

Isle of Palms Police Department
Weekly Crime Report for April 12 - 18, 2010

Case Synopsis

SIMPLE ASSAULT. Island Center parking lot. 04/17/10. A male subject observed the another male illegally park his vehicle in a handicapped marked parking space, whom he knew was not eligible to do so. The male subject approached the male violator, grabbed his arm to gain his attention to advise him to move his vehicle. The victim did not wish to pursue charges.

VANDALISM. Carolina Boulevard. 04/16/10. Victim reported to officers that unknown person(s) shattered a window of her vehicle. Upon investigation, it was determined that nothing had been removed from within the vehicle. According to the victim, it did not appear that anyone had entered the vehicle at all.

INTIMIDATION. Charleston County Detention Center. 04/16/10. A subject, who had been placed under arrest and transported to the Charleston County Detention Center for booking, threatened bodily harm upon the arresting officer upon being released from jail.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES. Forest Trail. 04/15/10. A local school principle contacted the Isle of Palms Police Department to report that two (2) female juvenile students had made her aware that they were approached by a white male, several days prior, while at one of the juveniles' residence playing in the front yard. According to one of the juveniles, the white male subject attempted to get the juveniles in his vehicle via verbal manipulation. Upon investigation, it was determined that the game the juveniles were playing involved yelling at vehicles passing by, which got the attention of the white male, who was driving by the residence. When he heard the juveniles yelling, he stopped to check on their welfare. According to one of the juveniles, her friend had fabricated the account of the incident to the principle.

PETIT LARCENY. Palm Boulevard. 04/15/10. Victim reported that unknown person(s) took and carried away a Levis Straus poster from his front porch, which had been delivered to the residence by the U. S. Postal Service.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES. Beach. 04/14/10. Investigators were working an undercover assignment in the area of the front beach business district and beach for city ordinance violations. While on the beach, just south of the Sea Cabins pier, an investigator observed several subjects enter the beach whom she recognized as being involved in several incidents on or about 04/06/10. The undercover investigators began surveilling the subjects, and in approximately 30-45 minutes, the group of four (4) had increased to approximately thirty (30) individuals. The subjects were not dressed for beach-going and began walking through beachgoers in an intimidating manner, at which time investigators donned police paraphernalia and approached the group. Prior to reaching the group, one of the subjects alerted the others when he observed investigators' badges, "five-o, ya'll". The group exited the beach, with investigators in tow. Vehicle and subject information was documented for further investigation.

PETIT LARCENY. Driftwood Lane. 04/13/10. Victim reported that unknown person(s) took and carried away three (3) trays of flowers from her front lawn.

Service Calls

Day of Week with the most activity: Friday

Patrol Zone with the most activity: 10th Avenue (North) to 21st Avenue

Time of Day with most activity: 10:00 – 11:00 p.m.

Number of Incident Reports: 35

Number of Calls for Service: 764

Number of Arrests: 26