DARIEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

RELEASE DATE: **September 10, 2025**

September 4

Theft from Motor Vehicle

At 5:10 a.m. an officer was dispatched to 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America for a theft from motor vehicle that happened between September 3, 5:30 p.m. and September 4, 4:50 a.m. Victim received an alert on the phone about a purchase he did not make. Victim went out to his vehicle and noticed the rear driver side window broken. Unknown offender(s) removed a wallet and $40 cash from the vehicle.

Theft from Motor Vehicle

At 5:07 a.m. an officer was advised about a theft from motor vehicle at 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America that occurred between the hours of September 3, 11:00 p.m. and September 4, 4:00 a.m. Victim stated that the rear driver's side window was smashed and laying on the ground. Unknown offender(s) removed miscellaneous including a pistol.

Criminal Damage to Property

At 5:25 a.m. officers were dispatched to 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America for a theft from Motor Vehicle. Officers located a vehicle with the rear passenger window broken out. Estimated loss is $500.

Criminal Damage to Property

At 5:20 a.m. an officer was patrolling 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America in reference to numerous theft from motor vehicle reports. Another vehicle was observed with the passenger side window broken out. Estimated loss is $500.

Theft from Motor Vehicle

At 6:00 a.m. an officer at 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America, located a vehicle with a broken out passenger window. The victim advised that some roadside assistance equipment and an air compressor were taken by unknown offender(s). Estimated loss is $1200.

Criminal Damage to Property

At 6:15 a.m. an officer who was taking numerous theft from motor vehicle reports at 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America, was approached by another victim who related a window on their vehicle was broken as well. Estimated loss is $500.

Motor Vehicle Theft
At 6:15 a.m. an officer who was on scene at 2345 Sokol Court, Extended Stay America, was approached by a subject who advised their truck was stolen between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and 6:15 a.m. and there was broken glass on the ground where the truck was parked.

Criminal Damage to Property
At 9:35 a.m. an officer was dispatched to the 2300 block of Sokol Court for a criminal damage to property report. Victim stated that the glass and window trim of the rear driver's side door was damaged. Estimated loss is $400.

Motor Vehicle Theft
At 12:56 p.m. and officer was dispatched to the 8300 block of Sokol Court in reference to a motor vehicle theft. Victim stated that he observed his vehicle missing from the parking lot. The vehicle was later located by Lansing Police Department.

Fleeing and Eluding a Peace Officer
At 7:02 p.m. an officer observed multiple juveniles operating electric motorcycles with no registration plates traveling eastbound on 71st Street and entering pedestrian walkways of Darien Community Park, 7100 Clarendon Hills Road. When the officer made contact with the group, the juveniles all fled in different directions. Contact was made with one juvenile who was charged with no valid driver's license, no valid registration, operating uninsured motor vehicle and fleeing and eluding a peace officer. The juvenile was released and issued a court date of October 2, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.

September 5

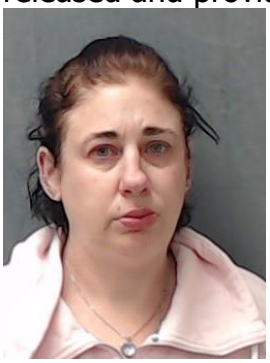
Theft from Motor Vehicle
At 7:06 a.m. an officer was dispatched to the 8900 block of Brandon Road for a theft from motor vehicle report. Victim(s) received a fraud alert on her phone about a purchase in other state that they did not make. The victim left their wallet in the unlocked vehicle and noticed that the glovebox was open and vehicle registration paperwork and his wallet were gone.

Driving While License Revoked
At 12:43 p.m. an officer was dispatched to the 1300 block of 75th Street for an accident. One driver, Jairo Contreras-Gonzales, 35, of the 3900 block of 57th Street, Chicago was arrested for driving while license revoked, operating an uninsured vehicle and improper lane usage. Contreras-Gonzales was issued a court date of October 9, 2025 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.

September 7

Warrant Service

At 8:11 a.m. an officer responded to a call at the 8000 block of Sawyer Road for an unrelated call. Amy Mariano, 50, of the 6700 block of High Road, Darien, was arrested for a failure to appear warrant out of Kendall County. Mariano posted bond and was released and provided with a court date by Kendall County.



September 8 & 9

No reports to release.