

# OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF



## ULSTER COUNTY ANNUAL REPORT 2018

# Mission of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office

It is the mission of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office to serve the public by enhancing our partnership with the community, and in so doing, protect life and property, prevent crime, and solve problems and foster good will through courtesy and professionalism. The Ulster County Sheriff's Office shall maintain a correctional facility with the highest degree of security to ensure the safety of the citizens, staff and inmates.

## Value Statements

In our continuing pursuit of excellence, we, the members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office, are dedicated to, and proudly promote:

### Dignity

With confidence and pride in ourselves, we strive to remain compassionate, and protect the rights of all citizens equally.

### Integrity

We will be responsible for our conduct, both professionally and personally.  
We will be fair, honest, and courteous and show strength of character at all times.  
We hold ourselves accountable to the highest standards of ethical conduct and strive to be role models for all.

## Professional Service

We recognize the trust the public places in us and we accept that responsibility.  
We are devoted to providing quality service and strive to remain effective, efficient and responsive to the changing needs of our community while providing a safe environment.  
***Sworn or civilian, full-time or part-time, we are proud to belong to this agency and to promote these values***

# **PATROL UNIT & SUB-STATION LOCATIONS**

Patrol services and crime prevention are the primary activities of the uniform force. Members assigned to uniform patrol are assigned to work out of one of our five substations located throughout the county. Patrol personnel answer and respond to calls for service, prevent, detect, and investigate civil and criminal matters, protect life, property, apprehend offenders and investigate both property damage and personal injury motor vehicle accidents.

In addition to the headquarters station located on Rte. 32 in Kingston, NY, the Sheriff maintains five sub-stations located throughout Ulster County where assigned deputies report for patrol duties. Because substations are unoccupied while assigned deputies are on patrol, a station visitor can immediately speak to a deputy 24 hours a day/7 days a week by using a yellow police "Call Box" mounted just outside the entrance of each sub-station. Substations are located in Wawarsing, Esopus, Shandaken, and Wallkill and on the SUNY Ulster campus.



**Ulster County Sheriff Office Zone 1 Wawarsing substation** is located at 155 Airport rd. The substation was built in 2013. There are currently 6 full time members that report to this station daily. A Sergeant oversees the daily operations at the substation. Members working out of this substation are responsible for the Towns of Rochester, Wawarsing and the Village of Ellenville.



**Ulster County Sheriff's Office Zone 2 Wallkill Substation** is located at Route 208 in Wallkill. The substation was established in 2016 and there are currently 4 full time members that report to this station daily. A sergeant oversees the daily operations at the substation. Members assigned to this substation are responsible for the Towns of Shawangunk, Gardiner, Plattekill, New Paltz, Marlboro and Lloyd. Over 187,000 miles were patrolled.



**Ulster County Sheriff's Office Zone 3 Esopus substation** is located in the Town of Esopus Town Hall 284 Broadway Port Ewen. There are currently 11 full time members assigned out of this substation. A Sergeant oversees the daily operations at the substation. Members assigned to this substation are responsible for the Towns of Esopus, Ulster, Saugerties, Rosendale, Kingston and the City of Kingston. 221,839 miles were patrolled out of this station. Currently 11 members are assigned out of zone 3.



**Ulster County Sheriff's Office Zone 4 Shandaken substation** is located at 146 Mount Pleasant Rd in Mount Tremper. Zone 4 was our newest substation established in 2017. There are currently 4 members assigned to this station. A Sergeant oversees the daily operations at the substation. Members assigned to this station are responsible for the Towns of Shandaken, Hardenburgh, Denning, Olive, Woodstock and Hurley. 69, 525 miles were patrolled.



**Ulster County Sheriff's Office Zone 7 SUNY Ulster substation** is located at Ulster County Community College Campus 491 Cottekill Rd Stone Ridge. There are currently 4 members assigned to this station. A Sergeant oversees the daily operations at the substation. Members assigned to this station are responsible for the surrounding towns and provides support for the campus police. 65, 412 miles were patrolled from this station.



# 2018 NOTABLE INCIDENTS

## CRIMINAL DIVISION

- On January 4, 2018, The Ulster County Sheriff's Office and Empire State Law Enforcement Training Network developed and sponsored the DCJS approved Honor Guard/Color Guard Training Course. The school director was Sgt. Eddie J. Torres and course instructors were Officers George R. Hill and Matthew Bogert. Training included the history of the honor guard/color guard, uniform and appearance, administrative duties, drill and ceremony, color guard, manual of arms, funerals and line of duty deaths. Forty-five officers graduated on December 21, 2017 representing twelve agencies, including Albany, Greene, Putnam, Rensselaer, Rockland, Delaware and Washington Counties, the Kingston Fire Department, New Paltz Police, Town of Saugerties Police, Town of Ulster Police and Ulster County Sheriff's Office.



- On January 9, 2018, in celebration of National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day the Sheriff's Office was invited to the Maple Ridge Bruderhof community to tour their school and meet with the students, who provided us with drawings they made in appreciation of law enforcement. They learned about some of the roles law enforcement plays in their community and got to ask questions of their own. We want to thank the Bruderhof for inviting us to share in a wonderful experience of getting to know their younger members better. The drawings presented to us are now on display in our rotunda.



- On January 11th, 2018, members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a 911 call reporting a shooting that had just occurred at 110 Center Street in the Village of Ellenville. Upon arrival it was determined that Efrain Lopez had confronted Jose Cruz, the boyfriend of his ex-girlfriend, Margarita Soto, in a small vehicle in the parking lot at 110 Center Street and had used a .30-30 caliber lever action rifle to shoot Cruz once and then proceeded to the passenger side of the vehicle, where he shot Soto once as she was seated in the vehicle. Lopez then used the rifle to shoot himself in the head. The scene was secured and a joint investigation was conducted by the Ulster County Sheriff's Office, the New York State Police and the Village of Ellenville Police Department.



- On January 23, 2018 The Ulster County Sheriffs Office and Sheriff Paul VanBlarcum are honored to announce two members of this agency's honor guard were sent to York County, South Carolina to pay respects for Detective Mike Doty. Detective Doty was killed in the line of duty during a domestic dispute. The suspect ambushed and shot four law enforcement members responding to the incident. Deputy Christopher Heimink and Corrections Officer Adam Hendricks provided support and honor guard services to the family and York County Sheriff's Office. This was made possible by the approval of Sheriff VanBlarcum and the Ulster County Deputy Sheriffs' PBA and Corrections Officers Union, who covered the expenses to send our representatives.



- The New York State Sheriff's Association Community First Contest winners for 2018. The Second Place photo was submitted by Chad Story of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office. The picture depicts School Resource Officer Michael Wilber at the Rondout School taking time out of his day to show the lighter side of law enforcement.



- On February 6, 2018 The Ulster County Sheriff's Office sadly announced the passing of former patrol canine Beal. Beal was born on July 9, 2007 and was a loyal and dutiful member of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office K-9 Unit from July, 2009 until his retirement in December, 2012. Since his retirement, Beal enjoyed his life with retired deputy Tom Lattin in the state of Florida. Beal had an extensive and productive career, including locating a large quantity of narcotics and was responsible for the seizure of thousands of dollars in cash. Beal also successfully located countless suspects and missing people during his short career. Beal was best remembered for his demonstrations in the community. Beal's name will be etched into the K-9 memorial stone at the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center in the weeks to come. He will be fondly missed and forever remembered.



- On February 9, 2018 SUBZERO HEROES: Sheriff Paul VanBlarcum raised over \$20,000 in donations for this event? And because of that, he had the honor of jumping first at the Subzero Heroes event at Berean Lake in Highland and was the keeper of the 1st Place trophy for the next year. The water may be cold but the trophy will stay nice and warm in Sheriff VanBlarcum office over the next year!





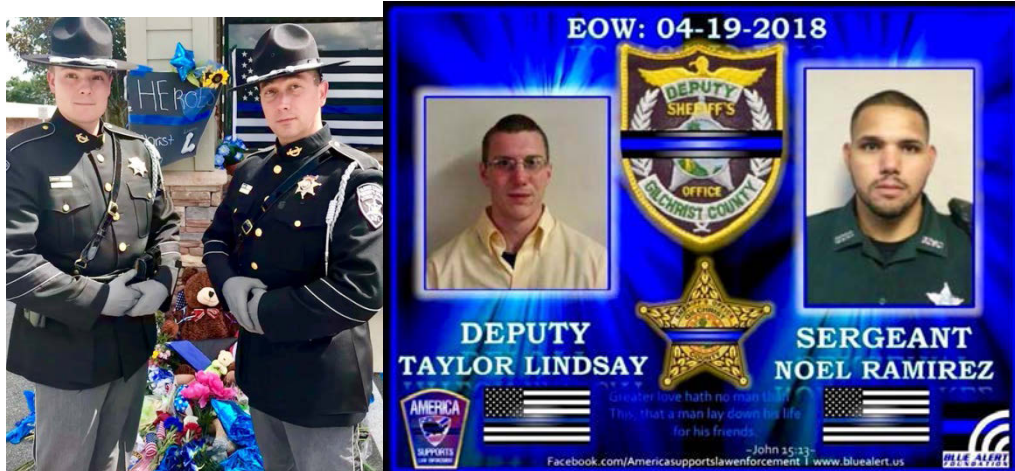
- Members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office donated their time to march in the St. Patrick's Day parade in Kingston. Members were joined by cadets from the Ulster County Sheriff's Office Explorer Post.



- On March 22, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on Ulster Avenue in the Town of Ulster. Both the driver and passenger in the vehicle appeared extremely nervous. When asked for identification, the female passenger stated she did not have any and provided a name and date of birth. Upon further interview of both subjects, it was determined that the operator, Thomas Ziegler, instructed the female passenger to lie about her identity so it would not be discovered he was prevented from being near her due to a full stay away order of protection. He was charged with the felony of Aggravated Family Offense and misdemeanor Criminal Contempt.
- On March 26, 2018 Deputy Heimink assisted the New York State Police with an armed robbery that occurred at the Valero Gas Station in Kerhonkson. Deputy Heimink assisted in the arrest of all suspects following a traffic stop by the New York State Police.
- On March 28, 2018 Deputy Heimink stopped a vehicle for speeding which resulted in the driver possessing an illegal knife. Upon a search of the suspect and the vehicle narcotics were found along with marihuana. Suspect was charged with criminal possession of weapon 4<sup>th</sup>, criminal possession of controlled substance 7<sup>th</sup> and unlawful possession of marihuana.
- DWI CEREMONY: The Ulster County Sheriff's Office was pleased to announce the "2017 Top DWI Deputy Award" was presented to Deputy Donald Corso. Deputy Christopher Heimink received Ulster County's Second Place DWI Deputy. The awards were presented at the Mid-Hudson Region Enforcement/Prosecution Conference held on Thursday, April 12, 2018 at Anthony's Pier 9 in New Windsor. The annual conference recognized the hard working men and women in law enforcement in Columbia, Greene, Sullivan, Dutchess, Ulster, Westchester, Putnam, Rockland and Orange Counties. Congratulations to both Deputies Corso and Heimink for their hard work, professionalism and dedication to removing intoxicated drivers from our highways and keeping our community safe.



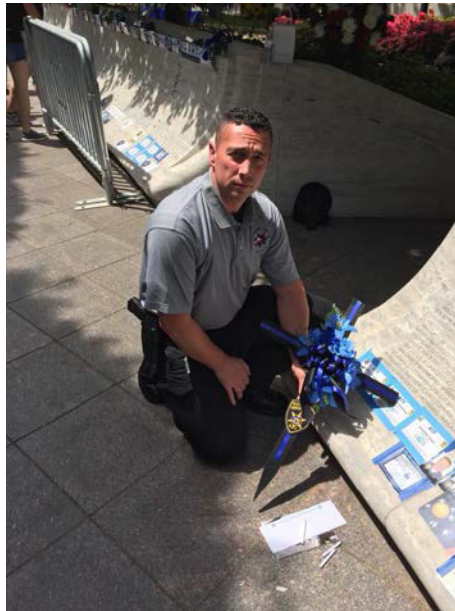
- FUNERAL DETAIL:** The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard sent two members to Gilchrist County, Florida to represent this agency and county by attending the wake and funeral services for Sergeant Noel Ramirez and Deputy Taylor Lindsay of the Gilchrist County Sheriff's Office. Both were killed in the line of duty when the suspect ambushed and shot them in Trenton at Ace Chinese restaurant while they were eating. Honor guard members Deputy Christopher Heimink and Corrections Officer George Hill provided support and honor guard services to the family and Gilchrist Sheriff's Office. This was made possible by Sheriff VanBlarcum and the Ulster County Deputy Sheriffs' PBA, who covered the expenses to send our representatives. Also present at the services was retired UCSO Deputy Tom Lattin.



- COMMUNITY EVENT:** On April 28, 2018 The Ulster County Sheriff's Office participated in the 2018 Saugerties Winter Dust Off Car Show, The proceeds from this event were to benefit the Saugerties High School seniors' post prom party. Our taxi/police car was on hand, both as an entry in the car show and as a reminder of the dangers and costs associated with drinking/drugging and driving. Sadly, our taxi, a "semi-retired" 2011 Ford Crown Victoria, didn't win any awards in the show, but we were glad to have it there anyway!



- **FUNERAL DETAIL:** The Ulster County Sheriff's Office and Sheriff Paul VanBlarcum are honored to announce the bag piper of this agency's honor guard was sent to Somerset County, Maine to represent this agency and county by attending the recent wake and funeral services for Corporal Eugene Cole of the Somerset County Sheriff's Office. Corporal Eugene Cole was shot and killed in Norridgewock, Maine on 04/25/18 by a subject who was out on bond for a previous weapons charge. The subject shot Corporal Cole and stole his patrol car. He then drove the cruiser to a nearby store and robbed it before fleeing again. He abandoned the patrol car nearby and fled on foot. After a four-day manhunt in the area, the 29-year-old suspect was apprehended.
- On May 13, 2018 Officer George Hill visited the Law Enforcement Memorial in Washington DC, to pay tribute to Sgt. Kerry Winters.



- **COMMUNITY EVENT:** On May 15, 2018, the Sheriff's Office along with members of the Town of Ulster Police, Kingston City Police and New York State Police participated in the third annual Safety Day at Chambers Elementary School in the Town of Ulster. Displays were on hand showcasing the various equipment and vehicles used by law enforcement to help keep the community safe. Demonstrations were given about the county's incident command post/communications vehicle, dive team, unmanned aerial vehicle (drone) team, and emergency services units. Canine demonstrations were also on hand to show the students the various tracking and searching capabilities of the canines. Students were also addressed about keeping safe while online. The students also got to explore the various vehicles and in some cases, try on some of the protective equipment. Several of us even had lunch afterward in the cafeteria with the students.



- On May 19, 2018 at approximately 11:50pm, James Eberlein pulled away from a traffic stop and failed to comply. The failure to comply was through the City of Kingston, Town of Ulster and ended in the Village of Saugerties, when Mr. Eberlein was located by the use of K9 Farrell. Mr. Eberlein was charged with Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance Third with Intent Sell Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance Fourth Aggravated Unlicensed Operation First Felony DWI and numerous other misdemeanors and traffic offense. Mr. Eberlein plead guilty and was sentenced to 4 years in state prison with 5 years post release supervision
- On May 16, 2018, several members of the C line responded to Buzdygan Court in St. Remy for a report of an assault at the location. Upon arrival, the suspects were reported to have fled in a white SUV, possibly heading to the Highland area. The victim was visibly injured with a possible serious head injury. A short time later, the vehicle was located and stopped on Grand Street in Highland by the Town of Lloyd Police. All three suspects were taken into custody and charged in the incident.
- SPECIAL OLYMPICS TORCH RUN: On Monday May 21, 2018 members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office Criminal and Corrections Divisions participated in the 50th Anniversary of the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics. Law enforcement agencies from all over Ulster County participated in the 25 mile trek from Highland to Saugerties carrying the Flame of Hope.



- "CLICK IT OR TICKET" CAMPAIGN: The Ulster County Sheriff's Office participated in the nationwide "Click it or Ticket" campaign May 21st to June 3rd. During this time deputies focused on enforcement of New York State's seatbelt laws. In addition to occupant restraints, other aggressive and unsafe driving offenses were cited, such as cell phone use, texting, tailgating, speeding and red light/stop sign violations.



- FREE NARCAN TRAINING: On the evening of May 23, 2018, Sheriff VanBlarcum hosted a free training, in conjunction with Awareness Inc. to the public on the use of Naloxone, also known as Narcan, which is commonly used to reverse the effects of opioid overdose. Approximately sixty people attended the training, which was held at the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center. This was another initiative by Sheriff VanBlarcum in furtherance of his dedication to combating this region's opioid abuse epidemic.
- Every Memorial Day, the Sheriff's Office participates in several Memorial Day parades throughout Ulster County.





