



CHESTERFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

JULY 2024 MONTHLY REPORT



Our officers took this photo while on a traffic detail where they were ensuring everyone's safety at the City's Fourth of July Celebration and enjoying the fireworks show.



The following report represents the work performed by the
Chesterfield Police Department in July 2024.



DEPARTMENT WIDE STATISTICS

Events	Monthly Totals
Calls For Service	4,814
Incident Reports Written	197
Custodial Arrests	92
Summons Issued in Lieu of Arrest	44
DWI	13
Traffic Citations	608
Warnings	670
Total Crashes	86
Fatality Crashes	0
Injury Crashes	22
Property Damage Crashes	64

Deer Count

The Chesterfield Police Department routinely tracks deer related incidents including deer and vehicle collisions, as well as tagging deer carcasses when located on roadways to better evaluate their impact on the safety of the community.

Incident Type	July 2023	July 2024	YTD 2024
Vehicle Collisions	2	2	12
Other	0	0	4
Carcass Tags	0	0	1
Total	2	2	17

BUREAU OF UNIFORMED PATROL

The Bureau of Uniformed Patrol is the largest bureau of the department, consisting of three Lieutenants, six Sergeants and thirty-six Police Officers. These officers provide a visible, uniformed presence within the community, 24 hours per day, 365 days per year. The bureau is responsible for responding to all calls for service; to include crimes in progress, crimes discovered, alarms sounding, traffic crashes and hazards, emotionally disturbed persons, and a myriad of other requests for service. In addition, officers perform preventative patrols of neighborhoods, businesses and parks to detect and deter criminal activity, as well as routinely conducting traffic enforcement to improve traffic safety. Several officers assigned to the bureau are cross trained as Crime Scene Officers whose responsibility is to seize evidence and process crime scenes for forensic evidence. A number of Chesterfield officers have received extensive training to be certified as Crisis Intervention Team officers, which enables them to provide acute and follow-up support to those experiencing a mental health crisis.

Calls For Service	2,408	Open Garage Door Notifications	164
Self-Initiated	1,294	Crime Scene Supplements Entered	28
Open Door Reports	13	Field Interview Reports Entered	24

FRAUD

St Lukes Center Dr - The business' accounts receivable received an invoice in the amount of \$177,023 and made the payment via wire transfer. Several days later they received a similar invoice and determined the fraudster copied an invoice and submitted it using an email that was one character off from their actual vendor's email, which prompted them to review the previous payment. The second payment was not submitted; an investigation is ongoing.

DOMESTIC ASSAULT 2ND/ ASSAULT ON LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

Westmeade Drive - Officers responded to a mental health crisis involving a 20-year-old male. Upon arrival, they found his girlfriend and mother struggling with him over an AR-15 rifle. After a brief struggle, during which the male pushed an officer into a wall, a Taser was deployed to subdue him. The mother and girlfriend were identified as victims of a felony domestic assault. The male was transported to a local hospital for a 96-hour mental health evaluation. A loaded AR-15 and a suicide note were found at the scene. Both items were seized as evidence.

STEALING/ WEAPONS OFFENSE

THF - Officers arrested a suspect for stealing at Walmart. Officers discovered the suspect was on file with Probation and Parole for a felony drug violation, and in possession of a firearm. The firearm was an untraceable "ghost gun" manufactured from a kit. While an Officer conveyed the suspect to St. Louis County Intake, he "blacked out" and claimed to have a panic attack. The St. Louis County Prosecuting Attorney's Office refused all charges. Officers issued summons for municipal charges and worked towards revoking the subject's probation.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT UNIT

The Bureau of Traffic Enforcement is responsible for the safety of Chesterfield's residents and visitors as they travel throughout the 244 miles of traffic-ways that wind throughout the 32 square miles of Chesterfield. Additionally, the Unit is charged with coordinating enforcement, safety and security for all special events, such as the annual Independence Day celebration, various runs, and other events held within the City. The Traffic Unit maintains primary responsibility for directed traffic enforcement, accident investigation and special event traffic management throughout the City of Chesterfield.

