



## 01/09 MONTHLY POLICE REPORT

**INCIDENTS:**

Jurisdiction	Jan 2009	2009 YTD	2008 YTD	2008 Annual	2007 Annual
East Fallowfield Township	298	298	401	3269	3846
Modena Borough	29	29	39	336	253*

\* Coverage began 06/07.

**SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:**

0003	01/01/2009 0248/1300	Township	<p><u>EMS:</u> RP stated that a 55-year-old male was having chest pains, and trouble breathing. Ofc. responded and got supplemental info from DES stating that there was a 27 year old male on location that had overdosed on alcohol and is bipolar. Ofc. arrived and found both males in the kitchen on the floor with the young male yelling profanity at the Ofc. as he walked in the door. Ofc. took notice of glass that had been broken on the floor. Ofc. assisted the father outside for fresh air, and for treatment from EMS crew. Ofc. returned inside to speak with the young male to find out what happened between him and his father. Ofc. encountered the subject in the kitchen and he became threatening. The subject grabbed a sauce pan from the counter and reared back as to strike the Ofc. with the pan. Ofc. grabbed subject and was trying to subdue him. The subject got free and started spitting at the Ofc. The Ofc. drew the Taser X-26 EMD and the subject was told he was under arrest and to get on the floor several times. Subject took to a boxer stance and started coming towards the Ofc. Ofc. fired the Taser X-26 and the darts struck the subject. He dropped to the floor, was taken into custody and handcuffed. The suspect was transported by ambulance to the hospital for a mental health evaluation. Crisis Intervention was contacted. Ofcs. were required to standby with him for over 10 hours until his blood alcohol level came down enough that</p>	<p>Porter Schreiber SC PD Parker Valley PD Modena EMS BHER Medics BHER Crisis Intervention Masterstefone</p>
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			he could be evaluated by mental health. The mid-day shift ofc. was called in early to relieve the arresting officer. Chief Mango was notified. Charges are pending See the Crime Report and Use of Force Report.	
0005	01/01/09 0709/0932	2300 block of Strasburg Road	<u>FIRE</u> : RP reported a fire from his neighbor's garage that had a shed attached to it. Upon arrival Ofc spoke with homeowner to make sure everyone was out of the house. Ofc. also stood by for traffic control. State, County and Township Fire Marshals responded and handled the investigation. See the Fire Marshal's report. Chief Mango was notified.	B. Simmons Modena FD Westwood FD Pomeroy FD Parkesburg FD Coatesville City FD Atglen FD Avondale FD Cochranville FD Po Marlin FD Trooper Clifford PSPE FM Kilmer Owens CC FM Reagan Sirna EF FM
0012	01/02/09 1031/1105	2800 block of Strasburg Road	<u>REPORT</u> : RP reported that sometime overnight someone entered his unlocked work truck and removed a \$250.00 Dewalt drill and \$30.00 in change in a can. Ofc. took the information. See Crime Report	K. Simmons
0025	01/03/09 1026/1211	1100 block of Woodridge Drive	<u>REPORT</u> : RP reported he was walking his German Shepard dog off-lead in the woods on a trail behind new home development when a hunter accidentally shot & killed his dog. Ofc. notified the PA Game Commission after ofc. was advised by troopers of the incident. The hunter and the dog owner's came to the police station and reported the incident to the PA Game Commission who responded. Ofc. turned over the investigation to the PA Game Commission and accompanied the hunter and owner of the dog back to the shooting scene. Ofc. then assisted the PA Game Commission with photographing the scene. TOT PA Game Commission. Chief Mango was notified.	K. Simmons Fredericks Wilson PA Game Commission
0034	01/03/09 1610/1845	Township	<u>DOMESTIC</u> : RP reported a physical domestic dispute between two adult	Harper K. Simmons



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			<p>sisters. Ofcs. responded and found one sister was under the influence of alcohol and/or prescription medicine and has a history of mental illness. She allegedly assaulted her sister as the sister was attempting to dial 9-1-1 for help. Ofcs. requested EMS respond and family members advised they would involuntarily commit the subject for detoxification and a mental health evaluation. Ofcs. attempted to take her into custody as she became more belligerent and non-compliant. She resisted and began to kick at ofcs. Ofcs. deployed the Taser X-26 EMD and took her into custody. She was placed in the police vehicle for transport to BHER for a mental health evaluation and during the transport began to kick at the police car's windows in an attempt to escape. Upon arrival at BHER she was restrained with the assistance of security and medical staff and held for a mental health evaluation. The other sister was treated by Modena EMS for a nose bleed caused by the assault. She refused any additional treatment. Charges are pending. See the Crime Report and Use of Force Report. Chief Mango was notified.</p>	Modena EMS
0044	01/04/09 1240/1450	1000 block of S. Caln Road	<p><b>REPORT:</b> RP reported she had a party overnight while her parents were away and discovered her 2006 black Mercedes-Benz SL 350 was taken from the garage sometime during the morning hours. Ofc. responded and spoke to the RP and gathered the vehicle information and possible suspect information. Ofc. checked a residence in W. Bradford Township but the vehicle was not there. Ofc. returned and gained further information through the RP regarding who may have taken the vehicle. Ofc. had County Radio send out a GRM #09-0030 listing the vehicle as stolen in an attempt to locate the vehicle. Ofc. attempted to make contact with a possible suspect with no success. Ofc. upon investigating the incident found the vehicle was observed by Malvern PD earlier in the day behind as a</p>	K. Simmons McNamee Malvern PD



