



IU Police Department - Indianapolis Protection, Dedication, Service



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Welcome to your News Letter! The primary purpose of the document is to serve as a departmental source of communication that is published monthly.

The Staff Corner: On May 1, 2011 at approximately 2:00PM police officers from day shift responded to a report of someone stealing a bicycle at 600 Barnhill Dr. Indianapolis. Officers arrived within minutes and witnessed a person attempting to steal a bicycle by cutting a chain with bolt cutters.

The bolt cutters, chain and bicycle were recovered and placed into evidence. The person was detained and cooperated with officers. He was released pending locating the owner of the bicycle. Later that afternoon the owner was located, identified the bicycle and agreed to assist in prosecution.

As a result officers Botts & Keller presented a probable cause to the Marion County Prosecutor's Office on May 10, 2012 and charges were filed against Desmond Dozier, Indianapolis, for criminal mischief and attempt theft.

An overall good example of excellent response time and follow up!

More kudos

On May 9, 2012 at approximately 7:00 PM Officer Northington was completing a check of the university property at 1830 W. 16th St. when he noticed a person talking on a cell phone kneeling over another person. The person on the cell phone motioned for help.

Officer Northington exited his police vehicle and was told the person down was not breathing. Officer Northington contacted police communications and requested an ambulance. He then started CPR and continued until the arrival of the Indianapolis Fire Department who relieved him.

The unconscious person started breathing, regained consciousness and was transported by Indianapolis EMS to Methodist Hospital. A follow up with the hospital indicated the person had been admitted to the hospital. Good job James!

Congratulations to Officers Richardson, R. Botts, McLaurin and Masterson on the successful completion of patrol rifle school and thanks to Officers Dunning, Moore, O'Rourke and Riley for helping Greenwood PD instruct the class.

Congratulations to Sgt. John Coy for being accepted into the IUPUI graduate certificate program for Emergency Management.

Construction Update: For an undetermined period of time, access to Psychiatric Research dock and parking will continue to vary from Wishard Blvd or temporary access through the Physical Plant parking lot and then across Elmwood depending on utility work.

Accreditation: The policy group continues to meet to discuss various policies. Recent discussions have included Uniform, Missing Persons, Response to Resistance, and Consular Notification.

Training: Project safe walk continues into the summer months. Students continue to use the system so far during the first summer session.

The cadet officers are continuing their studies in Bloomington at the police academy. Cadet Simone Evans scored the only perfect score on the first core exam. Many more academic as well as skills and physical challenges lay ahead as the cadets work towards graduation August 11th.

Emergency Management & Continuity: The Department is preparing for its annual active shooter refresher training which will take place in July.

Other significant accomplishments

- In February, IUPUI hosted the New England Patriots at the University Place Hotel for their chance to play in the 2012 Super Bowl facing the New York Giants. Emergency Management and Continuity activated the IU Central Emergency Operations Center on game day to monitor events and staffed the facility with Campus Police and Parking and Transportation Services personnel.
- Staff of the Indiana University Emergency Management and Continuity (IUEMC) were called upon by the Indiana Department of Homeland Security to support the community of Henryville, IN (Clark County), which was struck by a devastating tornado on March 3, 2012 (see picture below). The track of the tornado stretched nearly 70 miles across the southern portion of the state, leaving many without shelter, food, water, and other essential services for nearly a week.
- IUEMC coordinated support for a command and control trailer used during the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure held on April 21, 2012 near the IUPUI campus, integrating elements of the Indiana Department of Homeland Security, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police, IU Police Department-Indianapolis, Indianapolis Emergency Medical Services and many other organizations.
- On April 21, 2012, IUEMC provided support and coordination to Clark County Emergency Management in the conduct of the 2012 Thunder Over Louisville event which drew record crowds and marked the beginning of the Kentucky Derby.
- IUEMC provided support and coordination for the Little 500 Bike Race conducted on April 21, 2012 in Bloomington, IN. The race consists of multiple events and involves a wide range of public safety personnel from the Monroe County area.
- During the week of April 23, 2012, IUEMC provided support to the Indiana Department of Homeland Security in the conduct of the annual State Level Exercise conducted at the Muscatatuck Urban Training Center in Jennings County. The week-

long exercise tested the capabilities of four District Response Taskforces from northern Indiana and evaluated their law enforcement, emergency management, search and rescue, and emergency medical capabilities.

- IUEMC supported the conduct of the 2012 Mini-Marathon, an event associated with the annual Indianapolis 500 Celebration. IUEMC partnered with IU Police Department-Indianapolis to monitor and assist runners making the last leg of the intense 13.2 mile course.



Indiana Fusion Center: The Indiana Intelligence Fusion Center was part of a homeland security class at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway on May 18, 2012. Representatives from the IIFC provided an overview of the Fusion Center as it relates to the Private Sector to a Purdue University professor and 9 students involved in a graduate class titled: *Large Event Planning in Homeland Security*. The course of study involved risks and the intelligence process related to large scale events.



Security Tips: If you are a victim/survivor of sexual assault or rape

- Seek help immediately. Call the local Rape Crisis hotline or contact RAINN 1-800-656-HOPE to be directed. You are not at fault. Do not feel guilty or try to forget what happened; it is a crime and should be reported.
- Do not shower, wash or change clothing; valuable evidence could be destroyed. Get medical attention as soon as possible, preferably within 72 hours for physical injuries sustained, sexually transmitted diseases (STD's) pregnancy prevention (if applicable), and the collection and preservation of evidence crucial to pursuing criminal action.

- If you think you've been assaulted while under the influence of an unknown drug (GHB, etc.) seek help immediately. Try not to urinate before providing a urine sample and if possible collect any glasses that you drank from.
- Seek counseling and support to deal with emotional trauma; RAINN (The Rape Abuse Incest National Network) or your local Rape Crisis Service, Public Safety or the Police will be able to assist with determining the best available resources.

Announcements: This section serves to recognize special occasions. Examples include birthdays, wedding anniversaries, departmental social gatherings etc. All departmental personnel are encouraged to submit the aforementioned information no later than the 25th of the month before the next publication of the News Letter.

June birthdays

01, S. Dunning
 10, D. Wilson
 17, J. Coy
 19, K. Jones
 24, B. Materson
 28, R. Keller
 28, J. Lawrence
 29, J. Northington

July birthdays

09, K. Lewis-Minor
 07, D. Sweeney
 10, T. Remender
 12, D. Timmings
 13, J. Denning
 18 J. O'Rourke
 24, F. Sloan
 24, A. Steele