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#### Weekly Press Blotter January 8, 2024

1-1-24 1109 hrs.

Employees at the Days Inn 600 block Baltimore Pk. reported a male had been in the office area and took money from a cash drawer. Officers were in the area and were familiar with the male from a prior incident. The male fled on foot through backyards on Saxer Av. and was taken into custody in the rear of a property on the 700 block. Brandon Collier-Welsh 24 yrs. old from Sharon Hill was charged with Theft and other offenses and held for arraignment.

1-1-24 1447 hrs.

Several mailboxes standing along the 400 block Beatty Rd. were damaged sometime overnight.

1-2-24 1435 hrs.

A resident of the 900 block Edwards Dr. reported her vehicle had been stolen from the street sometime after 0700 hrs. There were no signs of force. At about 2130 hrs. Philadelphia PD found the vehicle unoccupied after a crash in the city.

1-2-24 1741 hrs.

Officers were called to the YMCA 100 block W. Sproul Rd. for a large fight on the basketball courts. Upon arrival of police, about half those involved had left the facility. It was learned that a team of players were playing basketball against another team they did not know. An argument started which led to a physical altercation between both teams. One subject was treated by medical personnel for a head injury. Det. McNeely is investigating.

1-2-24 2104 hrs.

Macy's reported a male subject had stolen jackets from display. Officers took a 43 yr. old male from Bristol into custody. He will be charged with Retail Theft.

1-3-24 1637 hrs.

Officers responded to Miller's Ale House unit block Baltimore Pk. for a report a male pulled a gun on a couple who were eating inside. The male then left with a female. Officers found the suspect in a vehicle on Baltimore Pk. There were no indications that a gun was involved in the incident, but the male had

gone to the restaurant to disrupt a meeting between the couple. A 43 yr. old male from Philadelphia will be charged with Disorderly Conduct.

1-3-24 2038 hrs.

Lucas Oliveira 24 yrs. old from Philadelphia and Kayo Pereira 21 yrs. old with no known address were charged with Retail Theft after Macy's security at the mall reported they had stolen jackets and cologne. They were held for arraignment.

1-4-24 1837 hrs.

Officers investigated a crash on the 300 block Lewis Rd. in which a vehicle struck a parked vehicle and went on its side. The driver of that vehicle, 41 yr. old male from Springfield, was found to be intoxicated. A quantity of narcotics was found inside the vehicle. The male was treated by medical personnel and transported to a hospital. Charges for DUI and drug offenses will be filed.

1-5-24 1256 hrs.

Macy's security at the mall reported a male and two females had just selected a large amount of clothing and tried to leave the store. Security confronted the group who dropped the items and fled in a vehicle towards Baltimore Pk.

1-5-24 1946 hrs.

Officers responded to the Rite Aid store 100 block Saxer Av. for a report that four subjects had been inside stealing batteries and food. Two females who had loaded a shopping cart left before taking the items, but two males left the store with stolen merchandise. Sgt. Welsh checked the area for the suspects and located them at CVS 300 block Baltimore Pk. All four were stopped and taken into custody. A 31 yr. old female from Philadelphia was found in possession of a quantity of heroin. A 29 yr. old male from Philadelphia will be charged with Retail Theft. Maurice Bell-McNeal 28 yrs. old from Philadelphia was charged with Retail Theft and held for arraignment.