- On May 30, 2018 Deputies Heimink, McGuire and Sgt McKenzie assisted New Paltz Police and New York State Police with failure to comply that originated on the T-way and resulted in several suspect fleeing into wooded area in New Paltz. The subjects were initially stopped in New Paltz and took off from the stop at which point a New Paltz Police Officer fired a shot at the suspect vehicle. The suspects were taken into custody a short time later
- On June 3, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on Creek Locks Road in the Town of Rosendale for a traffic infraction. While interviewing the occupants, both appeared nervous and provided conflicting stories. After arrival of additional deputies and the Town of Rosendale Police, a vehicle search was conducted. Several paraphernalia items were located and it was determined that both subjects would be detained in separate patrol units. While the driver, Hunter Beck, was escorted to a patrol vehicle, he retrieved 8 decks of heroin from inside his pants and attempted to discard it under a patrol unit, but was later located and recovered. He was later arrested for narcotics sales from an ongoing URGENT investigation.
- AWARDS CEREMONY: On Friday, June 1, 2018, the Ulster County Sheriff's Office held its annual awards ceremony in Kingston. Sheriff VanBlarcum presented awards to members of all three divisions of our agency, including the Civilian, Corrections Officer and Deputy Sheriff of the Year. The list of awardees is as follows:

Life Saving Award:

Deputy Sheriff Brett McGuire  
 Corrections Officer Kevin Haberski  
 Corrections Corporal Michael Spallino

Meritorious Service Award:

Corrections Officer Allen Hughes  
 Corrections Sergeant Charles Wranovics

Sheriff's Achievement Award:

Corrections Sergeant Eddie Torres  
 Deputy Sheriff Sergeant Chad Storey

Exceptional Duty Award:

Corrections Officer Anthony Maggio  
Ready Commendation Award:  
Corrections Lieutenant Joseph Decker  
Corrections Lieutenant Edward DeCicco  
Deputy Sheriff Thomas Vasta  
Corrections Officer Matthew Russell  
Corrections Officer George Hill  
Deputy Sheriff Lucas Brooks  
Corrections Officer James Dugan  
Deputy Sheriff Donald Corso (x2)  
Deputy Sheriff Detective Margaret Waage  
Corrections Officer Richard Shultis

Excellent Duty Award:

Deputy Sheriff Kyle Frano (x2)  
Deputy Sheriff Donald Corso (x2)  
Deputy Sheriff First Sergeant Allen Rowe  
Corrections Officer Adam Hendricks  
Deputy Sheriff Scott Buchinger  
Corrections Officer Anthony Maggio  
Corrections Officer George Hill  
Deputy Sheriff Lucas Brooks  
Corrections Lieutenant Joseph Decker  
Corrections Officer Michael Warman

Honorable Service Award:

Deputy Sheriff Joseph Stock  
Deputy Sheriff Detective Albert Babcock  
Deputy Sheriff Collin Reynolds  
Deputy Sheriff Sergeant Christopher Lutz  
Deputy Sheriff Detective Mario Tagliafierro  
Deputy Sheriff Lucas Brooks

Leadership Award:

Deputy Sheriff Lieutenant Wallace Fulford

Unit Citation:

K-9 Team

Letters of Recognition:

Deputy Sheriff Collin Reynolds  
Corrections Officer Michael Goins  
Corrections Officer Paul Juliano  
Deputy Sheriff Kyle Frano  
Corrections Officer Sherry Cannizzaro  
Corrections Officer David O'Dell  
Deputy Sheriff Christopher Heimink  
Corrections Officer Wilbur Prutzman III



Corrections Officer Matthew Bogert  
Corrections Officer Donald Koeppen Jr.

Appreciation Awards:  
Estelle Arnold  
Danielle Freer  
Johnson's Sign's and Tees

Civilian Commendation Award:  
Maryann DeGroodt

Civilian Employee of the Year:  
Barbara O'Brien

Corrections Officer of the Year:  
Megan Baker

Deputy Sheriff of the Year:  
Thomas Sharon

- On June 12, 2018 at approximately 3:15 PM, Deputies and Troopers responded to a 911 call of a Domestic Dispute on Barbara Road in the Town of Wawarsing. Investigation determined Mr. Foster had engaged in a Domestic Dispute with a female acquaintance there in the presence of two children. Mr. Foster also fought with Deputies and Troopers, requiring the use of a Taser to help take him into custody. Orville R. Foster, 39, of Ellenville. Mr. Foster was charged with the felonies of Criminal Contempt in the First Degree, Aggravated Family Offense (2 counts) and Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Third Degree, as well as the misdemeanors of Endangering the Welfare of a Child (2 counts), Menacing in the Second Degree, Resisting Arrest and Obstructing Governmental Administration in the Second Degree.



- NEW CRIME ANALYSIS CENTER: On June 13, 2018 Sheriff Paul VanBlarcum, Captain Vincent Altieri and Detective Lieutenant Dirk Budd attended the grand opening ceremonies for the new Hudson Valley Crime Analysis Center, located in Goshen. Police agencies from the tri-county region provide personnel in an effort to centralize and coordinate the sharing of intelligence among police agencies. Currently 2 full time dispatchers work at the Crime Analysis Center 1 day a week each.



- On June 19, 2018 members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to Bruceville rd in the Town of Marbletown for a water emergency. Deputies were told by persons at the scene that a teenager had been under water for several minutes. Deputies attempted to locate the swimmer before arrival of the In-Water Rescue Team. Members of the Ulster Hose and Deputies recovered the young man approximately 40 minutes after the initial 911 call. He was transported to hospital but was unable to revive him.



- On June 20, 2018 at approximately 10:00 AM deputies responded to a 911 report of a man who had been run over by a farm tractor on the property. Upon arrival, deputies located a 57 year old male laying on the ground with two lacerations to his right leg. The male reported he had been operating the tractor with a mower attachment when he lost control of the tractor and was partially run over by the mower attachment, which was not in engaged at the time, when he fell off. He complained of pain and was treated at the scene by EMS, then airlifted to Westchester Medical Center for further evaluation and treatment. His injuries are believed at this time to be non-life threatening.



- **AWARD:** On June 21, 2018, the Ulster County Sheriff's Office Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Team received a Proclamation of Commendation from the Greene County Legislature and a Recognition of Excellence from the Cairo-Durham School District for their response and assistance providing CISM services to the students, families and citizens affected by a fire in Cairo on 04/02/18 that claimed the lives of two adults and three children.



- **STOLEN VALOR ATTEMPT FOILED:** On June 22, 2018 while most men his age are hitting the golf course or enjoying retirement, Dennis McGuire is doing what he knows best: serving his community and country. This past Wednesday was no exception, when the 73 year old, who was working his part time job as a security officer for the Ulster County Sheriff's Office, was alerted by a witnesses that a subject had just removed a set of commemorative military dog tags from the war memorial located in front of the Ulster County Office Building on Fair Street in Kingston. The suspect as located down the street and arrested.



- Each year the Sheriff's Office sponsors children ages 9 to 12 to attend the New York State Sheriffs' Association Institute Summer Camp. The camp, located near Penn Yan in the Finger Lakes, is supported by the Sheriffs' Association's Honorary Members through their contributions and annual dues. Each year the camp welcomes hundreds of boys and girls from counties across New York State. The week-long camp combines typical camp activities such as hiking, sports, swimming, boating and archery with demonstrations by deputies of law enforcement techniques and equipment, such as K-9 and scuba diving demonstrations. The purpose of the camp is to foster good citizenship and positive interactions with the men and women of law enforcement.



- **JULY 4TH CELEBRATIONS:** This year, this agency again had the honor of participating in several July 4th celebrations throughout the county. Below are some photos from the various activities we took part in.







- On July 19, 2018 this agency had the honor of joining numerous other emergency responder and veterans groups for the opening ceremonies at Cantine Field. Our honor guard also had the additional privilege of placing a wreath in remembrance of our veterans at the evening colors ceremony.





- On July 30, 2018, this agency's honor guard had the privilege of participating in the Volunteer Firemen's Parade in the Town of Ulster. As always, they looked sharp and performed so well, they took home the trophy for best color guard unit for the event.



- SPEED ENFORCEMENT CAMPAIGN:** August 1-7, 2018 this agency participated in the statewide "Speed Awareness Week Enforcement Mobilization". During this time we conducted numerous traffic enforcement details targeting speed violators and other traffic offenses throughout Ulster County. Motorists were reminded to "obey the sign or pay the fine."



- On August 2, 2018 Several Deputies were assigned the Ulster County Fair Detail for both security and traffic control due to the high volume of participants in the truck pull event. Deputy Heimink and Alberts charged one subject with felony DWI, reckless endangerment, reckless endangerment of property, reckless driving, aggravated unlicensed operation, criminal possession of controlled substance, tampering with physical evidence and controlled substance not in original container.

- On August 10, 2018 members from the Sheriff's Office we were invited to the YMCA in Kingston for a "Touch a Truck" event. Demonstrations were given by our In Water Rescue Team, Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (drone) Team, K9, Special Operations and Mobile Incident Command. After the demonstrations we stayed for a question and answer session with the kids. We want to thank the staff and campers from the YMCA Camp Starfish for inviting us.



- On August 21, 2018 Deputy Heimink assisted New Paltz Police with medical call for male subject who accidentally severed his hand on a table saw. The subject was immediately rushed to the hospital. The subjects hand had been taken by the owners dog into the woods. After a short search Deputy Heimink and Reynolds located the man's hand and were able to get it to the hospital for reattachment.
- SCHOOL GRADUATION:** On August 24, 2018, ten students from police agencies throughout the county and state graduated the Division of Criminal Justice Services School Resource Officer course hosted by this agency. The week-long course includes instruction in academic organizational structure, public speaking, counseling, handling special needs students, violence in the school, gang activity, creating drug free schools, crisis management, internet safety and basic social media investigations. Its aim is to prepare law enforcement personnel to enhance the safety and security of schools, while working in conjunction with school officials to provide additional positive interaction between students and law enforcement.



- On September 7, 2018 at about 1:40 AM, Deputy Damon Alberts and Trooper Ryan Benincasa were investigating a domestic dispute in the Town of Plattekill. Their attention was diverted to what was determined to be a fully involved structure fire on the nearby road of Overland Drive. There they found a shed fully engulfed by flames. A residence was near the shed and Deputy Alberts and Trooper Benincasa made several attempts to alert the residents of the house, as the heat had already melted some of the house's siding and roof soffits. When they were unable to alert anyone, they made several unsuccessful attempts to enter the residence. They then discovered an air conditioner in a window of the rear of the house, which they were able to remove and gain entry. They then alerted and helped evacuate the residents to safety. Fire personnel later reported their belief had the residents not been evacuated, this fire likely would have been fatal.



- On September 28, 2018 at 4:26am Joshua Stuart entered the Ellenville Hospital seeking attention for a medical attention. He became upset with staff and fired a gun in the direction of staff. A multi-agency response was initiated and Department of Environmental Police located and pursued Mr. Stuart up Lundy Rd and onto a logging trail. A short foot pursuit followed with shots being exchanged between officers and the suspect. No one was injured and Mr. Stuart fled into the woods. A perimeter was established and a search was conducted for three days. Mr. Stuart was able to exit the area and flee to NY City. There he committed a robbery and was later located by NYPD and US Marshal's.





- The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Cadet Program commenced its second session in October 2018 and includes 32 Cadets from various school districts around Ulster County. The program, which has 2 phases and is held bi-weekly at the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center, incorporates both classroom and physical fitness sessions. The Cadets range in age from 14 to 18, and all have an interest in Law Enforcement as a Career. When Phase 2 begins, the Cadets will participate in things such as Ride Along and Mock Traffic Stops, will be used for special details including the Ulster County Fair, and will assist with future Phase 1 Cadets. Thank you to our SRO's, for encouraging our students to participate.



- December 14, 2018 Lieutenant Abram Markiewicz graduated from the 274<sup>th</sup> Session of the National FBI academy located in Quantico VA. Each year, about one thousand domestic and international law enforcement executives are selected to attend the two and a half month school at the FBI academy in Quantico, Virginia. Each two and a half month session usually consists of about two hundred fifty people, comprising the top one percent of law enforcement leaders. Training topics focus on leadership development, cultural enrichment and physical fitness, among others.



- On December 21, 2018 Deputies responded to area of Cottekill rd Stone Ridge for reports of a domestic dispute. A police standoff ensued with an armed man at a house on Cottekill Road. A male subject fired several shots at his estranged wife subsequently barricading himself within his home. A long standoff began into the overnight with police. The male subject ended the standoff by taking his own life.



- On December 29, 2018 Deputies stopped a suspicious car on Berme Rd in the Town of Rochester and found the vehicle to be a clandestine methamphetamine operation. Four suspects were arrested and charged with multiple felonies. Deputies and Detectives were assisted by the NYSP Contaminated Crime Scene Emergency Response Team.
- Each year the Sheriff's Office members go to various schools around the community and participate in "Trunk or Treat" and give out candy to children at Elementary schools in a safe environment. The candy is purchased by our PBA and K9 funds for each Deputy to hand out.





# STOP DWI New York

Under a memorandum of agreement with Ulster County Stop DWI, this agency performs sobriety checkpoints and selective enforcement details to distribute information and enlist the cooperation of the driving public to identify problems and increase public awareness. Below is a summary of this campaign during 2018.

The Task Force conducted a checkpoint during 2018:

## **September 1, 2018 (8:00pm-1:00am) Rt 32 Town of Rosendale**

Total people arrested- **6**

Criminal Possession Controlled Substance -**1**

Unlawful Possession Marihuana - **4**

UTTS issued- **14**

# of people ran through FST's- **12**

DRE use- **1**

Vehicles searched by K9- **3**

# of vehicles were directed into checkpoint - **60**

# of vehicles came through the checkpoint - **170**

**531.50** DWI Task Force Hours

**8** DWI Arrests by Task Force

**2** DWAI Arrests by Task Force

**31** DWI Arrests by Routine Patrol

**2** DWI Related Crashes (PDAA)

**0** DWI Related Crashes (PIAA)

**0** DWI Related Crashes (Fatal)

**420** UTTS



# Training Report 2018

For the year 2018 the training office was completely reorganized. All training files were brought up to date and are current. After our Accreditation assessment our older training files were sent to the hall of records. A complete list of training for all members is attached. Here are some highlights.

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office instituted a new records management system to include several other law enforcement agencies. The result was that several hundred law enforcement members were trained by sheriff's office instructors in the Tyler Technologies New World Software Application.



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- 117 members including Patrol, Security and Civilian staff received 13, 475 hours of Specialized, In-Service and Special Teams training.
- All department members attended the County mandated Diversity Training/Workplace Violence.
- 1 member completed the Basic Course for Police Officers
- 1 member successfully completed Advanced Crash Management
- 1 member completed School Resource Officer Training
- 2 members completed DCJS FTO training
- 1 member completed the FBI National Academy
- 1 member completed High Risk Patrol Training
- 1 member completed Firearms Instructor School
- 2 members completed Swift Water/Technical Rescue in Oriskany
- 1 member completed SWAT Operators Training.
- 1 member completed Sniper School
- Criminal Division Instructors were utilized at the following school:
  1. Basic Police Officer School
  2. Instructor Development
  3. Breath Analysis Operator
  4. Field Training Officer School
  5. Standardized Field Sobriety Testing
  6. Basic Course for Police Supervision
  7. UCLETG Police Academy Training
  8. NYS EnCon Basic Marine Law Enforcement
  9. Radar/Lidar
  10. High Risk Patrol
  11. UCSO Explorer Post 129
  12. Civilian Response to Active Shooter

TRAINING HOURS						
0	500	1000	1500	2000	2500	3000
Firearms -----	136					
Legal Updates-----	80					
Detective Schools-----	1000					
Dive-----	1896					
K9-----	1288					
UCERT-----	2712					
SERT-----	436					
Hepatitis –TB-----	1064					
Cycle#1 Corrections-----	1064					
Cycle #2 Corrections-----	946					
Cycle #3 Corrections-----	1000					
Cycle#1 Patrol-----	592					
Cycle #2 Patrol-----	578					
Cycle # 3 Patrol-----	616					
ARIDE-----	32					
Sex Offender-----	16					
CISM-----	24					
Passenger Seat-----	208					
MCP-----	208					
Dispatcher Training-----	64					
Patrol Training School-----	688					
Supervisor Training-----	1307					
Corrections Basic Academy-----	1600					
NWS Users Conference-----	96					
US Marshalls Conference-----	136					
Chemical Agent-----	58					
Tactical Training-----	48					
Instructor Dev School-----	320					
Security Guard Training-----	120					
Marine Enforcement-----	120					
Basic Course Police-----	1624					
SRO-----	136					
Project Lifesaver-----	32					
FIRE-----	160					
Computer Training-----	3100					
Homeland Security -----	8					
Civil Division Training-----	84					
Conference-----	216					
Honor Guard-----	824					
Suicide Prevention-----	32					
Field Training-----	116					



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## WARRANT UNIT 2018 YEAR END REPORT

Period Beginning January 1, 2018 and Ending December 31, 2018

WARRANTS RECEIVED: 405

Felony Warrants	57
Misdemeanor Warrants	113
Violation Warrants	32
Vehicle and Traffic Warrants	75
Family Court Warrants	121
Family Court Juvenile Warrants	4
Probation Warrants	3

