



GANANOQUE POLICE SERVICE

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MEDIA RELEASE

News items for the period between May 16th and May 22nd 2011

Officers of the Gananoque Police Service investigated 77 occurrences during the seven day period ending May 22nd, 2011. This included 19 criminal occurrences, 3 motor vehicle collision, 10 calls to 911 for assistance and 5 Provincial Offence Notices were issued.

May 17th, 2011

On May 17th in the early hours, the Gananoque Police Service received a complaint regarding the large front window of a local restaurant found broken. The window was temporarily secured. No suspects at this time. Investigation continuing.

May 19th, 2011

On May 19th the Gananoque Police Service received a complaint of a theft of clothing at a local business. Suspect is described as a white female, late teens to early twenties with long curly blonde hair, between 5'6" and 5'8" and a medium build. If anyone has information please contact the Gananoque Police Service at 613-382-4422 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

May 21st, 2011

On May 21st, the Gananoque Police Service received a report of a suspicious vehicle being parked for a length of time on a private parking lot in the Town of Gananoque. Upon checking vehicle, it found to be a stolen vehicle from a previous theft occurrence on May 8th. The vehicle was seized and held as evidence. No suspects. Investigation continuing.

May 21st, 2011

On May 21st, the Gananoque Police Service responded to a call of a reported domestic dispute. Upon arrival both parties were found to be under the influence of alcohol and non-compliant. Subsequently both were arrested. The 43 year old male was charged with Fail to Comply with Recognizance due to breaching a previous release condition to keep the peace and be of good behavior. The male was also charged with two counts of Assaulting a Peace Officer and two counts of Assault with Intent to Resist Arrest. He will be held in custody for a bail hearing at a later date. The 21 year old female was charged with two counts of Assault a Peace Officer and two counts of Assault with Intent to Resist Arrest. The female was released on a Promise to Appear and Undertaking before an officer in charge. The female will be in court at a later date.

May 21st, 2011

On May 21st, the Gananoque Police Service responded to a complaint of an intoxicated male laying in front of a local business. Officers located the 39 year old male who was arrested and charged with Being Intoxicated in a Public Place under the Liquor License Act. The male was released later.

May 21st, 2011

On May 21st, the Gananoque Police Service received a complaint of a male within a local establishment believed to be in possession of a controlled substance. Officers located a 20 year old male who was charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance. The male was released on a Promise to Appear and Undertaking before an officer in charge and is scheduled to attend court at a later date.

May 21st, 2011

On May 21st, The Gananoque Police Service responded to a domestic violence complaint. During the police investigation a member of the public sustained injuries. The Special Investigation Unit was contacted and has invoked their mandate.

When police officers are involved in incidents where someone has been seriously injured, dies or alleges sexual assault, the SIU has the statutory mandate to conduct independent investigations to determine whether a criminal offence took place. The effective fulfillment of this mandate, with all of its associated challenges, remains critical to fostering public confidence in policing in the province by ensuring thorough and independent investigations that stand up to public scrutiny.

The Gananoque Police Service cannot comment on SIU matters as per Section 12 of Regulation 267/10, enacted under the Police Services Act, which put forth the legal provisions to the permissible level of information disclosure by the police.

May 22nd, 2011

On May 22nd, the Gananoque Police Service investigated a complaint of a male breaching his recognizance. After speaking with witnesses, the 44 year old male was subsequently arrested and charged with 3 counts of Fail to Comply with Recognizance. The male was held in custody for a bail hearing at a later date.

If you have information on these or any other criminal occurrences you may contact the Gananoque Police Service at 613-382-4422. The Gananoque Police dispatch system does not have call display and no one is required to identify themselves. The public can also call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477. Information that is provided is confidential and you will not be required to identify yourself. Crime Stoppers pays a monetary reward for information that leads to an arrest of a suspect.