



## **From the Desk of Chief Domonic Campbell May Monthly Report for Police Department**

**Date: June 3, 2019**

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### **Special Notes**

**We collected 3.1 pounds of pills this month.**

**Senior Officer McNeill and Officer Strickland gave a presentation on scams at the Whispers Luncheon on May 8<sup>th</sup> at the Country Club of Whispering Pines.**

**Senior Officer McNeill and Officer Hinson, along with 83 other responders, were recognized by the Moore County Commissioners on May 21<sup>st</sup> for CPR saves.**

**Our office had a DCI audit, conducted by the SBI compliance unit, this month. This audit reviews technical security, security awareness training, and use and access to criminal history record information and DMV information. Our department was found compliant in all areas and no deficiencies were found.**

**The Post Office has installed a blue drop off mailbox in front of the police department. We now have a convenient location to drop off mail in Whispering Pines. The mail is to be collected around 2:30 pm, Monday through Saturday.**

**Beginning next month, we will have volunteers working at the police department one day a week to help with phone calls, visitors, and other tasks.**

## Events of interest for the month of May 2019

1. **There were twenty-three (23) incidents that were investigated this month. Of these incidents, ten (10) involved an arrest with 17 total charges.**

*After an arrest, officers are unavailable for at least 2 hours while processing and booking subjects at the Moore County Jail in Carthage. Serving a criminal summons does not require detaining or taking the subject to jail.*

- **May 1<sup>st</sup> – Assault on a child under 12.** Our department received a report from DSS Child Protection Services about a 5-year-old child who showed up at school with fingerprint bruises on his cheek. The child told his teacher that his grandmother was responsible. The grandmother indicated that she accidentally scratched her grandchild's face when putting the child in the car seat. The officer felt the injury was consistent with the grandmother's statement.
- **May 3<sup>rd</sup> – Breaking and entering a motor vehicle and larceny from motor vehicle.** A resident of Par Drive reported that someone entered his unlocked vehicle and took his wallet that was sitting in the cupholder. Nothing else was disturbed inside the vehicle. An officer dusted for fingerprints.
- **May 3<sup>rd</sup> – Violation of Village ordinance (dog at large).** A resident came to the police department with a small dog that she found running loose on Airport Road. The officer placed the dog in the kennel at the police department. 15 minutes later the dog owner called looking for his dog. When the dog owner came to pick up his dog the officer issued a warning ticket to the dog owner for the violation since this was the first violation.
- **May 4<sup>th</sup> – Possession of marijuana and marijuana paraphernalia.** As a result of a traffic stop for speeding the officer detected the odor of marijuana while speaking to the driver. The officer searched the vehicle and found a cigarillo, digital scales with marijuana residue on it, a smoking pipe, and a plastic container containing marijuana. The officer photographed the items and then seized the items for placement into evidence. The officer issued the driver a citation for speeding. A passenger in the vehicle was arrested by citation for possession of marijuana and possession of marijuana paraphernalia.
- **May 8<sup>th</sup> – Simple possession of marijuana and possession of marijuana paraphernalia.** As a result of a traffic stop for a vehicle that kept crossing the center line the officer detected the odor of marijuana when he approached the vehicle. The officer searched the vehicle and found a cigarillo and a glass jar full of marijuana buds, and a plastic bag with loose marijuana. These items were photographed and seized for placement into evidence. The driver was arrested

- by citation for simple possession of marijuana and possession of marijuana paraphernalia.
- **May 9<sup>th</sup> – Identity theft.** A bank reported that one of their customers had fallen victim to a fraud. The officer spoke to the Martin Drive resident who stated that a message had appeared on his computer saying that his computer had a virus and to call a telephone number to speak with “Microsoft.” The resident called and he was told they could clean his computer and provide 5 years of protection for \$400.00. The resident provided his bank information and a charge of \$400.00 was made on his bank account. Then the resident received another phone call stating that they had refunded too much money to his bank account and they needed him to purchase \$1,000 worth of gift cards to refund the company. The resident then realized this was a scam and contacted his bank to have his account closed.
  - **May 11<sup>th</sup> – Warrant for arrest – larceny of a firearm.** As a result of a traffic stop the officer determined that the driver had a warrant for arrest out of Cumberland County for felony charges involving breaking and entering and stolen property. After issuing the driver a citation for speeding the officer placed the driver under arrest and transported her to the Moore County Jail.
  - **May 13<sup>th</sup> – Order for arrest for failure to appear on a driving while license revoked.** As a result of a traffic stop, the officer determined that the driver had an active order for arrest out of Lee County for failure to appear on a driving while license revoked charge. The officer issued citations to the driver for displaying a fictitious plate, inspection violation, driving while license revoked, registration violation, and no insurance. The driver was then placed under arrest and transported to the Moore County Jail.
  - **May 15<sup>th</sup> – Violation of Village ordinance (barking dog).** A resident of South Lakeshore Drive reported a neighbor’s dog for barking all day the day before and continuing to bark today. The officer went to the dog owner’s residence and found out that the dog owner was just visiting and had left to return home to Boone.
  - **May 17<sup>th</sup> – Driving while impaired.** An officer observed a vehicle speeding and pulled the vehicle over. The driver drove  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile before finally stopping for the officer. The officer asked the driver where she was going but her answers did not make sense. The officer asked the driver if she had anything to drink and she said no several times before finally admitting to having had some wine. The officer could detect an odor of alcohol. The officer had the driver perform several roadside field sobriety tests. The officer felt as a result of these tests that the driver was impaired. The driver was placed under arrest and transported to the Moore County Jail. The driver had a blood alcohol content of .15.