WARRANTS CLOSED: 387

Warrants Closed by Arrest	292
Warrants Closed by Vacate/Recall	95

## ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

### PRESCRIPTION DRUG DROP OFF PROGRAM



- Ulster County Sheriff Paul J. Van Blarcum's Prescription Drug "Drop Off" program has continued success for 2018. The Ulster County Sheriff's Office received over 250 pounds of pharmaceuticals from the collection locations since January 1st. Unwanted, unused or expired prescription drugs have been determined to present substantial risks to our community by either falling into the wrong hands, or by damaging our environment through improper disposal. It is this awareness that has resulted in Sheriff Van Blarcum working together with the community to provide a safe alternative method to dispose of unwanted pharmaceuticals. Abuse of prescription drugs is a major public health problem in New York State. Studies have shown that residential supplies of pharmaceutical controlled substances – those found in our home medicine cabinets – have become the supply of choice for young people and criminals. Most abusers, a high percentage of which are teens, are known to have obtained their controlled substances from the homes of family and friends. In addition, research has shown that our environment has been threatened by medications being flushed down toilets. Most controlled substances are created synthetically, and are not removed through normal water-treatment processes. This can result in the discharge of these substances into the environment and into our ground water supplies.
  - Law Enforcement Center: - 267.3 lbs
  - Zone 1 – 2.6 lbs
  - Zone 2 – 1.4 lbs
  - Zone 3 – 6.9 lbs
  - Zone 4 – 21.2 lbs
  - Zone 7 – 39.3 lbs

TOTAL AMOUNT COLLECTED FOR 2018:  
338.7 lbs

## SPECIALIZED UNITS



### ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF' S OFFICE 2018 ANNUAL PATROL/CORRECTIONS K9 REPORT



#### Criminal Division

Narcotics Vehicle Searches – 142  
Narcotics Building Searches -25  
Narcotics Outside Searches – 5  
Tracking (suspect/non-suspect) –39  
Building searches – 7  
Area searches – 4  
Article searches– 13  
Perimeter contain –4

#### **Apprehensions – 10**

Weapons found – 1  
Narcotics Finds – 40

#### **Person finds - 6**

Special Assignments – 3

#### **Demonstrations – 48 (includes Corrections K9)**

Crowd control – 1  
Bus terminal searches - 0  
Assist other agencies – 98  
Assist UCSO members – 39  
US Currency searches – 7

**US Currency seized as result of K9 alert – \$21,403**

#### Corrections Division

Visitors Searched –1032  
Lockers Searched - 813  
Employee Lockers –2  
Housing Units - 20  
Jail Road Checks - 2  
**Jail Mail Checks - 10**  
Vehicle Searches - 6  
Narcotics Finds - 14



## 2018 K9 Notable Incidents

### Deputy James Slinsky and K-9 Farrell



- On January 5, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP with traffic stop in Town of Wawarsing. K-9 Farrell alerted in driver's seat. When the suspect was searched, over 20 grams of marihuana, Oxycodone pills and \$1800.00 in US currency was located in the suspect.
- On March 4, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell responded to domestic dispute in the Town of Wawarsing and deployed K-9 Farrell and ordered the suspect out of the residence without incident.
- On March 7, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP with traffic stop in the Town of Plattekill. K-9 Farrell alerted on several locations in the and around the vehicle. A gram of cocaine, concentrated cannabis and several grams of marihuana were located in the engine compartment.
- On March 13, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted New Paltz PD with a currency sniff by K-9 for the presence of narcotics. K-9 Farrell alerted on the currency and as a result the \$1770.00 was seized



- On March 15, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted URGENT members with search warrant. K-9 Farrell was utilized to clear the residence of any further suspects and during a narcotics search K-9 Farrell alerted on a guitar case found on the second floor which contained over 249 grams of cocaine. Over 69 grams of marihuana and 15 grams of hashish were also located. A second alert on a safe in a bedroom closet revealed over \$15,540.00 in US currency.



- On April 12, 2018 K-9 Sergeant Sean Gannon of the Yarmouth Police Dept. in Massachusetts, was shot and killed while executing a warrant. On April 18, 2018 the Ulster County Sheriff's Office sent Deputies James Slinsky and Kyle Frano, along with Honor guard Member, Officer George Hill to represent this agency at Sergeant Gannon's funeral and pay respects to the fallen officer.

<https://www.facebook.com/UCK9group/videos/1904852932872990/>

- On April 14, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell responded to the Town of Wawarsing for a reported past domestic dispute in which the male fled into the woods and was highly intoxicated. K-9 Farrell began a track and located the male subject several hundred yards in the woods.
- On May 19, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted Deputy Woltman with vehicle pursuit failure to comply in which the driver fled following a crash. K-9 Farrell tracked and located the male subject who failed to respond to verbal commands and was apprehended by K-9.



- On May 19, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted New Paltz PD with traffic stop. K-9 Farrell was utilized for narcotics vehicle search in which K-9 Farrell located over 3 grams of cocaine in the trunk of the car.



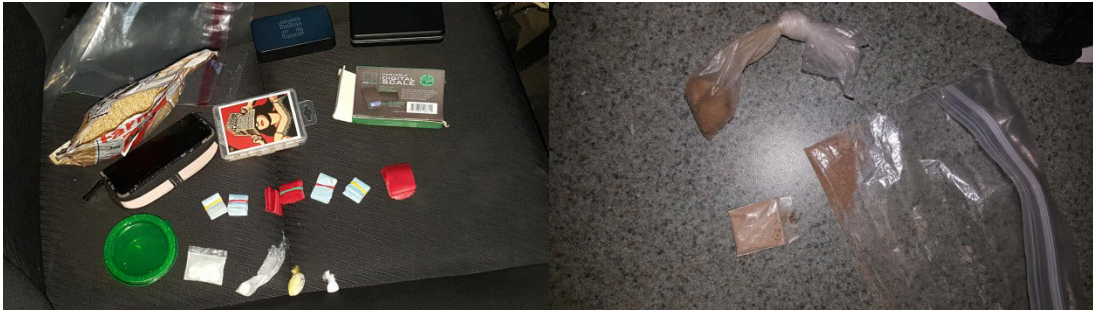
- Deputy Slinsky and K9 Farrell at the Ulster county Fair with County music singer Charlie Daniels.



- On June 22, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP with suspect who escaped custody and fled into the woods. K-9 Farrell was deployed for an article search and located the suspect's cell phone.
- On September 28-30, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP and multiple other agencies during the Joshua Stuart manhunt in the Town of Wawarsing. K-9 Farrell located several items of evidence for NYSP FIU following a burglary that Joshua Stuart committed during the manhunt.
- On October 5, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP with traffic stop in the Town of Plattekill and located 9 bundles of heroin, 5 grams of cocaine and unknown amount of pills.



- On October 15, 2018 Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell assisted NYSP with traffic stop and K-9 Farrell alerted on the driver side door. 9 bundles of heroin, 3 grams of cocaine and various pharmaceuticals were located within the door.



- Every year Deputy Slinsky and K-9 Farrell organize a 911 tribute at the Accord Speedway to recognize the various First Responders in Ulster County which is followed by a fabulous fireworks display.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OqIM7N4DW64&feature=share>

## Deputy Kyle Frano & K9 Dozer



- On August 5, 2018 Deputy Frano and K9 Dozer stopped a vehicle for VTL violations. The driver had exited the vehicle and took off running from the stop. K9 Dozer and Deputy Frano gave chase. The driver was captured by Ulster Police a short distance away and found to be in possession of cocaine and marihuana as well as being wanted by NYS Parole.

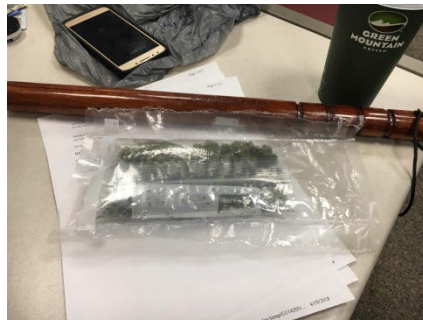
- On September 15, 2018 Deputy Frano and K-9 Dozer assisted Ellenville Police with building search of wanted suspect who fled and wanted on felony charges. K-9 Dozer alerted to the suspect in a building and was ordered out and apprehended without incident.
- On October 30, 2018 Deputy Frano and K9 Dozer assisted Marlboro PD with sniff of US Currency following a traffic stop and narcotics arrest. K9 Dozer alerted on \$800.00 and the money was subsequently seized by patrol.
- On November 11, 2018 Deputy Frano and K9 Dozer responded to Franklyn St in the City of Kingston to assist Kingston Police with a K-9 track for a suspect that fled the Sunoco on Broadway. K9 Dozer alerted a track through several back yards. The suspect was flushed out by K9 into KPD officers and taken into custody.

### Deputy Josh Caliendo & K9 Kwin

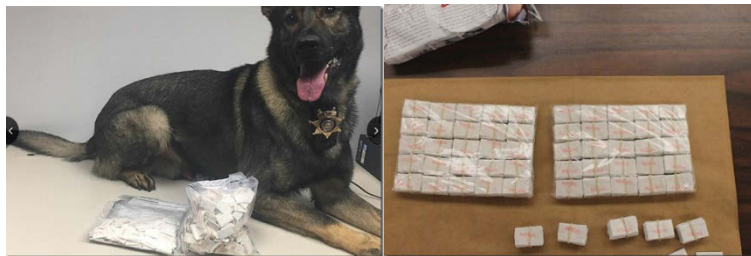


- On June 5, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested by Investigator Vedder to conduct a currency sniff of a subject in custody by members of URGENT. Kwin alerted on the money possessed by the subject and money totaling \$4,000 was seized.
- On September 14, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested by New Paltz Police Department to conduct a currency sniff of money found on a subject who was arrested for having 20 ounces of marihuana hidden inside his vehicle. Kwin alerted on the money possessed by the subject and money totaling \$2,000 was seized by New Paltz Police.
- On February 22, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested by Deputy Vasta to assist him with a vehicle search. K-9 Kwin was deployed for a vehicle narcotics search in which he located 1 milliliter of cannabis oil and 42 grams of marihuana hidden inside the vehicle.

- On March 10, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin conducted a vehicle and traffic stop on a vehicle in the Town of Lloyd which resulted in a K-9 vehicle search. Kwin located 4 grams of synthetic marihuana concealed inside the vehicle. The suspect became a confidential informant and was able to get the known address for a subject wanted on a superior court indictment warrant and parole violation. That subject was found and placed into custody by myself and Investigator Vedder.
- On March 19, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin conducted a vehicle and traffic stop on a vehicle for a traffic infraction on Broadway in the Town of Esopus. K-9 Kwin conducted a K-9 vehicle search locating 38.6 grams of vacuum sealed marihuana inside the truck of the vehicle. Also located inside the vehicle was billy club that was possessed by a New York State parolee.



- On May 3, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin was contacted by members of Urgent to conduct an intelligence based stop of a vehicle. K-9 Kwin was deployed for a vehicle search locating 580 bags of packaged heroin concealed inside the vehicle. I then assisted members of URGENT with conducting a search warrant of the residence and K-9 Kwin was cast out for a building narcotics search. K-9 Kwin located 240 bags of packaged heroin located inside the subject's bedroom. In total K-9 Kwin located 820 bags of packaged heroin.



- On June 16, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested to assist New York State Police with a vehicle search on New Paltz Road in the Town of Lloyd. K-9 Kwin located 1 gram of crack cocaine.
- On June 16, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested by Deputy Corso to conduct a K-9 vehicle search of a vehicle he had stopped for a traffic infraction. K-9 Kwin located 97 grams of marihuana that was concealed inside the trunk of the vehicle.
- On June 5, 2018 Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested to assist City of Kingston Police Department at a shooting scene. K-9 Kwin was cast out for an article search in an attempt to recover a handgun used in the incident. The weapon was later recovered through investigation.



- Deputy Caliendo and K9 Kwin were requested by Ellenville Police to assist them with an active foot pursuit steaming from a vehicle and traffic stop. Upon arrival I met with Officer Lent who advised me that the subject was last seen running into the Ellenville School parking lot. K-9 Kwin was cast out for a track and he located an odor and began tracking hard down the fence line. We continued to the back of the school where K-9 Kwin alerted on a garbage can. Located inside the garbage can was 30 grams of marihuana that had been discarded by the suspect.
- CAREER DAY: This agency participated in a career day at Ellenville Middle School this morning. Deputy Joshua Caliendo and his K-9 partner Kwin, along with Deputy Donald Corso, addressed students about general aspects of becoming a police officer and police work, as well as how the canines operate. The children got to ask questions and sit inside the driver's seat of the police car.



### Deputy James Mullen & K-9 Jack



- On January 11, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K-9 Jack stopped a vehicle and K-9 Jack located a quantity of marihuana and LSD.
- On February 22, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack assisted Detectives with sniff of US currency. K9 Jack alerted on \$8047.00. The money was in fact seized as it was related to drug money.

- On February 28, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack assisted New Paltz Police with a sniff of a large house. K9 Jack alerted on a safe contained within one of the rooms. A search warrant of the safe later revealed over 9 pounds of marihuana, \$5000.00 in cash and over 40 grams of cocaine.
- On April 17, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack were requested by Kingston Police SIU to conducted K9 sniff of a vehicle believed to be used in the transportation of narcotics. K9 Jack alerted on front driver's side door seam. A search warrant revealed a hidden compartment routinely used for narcotics. A search warrant of the suspect's residence at a later date revealed over 350 grams of heroin and \$16,000.00 in cash seized.
- On May 2, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack assisted URGENT members with a currency sniff. K9 Jack was utilized to sniff for presence of narcotics on money secured from drug sales. K9 Jack alerted on the money and it was all seized.



- On August 24, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack stopped a vehicle on Sawkill rd in the Town of Ulster and during the interview detected marihuana and a subsequent search of the vehicle found a loaded .357 magnum handgun possessed by the suspect who was on parole.



- On October 18, 2018 Deputy Mullen conducted a traffic stop on Rt 9W in the Town of Ulster and after deploying K9 Jack for vehicle sniff for narcotics, K9 Jack alerted on the door seam of the suspects' vehicle. Inside the vehicle was a make-up bag containing 3.8 grams of cocaine.
- On October 26, 2018 Deputy Mullen and K9 Jack were requested to assist Probation at the Wenton Motel in Saugerties. K9 Jack alerted on a dresser in Room 18b and over 166 decks of heroine were found.



- K9 Dedication Ceremony: On Thursday, February 15, 2018 members of the Ulster County Sheriff's Office and K-9 team members presented a memorial plaque to the family of Captain Jack Rose of the Mount Marion Fire Department. Captain Rose tragically lost his life on December 19, 2015 fighting a fire and doing exactly what he was most passionate about and loved more than anything. This past year, this agency purchased a one year old black Labrador with funds seized from local drug dealers throughout Ulster County. This Labrador was named K-9 Jack in honor of Captain Rose.



## K-9 Talon and Deputy Collin Reynolds



- On January 29, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and K-9 Talon assisted Ulster PD with suicidal male who fled his home. K-9 Talon began a track and after short time located the male walking around the woods. He was taken into custody without incident.



- On February 5, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on a suspicious vehicle in the Town of Saugerties where one of the occupants, David Jackson, was taken into custody on an outstanding felony warrant from the Town of Lloyd Police. He was later found to be in possession of 37 decks of heroin and 3 hypodermic needles.



- On February 24, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on Route 209 in the Town of Marbletown where the front seat passenger, Shepherd Goodlife, was taken into custody on an outstanding warrant from the Town of Lloyd Police. Probable cause to search the vehicle was developed and the suspect was found in possession of 106.5 grams of marihuana, packaging materials and a scale.



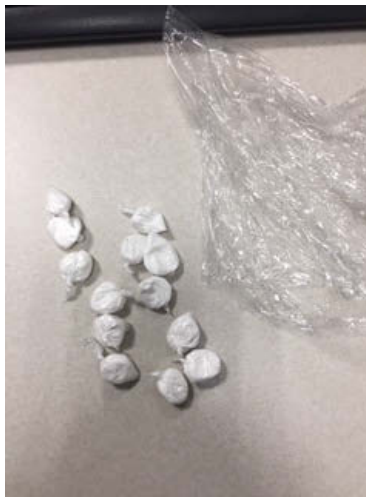
- On March 3, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on Sawkill Road in the Town of Ulster for a traffic infraction. The operator was found to be operating the vehicle with a suspended license. She was arrested for felony Aggravated Unlicensed Operation in the First Degree along with additional charges. Information was developed and turned over to URGENT, which contributed to an investigation in conjunction with the Department of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms leading to the purchase of several illegal handguns in New York City.
- On March 5, 2018, Deputy Reynolds along with the New York State Police and Ulster Police responded to an address in Lake Katrine for a report of a male subject possibly exiting a window from the residence. While conducting the initial investigation, a male subject was located hiding on the floorboard of a vehicle in

front of the location. A false name was provided initially and he was later identified as Antonio Vega, who had an outstanding parole warrant for his arrest.

