

DARIEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

RELEASE DATE: December 27, 2023

December 20

No reports to release.

December 21

Battery

At 6:40 p.m. officers were dispatched to Q Bar, 8109 Cass Avenue, Darien for a battery. David Franks, 37, of the 30th block of W. 65th Street, Westmont was arrested for battery and assault. Franks was given a court date of January 16, 2024 at DuPage County Judicial Center.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol

At 11:04 p.m. an officer observed a speeding vehicle in the 7800 block of Lemont Road. Radar confirmed a speed of 61 mph in a 40 mph zone. The officer conducted a traffic stop at 75th Street and Lemont Road and arrested the driver, Conner Olsen, 27, of 6000 block of Americana Drive, Willowbrook for driving under the influence of alcohol, speeding and improper turn. Olsen was given a court date of January 16, 2024 at DuPage County Judicial Center.

December 22

Retail Theft

At 5:07 p.m. officers were dispatched to Walmart, 2189 75th St., for a retail theft. The complainant identified the offender who was altering the price of items using a cutout barcode. Lakilaa A. Goodman-Flanagan of 15W564 Honeysuckle Rose Ln., Willowbrook, was cited for retail theft and given a court date of February 15, 2024 at DuPage County Judicial Center.

December 23

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol

At 04:02 a.m. an officer observed a speeding vehicle on Cass Avenue. Radar confirmed the vehicle was traveling at 64mph in a 40 mph zone. The officer conducted a traffic stop in the 7100 block of northbound Cass Avenue and arrested the driver, Michael T. Raddatz, of the 5000 block of Fairmount Ave., Downers Grove for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, Speeding and Improper Lane Usage. He was given a court date of January 23, 2024 at the DuPage County Judicial Center.

Driving While License Suspended

At 9:19 p.m., an officer in the area of 75th Street and Cass Avenue completed a status check of a vehicle registration which indicated the registration was suspended. The officer conducted a traffic stop in the parking lot of Jewel on Cass and cited the driver, Jameka Taylor, 33, of the 11000 block of Vincennes, Chicago, for driving while license suspended. Taylor was given a court date of January 25, 2024, at the DuPage County Judicial Center.

December 24

Criminal Damage to Property

At approximately 6:40 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the parking lot at 7504 Country Lane for a criminal damage to property. The victim stated sometime between 4:45 p.m. on December 23 to the time he returned to his vehicle at 6:30 a.m. December 24, he found two rear tires had been punctured and deflated. The approximate loss is \$750.00. There is no other information at this time.

December 25

Domestic Battery

At 2:00 a.m., officers were dispatched to Walmart, 2189 75th Street in reference to a juvenile who was with security advising they were involved in a domestic. While at a family gathering in the 1000 block of 79th street, a family member was drinking and started fighting with the victim. Ismael Hernandez, 47, of the 7700 block of Woodward Avenue, Woodridge, was arrested for domestic battery and endangering the life or health of a child. Hernandez was transported to the DuPage County Jail.

December 26 & 27

No reports to release.