apprehended Jan. 23

just moments before the fifth burglary, at Rehoboth Christian Church, was discovered by police. He was being held in the Cass County Jail. [Pharos-Tribune, 1/24/2018]

Kane Blake of Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada, has great things to say about his Springvalley home: "It's a gorgeous neighborhood," and his family loves most things about it. Nevertheless, the Blakes have listed their home for sale, with a sign out front reading: "Home for Sale by owner because neighbor is an ---hole." Blake said a neighbor has been harassing his family for five years, including sending police and bylaws officers to the house for frivolous reasons and taking photos of Blake's house. "My kids won't even walk to school, they're terrified," he told the Kelowna Capital News, adding that he's received several offers on his house. (Update: Kane has since removed the sign.) [Kelowna Capital News, 1/27/2018]

