



Gerrish Township Police Department

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Gerrish Township Police Monthly Report 08-01-11 through 08-31-11

The Gerrish Township Police Department responded to a total of 153 calls for service for the month of August 2011.

The Department reports 13 various custodial arrest statistics this month. (See attached reports for breakdown).

The Department reports 24 total citations listing 32 charges and 6 verbal warnings. (See attached for breakdown).

Training:

A total of 40 hours of training are reported for this month. (See attached detail document).

Chief Hill highlighted activity for the reported month is as follows:

- 1) I attended a Special Township Board work sessions.
- 2) I attended the ACT-NOW Executive Board meeting in my advisory roll.
- 3) I attended an Administrators pre-Bud bash coordination meeting.
- 4) I assisted ACT-NOW in pre-preparation details and duties prior to the 2nd Annual Golf Outing to support Shop with a Cop 2011.
- 5) I attended and worked on a hole assignment for the duration of the 2nd Annual ACT-NOW/Gerrish Township Police Dept. Golf outing.
- 6) I met in a planning session with Officer Williams of this Department for the traffic safety details needed for the 2011 Law Enforcement Fun Run.
- 7) I attended the Gerrish Township monthly board meeting.
- 8) I prepared for, spoke and attended the Special Assessment Budget Hearing for the 2012-2013 fiscal budget year.
- 9) I attended a training seminar in Mt Pleasant, Mi on Government Service Consolidation and learned about the various models and funding mechanisms for same. I was joined by Fire/EMS Chief Patchin, Clerk Valentino and Treasurer Tulgetske.
- 10) I met with the Roscommon County Assistant Prosecutor about the direction various cases that the Department is working on.
- 11) I attended the initial coordination meeting for the 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat and Haunted Trail sponsored by ACT-NOW and Gerrish Township Police Dept. which will be held on October 31, 2011. Please watch for fliers and website information on www.gerrishpolice.org.

12) Staff meetings this month have been centered on Policy and Procedure readings and awareness.

In other news;

The Department participated in the 2nd Annual ACT-NOW/GTPD Golf Outing held at the Burning Oak Country Club in August 13, 2011 and it was a huge success which generated just over \$3800.00 for the group for its benevolent contributions to our Community. Thank you to all that participated in golfing, volunteering or sponsoring the event.

- **Coming Events:**

On Wednesday September 14, 2011 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.; we will be having our 2nd Annual Law Enforcement Torch run to benefit Special Olympics. Officer Williams is spearheading this project. The running, biking or rollerblading event will begin at the Roscommon High School and conclude at Fred's Restaurant. Please come and join us in whatever way you can. Contact Officer Williams at 989-821-5207 ext. 291 or visit our website at www.gerrishpolice.org.

- On Saturday October 29, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., we will be hosting a "National Prescription Pill Drug Drop" here at the Police Department at 3075 E. Higgins Lk. Dr. You may bring all of your old or unwanted medication to the Police Department as we work in conjunction with the DEA to dispose of these. There are NO questions asked where the medicine came from etc. Please help us keep our Community and children safe! For more information, please contact Officer LaBonte at 989-821-5207 ext. 293 or visit our website at www.gerrishpolice.org.

- On Monday October 31, 2011, we will host the 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat/Haunted Trail walk at the Gerrish Township Municipal complex. The Trunk or Treat will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and the Haunted Trail will be open from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. For the people that bring a vehicle and participate in the Trunk decoration for Trunk or Treat there will be prizes for the best Decorated trunk, most Creative Trunk and Scariest Trunk. Warm Cider and donuts, warming stations and tattoo stations for the kids. Candy checks will also be done at the Police Department that evening.

Please watch our website carefully to stay informed about upcoming events and Township News releases. Our site is www.gerrishpolice.org.

I want to thank my Officers for their dedication to the Police Department mission and our Community and Township Board for their support of that mission.

Respectfully Submitted,

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