



CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT



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The following is the official summary of activity conducted by members of the Green Cove Springs Police Department for the month of March 2023:

Total # Calls for Service: **921**

Total # Arrests: **42 (+24)**

Total # Traffic Stops: **380 (+67)** Total # Citations: **129 (+7)** % Citations to stops: **29%**

Total # Building and business security checks: **1,442 (-33)**

Total # Police Related Services: **3,867 (+208)**

Response Times: Priority 1: **6M 13sec** Priority 2: **0M 43 sec** Priority 3: **3M 53sec**

Dispatch Phone Communication: 911 calls: **330** Non-Emergency calls: **335** Walk-In: **19**

Marine Enforcement:

3/20/23: Delivery of new police boat to PD

3/24/23: Hines break in of new boat.

Red Light Camera Program:

Video Review:

Ofc. Gann reviewed 971 violations, approved 859 and rejected 112

Sgt. Vineyard reviewed 0 violations, approved 0 and rejected 0

Total violations reviewed for the month: **971** Approval Rating: **88.47%**

Total hours reviewing video: **15.64**

Off Duty/Security Details:

GCSPD Officers worked **22** security and off duty details in March in addition to normal duties.

Traffic complaints received/completed:

Location	Issue	# Officer # Times	Traffic Stops	Traffic Citations	Traffic Warnings	Parking Citations	Issue Y/N
500 Pine Ave	Speed	11/26	1		1		N

****When evaluating traffic complaints, low numbers of stops/citations are a good indication that the issue may not be as prevalent as the citizen believes.17**

Reviewed/Approved By
Chief of Police *[Signature]* 4/13/23

Notable Arrests:

2023000754	Possession of Synthetic Narcotic
2023000696	Possession of Methamphetamine
2023000519	Possession of Methamphetamine
2023000545	Disorderly Intoxication
2023000585	Driving under the influence of alcohol
2023000580	Driving under the influence of alcohol
2023000767	Driving under the influence of alcohol
2023000698	Driving under the influence of alcohol
2023000737	Possession of Cocaine
2023000667	Retail theft and Possession of Methamphetamine
2023000520	Simple Battery
2023000634	Simple Battery
2023000781	Simple Battery
2023000564	Trespassing
2023000550	Trespassing
2023000563	Habitual Traffic Offender

Notable Community Involvement Initiatives:

Sgt. Hess, Ofc. Newton and Ofc. Mares assisted a wedding party at the Clay Theater Venue by blocking the roadway while they exited the building for pictures. The event staff was very thankful for their assistance.

Ofc. Lee, Ofc. Babcock, Ofc. Newton, Ofc. Mares and Sgt. Hess also attended dinner at the Elks Lodge and accepted stuffed animals collected to hand out to children on calls for service.

Detective Patterson has met with vendors and donors for the Memorial Golf Tournament. Det. Patterson is working on obtaining donations and assisting teams with signing up to participate.

Ofc. Babcock while working off-duty at Food Truck Friday in Spring Park performed a K-9 demonstration for a group of people wanting to see K-9 Grit. He then spoke with the group about Grit's functions within the department.

Sgt. Graham assisted a citizen who had broken down at the entrance to Magnolia Point in their classic car. He helped get their vehicle able to move and back to their home in Magnolia Point.

Sgt. Vineyard has continued to assist command staff, training, and investigations while in a light duty capacity. The Grant Radars are all installed and require further testing. Sgt. Vineyard's relationship with Dana Safety Supply helped gain further assistance and equipment installation training at no cost to the department.

Sgt. Hess, Ofc. Arnold and K9 Ofc. Babcock assisted with cleaning and servicing our Antique Police Car so it could shine at the Clay County Fair.

Ofc. Rulon increased Traffic enforcement during School Zone times.

Ofc. Van Hof played basketball with a group of kids in Magnolia Point. The family appreciated the kind gesture.

Notable Problem Oriented Policing Initiatives:

Sgt. Perry worked on a serious Code Enforcement violation at McGee's Laundry.

Ofc. Rulon contacted Code Enforcement in reference to a residence appearing in a dilapidated state.

Ofc. Van Hof sent work orders to Public Works in reference to multiple streetlights needing replacement bulbs.

Ofc. Milliken sent a work order into Public Works to contact CSX reference asphalt issues at crossings.

Ofc. Mares noticed wear and tear to the statue near the Gazebo and contacted public works.

Ofc. Newton is also working with Code Enforcement reference living violations at McGee's Laundry.

Ofc. White increased patrol in the area of 310 Oakridge reference recent thefts.

Notable Criminal Investigations Activity:

Open Cases: 11 Cases Cleared by Arrest: 3 Called out: 2 Background completed: 0

Significant Case Developments:

2023000002	Armed Burglary to an Occupied Dwelling, False Imprisonment. Currently working leads.
2023000793	Working with ATF on case to obtain an arrest warrant for an individual illegally attempting to purchase firearms.
2023000055	Subj arrested on Aggravated Battery Warrant in Glades County
2023000392	Case with Officer Mares involving two firearms that were recovered.
2023000513	Subject identified in case and confession was obtained.

Notable K-9 Activity:

Apprehensions: 0 Training Sessions: 9 Total Time Training: 30.25 Hrs
K9 Searches: 6 #Finds: 2 #No Finds: 4
Mutual Aid Calls: 3

Narcotics Finds:

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Notable SRO Activity:

School Resource Ofc. Henderson gave some 1st grade students a gift for their birthday and purchased pizza for several students whose parents couldn't afford it. Ofc. Henderson helped students purchase Kona Ice who deserved it but could not afford it. Ofc. Henderson has also started teaching DARE to her students.

School Resource Ofc. Reichenbach continues to be vigilant and attack the Vape epidemic running rampant in the school system. Ofc. Reichenbach has seized many Vapes and written appropriate citations to combat smoking devices in school. Ofc. Reichenbach continues to educate students on the severity of the issue.

Training:

All personnel attended Radar Refresher Training.

All personnel attended Axon Body Worn Camera Training.

Sgt. Graham completed his third week of Florida Leadership Training.