- On March 11, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and Talon responded to Route 9W near Grand Street in Highland to assist the New York State Police with a traffic stop. Upon arrival, Trooper DiPasquale already had the driver of the vehicle in custody for narcotics possession which were located on the suspect's person and requested assistance in locating any additional narcotics within the vehicle. While searching the interior of the vehicle, Talon alerted to the headliner area near the sunroof. Upon further inspection, a hypodermic needle and approximately 1.5 grams of powder heroin were located secreted in the headliner near the windshield seam.
- A traffic stop was conducted on Route 9W in the Town of Esopus just north of the Town of Lloyd line for a traffic infraction. While interviewing the operator, he appeared extremely nervous and was asked to exit the vehicle for further interview. While exiting the vehicle, the suspect, Michael Spiecker, refused to show one of his hands and when confronted about it, threw the item that was concealed in his hand underneath his vehicle. It was recovered and determined to be 2.2 grams of heroin and 7 oxycodone pills.



- On July 31, 2018, a traffic stop was conducted on Route 28 in the Town of Woodstock for an equipment violation. While interviewing the operator, a story was provided by the driver that did not appear to add up and he was asked to exit the vehicle for further interview. While patting down the suspect for weapons, a plastic bag fell out of his shorts and to attempt to conceal it, the suspect, Kenwan Reed, kicked the bag underneath his vehicle. He was taken into custody and the bag was recovered and found to contain 13 individually packaged bags of cocaine weighing a total of 9.3 grams.



- On March 29, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and K-9 Talon assisted Rosendale PD with traffic stop. K-9 Talon alerted on a package of cookies and brownies which contained marihuana.

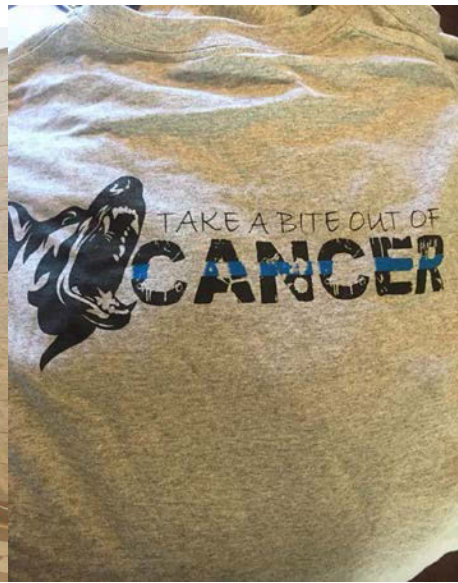


- On July 23, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and Talon responded to a trailer park on Creek Locks Road in the Town of Ulster to assist the New York State Police, Town of Ulster Police and Sheriff's Office patrol units in locating a suicidal male that fled into the woods behind the residence upon learning that police were called. A track was started which began going east into the woods. As the track continued, the suspect could be heard in the woods ahead. The track continued before the scent was lost. It was again picked up a short time later and began traveling back towards the residence. The suicidal male was then taken into custody by perimeter units, as he was flushed out of the woods.
- On July 25, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and Talon responded to an address on Salem Street in Port Ewen to assist patrol units in locating a stabbing suspect who fled into the woods prior to their arrival. A track was started which began in a northerly direction through the woods. After approximately 100 yards, Talon started looping back in the direction of the residence. A short time later, perimeter units located the female suspect who had been flushed out of the woods and was taken into custody without any further incident.
- On September 11, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and K-9 Talon responded to assist with a vehicle pursuit in which the driver fled into fields. K-9 Talon tracked the suspect for a great distance, located articles of clothing and ultimately flushed the driver to officers who placed him in custody.



- On September 17, 2018 Deputy Reynolds and Talon responded to Jenny Brook Lane in Napanoch to assist units with a 911 call for a stabbing at the location. Upon arrival, Sgt. McKenzie advised the suspect who stabbed the victim fled into the woods behind the residence and it was believed he was still in possession of the knife. A track was started northbound from the location through the woods and several hundred yards into the woods, an area of thicker brush came up. As Talon came out of the brush on the other side, he began barking at the suspect who immediately surrendered and was taken into custody without any further incident.
- **The Ulster County Canine Training Group conducted a recent fundraiser to benefit Jude's Children's Research Hospital to help these young children in need. Our canine group, which consists of members from the Town of Ulster and Town of Saugerties Police, the City of Poughkeepsie Police and Eagle Valley Search and Rescue, realize how important and vital the children's research hospital is in providing the necessary care and comfort to these young children and their families. Our canine teams' goal was to provide a monetary donation just before Christmas in hopes to make a child's Christmas just a little brighter. The canine teams had sold "Take a Bite Out of Cancer" T shirts. A check in the amount of \$1500.00 was sent to St Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Tennessee, along with several of our stuffed police dogs. This is the second monetary donation of \$1500.00 that was sent to them**





- All Corrections and Criminal Division K9 teams conducted over 60 K9 demonstrations this year. Our K9 teams spend a great deal of time interacting with the community all over Ulster County and beyond and demonstrating and educating the public on what our program is all about. We spend a great deal of time with young children and parents in both school and public forums explaining how vital our four-legged partners are in keeping our community safe. We conducted demonstrations at various daycares including the UCCC children's daycare, Ulster County children's safety day at the Hudson Valley Mall, Kerhonkson Elementary school activities day. Recreation day camp, Boys and Girl Scouts of America, Sheriff's Summer Camp, Camp Trimount in Green County, , The Ulster County Fair, Belleayre Fall festival, Gardiner Day, Bark for Life, Several areas schools, Blueberry festival, YWCA, Wounded Warriors Project at SUNY New Paltz and Benefit to raise money for cancer in dogs to name a few.

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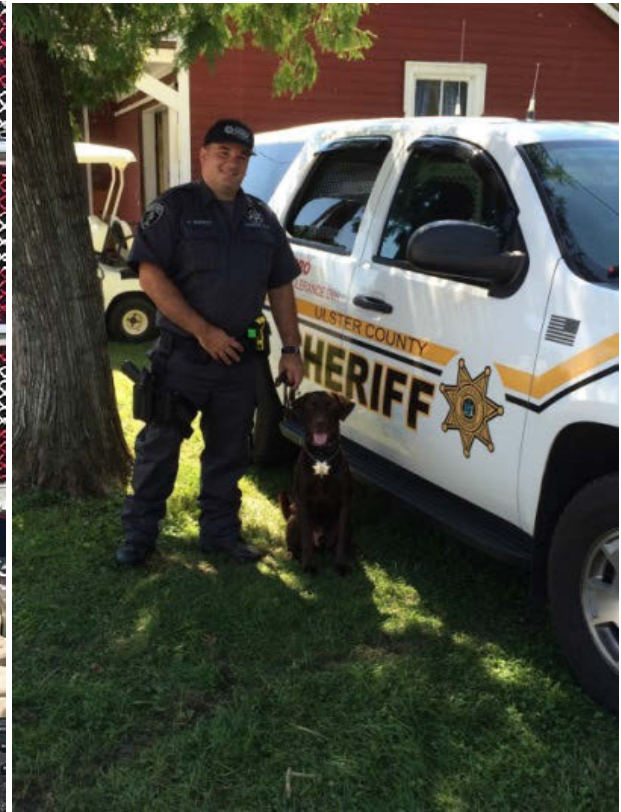






## Correction K9 Division

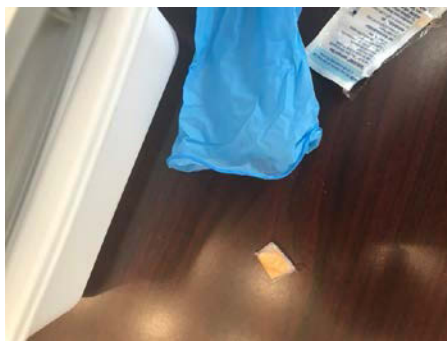
### CO Anthony Maggio and K-9 Maverick



- On January 24, 2018 K9 Maverick conducted search of H-Pod and found Zoloff and Vistaril on inmate from Rikers who was housed in our facility.
- On January 31, 2018 K9 Maverick conducted sniff of incoming mail. Letters which contained a dried liquid on the letter tested positive for Suboxine.
- On March 21, 2018 K9 Maverick and Officer Maggio conducted a walk through of D pod and Maverick alerted on inmate Finno. A search revealed several Suboxine strips in the cell.
- On March 31, 2018 K9 Maverick conducted a search of several vehicles from visitors. K9 Maverick alerted on 2 separate cars and a total of 7 marijuana cigarettes were found.
- On April 5, 2018 K9 Maverick conducted sniff of vehicles in the visitors lot and alerted on a vehicle in which THC oil and marijuana was located.
- On April 7, 2018 CO Maggio and K-9 Maverick conducted a K-9 sniff of civilian Kelly Davis upon entering the facility. K-9 Maverick alerted upon the female and over 3.9 grams of cocaine was located on her person



- On May 13, 2018 CO Maggio and K-9 Maverick while working visits requested visitor Shannon Coston to remove jacket and observed the female with a small baggy containing a white substance in her mouth. The female immediately swallowed the substance and was later charged with tampering
- On June 10, 2018 K9 Maverick conducted sniff of visitors vehicles in the lot. K9 Maverick alerted on 2014 Kia Sorento belonging to Amiar Mohibar and a quantity of marihuana was found inside.
- On June 20, 2018 K9 Maverick while assigned to visits alerted on visitor Kara Whitaker and several Suboxine strips and pharmaceuticals were found prior to entering the jail



- On June 23, 2018 K9 Maverick and Officer Maggio conducted a walkthrough of D pod and K9 Maverick alerted on Inmate Vladich. A quantity of Suboxine was located on inmate.
- On September 22, 2018 CO Maggio and K-9 Maverick conducted search of subject brought in by New Platz PD and Maverick alerted to the male subejct who was found to be in possession of 3.8 grams of cocaine.







- On September 23, 2018 CO Maggio and K-9 Maverick conducted K-9 Sniff of visitor vehicles in the parking lot and alerted on a vehicle belonging to Amanda Syvertsen. Maverick located over 26 Klonopin pills illegally obtained from a friend.



- On October 19, 2018 CO Maggio and K-9 Maverick conducted search of inmate Seth Lyons cell and found cocaine, pills and other contraband.



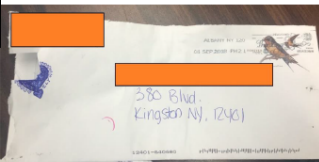
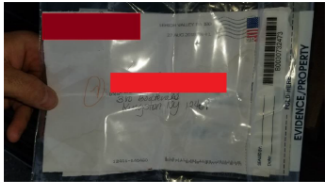
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### OFFICER AWARENESS / OFFICER SAFETY

On 8/31/18 UCLEC mail room staff advised K9 Officer A. Maggio of a suspicious letter intended for an inmate at Ulster County Jail. During an initial blind search K9 Maverick alerted on the letter, indicating the presence of drugs. A follow-up chemical test was positive for fentanyl. The fentanyl was concealed by spilling coffee on the envelope disguising the soaked paper.

On 9/06/18 UCLEC mail room staff once again advised K9 Officer A. Maggio of a suspicious letter intended for an inmate at Ulster County Jail. During an initial blind search K9 Maverick alerted on the letter, indicating the presence of drugs. A follow-up chemical test was positive for Oxycodone. The Oxycodone was concealed by melting it into a liquid and mixing it into a large blue heart on the envelope.

Although neither inmate received the envelopes that had the concealed drugs, staff is reminded to use caution when handling the mail and wear gloves whenever possible.



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An additional K-9 name was added to the memorial in 2018 for those who have passed. K-9 Beal



## UCERT

### (Ulster County Emergency Response Team)



The UCERT Team had 23 callouts including assisting on warrant service with URGENT and assisting KPD ESU in 2018.

- On February 10, 2018 Team members were requested to assist URGENT in the execution of a no-knock search warrant at 38 Winchell Lane in the Town of Rosendale for weapons. It was decided that Mr. Cooke would be invited to headquarters under the belief that we wanted to return his rifles to him. Once Mr. Cooke was at headquarters he was secured and charged with Reckless Endangerment, in the second degree. Other personnel proceeded to 38 Winchell Lane and executed the no-knock search warrant. Members utilized a slow methodical approach and clearing in caution of and potential booby traps or

other persons in the residence. The residence was cleared/ secured without incident. Urgent members secured a large amount of black powder and primers.

- On Monday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at approximately 0630, UCERT members Stock and I assisted the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Team and members of the NYS Attorney General Office Organized Crime Unit with an arrest warrant located at 35 North Road Apt. 2 Highland, New York. The target of their investigation was a John C. Boughton (DOB: 11/23/1972) who was wanted on local arrest warrants issued by the City of Newburgh and Town of New Windsor and was pending indictment on a conspiracy case being investigated by NYS Attorney General Office Organized Crime Unit. UCERT members located Mr. Boughton at the residence and Shamro and I took him into custody without incident.
- On Tuesday February 13, 2018 at approximately 12:04pm the Ulster County Emergency Response Team was activated for a suicidal male subject possibly armed with a handgun at 324 Perkinsville Road, in the Town of Lloyd. Members were requested to stage at the Lloyd Police Department. Team members were briefed by Team Commander First Sergeant Rowe and Assistant Team Commander Detective Miller and assignments were given. As the team was assembling we were notified that the suspect, Todd McCagg was taken into custody by URGENT, without incident.
- On February 14, 2018 team members assisted the City of Kingston Special Investigations Unit (SIU) and the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Unit (URGENT) with the execution of three search warrants in the City of Kingston. Members lead an entry team for the execution of a no - knock search warrant at 579 Broadway in the City of Kingston and an entry team for the execution of a no - knock search warrant for the residence of 36 Gill street. The residences were cleared and held until the arrival of SIU members for evidence search.
- On February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 at approximately 10:00 AM members of the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Team, Ulster County Sheriff's Office, Kingston Police Department, and Ulster County Emergency Response Team executed a "no knock" search warrant located at 132 Boulevard in the City of Kingston.
- On February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at approximately 9:00 AM members of the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Team, Ulster County Sheriff's Office, Woodstock Police Department, Kingston Police Department, UC District Attorney's Office, and Ulster County Emergency Response Team executed a "no knock" search warrant located at 35 Orchard Lane in the Town of Woodstock.
- On Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at approximately 0600, members of the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Team (URGENT), Saugerties Police Department, and members of UCERT executed a "no knock" search warrant located at 310 Fish Creek Road in the Town of Saugerties.

- On Friday March 23, 2018 UCERT members assisted the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Team (U.R.G.E.N.T.) with the execution of a warrant of arrest for Ryan C. Coppola dob.03/09/1984. This arrest warrant was for Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the third degree. Information was developed by URGENT members that Mr. Coppola was telling associates that he was not going back to jail and he would do whatever necessary to stay out of jail. URGENT members also reported that they found .45 caliber rounds and shotgun shells in his apartment. A confidential informant also reported to an URGENT member that Mr. Coppola was in possession of a handgun. Information was developed the Mr. Coppola was staying at 46 Bivona Lane in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, New York. After several hours of negotiations the subject was taken into custody.
- On April 6, 2018 at approximately 1:32pm UCERT team members assisted the Ulster Regional Gang enforcement Team (U.R.G.E.N.T.) with the execution of a search warrant at 253 B Fish Creek Road in the Town of Saugerties, County of Ulster. The suspect Cody Valenti (dob. 5/21/94) was believed to be in possession of stolen .45 caliber handgun. Team members along with assigned members of URGENT conducted a knock and announce, call out, at the residence marked 253 B. Located within the residence were Cody Valenti and a female (Infiniti Dueno dob. 10/08/1996). These two individuals were taken into custody without incident. A search of this very small structure revealed marihuana and marihuana derivatives. An extensive search was conducted on the structure and surrounding area with negative results for a handgun. Assigned members secured consent to search for the residence of Christopher Madsen (dob.09/21/1994) at 253 Fish Creek Road. This residence is located in very close proximity to Mr. Valenti's residence. Located within Mr. Madsen's residence were several long guns, a plate carrier, and several hundred rounds of ammunition, night vision goggles and other military paraphernalia. Also located within the residence was a large amount of marihuana, marihuana wax, LSD and mushrooms. Mr. Valenti was taken into custody without incident. Located on this property which is owned by Greg Madsen (dob. 3/3/1966) was a metal scaffold approximately 30 feet in height (believed to utilized as an observation post, vantage point on driveway) and a second make shift (ladder on tree with platform). I also observed two ground type blinds that overlook the driveway and Fish Creek Road.
- On June 2, 2018 at approximately 9:00am UCERT team members met with members of the ULSTER Regional Gang Enforcement team (U.R.G.E.N.T.) at the Town of Saugerties Police Department for a briefing. It was learned that we would be conducting a no knock search warrant at 20 Leonard Lane in the Town of Saugerties. Saugerties uniform patrols would maintain the perimeter. On June 2, 2018 at approximately 09:45am assigned members began to make our approach upon the residence. As we were making our approach to the residence on foot, we observed a black Toyota Camry was leaving the residence. This vehicle was



stopped by the entry team and found it to be operated by John Dolan (a resident of this address). Mr. Dolan was secured and taken into custody by uniform patrols from the Town of Saugerties. The entry team found the front glass sliding door unlocked, verbal contact was made with two male subjects asleep on the couch. Inv. Stock gave verbal commands to these two subjects to come outside. These subjects complied and were taken into custody without incident. As the entry team was giving commands to a second male subject located on a bed in the living room, a perimeter team member reported a male subject run out from a basement door on the four side of the structure. The subject was taken into custody by the perimeter team. The entry team secured continued to deal with the second male in the living room, as he was taken into custody outside the residence. As the search was conducted for additional persons within the residence members located a female subject in the down stairs bathroom. This female was taken into custody without incident. A secondary search was conducted with no additional persons located within. The residence was turned over to URGENT members for evidentiary search.

