DARIEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

RELEASE DATE: **November 6, 2025**

October 30

No reports to release

October 31

Warrant Service

At 8:58 a.m. an officer in the 1200 block of Plainfield Road observed a vehicle in front of their squad that had an expired registration sticker. The officer made an inquiry of the registration which was expired. A traffic stop was initiated at Plainfield Rd and Manning Rd. The driver, Willie Leeks, 41, of the 7300 block of Tennessee Avenue, Willowbrook had a no bond warrant out of DuPage County and was transported to the DuPage County Jail.

Warrant Service

At 10:07 a.m. officers were dispatched to the intersection of 69th Street and Wilmette Avenue for a suspicious vehicle. Pablo Perez, 36, of the 8400 block of Captons Lane, Darien was cited for possession of cannabis outside an approved container, illegal transportation of open alcohol by a driver, and operating a motor vehicle with no valid driver's license with a court date of December 4, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center. Perez also had a no bond warrant out of DuPage County and was transported to the DuPage County Jail.

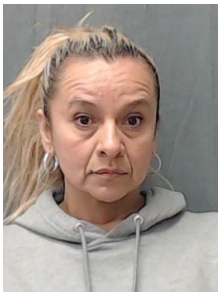
November 1

No reports to release

November 2

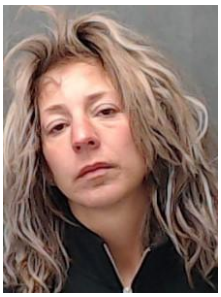
Retail Theft

At 2:19 p.m. officers were dispatched to Walmart, 2189 75th Street for a retail theft. Loss prevention stopped the offender after observing that she was under ringing items in the self-checkout lane. Liliana Serra-Morena, 50, of the 1000 block of Williams Street, Westmont was arrested and charged with retail theft. Serra-Morena was issued a court date of December 3, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.



Driving Under the Influence

At 1:43 p.m. officers were dispatched to Aldi, 2251 75th Street for a check well-being / reckless driver. Officers located the vehicle and made contact with the driver. Lauren Borgert, 33, of the 4000 block of Locustwood Driver, Kettering, OH was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of drugs, possession of a controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia with a court date of December 4, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.



November 3

No reports to release

November 4

Theft from Motor Vehicle

At 5:40 a.m. an officer was dispatched to the 7200 block of Eleanor Place in reference to a theft from motor vehicle. The victim stated he left his work truck unlocked on the driveway the night before. Unknown offender(s) removed various DeWalt tools, 8 batteries and 2 charging ports. Approximate value is $3,000.

Retail Theft

At 6:12 p.m. officers were dispatched to Walmart, 2189 75th Street for a retail theft. Loss prevention stopped the offender after he was observed in the self-checkout lane scanning an image of a barcode on his phone instead of the product's actual barcode. Lee Edwards, 59, of the 5500 block of Carpenter Street, Downers Grove was arrested and charged with retail theft. Edwards was issued a court date of November 19, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.

November 5

Driving under the Influence

At 1:58 p.m. an officer was stopped at an intersection and heard a loud noise emanating from behind their squad. The officer noticed a white Toyota had just rear ended a white Mercedes. Brandy Rogers, 44, of the 100 of 68th Street, Darien was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident. Rogers was issued a court date of December 2, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.