TOP CRASH LOCATIONS

MO 340 (Clarkson/Olive)	15
Chesterfield Airport Road	5
Private Property Accidents (City Wide)	11
Total I-64 (Ramps Included)	12

TOP TICKET LOCATIONS

MO 141	25
Chesterfield Airport Road	17
Baxter Road	12
Olive Boulevard	42
Clarkson Road	27
Entire Clarkson/Olive Corridor	69
Total I-64	122

On July 4th, the Traffic Division assisted in directing traffic before and after the fireworks display at the Chesterfield Valley Athletic Complex. This year there was less parking and higher attendance, but there were no major traffic issues.

The Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce continued their concert series in Faust Park. The traffic unit provided traffic control for these events on July 2nd and July 23rd.

On July 19th the Traffic Division coordinated and participated in a DWI saturation patrol.

- Speed Detection signs were deployed at the following locations in June:
- Stablestone Dr
 - Crosstrails Dr
 - Claymont Estates Dr
 - Rainy Lake Dr

Priority Street Enforcement Activity

The Priority Street Traffic Enforcement program identifies numerous streets throughout the City where enhanced enforcement efforts are conducted. These streets are selected based on crash statistics and/or citizen complaints. The majority of these locations are within subdivisions where complaints of speeding and/or stop sign violations have been received. Officers assigned to the Traffic Enforcement Unit and the Bureau of Uniformed Patrol are expected to routinely monitor these locations and take enforcement action when necessary.

# of Streets	# of Times	# of days	Time Spent	Tickets	Warnings
17	138	31	53:10 hours	27	43

SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT UNIT

The Special Enforcement Unit is responsible for handling all calls for service and providing a high level of uniformed visibility in all of the City's parks, walking trails and the four primary retail centers within the City Limits of Chesterfield.

Warrants Issued	17
Property Recovered	\$14,393.63
Park Patrol Hours	507:25

Arrests	29
Felony Charges	22
Misdemeanor Charges	18



Special Enforcement Unit officers seized this stolen merchandise from five suspects out of Chicago. The total recovery was \$8,384.15.

SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT UNIT

FELONY STEALING

THF Blvd.-Two subjects stole \$1822.50 worth of merchandise from a retailer. The investigation resulted in one subject being identified. The subject was contacted and arrested. Felony Stealing warrants were issued for the subject.

FELONY STEALING

Outlet Blvd.-Five subjects stole merchandise from the outlet mall several times over a 2-day period. The subjects were located leaving the mall and arrested. The arrest led to the seizure of \$8,384.13 worth of merchandise. The subjects travelled to Chesterfield from Chicago to steal. The subjects were booked at the station and several had warrants for stealing and burglary from Illinois.

FELONY STEALING

Outlet Blvd.-Three subjects stole merchandise from the outlet mall. The investigation revealed the subjects were from Kentucky, had warrants for stealing out of several states, and one subject had a Human Trafficking warrant out of Uvalde, Texas. The subjects were arrested and booked at the station.

FELONY STEALING/ STEALING 4TH OFFENSE/ POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE

THF Blvd.-A subject stole merchandise from Macy's and Best Buy. An SEU investigator recognized the subject and knew the subject frequented Chesterfield by utilizing the public bus. SEU investigators began patrolling the bus stops and located the subject. The subject was arrested and booked at the station. During the search incident to arrest, it was revealed the subject was in possession of a controlled substance.

CLARKSON VALLEY

On June 1, 2017 the department entered into a contractual agreement with the neighboring City of Clarkson Valley to provide comprehensive police services; 24-hour uniform patrols, traffic enforcement, response to calls for service, court and meeting security and community engagement programs.

Police Activity Report			
Radio Calls & Self-Initiated	177		
Reports			
Crime/Incident Reports	1	Alarms	13
Open Door	3	Open Garage Door Notifications	36
Crash Reports			
Injury	1	Non-Injury	1
Traffic Enforcement			
Moving	23	Non-Moving	6
Warnings	70	Parking Violations	0
Total (Tickets & Warnings)			
Arrests			
Felony	0	Misdemeanor	1
Fugitive	0	Summons Issued	0

Crimes/Incidents Reported
<p>Traffic Violation – A traffic violation at Clarkson & Forest Club resulted in an arrest for Driving While Revoked.</p> <p>Open Doors – While conducting vacation checks, open doors were found on a home on Kehrsdale. No criminal activity detected.</p> <p>Open Door – While conducting a vacation check, an open door was found on a home on Stillwater Pointe. No criminal activity detected.</p>

Marquette High School Reports
None.
Crestview Middle School Reports
None.