- On June 5, 2018 Ulster County UCERT team was requested to assist the Columbia County Sheriff's Office with search warrants. Assigned UCERT members met at a staging location in the city of Hudson for a briefing conducted by members of the Columbia County Sheriff's Office. UCERT was requested to meet at a staging area in Columbia County to meet with additional emergency response teams for a briefing. It was learned that the operation would be executing simultaneous search warrants. UCERT was assigned to conduct no-knock search warrant at 228 State Street, the residence of target Ramel Jackson b/m dob.03/14/1997. It was believed that Mr. Jackson resided at this location with his mother. UCERT was also advised that Mr. Jackson has a small child but the child did not live at this located and was very seldom there. At approximately 2130 UCERT members deployed to 228 State Street from the staging area. The Target was taken into custody and turned over to NYSP and Columbia County Sheriff's Office members.
- On June 5, 2018 UCERT members were activated to assist the City of Kingston ESU at the scene of a shooting. We responded from the Law Enforcement Center and met with fellow team members in the area of 80 West Pierpont Street in the City of Kingston. Once on scene, we were briefed by Sgt. Zell and 1<sup>st</sup>. Sgt. Rowe about the incident and were advised that Kingston Police ESU had already cleared one structure and was working on clearing a three story apartment building. Shamro and I were assigned to the EMS units as an officer rescue team. Once Kingston Police ESU finished clearing the buildings, we were advised that we could break down our element and return to normal duty.
- UCERT was asked to assist the Greene County Sheriff's Office with Security details at the Taste of County Music Festival at Hunter Mountain. Over the course of 4 days 12 team members assisted Greene County SWAT with specialized security functions.

- 6/14-17/18 - UCERT was asked to assist the Greene County Sheriff's Office with Security details at the Mountain Jam Music Festival at Hunter Mountain. Over the course of 4 days 12 team members assisted Greene County SWAT with specialized security functions.
- On August 1, 2018 at approximately 06:00 am members of UCERT met at the Ulster County Sheriff's Office headquarters for a briefing. Members of UCERT would be assisting the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Team (U.R.G.E.N.T.) with the execution of a no-knock search warrant at 29 Glenview Drive in the Town of Hurley, County of Ulster. URGENT members would maintain a perimeter on the residence and the entry team would consist of the following UCERT members. On this date at approximately 07:15am the team made an approach on the residence. Upon entry a noise flash diversionary device was deployed (flash bang). A female subject on the couch in the living room. This female was secured by team members. Team members called a male subject out from a rear located bedroom. This subject was also secured without incident. UCERT members conducted a secondary search of the residence; no other persons located and turned the scene over to URGENT members for evidence collection.
- On August 24, 2018 members of the Ulster County Emergency response team (UCERT) assisted the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Team (URGENT) with the execution of a no-knock search warrant at 2735 Route 9W in the Town of Saugerties. This residence was believed to be occupied by Anthony Dancy dob. 09/30/1982 and Sarah Schatzel dob. 6/11/1987. On this date at approximately 6:45am assigned UCERT members along with members of URGENT conducted the no knock search warrant. The subjects were located in the rear master bedroom of the residence. These two individuals were secured without incident. A secondary search of the residence revealed no other subjects in the residence. The residence was turned over to URGENT members for a methodical search for evidence.
- On August 30, 2018 members of the Ulster County Emergency Response Team (UCERT) assisted the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Team (URGENT) with executing a no- knock search warrant at 443 Kings Highway in the Town of Saugerties. On this date at approximately 04:00 UCERT members met at the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center for a briefing. It was learned that URGENT had a no knock search warrant for the residence at 443 kings Highway in the Town of Saugerties. This residence was believed to be occupied by the suspect and possibly his wife and a young child. It was reported that Mr. Diers had a felony conviction and believed to be in possession of an assault rifle. It was also learned that there was an attached apartment to this structure that was occupied by an elderly male person; this person was uninvolved to this investigation. As surveillance was being conducted the subject left the residence and was stopped by patrols and taken into custody. It was determined that the wife and child were not in the residence. Announcements were made via PA instructing all inside to exit the residence several subjects exited and were taken into custody and turned over to URGENT members. Entry was made 2 dogs were secured outside the residence and when the residence was secured and was turned over to URGENT for processing.

- On Friday September 28<sup>th</sup> 2018 at approximately 06:51am the UCERT team was activated to assist with the search of a past active shooter incident that took place at the Ellenville regional hospital. The team was advised to respond to the Napanoch Fire House (command post). On arrival at the fire house the team met with members of the New York State Police (Special Operations Response Team SORT) from the lead desk. We advised the lead desk our team's resources. We were advised that Joshua Stuart had fired at least one round from a semiautomatic type handgun within the Ellenville hospital, stole medication, syringes and fled the area in a white dodge pickup truck. Sometime later officers encounter the dodge pickup truck on Lundy Road. After a vehicle pursuit, Stuart fired several rounds at officers and fled on foot in an unknown direction. No officers were struck by gunfire. Stuart was last wearing blue jeans, flannel shirt white sneakers and in possession of a semiautomatic type handgun. Over the course of the next 3 days the team worked 12 hour shifts and sent on numerous missions searching for the subject. It was determined on 9/30/18 that the subject had fled to New York City and was taken into custody several days later.
- On October 18, 2018, UCERT was requested to assist the Ulster Regional Gang and Narcotics Enforcement Taskforce with a Search Warrant at 64 Kelly Road in the Town of Saugerties. Upon arrival at the residence, members made initial approach on the residence. During the approach, a male subject, later identified as Joseph E Lester, was located in the front yard, detained and turned over to URGENT members. Entry was made to the residence via the front door, and located inside were three additional subjects. Once the additional subjects were secured and safety checked a secondary search of the residence was conducted and after finding no additional subject, the residence was turned over to URGENT for processing.
- On Sunday October 21, 2018 UCERT members were requested to assist the New Paltz Police Department, New York State Police, the Ulster County Sheriff's Office road patrol and the Sheriff's Emergency Response team with crowd control on Main Street in the Village of New Paltz for a possible clash between demonstrators. Team members and patrol units were staged at various locations in and around the Village of New Paltz. The rally was held without incident.
- On Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 at approximately 2:00 PM, members of UCERT responded to assist the New York State Police, Town of Ulster Police, City of Kingston Police, and Ulster County Sheriff's Office at the scene of a shooting/robbery located on Sawkill Road in the Town of Ulster. It was learned that the suspects fled the scene and were possibly located at the Stoney Run Apartment complex. It was determined that the subjects were in an apartment at the complex. Members were given assignment and negotiations were started. After several hours of negotiation the subjects were all taken into custody and turned over to NYSP. The apartment was cleared and turned over to NYSP for processing.
- On Thursday December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 UCERT was assigned to execute a no knock federal search warrant, located at 42 North Main Street in the Village of Ellenville. At approximately 3:00 AM, members of UCERT met for briefing at UCSO Zone one. It was determined that UCERT would be the primary entry with URGENT and HSI on the perimeter. Additionally, NYSP SORT would be executing a second search

warrant at 143 Center Street at the same time (4:00 AM). The target of the warrant was identified as Luis E. Curet (DOB: 03/17/1985). At approximately 3:50 AM, UCERT members went to the target location and once members of SORT were in place and ready, both teams moved into the target locations at the same time. The target of the warrant was taken into custody without incident and the scene was turned over to URGENT for processing.

- On December 10, 2018 UCERT members requested to assist the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Team with the execution of a no-knock search warrant at 4 Circle Avenue in the Village of Ellenville, County of Ulster. On this date at approximately 1:30pm members executed said search warrant. Several subjects and children were located within the residence. The children were removed from the residence and a search was commenced by U.R.G.E.N.T. members.
- Team Accomplishments: The MOA for UCERT was completed and was sent to the Ulster County Legislature and the participating Townships and agencies for their approval.
- Team members also participated in planning and organizing training sessions. The team participated in multiple training scenarios and range days throughout the year. Trainings were also conducted with NYSP SORT, KPD ESU and NYC DEP SWAT.
- UCERT members were assigned to the Emergency Services Appreciation Day at the Chambers Elementary School. Members talked to students, teachers and parents about what the team does and showed them our equipment and vehicles and then were invited to have lunch with the students.



- UCERT members assisted in a Touch-A-Truck at the YMCA in Kingston.
- Members attended the New York Tactical Officers Training Conference in April and participated in 3 days of specialized training classes.



- The team had 1 member certified as NYS DCJS Basic SWAT Operators and 2 members certified as NYS DCJS Sniper/Observers during the year at the Orange



## **2018 Navigation Report**



- Ulster County Sheriff's Office boats were on the water from April 2018 through the end of November 2018. During 2018 the navigation unit was on the water for 1058 hours patrolling. There were 14 tickets 131 warnings were issued to vessels throughout the season,



- The marine unit conducted 297 on water boarding's and inspections, responded to 5 vessel accidents, assisted 92 people/vessels in distress. The Marine Unit responded to 8 fires on the water or along the shoreline, assisted at 5 groundings, and conducted 26 rescues. Working with the New York State Parks and Recreation Commission we issued 10 HIN numbers. We performed 121 COPP stops along the river at parks, lighthouses, marinas, boat ramps, and boater safety events. We conducted 897 security checks of bridges, fuel depots, rail stations and water treatment locations.
- We participated in Operation Dry Water with 2 BWI patrols. During the operation there were 21 vessels stopped and safety boarding's and screening for BWI conducted. The marine patrol also terminated 7 vessels back to port after boarding's were conducted and found to be unsafe to be on the water.



# OPERATION DRY WATER

- As in past years we assisted at 9 crew race events maintaining safety zones around the events.....



## NOTABLE EVENTS:

- Rescue call at the Saugerties dam, Unit small boat used to rescue one male subject hanging onto the edge of the dam after overturning in his boat.
- Removed large tree from the jetty at the Rondout creek. The tree was hanging over into channel making a navigation hazard, KFD assisted with manpower and chainsaws.
- Assisted several large freighters from anchor to turning around toward the Port of Albany.
- Assisted DCSO with drownings along the Poughkeepsie water front, Swim across the river at Newburgh, Swim down the river from Albany to NYC.

- We assisted in the boat race down the river, the boat race at Maritime on the Rondout.
  - We transported United Nations Irish diplomats from the Rhinecliff train station across the river to Hooley on Hudson.
  - We assisted in security of the Rondout Creek during the annual 4th July Fireworks display.
  - Assisted Feeney ship yard with traffic control and safety zone for 2 new barge launches into the creek.
  - Assisted at the HITS Ironman competition at the old Williams Lake facility.
  - We assisted the City of Kingston Police Department several times including with a jumper off old bridge, a boat accident and sinking with injuries at the Feeney ship yard and recovered a File 1 off the east Kingston cement plant.
  - We assisted Saugerties PD with drifting Kayaks off the Saugerties lighthouse.
  - Assisted East Kingston FD with a fire along the shoreline.
  - Assisted the New York State Police divers with M27 on several details on the river
  - We attended several trainings with the USCG and attended the FIST meetings throughout the boating season. M26 was issued 2 new engines from NYS Parks this year. Both boats received new canvas coverings this year.
  - Two members attended and completed New York State Parks and Recs MLE and MPVOC training.
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## **In-Water Rescue Team**



- The In-Water Rescue Team was called out several times in 2018. On February 14, 2018 we assisted the NYSP Divers with a search for a missing person in



Sturgeon Pool in Rifton. We utilized our swift water equipment to secure their boat along the ice cap in moving water for a sonar search. On March 3, 2018 we assisted the Town of Saugerties Police Department with a body recovery in the upper portion of the Esopus Creek, in the Village of Saugerties. The team was requested to assist the Town of Lloyd Police Department in a search for a weapon that had been used in a menacing case. The team responded to a drowning in High Falls and recovered a subject after approximately 37 minutes. Rescue efforts were started and the subject was transported to Kingston Hospital Emergency Room.

- In October the Team, with the assistance of the Navigation Unit, recovered a File 1 in the Hudson River near the shore of the old Kingston Cement Plant property. This was from a Kingston Police Department case from 2017. The Team called out several times this year and participated in search and recovery efforts for reports of suicidal subjects jumping off the Kingston-Rhinecliff Bridge and the Mid-Hudson Bridge. On July 4<sup>th</sup> the Team was requested for standby during the fireworks show off of the Walk-Way Over the Hudson. In December the Team was requested by Greene County Sheriff's Office to assist in a search detail in a cement quarry as part of an investigation in the Audrey Mae Herron cold case.



- The team assisted the United States Coast Guard in Saugerties several times this past year by performing hull inspections to their vessels and assisting in repairs. They also performed dive and sonar details to help them locate and recover missing buoys in the Hudson River.
- The Dive Team conducted 9 demonstrations with the Dive Tank this past year in Ellenville, Gardiner, Kerhonkson, Marlborough, Kingston, Town of Ulster, Town of Kingston, and Highland and during the week of the Ulster County Fair.

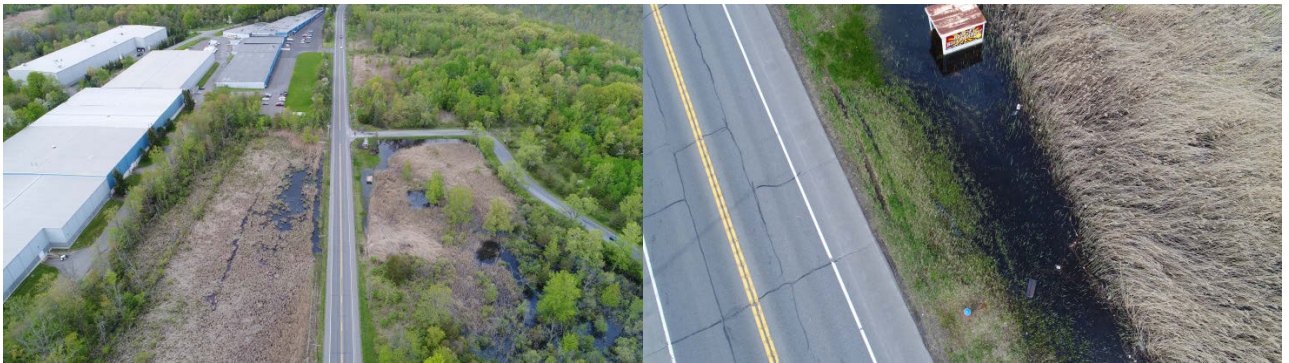


- In February team members were certified in Ice Diving. In September 3 members were to the New York State Preparedness Training Center and received training in Advanced Swift Water Rescue and Rope Training.
- As in past years, during training the team also trained in the use of underwater lifting equipment. A vehicle was sunk in the river and divers then were taught how to use lift bags to remove items from the river bottom.

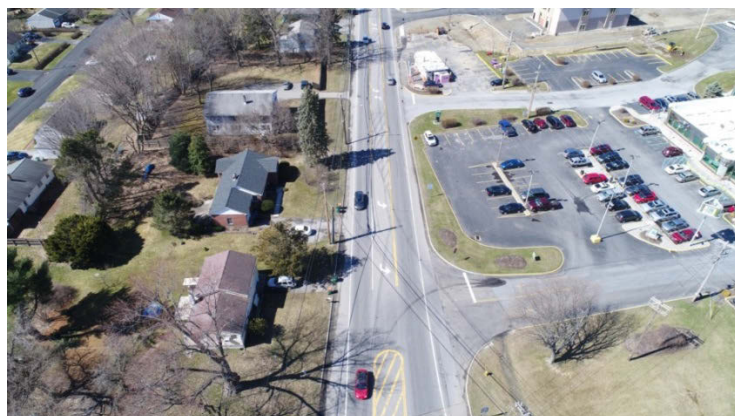


## **UAS Drone Activity 2018**

- On April 30, 2018 Deputies and Detectives responded to report of fatal car v bicycle on Route 9w in the Town of Esopus. Several aerial photos were taken days later for the case.



- May 2018 drone operators assisted Fishkill Police with aerial photos at the site of a fatal motor vehicle accident where several people were killed.