- **May 17<sup>th</sup> – Child custody dispute.** An officer was flagged down by a man on South Lakeshore Drive. He stated he was on his way to his ex-wife's house to pick up his children and wanted an officer to prevent any situations from occurring. When they arrived at the residence the ex-wife was upset that an officer came to her home. One of the children didn't want to go with her father and the ex-wife asked her ex-husband to leave. The officer advised the ex-husband that this was a civil matter and he needed to contact his attorney about the child custody agreement.
- **May 19<sup>th</sup> – Found property.** An officer found a wallet in the box at the police department where residents place their residence check forms. No one had called the police department about a missing wallet. The officer attempted to locate a phone number for the owner of the wallet but was not successful. The wallet was placed into evidence until owner can be contacted.
- **May 20<sup>th</sup> – Larceny of property.** A resident of Winding Trail reported that \$20,000 worth of jewelry was missing from her bedroom. The resident advised that the house is currently for sale and there have been several showings of her home.
- **May 21<sup>st</sup> – Found property.** A woman brought a camouflage bag containing a child's toy into the police department. She had found it at a park on South Lakeshore Drive. The bag was placed into evidence until the owner can be located.
- **May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Violation of Village ordinance (barking dog).** A resident of Sandpiper Drive reported a neighbors' dogs barking. The officer went to the dog owner's residence and advised the dog owner of the Village ordinance pertaining to dogs. The dog owner was given a written warning since this was the first offense.
- **May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Failure to appear on a driving while license revoked charge.** As a result of a traffic stop the officer determined that the driver had an active order for arrest out of Randolph County for failure to appear on a driving while license revoked charge. The driver was placed under arrest and transported to the Moore County Jail.
- **May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Damage to property.** The Country Club of Whispering Pines reported that a customer's vehicle was parked in the parking lot and the customer found the entire back window broken. A golf ball was laying on the pavement near by and appeared to have been sliced. It is believed that a mower ran over the golf ball and shot it into the vehicle.
- **May 24<sup>th</sup> – Obtaining property by false pretense.** A resident of Arbutus Drive reported that she was the victim of fraud. She hired a company to add an addition onto her home. The resident paid a total of \$44,500. The work was supposed to be completed within 4 – 6 weeks. It has now been 2 years and work still have not been completed. Work that has been done has not been done

- correctly. The county inspector has been out and much of the work is wrong and will have to be torn out. The contractor has warrants from other local agencies for accepting money for jobs but never completing the jobs.
- **May 26<sup>th</sup> – Possession of marijuana.** As result of a traffic stop for speeding the officer detected the odor of marijuana when speaking to the driver. The officer searched the vehicle and found a cellophane bag of marijuana. The officer photographed it and then seized it for placement into evidence. The driver was arrested by citation for possession of marijuana and also received a citation for speeding.
  - **May 28<sup>th</sup> – Involuntary commitment.** An officer received a call from a Magistrate advising she had involuntary commitment papers for a Lakeview Drive resident and was sending them over to the officer. Officers went to the residence and picked up the resident and transported him to the hospital. After an initial evaluation the resident was admitted to the hospital.
  - **May 29<sup>th</sup> – Possession of Schedule IV substance.** As a result of a traffic stop for speeding the officer detected the odor of marijuana when he approached the vehicle. The officer searched the vehicle and found a cellophane bag that contained some pills. The pills were a Schedule IV drug. The driver was able to get proof from a pharmacy that she had a prescription for the pills. The officer issued the driver a citation for speeding and driving while license revoked.
  - **May 31<sup>st</sup> – Possession of marijuana.** As a result of a traffic stop the officer detected the odor of marijuana when speaking to the driver. The officer searched the vehicle and found a small bag of marijuana inside the console. The officer photographed the marijuana and then seized it for placement into evidence. The driver was arrested by citation for possession of marijuana, and also for driving while license revoked and displaying a fictitious registration plate.
  - **May 31<sup>st</sup> – Aid/Abet underage possession of alcohol.** An officer responded to a call at a park on Lakeview Drive. Someone reported that vehicles were parked in the roadway. When the officer arrived, he found one vehicle parked in the roadway and went into the park to locate the owner. The officer saw a man and 2 teenagers in the swimming area so he went to speak to them. He noticed the 2 teenage boys had cans of beer. The man, who was the father to one of the teens told the officer that he provided the beer to the teens. The officer arrested the father by citation for aiding and abetting possession of alcohol to underage persons.