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS

The Bureau of Criminal Investigations is responsible for the follow-up investigation of all active offenses. The Bureau has one detective assigned to all juvenile cases and one detective detached to the St. Louis County Drug Task Force. The Unit is also responsible for major crime scene management, electronic forensic examinations, intelligence information management and personnel background investigations. The Bureau of Criminal Investigations also houses the Crime Suppression Unit which is responsible for the investigation and suppression of varying crime trends.

Active Cases Assigned	36
Verbal Letter Cases Assigned	7
Cases Cleared	5
Arrests	3
Summons Issued	4
Warrants Issued	7
Family Court Referrals	5
Recovered Property	\$1,600.00
Initial Background Interviews	0
Background Investigations	0
Major Case Call-Outs	1
Assist Other Unit	18
Department of Family Services Referrals	5
Field Incident Report (FIR)	1
Traffic Contacts	49
Self Initiated	14
Failure to Yields	1

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Detectives were reviewing large amounts of video extracted from devices seized during the execution of a search warrant regarding a previous peeping tom/harassment case. New evidence was discovered revealing evidence of a different crime. A detective applied for a new search warrant and the investigation of additional sex crimes is ongoing.

MAJOR CASE SQUAD CALL-OUT

A detective and an investigator from the patrol division responded to a 5-Day Major Case Squad Call-Out in Berkeley, MO.

DIGITAL EVIDENCE PROCESSING

A Cellebrite extraction was conducted for Manchester PD. Chesterfield PD continues to be a leader in digital evidence processing for surrounding agencies.

PRESENTATIONS

On 07/02/24, a detective assisted in teaching at Maryville University. During the presentation, the detective demonstrated how to fumigate fingerprints and how to use the equipment in our ID Kits.

COMMUNITY MEETING

On 07/06/24, a detective attended a Subdivision Community Meeting. The detective provided information at the meeting on current crime trends and ways members of the community could help safeguard themselves from those current crime trends.

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

The Community Affairs Unit is responsible for all crime prevention, police community relations and youth-based programs and initiatives. The unit's programs include Safety Town, COPPS, SRO/ESRO, citizen fingerprinting, speaker's bureau, Neighborhood Watch, child car seat installation program, drug take backs and the citizen police academy. The Department's Volunteers in Policing (VIP) program and the Chesterfield Police Explorer Post are also housed within the Community Affairs Unit.

Station Tours	0	Court Security dates	3
Car Seat Installations	2	City Council/Planning Security Dates	3
Community events, presentations and meetings		2	

Officers from the Police Community Affairs Unit completed the following work during the month:

- ⇒ Community Affairs Sergeant attended the Eastern MO. Police Academy graduation ceremony.
- ⇒ Community Affairs Sergeant assisted in the annual Evidence Audit.
- ⇒ Community Affairs Unit conducted the final 2, two-week sessions of the Safety Town program for approximately 50 4–6-year-old students.
- ⇒ ESRO Saavedra was assigned to Patrol for the summer where she has been field training a new police officer.

Department Social Media	
Monthly Total Facebook Posts	15
Number Reached (Facebook)	35,645
New Followers	8
All other social media posts	49

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

The School Resource Unit serves as resources and department liaisons at nineteen public and private schools located in Chesterfield and Clarkson Valley. The agency has ten full time officers assigned to the program. Six of the School Resource Officers (SROs) are individually assigned to the three public high schools and three public middle schools located in the two cities. The high school and middle school SRO programs are partially funded by the Parkway School District and the Rockwood School District representing one of the department's many successful community partnerships. In recent years, the department has added three additional officers to the unit that serve a similar role in the City's elementary schools, the Elementary SRO program (ESRO). These ESROs are assigned to seven public and six private elementary schools. Additionally, one ESRO is assigned to Logan College.

Elementary School Resource Officers (ESROs) are currently assigned to the Patrol Division for the summer and will return to the schools in August prior to the start of the school year.