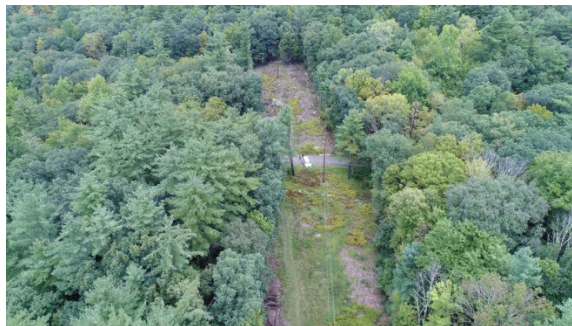
- On May 26, 2018 we assisted the Kingston Police with a boat accident on the Rondout Creek near Feeney's Ship Yard. A vessel was reported to have hit the moored barge that was at the ship yard for repairs. We responded to the area and assisted with the removal of the wrecked vessel. Aerial photos were taken utilizing the drone for the report.



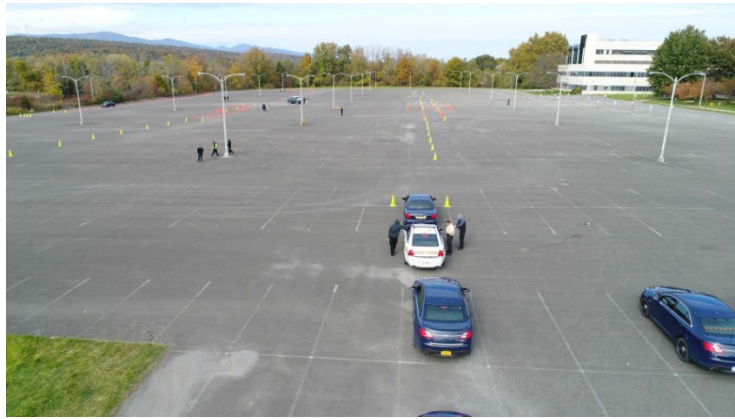
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Festival of Heroes took place in Kerhonkson and our drone took several aerial photos for safety during the event.



- On September 28, 2018 Drone operators assisted NYSP with shots fired at the Ellenville Hospital. Joshua Stuart fired rounds at police and fled. A large manhunt was conducted and the drone was utilized.



- October 2018 drone was utilized to take aerial photos of the EVOC training at the UCLETG academy.



## **Honor Guard 2018**

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard is comprised of members from the Patrol, Civil and Corrections divisions. Patrol has 8 members, Corrections has 8 members and civil has 1 member whom the team bagpiper. The honor guard had 49 detail callouts ranging from parade details, wake/funerals and line of duty deaths throughout the county, state and country. The honor guard conducted 12 line of duty death (LODD) details involving law enforcement from around the county regarding national significance or 2 or more law enforcement officers in the same area.

### **Line of Duty Death (LODD)**

- Westerville police department, Ohio – Officer Eric Morelli and Officer Anthony Joering, while responding to a domestic dispute with both shot and killed, 2 honor guard team members were sent to attend wake and funeral services.
- York County Sheriff's Office, South Carolina – Detective Michael Robert Doty, responding to a disturbance call several members of the department were shot and injured, Detective Michael Doty was fatally shot, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend wake and funeral services.
- Somerset County Sheriff's Office, Maine – Cpl. Eugene Cole, responded to a possible wanted fugitive was shot by the wanted subject, honor guard bagpipers were requested and our honor guard bagpiper was sent to attend the wake and funeral services for Cpl. Eugene Cole.
- Yarmouth Police Department Massachusetts – Sgt. Sean Gannon K-9, while serving a warrant Sgt. Gannon was shot and killed, 1 honor guard member and 2 K-9 handlers attended the wake and funeral of Sgt. Gannon.
- Whitesboro Police Department, New York – Officer Kevin Crossley, while operating at the scene of a motor vehicle accident Officer Crossley was struck by another vehicle killing him, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend the funeral services.
- Gilchrist County Sheriff's Office, Florida – Sgt. Noel Ramirez Jr. and Deputy Taylor Lindsey, while on duty sitting in a restaurant, Sgt. Ramirez and Deputy Taylor were ambushed and shot 2 honor guard members attend memorial, wake and funeral services.





- New York State Police, NYSP – 9/11 illness, Trooper Michael J. Anson succumbed to an illness he contracted from operating at the world trade center, 2 honor guard members attended the wake and funeral services.
- U.S. Marshal, Pennsylvania – Deputy Christopher David Hill, while serving a warrant in Pennsylvania, Deputy Hill was shot by the suspect, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend the funeral services.
- New York State Police, NYSP - 9/11 illness, NYSP Sgt. Charles Salaway succumbed to an illness he contracted from operating at the world trade center, 2 honor guard members attended the wake and funeral services.
- New York State Police, NYSP – Gunfire, LODD, Trooper Nicholas Clark responded to a suicidal subject and was shot and killed, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend the wake and funeral services.
- Pennsylvania, Department of Corrections – Officer Mark Gaspich of the Pennsylvania department of correctional services suffered a heart attack during his tour of duty in a corrections facility, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend the funeral services.
- Chicago Police Department, Illinois - Officer Eduardo Marmolejo and Officer Conrad Gary, while pursuing a suspect of a shoots fire were struck by a train, 2 honor guard members were sent to attend memorial, wake and funeral services.  
1 UCSO honor guard member and 1 Saugerties Police honor guard member



### **Parade Detail**

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard was requested for 7 parade details throughout the county. The MCP is also deployed with the honor guard to serve as a parade display in the event as well as a rehab for the honor guard members before, during and after the event due to the strain of marching several miles in possible extreme environmental conditions. The following list, are parade details the honor guard and MCP was deployed to perform the above stated services.



- Kingston St. Patrick's Day Parade. \*Received a trophy
- Port Ewen Memorial Day Parade.
- Kingston Memorial Day Parade.
- Plattekill Memorial Day Parade.
- Saugerties 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. \*Received a trophy
- Ulster County Volunteer Fireman's Parade, T/Ulster. \*Received a trophy
- Kingston Children's Day parade (sheriff/taxi)

### **Special Detail**

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard conducted 30 special details that encompass wake, funeral and color guard events. These details can be conducted by one or several members in a few hours to several days depending on the circumstances. These details are what brings great pride and public acclaim to the honor guard members, the department but most of all comfort to the people we serve.

- Ulster County Public Address from Executive Hien – Color Guard detail, 4 honor guard members.
- Police Week, Honor Guard family liaison services for the Greene County Sheriff's Office, and Deputy Haverly family – honor guard escort, logistical support 2 honor guard members.
- Ulster County Sheriff's Office Awards Dinner – 5 honor guard members, color guard services, empty table ceremony, combined honor guard with UCSO, KPD, SPD & DEPPD.
- Ulster County Police Chief's Dinner - 6 honor guard members, color guard services, empty table ceremony, combined honor guard with UCSO, UPD, SPD, NYSP & DEPPD.

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Ulster County LODD Memorial – Mt Academy line of duty death memorial, recognizing Ulster County LODD's.
- Wake/Funeral services – Former Deputy Harry VanVliet III.
- Wake/Funeral services – Former UC Legislator Glenn Noonan.
- Traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall – several details performed, color guard and honor guard services including ceremonies 7/18/2018 – 7/22/2018.
- Festival of Hero's, Back the blue – honor guard ceremonies performed as well as public orientated events to connect with the public, meet and greet.
- Accord Speedway, 1<sup>st</sup> responder's night – honor guard services as well as a public recognition to the 1<sup>st</sup> responder community.
- Wake/Funeral services – Town of Shandaken Police Chief Henry Strauss.
- Wake/Funeral services – Officer Skartados grandfather.
- Wake/Funeral services – Officer David Crandall.
- Wake/Funeral services – Officer Boughton grandfather.
- Wake/Funeral services – Columbia County Sheriff Paul Proper.
- Wake/Funeral services – City of Newburg Sgt. Heraz.
- Wake/Funeral services - Ulster County BOE Vic Work.
- Veterans Day Memorial – New Paltz Submarine post, 2 honor guard color guard detail.
- Wake/Funeral services – Cpl. Johnson, brother.
- Veterans Day Memorial services – 2 honor guard members for color guard detail.
- 9/11 ceremonies – City of Kingston, color guard detail/parade, fireman's park.
- 9/11 ceremonies – Town of Ulster, color guard detail/parade, post park.
- 9/11 ceremonies – Town of Saugerties, color guard detail, Cantine Memorial Park.
- 9/11 ceremonies – Ulster Hose FD, color guard detail, 9/11 memorial pavilion.
- Wake/Funeral services – Town of Hurley Constable Raymond Croswell.
- Veterans stand down – Ulster Hose FD, color guard detail 2 honor guard members.
- Flag Day, Kington Elks Lodge – color guard detail, 2 honor guard members.
- Ulster County Safety – UCLEC color guard detail, school bus safety awards ceremony.
- Liaison Family Services – Sgt. McKenzie death of his son, Sean McKenzie.
- Ulster County Sheriff's Office Swearing in Ceremony - Sheriff Juan Figueroa swearing in ceremony Ulster County Court House, 2 honor guard members.



The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard is the leader and training entity in the county and region. The honor guard trains the third Thursday of each month, inviting several agencies to join in with a multi-agency approach, to mainstream the training, allowing a more seamless execution of details with agencies on the same page due to the training environment. The agencies that have joined up with the training involving the sheriff's office are, Saugerties Police, Town of Ulster Police and DEP Police. The Ulster County Sheriff's Office is responsible for the implementation of the "Basic Honor Guard and Color Guard School" adopted and certified by DCJS and NYS DHSES OFPC.



# Ulster County Sheriff's Office

## Department of Social Services Security



	<b>Services</b>	<b>Temp. Asst.</b>	<b>Total</b>
Magna scanner Count	187,005	93,184	280,189
Weapons held for safe keeping	179	940	1,119
Incident Reports	10	55	65
Assistance calls	104	274	378
Investigate report of fire	4	4	8
Illegal weapons confiscated	0	0	0
Warrant arrests	0	6	6
Other arrests	0	54	54
Medical calls	1	13	14
Parking Calls	0	2	2
TsLEDS	0	5	5
Parking tickets	0	2	2

- In the early part of 2018 the security division at Social Services began working with the Special Investigations Unit and processing all arrests for the unit. This resulted in the security division having a total of 54 arrests.
  - In November Ulster Family Court Relocated to Development Court, adjacent to the Department of Social Services.
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## **Mobil Command Post**



The MCP Team is comprised of Emergency 911 dispatchers and Ulster County Sheriff's Office members from dispatch and corrections. MCP is utilized for parade details as well as planned and unplanned events throughout the county. MCP provides radio/communication interoperability between law enforcement, fire, ems and private NGO's. The MCP is deployed out with the Ulster County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard for parade details to be displayed during the event as well as a rehab for the honor guard members before, during and after the event due to the strain of marching several miles in possible extreme environmental conditions. MCP vehicle was outfitted with an upgrade to the radio computer interface in of 2018 and completed in November. The system is an ACU interoperability system that replaced the RIOS, which improved the radio systems on the MCP and interoperability exponentially, allowing dispatchers to create talk groups effectively. The ACU system that was installed provides a remote radio over IP function which allows the ACU unit to be controlled and monitored from communications. UC 911 or remotely via laptop, which broadens the efficient use of radio communications. The installation of the ACU has strengthened communications with state level entities primarily due to the systems are from the same manufacture and operating parameters allowing a free seamless integration when they are requested to incidents within Ulster County.

- Women's Bike Race Woodstock May 5, 2018
- Active Shooter training May 24, 2018

- Mid-Hudson Bridge 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration
- Rosendale Street Festival July 21, 2018
- Festival of Heroes, Back the Red and Blue September 9, 2018
- Accord Speedway First Responders' Night September 7, 2018
- New Paltz Flag Demonstration October 21, 2018

The following list are parade details MCP was deployed with a team member to perform the above stated services. - Kingston St. Patrick's Day Parade.

- Port Ewen Memorial Day Parade.
  - Kingston Memorial Day Parade.
  - Plattekill 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade.
  - Saugerties 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. \*Received a trophy
  - Ulster County Volunteer Fireman's Parade, T/Ulster. \*Received a trophy
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### **Crisis Negotiations (NOC)**



The Ulster County Sheriff's Office has acquired a recreational vehicle (RV), which has been retrofitted for exclusive use by their Crisis Negotiation Team. For over twenty years, Ulster County has used a loose confederation of crisis negotiators from various agencies throughout the county during crisis situations. Until now, no one, including the state police, had a dedicated vehicle outfitted for use specifically by negotiators to facilitate successful resolutions to crisis situations of all kinds, including hostage taking and barricaded people.

## Project Lifesaver Program



- Project Lifesaver is the premier search and rescue program operated internationally by public safety agencies, and is strategically designed for “at risk” individuals who are prone to the life threatening behavior of wandering. The primary mission of Project Lifesaver is to provide timely response to save lives and reduce potential injury for adults and children with the propensity to wander due to a cognitive condition. The Sheriff's Office has 4 members trained to operate the equipment and we currently manage 14 clients throughout Ulster County.

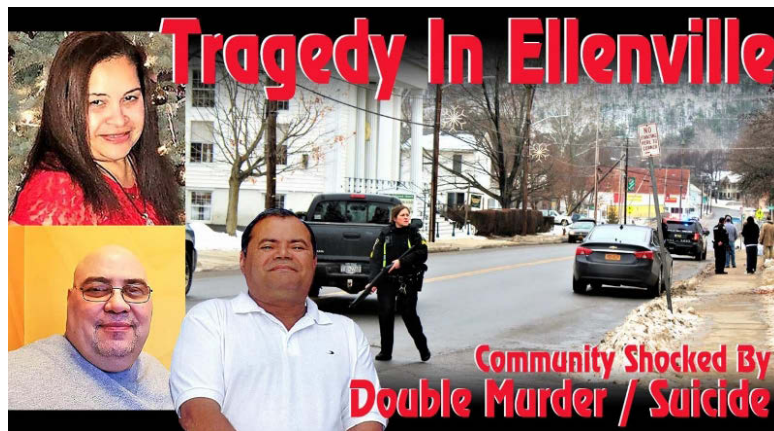
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### Detective Division Yearly Report



January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 – Assist Robbery - The Detective unit assisted NYSP Highland and Town of Marlboro Police Department with a strong-arm robbery in-progress at the CVS pharmacy at 25 Riverview Drive. The suspect, Anthony J. Abbott, was taken into custody by a Marlboro Police Officer after a brief foot pursuit outside the store. Abbott had been involved in a series of crime incidents that ended with the robbery. Abbott was suspected of a “carjacking” in the Town of New Windsor earlier in the day. In that incident, the owner of the vehicle attempted to stop Abbott and was struck with his own vehicle, sustaining serious injuries. New Windsor Police attempted to stop Abbott, but he fled. The pursuit was discontinued due to safety concerns. The stolen vehicle was found in the parking lot of the Marlboro CVS. Abbott is additionally a suspect in a series of similar incidents in Dutchess County.





January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Double Murder and Suicide - The Detective unit responded to assist the Ellenville Police Department and New York State Police at what initially reported as a drive by shooting with two victims. The suspect was reported to have fled and entered the Ellenville High School. A short time later, the incident was reported to be a double murder suicide with the armed suspect found deceased at the scene. Detectives aided with interviews, follow ups and leads regarding the case. The shooter, Efrain Lopez, was upset that Margarita Soto, his former girlfriend, had begun a new relationship with Jose Cruz. Lopez was lying in wait for Soto and Cruz near their apartment, and fatally shot both as their exited their vehicle prior to taking his own life.



January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Assault 1<sup>st</sup> - On January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018 the Ulster County Jail accepted seven Riker's Island inmates as board-ins from the New York City Department of Corrections. Less than 24 hours later, an eighth Riker's inmate was boarded into the facility. The new inmate was brought into the pod and was immediately attacked by the other seven Riker's inmates. The inmates suffered multiple stab and slash injuries and was transported to the hospital. The incident required the response of multiple Corrections personnel to contain the group of inmates, most of who were identified as members of the BLOODS criminal street gang. The victim was uncooperative with the investigation and the inmates were later transferred to another facility.



February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Scheme To Defraud – Detectives were assigned a case in which the victim was defrauded by Terry Monroe. Monroe is known for approaching random individuals and asking for a ride. During the ride, Monroe would ask to borrow money, with the promise of paying it back. Monroe would have the victim drive him to multiple locations and continually ask for money. The suspect has been engaged in this pattern of crime in the Kingston area for over 15 years. Multiple cases were reported to multiple agencies. The UCSO coordinated with the Ulster County District Attorney's Office and Kingston Police Department to charge Monroe with Scheme to Defraud and multiple counts of Petit Larceny. Monroe was sentenced to two one year sentences in the Ulster County Jail, where he is still in custody.