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			business plaza before the vehicle was reported stolen. See Crime Report and GRM #09-0030. Chief Mango was notified.	
0048	01/05/09 0742/0743	Station	<u>MISC:</u> West Goshen PD called to advise they had recovered the stolen vehicle that was put out yesterday by Ofc K. Simmons. The vehicle will be towed back to an impound lot so it can be processed for latent prints. No one was in the vehicle upon the recovery. It was parked in a parking lot of a development. GRM# 09-0030 was cancelled. See incident# 09-0044. TOT Ofc. K. Simmons	McAllister B. Simmons Peacock West Goshen PD
0055	01/05/09 1957/2015	1400 block of S. Bailey Road	<u>REPORT:</u> RP stated that he found a USB flash drive in Philadelphia when he got off the train. RP stated that flash drive contains suspicious photos and wanted PD to investigate. Ofc. responded and took the flash drive and entered it into evidence. Chief Mango was notified. (On 01/06 Chief Mango notified CCD Computer Forensics detectives and will be taking the evidence to them for analysis.)	Porter
0068	01/08/09 0734/0803	100 block of Bridle Path Lane	<u>REPORT:</u> RP reported that sometime overnight someone entered RP's vehicle and his son's vehicle and removed a few dollars in change from each after they rummaged through the vehicles. Ofc. took the information. See the Crime Report	K. Simmons
0070	01/08/09 0911/0932	200 block of Cyprus Lane	<u>REPORT:</u> RP reported that sometime overnight person(s) unknown entered her unlocked vehicle and took about 20 music CDs. She also noticed that her doors had been "keyed." See the Crime Report.	Mango
0071	01/08/09 0933/0939	100 block of Park Avenue	<u>REPORT:</u> RP reported that yesterday afternoon a male subject in an older Ford pickup truck pulled onto his property and took an old bathtub that had been laying next to his house. See the Crime report.	K. Simmons
0077	01/08/09 1933/1950	1900 block of Valley Road Sadsbury Township	<u>ASSIST/ROBBERY:</u> RP called to report 2 masked men had just entered his place of business and robbed them at gunpoint. Ofcs. responded and assisted by checking the area. Troopers responded and investigated. See PSP-E's reports.	Harper B. Simmons PSP-E Valley PD
0083	01/09/09	Strasburg Road west	<u>TRAFFIC:</u> RP reported that there	Masterstefone



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	0814/0925	of Fairview Road	were nine horses loose in the roadway blocking traffic. There were multiple calls recv'd from other motorists. Ofc. responded and with assistance of public works and the owners, all nine horses were rounded up at Carlin Drive and transported back to the owner's field via trailer.	B. Gathercole J. Gathercole EF Public Works
0086	01/09/09 1641/1708	400 block of Doe Run Road	<b>FIGHT:</b> Ofc. exited the police station and saw two cars stopped next to Crest Place and two adult males were fighting. Back-up was requested and the suspects were detained with the assistance of an off-duty trooper who was driving past. Upon the arrival of back-up officers both were taken into custody, held for investigation, cited for disorderly conduct and released. See the non-traffic citations and Crime Report.	Mango Haldeman Masterstefone Friel Canale Valley PD Menna SCPD
10-007	01/14/09 0234/0417	100 block of N. Brandywine Avenue Borough of Modena	<b>REPORT:</b> RP reported a vehicle struck his parked unoccupied vehicle in front of his residence. Ofcs. responded and found the driver had fled the scene. Upon investigation, it was found that the vehicle was reported stolen out of South Coatesville Borough. Heavy damage was sustained to the vehicle and was towed from the scene. See PA Crash Report.	McAllister Ciminera  Moody SCPD  Woodward's Tow Co.
0137	01/14/09 1446/1603	Township	<b>BMENTAL:</b> RP reported that he recv'd a call from a friend's wife who told him that his friend, her husband, was depressed, hallucinating, and was threatening to leave the house with a gun and shoot people. He advised that the husband was armed with the gun, was in the house with his wife and she couldn't talk. Ofcs. responded and set up containment. A WCCERT call-out was considered but additional info was needed. A call was made to the residence where the wife answered but couldn't really talk because her husband was near her on the coach. She answered questions with brief affirmative and negative responses and the following was learned: The husband had a loaded .38 revolver and was threatening to leave and shoot people, and kill himself. He had a serious medical condition and	Mango Masterstefone Porter  Menna Gober S. Coatesville PD  Modena EMS  BHER