## **2. There was one (1) traffic accident in the Village this month.**

- **May 14<sup>th</sup>** – An accident occurred at the intersection of Airport Road and Niagara Carthage Road. A vehicle stopped at the stop sign but failed to see an oncoming vehicle and pulled in front of the oncoming vehicle. Three people

were injured in the accident and transported to the hospital. Both vehicles were towed from the scene.

### **3. Safety (Department)**

- We continue to provide training for police staff above what is required.

### **4. Safety (Village)**

- Officers have performed numerous saturation patrols on roads where complaints have been received about speeding violations.
- Increased patrols of Village parks.

### **5. Other Events of Interest**

- **May 9<sup>th</sup>** – Chief Campbell and Sgt. Graham attended a meeting at the Moore County Sheriff's Office about the rising numbers of overdoses in the county.

### **7. Ordinance Violations**

Parked in right-of-way – 6  
Parked in right-of-way – 2 (civil penalty)  
Parked in roadway - 1  
Dog at large – 2  
Dog at large – 0 (civil penalty)  
Barking dog - 1  
Park violations – 21  
Soliciting - 4

## Statistics 2019

MONTH	INCIDENTS	ARRESTS	ARREST CHARGES	ACCIDENTS	WARNINGS	WARNING CHARGES	CITATIONS	CITATION CHARGES	COMMUNITY HOUSE CHECKS	BUSINESS CHECKS
January	41	7	15	4	103	116	121	167	503	1,107
February	25	11	22	2	93	114	82	118	515	954
March	24	11	22	4	153	166	114	153	466	1,098
April	26	10	18	5	89	99	87	133	445	1,042
May	23	10	17	1	93	102	75	106	580	1,113
June										
July										
August										
September										
October										
November										
December										
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>2,509</b>	<b>5,314</b>

## Statistics 2018

MONTH	INCIDENTS	ARRESTS	ARREST CHARGES	ACCIDENTS	WARNINGS	WARNING CHARGES	CITATIONS	CITATION CHARGES	COMMUNITY HOUSE CHECKS	BUSINESS CHECKS
January	9	5	10	6	69	72	59	78	545	990
February	15	6	28	5	82	92	72	102	442	897
March	13	6	11	4	71	81	87	115	435	999
April	17	10	22	2	93	104	60	89	539	1,026
May	21	11	19	1	91	98	86	118	529	986
June	17	8	8	4	104	111	75	98	668	1,008
July	24	15	21	3	102	118	83	110	701	923
August	17	11	20	3	93	102	94	134	657	1,105
September	21	13	21	2	65	81	69	105	503	955
October	26	12	25	4	122	135	106	156	499	1,005
November	20	9	17	3	96	103	83	116	577	1,043
December	24	13	26	1	84	92	96	134	745	965
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>6,840</b>	<b>11,902</b>