Fire Safety day at Safety Town with Monarch Fire Department.

RECORDS AND PROPERTY

The Bureau of Records and Property is responsible for record storage and release, the proper storage of evidence and property, fleet maintenance and administration of the department's in-car and body worn camera program.

New Cases Entered Into Computer Based Evidence Tracking System	64	
Items of Evidence Logged	115	
Total Bonds Processed	15	totaling \$3,225.00
Including Bonds Processed for Other Agencies	5	totaling \$1,567.00
Police Reports Released	133	
Telephone Calls Received	2,769	



Bus Safety day at Safety Town with Team Buster from Parkway School District Transportation Department.

TRAINING

The Training Unit directly assists the agency with the continuing education and training of the existing members of the agency and the training and development of new members.

Hours of In-service Training	216
Hours of Academy Sponsored Training	152
Hours of Other Training	0
Hours of Police One Online Computer Training	96

TRAINING HIGHLIGHTS

⇒ One officer attended CIT training.

POLICE

Training In Progress

PERSONNEL

The Personnel Unit directly assists the agency and the Police Personnel Board in the recruitment, hiring, and promotion of police department personnel.

PERSONNEL

- ⇒ The Personnel Supervisor attended the graduation exercises for Recruit Tim Campbell who attended the Eastern Missouri Police Academy
- ⇒ Two newly appointed police officers began their field training in the month of July.
- ⇒ The Personnel Supervisor facilitated the administrative onboarding process for two recently appointed Recruits who are currently attending the Jefferson College Police Academy.



PERSONNEL & AWARDS

In July, we welcomed Police Officer Kyle Mueller to the Chesterfield Police family. Officer Mueller arrives with several years of Law Enforcement experience and we are extremely pleased that he has chosen to continue his career with our department.



Pictured left to right: City Clerk Vicki McGownd and Officer Kyle Mueller.

PERSONNEL & AWARDS

In July, we also welcomed Police Officer Timothy Campbell to the Chesterfield Police family. Officer Campbell graduated from the Eastern Missouri Police Academy on 07/12/2024 and was sworn in with the Chesterfield Police Department on 7/13/2024.



Pictured left to right: City Clerk Vicki McGownd and Officer Timothy Campbell.

CRIME REPORT

REPORTS	OFFENSES REPORTED CURRENT MONTH			TOTALS YEAR TO DATE		
	2023	2024	CHANGE	2023	2024	CHANGE
MURDER	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	N/A	1	0	-
NON-FORCIBLE RAPE	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
FORCIBLE RAPE	0	0	N/A	1	3	+
SEXUAL OFFENSE	1	2	+	6	8	+
ROBBERY	0	0	N/A	2	2	N/A
ASSAULT	11	17	+	73	121	+
BURGLARY						
RESIDENTIAL	0	1	+	15	6	-
COMMERCIAL	1	5	+	16	12	-
LARCENY						
FELONY	13	19	+	100	82	-
MISDEMEANOR	26	32	+	156	152	-
AUTO. THEFT	3	3	N/A	30	22	-
RECOVERED STOLEN VEHICLES IN CHF	2	2	N/A	16	9	-
RECOVERED CHF VEHICLES OTHER JURIS	3	6	+	25	10	-
ARSON	1	0	-	1	0	-
CHECKS/FRAUD	18	12	-	127	108	-
VANDALISM	12	11	-	58	62	+
DRUG VIOLATIONS	3	10	+	33	55	+
D.W.I.	4	13	+	54	71	+
TOTAL	98	133	+	736	723	-
ARREST						
ADULT	113	136	+	656	914	+
JUVENILE	3	5	+	35	33	-
TRAFFIC						
VEH. ACCIDENTS	93	86	-	691	635	-
MVA FATALITIES	0	0	N/A	1	1	N/A
MVA INJURIES	20	22	+	165	132	-
TRAFFIC CITATIONS	548	608	+	3,161	3,818	+
WARNINGS ISSUED	543	670	+	3,133	4,095	+
PARKING SUMMONS	10	6	-	39	67	+
RADIO ASSIGNMENTS	6,418	4,814	-	35,608	29,131	-
ALARMS	114	74	-	589	578	-