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			<p>was ambulatory only with a cane. She also was barely ambulatory with a cane. The wife was unable to leave the house but advised she had been able to get the loaded revolver and would hand it to ofcs. at the front door. Ofcs. approached and met the wife at the front door where she handed over the loaded revolver. Entry was made and the husband was detained. An EMS unit which been staging nearby responded in and evaluated the husband while ofcs. searched the house and removed several firearms for safekeeping. The husband was transported to BHER by EMS for an evaluation. See the Crime Report and additional entries below.</p>	
10-013	01/17/09 1637/1749	first block of Woodland Avenue Borough of Modena	<p><b>REPORT:</b> RP called to report sometime over the last week someone had entered an unoccupied residence that is undergoing renovations and removed multiple tools. Items missing are valued at approximately \$910.00. Ofc. did locate a window on the first floor that was the possible entry point. Ofc. was able to find latent prints on the window and did lift them for later analysis. See Crime report.</p>	Harper
0211	01/22/09 2014/2126	100 block of Kathleen Drive	<p><b>BURGLARY:</b> RP reported that sometime today unknown suspect(s) possibly entered his residence through an unlocked door and removed a DENON surround sound receiver, BOSE speaker and \$100.00 cash. RP stated that nothing else seemed to be taken. Ofcs. responded and processed the scene. Latent prints were lifted from door leading to a room where items were taken. GRM #09-019 &amp; #09-020 were entered into NCIC/CLEAN for two stolen items. Total loss of \$600. See the Crime Report. Chief Mango was notified.</p>	Harper McAllister
0254	01/27/09 1838/2009	300 block of Mount Carmel Road	<p><b>ROBBERY:</b> RP reported that while he was traveling southbound on Mount Carmel Road he was flagged down by a male subject who stated that he was just robbed by 5 male subjects. Ofc. responded and spoke with the 20 year old male victim who stated he got into the vehicle with 3 males to go buy them cigarettes. They</p>	McAllister Mango Masterstefone  Smith Sadsbury PD  Gianinni Valley PD



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			<p>traveled southbound on Mount Carmel Road, pulled into a driveway at a vacant farm and locked the doors on the vehicle. When the vehicle pulled around back two additional males got into the vehicle and proceeded to assault him, one of the subjects displayed a handgun and took \$800.00 cash from him. He was able to free himself and flee the vehicle. The vehicle was last seen on S/B on Mt. Carmel Road. The victim sustained a contusion on his face above his eye and a laceration to his hand. EMS crew responded but the victim refused medical treatment. Ofc. put out a GRM #09-0159 in attempt to locate the vehicle and the subjects involved. Chief was notified and responded to the scene along with the Cpl. to assist in processing of the scene. See Crime Report. Investigation is active.</p>	<p>Westwood EMS</p>
0276	01/30/09 0722/0847	2100 block of Strasburg Road	<p><b>ROBBERY:</b> RP originally requested EMS for a head injury and the call taker learned that he had been hit over the head with a baseball bat sometime over night. Ofcs. responded and investigation revealed that several suspects entered the victim's house, assaulted him and fled with cash, credit cards and his 96 Ford Thunderbird. The victim was transported to BHER for treatment. Investigation revealed that Coatesville PD found and towed the victim's vehicle overnight from an alley. Investigation is ongoing. See Crime Report. Chief Mango was notified.</p>	<p>K. Simmons Mango  Wilson SCPD  Modena EMS</p>
10-025	01/31/09 0752/0900	first block of Woodland Avenue Borough of Modena	<p><b>HOUSE:</b> RP reported her back porch was possibly set on fire by burning trash. Ofc. while responding was advised by the Chester County Arson Task Force to secure the area until they could respond. Ofc. advised Chester County Radio to close the road north and south of the scene. Ofc. requested Chief Mango be notified of the incident. DES did make that notification. Ofc. responded and found Modena FD Chief on location. Ofc. secured the scene. Modena FD responded and put the fire out. Ofc. turned the</p>	<p>K. Simmons  Modena Fire  CC Arson Task Force</p>



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			investigation over to the Chester County Arson Task Force who arrived on location and processed the crime scene. Ofc. assisted with the investigation by conducting interviews of the victim and other witnesses. Investigation is ongoing by the task force. See the Crime Report.	
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### **CITATIONS**

Speeding	0
Speeding in School Zone	3
Driving privilege suspended/revoked	2
Stop Sign Violation	5
Driver required to be licensed	0
Expired Registration	1
Expired/no Inspection	1
Expired Insurance	
Miscellaneous	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>

### **TRAINING:**

**01/07/09: Ofc. Kevin Simmons attended monthly WCCERT Crisis Negotiator's training that was conducted by Montgomery County Mental Health professionals at Norristown State Hospital.**

**01/22/09: Ofc. Brian Simmons and Ofc. Richard McAllister attended monthly WCCERT tactical training at the CCIU's Downtown Educational Center. The team conducted physical agility training, room clearing and team movement drills, and several hostage rescue exercises using role players and training weapons.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Peter J. Mango  
Chief of Police**