# Activity Log Event Summary (Cumulative Totals)

## Whispering Pines Police Department

### (05/01/2019 - 05/31/2019)

Accident/No fatality	1	Animal Complaint	6
Arrest - All Other	4	Arrest - Drug Violation	4
Arrest - DWI	1	ASSIST - CITIZEN	15
ASSIST - EMS	25	ASSIST - FIRE DEPARTMENT	5
ASSIST - MOTORIST	5	ASSIST - OFFICER	19
Bank Deposit	7	Business Check	31
Case Follow Up	16	Citation - All Other	2
Citation - Displaying an Expired Registration	24	Citation - Drivers License Revoked. (G.S. 20-28)	14
Citation - Driving Left of Center. G.S. 20-146	1	Citation - Driving While Impaired G.S. 20-138	1
Citation - Failure to Register	1	Citation - Fictitious Plate	2
Citation - Inspection	18	Citation - No Insurance	6
Citation - No Operating License	4	Citation - No Seat Belt	1
Citation - Open Container	2	Citation - Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	2
Citation - Registration Plate Revoked GS	2	Citation - Simple Misdemeanor or Possession of	4
Citation - Speed in Excess of 35 MPH Inside	2	Citation - Speeding	20
CITIZEN CONTACT	38	Cleaned Patrol Vehicle	5
COURT	7	Directing Traffic	1
District Attorney's Office	2	Disturbance Call	1
Driveway Permits (Chief only)	2	Fingerprint Subject at PD	3
Foot Patrol at Food Lion Plaza	63	Incident - All Traffic	1
Incident - Breaking & Entering	1	Incident - Damage to Property	1
Incident - Found Property	2	Incident - Fraud	2
Incident - Involuntary Commitment	1	Incident - Larceny	1
Incident - Ordinance Violations	4	Incident - Other	1
Incident - Physical Assault	1	Incident - Possession Drug/Paraphernalia	5
Investigate (All Other)	21	Investigate Traffic Complaint (via 911 or person)	5
Investigate Village Ordinance Complaint	16	Meeting	8
Mutual Aid	4	Ordinance Violations (Civil Penalty)	2
Park Patrol	71	Presentation	1
Request visit by Citizen	13	RESIDENCE CHECKS	31
RESPOND TO ALARM CALL	11	Saturation Patrol	20
SCHOOL/TRAINING	14	Speed Trailer	3
Statement from (victim, witness, or	3	Store Closing	56



Suspicious Person	3	Suspicious Vehicle	8
Unlock locked vehicle	4	Vehicle Servicing	1
Warning Ticket - Defective Safety Equipment	6	Warning Ticket - Exceeding Posted Speed	40
Warning Ticket - Expired Inspection	5	Warning Ticket - Expired Registration	9
Warning Ticket - Failure to carry registration card	1	Warning Ticket - Failure to Stop at Stop Sign	1
Warning Ticket - Left of Center	2	Warning Ticket - Seat Belt Violation	2
Warning Ticket - Unsafe Movement	1	Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	1
Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	2	Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	21
Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	6	Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	1
Warning Ticket - Violation of Village Ordinance	4	Welcome New Resident	16
Welfare Check Request	8		

**Total Number Of Events: 808**

## GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

**Goal #1: To provide a uniform standard that will enable personnel of the department to be more consistent in procedures when handling situations.**

Daily briefings are being conducted by officers at shift changes. The Lieutenant and Sergeant have also discussed monthly schedule and operational concerns with all officers this month.

There were no revised policies this month.

All officers completed policy reviews of General Order 021 – towing of Vehicles and General Order 022 – Vehicle Maintenance and Inspections.

**Goal #2: To provide for education and further development of department personnel to enhance officer and department professionalism.**

All officers viewed a training video about staying vigilant and aware while on active roadways. The video reviews several traffic stops as examples to help officers stay safe on the road.

Officer Strickland completed the mandated in-service training Leadership and Professional Development on May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Lt. Dozier completed the mandated in-service training Leadership and Professional Development on May 6<sup>th</sup>.

Sgt. Graham completed the 2-day course Law Enforcement Budgeting at Randolph Community College on May 7<sup>th</sup>.

Senior Officer Holt and Senior Officer McNeill successfully completed the 2-day Verbal Judo course at the North Carolina Justice Academy.

**Goal #3: Provide for a higher degree of personal contact between community and department personnel.**

Officers welcomed 16 new residents this month and provided the new residents with a police “Welcome Packet” describing many of the services offered by our department.

Child IDs – 0

Child seat installations – 0

**Goal #4: Conduct special enforcement programs and participate in GHSP campaigns.**

No checkpoints were conducted this month.

**Goal #5: Continue current crime prevention programs to maintain the Village’s low crime statistics.**

We remain fully staffed.

A traffic complaint was received about speeding on Goldenrod Drive this month. Officers conducted a total of 12 speed surveys in the area. No citations were written. In particular the officers logged FedEx and UPS

trucks. The fastest speed recorded was 28 mph. An officer has spoken with a FedEx driver about speeding complaints that have been received.

Another traffic complaint was received in late April about speeding on Shadow Lane. Officer conducted a total of 10 speed surveys in the area. No citations were issued during the time on Shadow Lane. Officers will continue to enforce the traffic laws in the area.

Officers have conducted:

- House checks – 580 (average 19 a day)
- Business checks – 1,113
- Store closings – 56
- Food Lion foot patrols - 63

We added 3 new seniors to our Senior Call In Program this month and now have 11 seniors in the Senior Call In Program. This is the most participants we have ever had in this program.

We provided the new The Pitch with stats from May.

We have 5 certified child seat technicians. 4 officers and the Sergeant are certified child seat technicians.

**Goal #6: Proactive approach in looking for safety concerns.**

In our efforts to meet OSHA requirements, quarterly and yearly reviews of the Infectious Disease Control Plan have been scheduled. Chief Campbell completed a quarterly review and found no changes needed at this time. The next quarterly review will be scheduled for June 2019.