

SANDY SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT
Weekly Activity Report
April 21, 2010



LT. STEVE ROSE

Well I didn't send a report out last week—nothing personal just was out of town for a few days and didn't hit my deadline. Since it's MY deadline, I approved my missing the deadline. We were in Columbia SC where my son graduated from the U.S. Army basic training at Ft. Jackson. We're very proud of him and it's amazing how ten weeks can change someone from that to this! Way to go P.J.

On Tuesday, in the area of Ison School and the Hampton Apartments, we were running around in the woods trying to locate a man who had pulled a gun on his probation officer earlier in the day and then ran from the police officers. I got a few e-mails on this. We have warrants on him now and although we didn't find him Tuesday, we'll have him in custody probably by the time this report is sent out.



COPS CARDS

We are again looking for sponsors for our 2010 edition of the Cop-Cards for SSPD. Sponsorship for 2000 cards is \$179. Company or civic group logos can be put on the cards and the sponsor's name and information is always listed on the back. If you or your company or group is interested, please shoot me an e-mail! Thanks!

Police Benevolent Fundraiser

Sandy Springs Police is partnering with the Slappy and Sadd Law Firm for a fundraiser to benefit the SSPD Benevolent Fund. It will be a family fund day with rides, attractions, and displays. It starts at 10 a.m. and runs until 5 p.m.

Census Scams

They are out there but remember, Bottom Line: The legit census asks for NO financial information.

6900 block of Roswell Road 30328 4/16
Sometime between 6 and 9 p.m. someone entered the victim's apartment and removed a TV and X-Box game system.

100 block of Cromwell Road 30328 4/17
A resident reported that someone entered the home and took a laptop computer. A neighbor reported seeing a black male running from the home being chased by (most likely) the victim's dog. He got into a white vehicle and left the area.

100 block of West Belle Isle Road 30342 4/19
A man reported that while he was gone from his apartment, someone cut the screen to his back window and entered the apartment. A laptop was stolen. The victim said when he returned home, he could smell marijuana lingering in the room. He went to his neighbor's apartment and talked to him. His neighbor who is known only by "D-Moe," smelled like weed. The victim thinks that "D-Moe" may know something about the burglary.

3000 block of Glenridge Stratford Drive 30342 4/20
A man reported that while he walked his dog, someone entered his apartment and took his computer and related equipment.

THEFT

1700 block of Brandon Hall Drive 30350 4/16
(No narrative was attached to this report so I have no clue what happened.)

6120 Roswell Road 30328 4/17
The manager of the I-Hop reported that a party of four ate and two members of the party skipped on the bill of \$21.

Wesley Oaks Drive 30328 4/17
A real estate agent, conducting an open house, saw a woman who was dressed in a brown shirt and brown baggy pants, come into the home and immediately ask where the bathroom was. The agent had knowledge of a woman posing as a prospective client, going into the homes and stealing prescription drugs. The agent went into the area where the woman was and found her stealing prescription drugs later identified by the home owner. The woman left the location before the police arrived.

400 block of West Spalding Drive 30350 4/17

that the male is a drug addict and had been selling household items for drug money. He was arrested.

Perimeter Center West 30328 4/17

An officer, on patrol, ran a car tag. The tag information showed an outstanding traffic warrant on the owner of the tag. The driver was confirmed as the same as on the warrant and he was arrested.

5920 Roswell Road 30328 4/17

A man, who solicits funds from people by presenting a note that says he's deaf and needs bus fare, was arrested for doing just that. He lives down the street from where he was arrested and he hears just fine.

An officer saw two men collecting money on the exit ramp off of I-285 and Roswell Road. The men were collecting money for "La Casa De Mi Padre" Church in Stone Mountain. The officer checked the men and found that one was wanted on a warrant for Strong-Arm Armed Robbery in Harrisonburg, VA. He was arrested. The second guy was wanted on an FTA warrant in Conyers. Both were also charged with soliciting without a permit.



DON'T give these clowns money! The Shriners and other legit organizations all have permits. Call these folks into the 911 center so we can check them out.

Officers responded to Northside Hospital where security officers had to detain an extremely drunk male outside the ER. The officer arrived in time to watch the man make a small puddle at his feet all the while slurring something negative about the security staff. They found that the man had come in complainaning about chest pain. They examined him and found that medically he was okay but really, really, drunk. He got mad and struck the nurse. (She was not injured.) He then got unruly and was taken outside by the staff. The man was arrested.

OTHER THINGS

A man reported that while delivering pizza on Stratford Lane, a dog bit him on his pinkie.

5671 PDR 30328 4/16

Cops were called to a doctor's office and witnessed the following chilling details: A man got on his cell phone while in the waiting room. He talked loudly which irritated another man in the waiting room. The second man grabbed some hand sanitizer and squirted the loudly-

talking man in the eye with it. The *squirter* said he regretted hitting the man in the eye and apologized. The loud guy said he was satisfied with the apology. Nobody apologized to the officer for taking him away from good patrol time with this ridiculous call.



There are two morals to this story:

1. Remember it's all fun and games until someone gets sanitized in the eye.
2. Take your loud, obnoxious phone call to the hallway and be more considerate next time.

- A December Seattle Times profile of Rachel Porcaro (a single mother with an \$18,000-a-year hair-cutting job, raising two kids, living with her parents) centered on the IRS's year-long, full-blown audit of her, and subsequently of her parents, because she was flagged for earning too little money on which to raise a family in Seattle. Ultimately, Rachel and her parents prevailed on every issue except the Earned Income Tax Credit, in that Rachel's kids receive a little too much help from her parents for her to qualify. [Seattle Times, 12-6-09]
- How much can a shoplifter stuff in his pants? A man seen on surveillance video at a Mobil on the Run convenience store in Bloomfield, Conn., in February fled after stuffing at least 17 cans of Red Bull energy drink down his pants. [WLBZ-TV (Bangor, Maine), 2-25-10]
- And in Cairns, Australia, a 51-year-old man was caught shoplifting in March, witnessed by security staff putting three limes and a package of beef tongue in his pants. When cornered, the man (like clowns exiting a clown car) pulled out an additional

two onions, three trays of rump steaks and a packet of lamb
forequarter chops. [Cairns Post, 3-16-10]