April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Fatal Motor Vehicle/Bicycle Accident - The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a car versus bicyclist fatal accident on Route 9W in front of Lakeshore Villas in the Town of Esopus. Justin Boyd, 34, of Ulster Park, was riding his bicycle north on the shoulder of the northbound lane when he was struck from behind by a 2013 Ford F-150, operated by Michael Brailey, 32, of Red Hook. Detectives responded to the scene to conduct the investigation. Brailey submitted to a DRE screening, voluntary blood screen, and provided access to his cellular telephone. Detectives determined that phone usage, impairment and/or intoxication were not contributing factors. Based on the interview and the accident reconstruction by the New York State Police, the conclusion reached was that Brailey likely fell asleep and drifted off the roadway.



May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Home Invasion/Robbery – The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to the Roadway Inn motel in the Town of Ulster for a report of an armed home invasion style robbery. The victim sustained lacerations to the head after being "pistol whipped". The victim was selling heroin from the motel room. The assailant fled the scene and a suspect was developed based on a "street name". The suspect vehicle was located by UCSO Detectives in the City of Kingston and seized. The case is pending presentation to a Grand Jury.



June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Drowning/Death Investigation – The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a drowning of a 17 year-old male at a popular swimming area in the Rondout Creek in High Falls. Members of the UCSO and Ulster Hose In-Water Rescue Team recovered the teen, who was transported to Kingston Hospital. Despite the efforts of EMS and hospital personnel, the victim did not survive. The victim was an inexperienced swimmer and initial rescue attempts by two teenage friends were unsuccessful.





August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 -- Industrial Accident/Death investigation – The Town of Rosendale Police and UCSO responded to a report of a rollover zero turn lawn tractor accident at the Central Hudson Sturgeon Pool Hydroelectric Dam Facility. Upon the arrival of first responders, the operator, Joshua Hockx, was found unconscious and unresponsive. Central Hudson employees and first responders began rescue efforts by extricating him from the overturned tractor and administering CPR. Hockx succumbed to his injuries while enroute to the hospital. An investigation revealed that contributing factors to the accident were wet sloped grass and the operator's unfamiliarity with the machine.

# ICAC

Internet Crimes Against Children

# Task Force

September 6<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – FBI Child Predator Detail Town of Ulster. The Ulster County Sheriff's Office, FBI, NYSP and Town of Ulster Police conducted an undercover operation in which the defendants solicited an arrangement to have sex with minor children and then met undercover police officers to engage in sex with a child. The operation resulted in the felony arrests of eight adult males. Their cases are pending.





September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Stabbing. The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a fight-in-progress and stabbing at Quick's Trailer Park in the Town of Wawarsing. Upon arrival Deputies encountered multiple persons in an altercation, a male suffering from stab wounds to the torso and a female suffering from a stab wound to the arm. One male combatant fled and was located by a UCSO K-9 Team. Detectives responded to investigate and process the crime scene. An extensive investigation revealed the man had been stabbed after he forcibly entered the residence and assaulted another person. The stabbing was found to be in defense of another. Four persons were ultimately charged in the altercation.



December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Missing Child – The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a missing 9 year-old female on River Road in the Town of Rosendale. The child was reported to have been seen last getting off the school bus around 3:00 p.m. by the bus driver. The child never arrived home. As daylight began to fade, additional resources from surrounding police and fire agencies were coordinated. During the search, a neighbor reported seeing a white van with a business name parked near the bus stop. She reported that someone knew the operator and his girlfriend and that they lived on Springtown Road near a cemetery. The area was checked and the vehicle was not initially located. A check of the business address was also unsuccessful. A short time later, the van was located at an address on Springtown Road, along with the missing child who was in good health. The occupants of the van were at the bus stop to pick up a different child riding another bus. They were unfamiliar with the child and picked up the missing 9 year-old in error.



December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018 - Attempted Murder/Barricaded Person – The Ulster County Sheriff's office along with New York State Police responded to a residence in Stone Ridge after a man unlawfully entered the residence of his ex-spouse and fired multiple rifle rounds at her as she ran from the residence. The shooter barricaded himself inside the residence. Detectives responded as Crisis Negotiators and negotiated with the shooter along with investigators from the New York State Police. The suspect eventually took his own life after over 20 hours of intense negotiation.



December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Robbery 1<sup>st</sup> – The Ulster County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of the Mobil gas station on Route 208 in Gardiner being robbed by a person wearing a mask armed with a knife. The assailant fled the area on foot, and likely entered a vehicle nearby. Detectives are following up on extensive leads and the case remains open.



ULSTER REGIONAL GANG ENFORCEMENT NARCOTICS TEAM

U.R.G.E.N.T.

Ulster County Law Enforcement Center

380 Boulevard

Kingston, New York 12401

Area Code 845	
URGENT (Main)	334-5732
URGENT (Secondary)	340-3589
URGENT Tips Hotline	340-3570
URGENT Fax	338-2313
URGENT Supervisor	340-5757
URGENT Supervisor	384-6232

**URGENT STATS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR OF:  
2018**

		YTD	
<b>CASES:</b>			
URGENT		<b>122</b>	
	Assists	<b>38</b>	
<b>PERSONS ARRESTED:</b>		<b>123</b>	
	Assists	<b>12</b>	
<b>GANG MEMBERS ARRESTED:</b>		<b>0</b>	
BLOODS		<b>20</b>	
CRIPS		<b>0</b>	
OMG's		<b>2</b>	
Latin Kings/Latino Gangs		<b>1</b>	
<b>GANG FIELD INTERVIEWS:</b>		<b>48</b>	
<b>CHARGES</b>		<b>236</b>	
FELONIES		<b>0</b>	
	Assists	<b>0</b>	
MISDEMEANORS:		<b>111</b>	
	Assists	<b>0</b>	
VIOLETIONS:		<b>18</b>	
	Assists	<b>0</b>	
<b>SEARCH WARRANTS</b>		<b>26</b>	
	Assists	<b>2</b>	
<b>CARS SEIZED:</b>		<b>4</b>	Each
<b>GUNS SEIZED:</b>		<b>16</b>	Each
<b>CASH SEIZED:</b>		<b>\$78,868.00</b>	USD
<b>FENTANYL</b>		<b>113.7</b>	Grams
		<b>9</b>	Decks
<b>COCAINE SEIZED:</b>		<b>818.36</b>	Grams
<b>CRYSTAL METH</b>		<b>14</b>	Grams
<b>HEROIN SEIZED:</b>		<b>391.6</b>	Grams
		<b>1432.00</b>	Decks
<b>MARIJUANA SEIZED:</b>		<b>346.078</b>	Pounds
<b>HASH SEIZED:</b>		<b>99.85</b>	Grams
<b>MDMA SEIZED:</b>		<b>0.2</b>	Grams
<b>PHARMACEUTICALS SEIZED:</b>		<b>438</b>	D/U's
<b>PSILOCYBIN MUSHROOMS SEIZED:</b>		<b>378.75</b>	Grams
<b>LSD SEIZED:</b>		<b>1.5</b>	D/U's
		<b>0.3</b>	Grams



# Incident Analysis Report

## Summary By Incident Type



Incident Type	Number of Incidents
7 Digit Call	16
911 Abandoned Call	12
911 Misdial	5
911 No Voice Call	344
Abandoned Vehicle	56
ABC Violation	1
Accident Personal Injury	205
Accident Property Damage	758
Address Verification	40
Alarm Burglary	1422
Alarm Panic	43
Animal Complaint/Investigation	444
Assault	41
Assist Converted 2018	1274
Assist EMS	737
Assist Fire	91
Assist Other Agency	35
ATV Complaint	16
Background Investigation	151
Bad Check	11
BOLO	21
Bomb Threat	16
Burglary	83
Child Abuse	14
Civil Matter	113
Contraband Converted 2018	14
COPP	79
Counterfeiting	4
CPCS	2
Criminal Contempt	53
Criminal Mischief	129
Criminal Possession of Weapon	12
Custody Dispute	32
Death Investigation	51
Disabled Vehicle	315
Disorderly Conduct	247
Dispute	207



<b>Incident Type</b>	<b>Number of Incidents</b>
DOA/Unattended	1
Domestic Dispute	610
Drug Offense	319
Encon Violation	65
Erratic Vehicle	10
Error	1
Eviction	14
Field Inv Converted 2018	1
Fight	4
Fire Alarm	6
Fire Investigation	5
Fireworks Complaint	44
Forgery	3
Fraud	139
Harassment	244
Heating Emergency	19
Identity Theft	8
Impersonation	9
Indecent Exposure	6
Information	22
Internet Related Converted 2018	1
Juvenile Complaint	4
K9 Assistance	402
Larceny	253
Local Law Violation	1
Lock Out	537
Lost or Missing Person	82
Menacing	11
Mental Health Law	277
MVA Converted 2018	393
Navigation Related	78
New Call	26
Noise Complaint	123
Open Door	44
Property Check	158
Property Found	105
Property Lost	115

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Property Retrieval	98
Psychiatric Emergency	6
Railroad Incident	1
Reckless Endangerment	2
Road Hazard	389
Robbery	1
School Check	232
School Incident	107
Serve Papers	1123
Sex Offender Violation	4
Sex Offense	36
Shots Fired	100
Special Detail	156
Suicide or Attempted Suicide	25
Suspicious	628
Traffic Complaint/ Investigation	6
Traffic Stop	278
Trespass	197
Uncategorized Converted 2018	424
Unknown Police Emergency	4
Vehicle and Traffic Complaint	1102
Vehicle Repossession	17
Warrant Execution	630
Water Emergency	9
Weapons Seizure	40
Welfare Check	887
<b>Total:</b>	<b>17736</b>

# Case Offense Crime Code

## Summary

Crime Code and Description	Counts	# of Cases Using Crime Code
100 KIDNAPPING / ABDUCTION	1	1
11B FORCIBLE SODOMY	4	4
11D SEX OFFENSE - FORCIBLE FONDLING	4	4
120 ROBBERY	2	2
13A ASSAULT - AGGRAVATED	10	9
13B ASSAULT - SIMPLE	26	23
13C ASSAULT - INTIMIDATION	14	11
200 ARSON OFFENSES	1	1
220 BURGLARY / BREAKING AND ENTERING	21	21
23H LARCENY - ALL OTHER LARCENIES	63	59
240 MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	3	3
250 250	5	5
26A FRAUD - FALSE PRETENSES/SWINDLE/CONFIDENCE GAME	10	10
26B FRAUD - CREDIT CARD / ATM FRAUD	1	1
26C FRAUD - IMPERSONATION	15	13
280 STOLEN PROPERTY OFFENSES (RECIEVING ECT)	2	2
290 DESTRUCTION / DAMAGE / VANDALISM OF PROPERTY	22	21
35A DRUG / NARCOTIC VIOLATIONS	20	19
36B SEX OFFENSE - STATUTORY RAPE	3	3
370 PORNOGRAPHY / OBSCENE MATERIAL	4	4
520 WEAPON LAW VIOLATION	9	6
90A BAD CHECKS	1	1
90D DRIVING WHILE UNDER INFLUENCE	5	4
90J TRESPASS OF REAL PROPERTY	4	4
90Z ALL OTHER OFFENSES	75	62
999 ALL OTHER OFFENSES - PRESUME	93	66
<b>Count Total:</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>Case 359</b>

## Case Status and Disposition Summary 2018

Case Status	Total	%
Closed by Investigation	202	51.66
Closed Pending Further	1	0.26
Warrant Issued	2	0.51
Closed by Arrest - Juvenile	2	0.51
Closed by Arrest - Adult	124	31.71
Open/Active	60	15.35
Not Reported	0	0
<b>Total Cases:</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>100</b>

Case Disposition	Total	%
Active	33	9.19
Administrative Closure	166	46.24
Arrest	124	34.54
Exceptional Clearance	0	0
Pending	29	8.08
Pending D.A. Review	0	0
Unfounded	6	1.67
Warrant Requested/Obtained	1	0.28
<b>Total Cases:</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>100</b>



## **Call Activity Report**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 11:35:47

Extension Range: 3640 to 3640

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Hour of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
00:00 - 00:59	668	20:22:04	0	00:00:00	668	20:22:04
01:00 - 01:59	420	14:57:49	0	00:00:00	420	14:57:49
02:00 - 02:59	311	10:01:37	0	00:00:00	311	10:01:37
03:00 - 03:59	291	07:34:44	0	00:00:00	291	07:34:44
04:00 - 04:59	272	06:39:19	0	00:00:00	272	06:39:19
05:00 - 05:59	242	08:26:36	0	00:00:00	242	08:26:36
06:00 - 06:59	411	14:21:22	0	00:00:00	411	14:21:22
07:00 - 07:59	814	24:32:18	0	00:00:00	814	24:32:18
08:00 - 08:59	983	30:25:19	0	00:00:00	983	30:25:19
09:00 - 09:59	1189	38:10:23	0	00:00:00	1189	38:10:23
10:00 - 10:59	1286	40:32:14	0	00:00:00	1286	40:32:14
11:00 - 11:59	1271	39:30:25	0	00:00:00	1271	39:30:25
12:00 - 12:59	1254	43:01:11	0	00:00:00	1254	43:01:11
13:00 - 13:59	1291	42:05:16	0	00:00:00	1291	42:05:16
14:00 - 14:59	1239	42:33:29	0	00:00:00	1239	42:33:29
15:00 - 15:59	1197	39:13:18	0	00:00:00	1197	39:13:18
16:00 - 16:59	546	17:07:04	0	00:00:00	546	17:07:04
17:00 - 17:59	479	16:05:11	0	00:00:00	479	16:05:11
18:00 - 18:59	371	11:23:18	0	00:00:00	371	11:23:18
19:00 - 19:59	316	10:14:56	0	00:00:00	316	10:14:56
20:00 - 20:59	288	09:44:01	0	00:00:00	288	09:44:01
21:00 - 21:59	284	08:38:58	0	00:00:00	284	08:38:58
22:00 - 22:59	219	07:17:10	0	00:00:00	219	07:17:10
23:00 - 23:59	238	05:38:47	0	00:00:00	238	05:38:47

Day of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
Monday	2266	70:45:44	0	00:00:00	2266	70:45:44
Tuesday	2266	66:11:14	0	00:00:00	2266	66:11:14
Wednesday	2402	78:56:09	0	00:00:00	2402	78:56:09
Thursday	2714	84:55:19	0	00:00:00	2714	84:55:19
Friday	2672	89:39:14	0	00:00:00	2672	89:39:14
Saturday	1939	62:57:00	0	00:00:00	1939	62:57:00
Sunday	1621	55:12:09	0	00:00:00	1621	55:12:09

Report Totals	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
	15880	508:36:49	0	00:00:00	15880	508:36:49

## **Call Activity Report**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 12:32:10

Extension Range: 2245 to 2245

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Hour of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
00:00 - 00:59	70	02:14:13	0	00:00:00	70	02:14:13
01:00 - 01:59	30	01:53:02	0	00:00:00	30	01:53:02
02:00 - 02:59	6	00:09:41	0	00:00:00	6	00:09:41
03:00 - 03:59	2	00:01:50	0	00:00:00	2	00:01:50
04:00 - 04:59	2	00:01:50	0	00:00:00	2	00:01:50
05:00 - 05:59	7	00:17:22	0	00:00:00	7	00:17:22
06:00 - 06:59	31	01:10:53	0	00:00:00	31	01:10:53
07:00 - 07:59	72	02:13:37	0	00:00:00	72	02:13:37
08:00 - 08:59	100	03:03:19	0	00:00:00	100	03:03:19
09:00 - 09:59	134	04:04:47	0	00:00:00	134	04:04:47
10:00 - 10:59	167	05:29:34	0	00:00:00	167	05:29:34
11:00 - 11:59	154	05:03:08	0	00:00:00	154	05:03:08
12:00 - 12:59	222	06:01:08	0	00:00:00	222	06:01:08
13:00 - 13:59	179	06:19:47	0	00:00:00	179	06:19:47
14:00 - 14:59	137	03:57:41	0	00:00:00	137	03:57:41
15:00 - 15:59	148	04:40:57	0	00:00:00	148	04:40:57
16:00 - 16:59	189	06:14:53	0	00:00:00	189	06:14:53
17:00 - 17:59	199	07:46:38	0	00:00:00	199	07:46:38
18:00 - 18:59	156	04:48:54	0	00:00:00	156	04:48:54
19:00 - 19:59	130	04:22:00	0	00:00:00	130	04:22:00
20:00 - 20:59	118	04:50:24	0	00:00:00	118	04:50:24
21:00 - 21:59	81	02:12:17	0	00:00:00	81	02:12:17
22:00 - 22:59	81	03:09:49	0	00:00:00	81	03:09:49
23:00 - 23:59	53	01:51:14	0	00:00:00	53	01:51:14

Day of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
Monday	264	08:19:33	0	00:00:00	264	08:19:33
Tuesday	344	11:32:39	0	00:00:00	344	11:32:39
Wednesday	551	19:39:27	0	00:00:00	551	19:39:27
Thursday	411	14:08:17	0	00:00:00	411	14:08:17
Friday	504	14:44:21	0	00:00:00	504	14:44:21
Saturday	251	07:47:05	0	00:00:00	251	07:47:05
Sunday	143	05:47:36	0	00:00:00	143	05:47:36

Report Totals	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
	2468	81:58:58	0	00:00:00	2468	81:58:58

