

BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Notable Incidents over the Weekend

Possession of Methamphetamine, Resisting a Police Officer

Bloomington, IL - On Friday, 6/17/2022, at approximately 12:19 a.m., a Bloomington police officer conducted a traffic stop at Hamilton Rd. and Morris Ave. where passenger, John Schneider, 58, of Bloomington, fled on foot. He was caught a short distance later and placed into custody. Once in handcuffs he tried to run again and was quickly apprehended. He was in possession of suspected methamphetamine. He was arrested for Possession of Methamphetamine (less than 5 grams) and 2 counts of Resisting a Police Officer.

Arrest for UUW, Possession of (Stolen) Firearm by a Felon and Driving While License Suspended

Bloomington, IL - On Friday, 6/17/2022 at approximately 9:48 p.m., a Bloomington police officer conducted a traffic stop at Euclid St. and Olive St. The driver, Ronnie Cannon, 43, of Chicago, had a Suspended Driver's License. Officers located a loaded 9mm Springfield Armory Hellcat in the vehicle. The gun had been stolen from Justice, IL. Cannon was arrested and charged with Aggravated UUW, Possession of a Stolen Firearm by a Felon and Driving While License Suspended.

Shots Fired-Arrest for Aggravated UUW, Possession of Firearm by a Felon

Bloomington, IL - On Friday, 6/17/2022 at approximately 10:59 p.m., Bloomington police officers were dispatched to the 300 block of De Ville St. for a "Shots Fired" call for service. Officers located evidence a shooting had occurred. A shell casing and a spent round were located on nearby Rena Dr.

Update on this incident - On Saturday, 6/18/2022, at approximately 5:10 p.m., a Bloomington police officer was providing extra patrol to the 300 block of De Ville St. after the previous night's shooting. A citizen called the police to say the officer was driving behind the suspect of the shooting. An investigative stop was conducted on the vehicle. After probable cause was obtained, 2 loaded handguns were found in the vehicle, a 9mm KAHR CW9 and a 9mm Beretta PX4 Storm. Jveonte Walker, 19, of Peoria, was arrested and charged with Aggravated UUW, Possession of a Firearm by a Felon.

Note: All suspect(s) are presumed innocent unless found guilty in the court of law.

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