## **Call Activity Report**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 12:33:23

Extension Range: 2285 to 2285

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Hour of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
00:00 - 00:59	46	01:11:02	0	00:00:00	46	01:11:02
01:00 - 01:59	17	00:22:36	0	00:00:00	17	00:22:36
02:00 - 02:59	5	00:15:33	0	00:00:00	5	00:15:33
03:00 - 03:59	2	00:12:12	0	00:00:00	2	00:12:12
04:00 - 04:59	6	00:11:25	0	00:00:00	6	00:11:25
05:00 - 05:59	2	00:01:03	0	00:00:00	2	00:01:03
06:00 - 06:59	12	00:16:22	0	00:00:00	12	00:16:22
07:00 - 07:59	29	00:42:33	0	00:00:00	29	00:42:33
08:00 - 08:59	88	03:05:37	0	00:00:00	88	03:05:37
09:00 - 09:59	46	01:27:58	0	00:00:00	46	01:27:58
10:00 - 10:59	34	01:14:57	0	00:00:00	34	01:14:57
11:00 - 11:59	49	02:44:56	0	00:00:00	49	02:44:56
12:00 - 12:59	52	01:42:16	0	00:00:00	52	01:42:16
13:00 - 13:59	39	01:14:42	0	00:00:00	39	01:14:42
14:00 - 14:59	50	01:53:23	0	00:00:00	50	01:53:23
15:00 - 15:59	96	02:44:29	0	00:00:00	96	02:44:29
16:00 - 16:59	118	04:00:31	0	00:00:00	118	04:00:31
17:00 - 17:59	94	03:22:34	0	00:00:00	94	03:22:34
18:00 - 18:59	74	02:40:29	0	00:00:00	74	02:40:29
19:00 - 19:59	78	02:11:08	0	00:00:00	78	02:11:08
20:00 - 20:59	45	01:42:51	0	00:00:00	45	01:42:51
21:00 - 21:59	53	02:25:40	0	00:00:00	53	02:25:40
22:00 - 22:59	34	01:19:07	0	00:00:00	34	01:19:07
23:00 - 23:59	20	00:24:04	0	00:00:00	20	00:24:04

Day of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
Monday	163	05:25:36	0	00:00:00	163	05:25:36
Tuesday	179	05:05:54	0	00:00:00	179	05:05:54
Wednesday	162	05:12:19	0	00:00:00	162	05:12:19
Thursday	210	07:22:09	0	00:00:00	210	07:22:09
Friday	190	06:53:51	0	00:00:00	190	06:53:51
Saturday	104	04:10:39	0	00:00:00	104	04:10:39
Sunday	81	03:17:00	0	00:00:00	81	03:17:00

Report Totals	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
	1089	37:27:28	0	00:00:00	1089	37:27:28

## **Call Activity Report**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 12:34:18

Extension Range: 5571 to 5571

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Hour of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
00:00 - 00:59	11	00:17:48	0	00:00:00	11	00:17:48
01:00 - 01:59	4	00:11:40	0	00:00:00	4	00:11:40
02:00 - 02:59	7	00:08:32	0	00:00:00	7	00:08:32
03:00 - 03:59	5	00:09:22	0	00:00:00	5	00:09:22
04:00 - 04:59	3	00:02:35	0	00:00:00	3	00:02:35
05:00 - 05:59	1	00:01:48	0	00:00:00	1	00:01:48
06:00 - 06:59	7	00:11:51	0	00:00:00	7	00:11:51
07:00 - 07:59	12	00:19:18	0	00:00:00	12	00:19:18
08:00 - 08:59	81	02:08:06	0	00:00:00	81	02:08:06
09:00 - 09:59	108	03:57:28	0	00:00:00	108	03:57:28
10:00 - 10:59	85	03:25:58	0	00:00:00	85	03:25:58
11:00 - 11:59	114	04:20:56	0	00:00:00	114	04:20:56
12:00 - 12:59	122	04:13:56	0	00:00:00	122	04:13:56
13:00 - 13:59	103	03:00:25	0	00:00:00	103	03:00:25
14:00 - 14:59	115	03:52:40	0	00:00:00	115	03:52:40
15:00 - 15:59	120	04:14:19	0	00:00:00	120	04:14:19
16:00 - 16:59	100	03:06:16	0	00:00:00	100	03:06:16
17:00 - 17:59	77	02:47:35	0	00:00:00	77	02:47:35
18:00 - 18:59	51	01:21:20	0	00:00:00	51	01:21:20
19:00 - 19:59	38	02:01:19	0	00:00:00	38	02:01:19
20:00 - 20:59	46	01:19:54	0	00:00:00	46	01:19:54
21:00 - 21:59	35	01:28:58	0	00:00:00	35	01:28:58
22:00 - 22:59	27	00:45:12	0	00:00:00	27	00:45:12
23:00 - 23:59	22	00:17:33	0	00:00:00	22	00:17:33

Day of Call	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
Monday	154	05:27:13	0	00:00:00	154	05:27:13
Tuesday	138	03:32:19	0	00:00:00	138	03:32:19
Wednesday	298	10:35:17	0	00:00:00	298	10:35:17
Thursday	227	08:13:34	0	00:00:00	227	08:13:34
Friday	235	06:57:29	0	00:00:00	235	06:57:29
Saturday	147	04:47:45	0	00:00:00	147	04:47:45
Sunday	95	04:11:12	0	00:00:00	95	04:11:12

Report Totals	Count(In)	Duration(In)	Count(Out)	Duration(Out)	Count(Tot)	Duration(Tot)
	1294	43:44:49	0	00:00:00	1294	43:44:49



**Custom Report Summary**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 10:48:58

Extension Range: 3640 to 3640

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Sheriff

Date	Time	Ext	Name	Number Dialed	Location	Trunk
12/31/18	03:58:06	3640	Sheriffs Department	Calls: 15880	INC-NY-Kingston	
				Calls: 15880		

Grand Totals

Total Calls:  
15880**Custom Report Summary**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 10:50:35

Extension Range: 2243 to 2243

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Sheriff

Date	Time	Ext	Name	Number Dialed	Location	Trunk
12/31/18	23:56:33	2243	Commo Desk 1	Calls: 19376	INC-NY-Kingston	
				Calls: 19376		

Grand Totals

Total Calls:  
19376**Custom Report Summary**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 10:51:34

Extension Range: 2245 to 2245

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Sheriff

Date	Time	Ext	Name	Number Dialed	Location	Trunk
12/31/18	18:24:08	2245	Commo Desk 2	Calls: 2468	INC-NY-Kingston	
				Calls: 2468		

Grand Totals

Total Calls: 2468

**Custom Report Summary**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 10:53:06

Extension Range: 2285 to 2285

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Sheriff

Date	Time	Ext	Name	Number Dialed	Location	Trunk
12/31/18	17:33:16	2285	Commo Desk 3	Calls: 1089	INC-Unknown	
				Calls: 1089		

Grand Totals

Total Calls: 1089

**Custom Report Summary**

ULSTER COUNTY - KINGSTON, NY

Report Date: 16-Jan-19 10:53:57

Extension Range: 5571 to 5571

Date Range: 01-Jan-18 to 31-Dec-18

Sheriff

Date	Time	Ext	Name	Number Dialed	Location	Trunk
12/31/18	13:37:33	5571	COMMO 2a	Calls: 1294	INC-NY-Kerhonkson	
				Calls: 1294		

Grand Totals

Total Calls: 1294
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NOTE (2): "Number Dialed" column refers to number of incoming calls received.

NOTE (3): Does not include incoming call data from the two Verizon digital phones

(no Data is available for them as it is not provided by Verizon)

COMMO 1 Year 2018 Totals: 3640 = 15880, 2243 = 19376. Sub Total = 35,256

COMMO 2 Year 2018 Totals: 2245 = 2468, 5571 = 1294. Sub Total = 3,762

COMMO 2a Yr 2018 Totals: 2285 = 1089 Sub Total = 1,089

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**Grand Total year**

**2018=====➔ 40,107**

# ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

CORRECTION DIVISION 2018 ANNUAL REPORT



Superintendent James R. Hanstein

Warden Jon Becker

## **I. ADMINISTRATION**



The Sheriff's Administration currently consists of Sheriff Paul Van Blarcum, Undersheriff Michael Freer and division heads Captain Vincent Altieri, Superintendent James Hanstein, Detective Lieutenant Dirk Budd and Chief Civil Administrator John McGovern.

Administration also includes Administrative Assistant Barbara O'Brien and Sheriff's Confidential Secretary

Amie O. Goodrich. Teresa Pleva holds the title Fiscal Assistant 3 and Melody Brooks & Debra Vermilyea holds the title of Sheriff's Fiscal Assistant 1. These personnel perform administrative, secretarial, budgeting, accounting, payroll, contracts-related and personnel/benefits-related duties

*Sheriff Paul Van Blarcum*

## **I. CORRECTIONS**

### **A. THE DETENTION FACILITY (UCLEC)**

The Ulster County Law Enforcement Center (UCLEC) is located at 380 Boulevard, Kingston, NY 12401. The facility houses the Ulster County Sheriff's Office Patrol Division, Corrections Division and the Civil Division. It is 277,000 square feet, which includes inmate housing, a medical department, kitchen, warehouse and classes for G.E.D. through the Kingston School District, among other services. The UCLEC had an original rated capacity of 426 inmates; however, double bunking was instituted in several areas during 2015 increasing the MFC (Maximum Facility Count) to 458 as stated by the New York State Commission of Corrections.

The Corrections Division is supervised by a mandated security staff of 158. The Ulster County Law Enforcement Center continually conforms to the Rules & Regulations set forth by the New York State Corrections Law and the New York State Commission of Corrections.

Committed to the jail are prisoners that may be charged with any type of crime or violation, including homicide, sex crimes, DWI, trespassing, etc. In order to provide a safe and secure correctional institution for these inmates, the Sheriff's Office employs both full and part-time correction personnel. These positions consist of 130 Correction Officers, 11 Corporals, 8 Sergeants, 6 Lieutenants, 1 Assistant Warden, 1 Warden and a Superintendent.





**B. DAILY POPULATION** *Corrections Command Staff*

The 2018 highest monthly inmate average of 318 occurred in August and the lowest monthly inmate average of 243 occurred in February. The overall daily population averaged 283 in 2018; this represents a significant decrease from 2015 due to Dutchess County's Jail opening up 200 temporary beds on their site in the spring of 2015. Once again the female population remained high, averaging 42 women per day. The average length of stay for an incarcerated person at the UCLEC in 2018 was **49** days.



*Basic Corrections Graduation 2018*

## **C. REVENUES**

In October of 2007 the New York State Commission of Corrections allowed the Corrections Division to board in inmates from other jurisdictions. As a result of these agreements, in 2018 Ulster County received a total of 734 inmates for 12,528 days, amounting to a total of \$981,900 in revenue. Reimbursement from DOCCS and the U.S. Marshal's Office for travel totaled \$735.

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office and Social Security Administration have worked together since 1999 on an Incentive Payment Agreement. This agreement exists with the Ulster County Jail providing inmate information to Social Security whereas Social Security then, if applicable, suspends benefit payments to the person(s) incarcerated. The amount of payment is determined by Social Security receiving the report within 30 days after the date of confinement. In this case \$400.00 would be applied per inmate.

If the report is received after 30 days, but within 90 days of confinement, \$200.00 would be received. The UC Treasurer's General Fund received \$21,400 from the Social Security Incentive Program for FY'18.

**SCAAP** is a Federal program that gives partial reimbursement for the cost of incarcerating undocumented criminal aliens, netting Ulster County an estimated \$35,000 for the FY '18.

Revenue for the Ulster County Corrections Division amounted to **\$1,039,035** in 2018.

## **D. BAILS AND FINES**

Total monies received by the facility via bails and fines in 2018 were \$944,884. The facility also allows individuals to post bail using credit cards. In 2018 a total of \$315,680 was posted by credit card. The individuals that were incarcerated continue to represent a population with major substance abuse, communicable diseases and violent criminal histories. This type of population spends more sentenced time in jail and requires more direct supervision by officers. Many of the inmates represented by this type of population are recidivists – repeat offenders.

## **E. OVERTIME / PART TIME**

Overtime and part time compensation for staff are essential in providing manpower for post coverage, staff vacancies, training, one-on-one supervisions, and transportation of sentenced and awaiting-sentence population. In 2018, money spent on overtime was \$1,605,396 and \$175,536 on part time for a combined total of \$1,780,932.

428 inmates were placed on one-on-one supervision which requires an officer assigned to the post 24 hours a day, (three 8-hour shifts, 24 hours). The inmates were supervised for 365 days with multiple posts on many of the days. The constant supervision post is above and beyond the minimum staffing requirement for the UCLEC. As a result, all of the coverage is accomplished with overtime and part time staffing.



*Correction Officer Vincent Martelli*

**F.**

Correction staff continues to work closely with Correctional Medical Care (CMC) to maintain accreditation. For the last fifteen years, the medical dept. has maintained the Standards of the National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC).

**G. N.Y.S. COMMISSION OF CORRECTIONS / NYS SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION ACCREDITATION PROGRAM**

Representatives from the New York State Commission of Corrections visited the facility on several occasions in 2018. During these visits they reviewed the following standards: admissions, security and supervision, prisoner hygiene, discipline, visitation, exercise, classification, food service, sanitation, personnel standards and the grievance program. The UCLEC facility continues to meet all of the requirements to maintain the accreditation by the New York State Sheriff's Association.

**II. INMATE RECORDS**

**A. RECEPTION, INTAKE & CLASSIFICATION**

The Ulster County Jail's Intake / Classification Unit processed 2,175 initial classification screenings for FY'18. Classification is based on age, prior criminal history, any gang affiliation, propensity for victimization, history of medical / mental illness, history of sex offenses, history of hostile relationships with other inmates, prior attempts at self-injury or suicide, prior escapes or attempted escapes, attitude and behavior during present and prior incarcerations including any history of menacing behavior, victimization during incarceration, and any other information which may affect the safety and welfare of staff or other inmates.

1,186 re-classifications were also processed in 2018. Reclassification occurs if an inmate causes a disturbance, violates a rule or law, or is found guilty in the disciplinary process. It can also change when an inmate exhibits good behavior and follows the rules and regulations of the facility.



*Correction Officer Michael Coughlin and Sergeant Robert Toolan*

The breakdown of the inmates includes county admission, other counties' admissions, state and federal:

	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Total of Ulster County Admissions</b>	1203	337	1,540
<b>Board-ins</b>			
Other Counties	260	61	321
State	117	9	112
Federal	2	0	0
Other	8	0	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,729</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>2,175</b>

Of the 2,175 inmates that were processed through the Ulster County Jail in 2018, sentencing was as follows:

	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Non-Sentenced</b>	1,116	337	1,453
<b>Sentenced (Definite)</b>	226	39	265
<b>Other (Board-ins, State, Federals, Housed Out)</b>	387	70	457
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,729</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>2,175</b>

The *Local Conditional Release Program* is handled by New York State Parole. Eligibility requirements for inmates include a definite sentence from a local court, with a minimum of 90 days left to serve. Eligible inmates can submit an application to New York State Parole, after serving a minimum of 30 days, and must serve 60 days before release to this program. \*There were no applications submitted for consideration in 2018.





*Lieutenant Joseph Decker*



*Intake Area*

## **B. VICTIM NOTIFICATION (VINE)**

The National Victim Notification Network, VINE (Victim Information and Notification Everyday) allows crime victims across the country to obtain timely and reliable information about criminal cases and the custody status of offenders 24 hours a day. Victims and other concerned citizens can also register to be notified by phone, email, or TTY device. Registered users are notified immediately if an offender's status changes, such as release, transfer or escape. When a notification is triggered, VINE automatically continually calls the number(s) or sends an e-mail that the victim has provided.

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office has continued to participate in the statewide victim notification program with Correction Officer Warren Whitaker as coordinator. For the FY'18, the Ulster County Jail received 1,818,400 calls and made 83,349 notifications to victims. Additionally 3,515 new victims requested notification. The general public can gain access by calling 1-888-846-3469 or logging on to [www.vinelink.com](http://www.vinelink.com), which 1,945,114 victims used. An additional 12,415 victims were notified by e-mail. This year VINE mobile received 401,111 notifications and Mobile Patrol received 1,945,818 notifications.

## **C. COMPUTERIZATION UPDATE**

The Corrections Division has been working with New World Systems (NWS) since July 2004, the company is now called Tyler Technologies. The software provides tailored reports for the Commission of Corrections and in-house statistics such as electronic log books, digital mug shots and transfers data to an electronic fingerprint system called Live Scan. The Jail recently was part of a project that upgraded the entire RMS, this system now enables other police agencies to interface with the Jail's inmates and arrest records. During this project, there were over 160 Officers trained on all aspects of this software to include: Booking, Inmate Visitation, Hearings, & Supervisor level training. We continued to track inmates whom have served in the U.S. Military for the Albany Veterans Administration. This system upgrade is getting us closer to a full electronic and paperless system.

The Ulster County Sheriff's Office, Corrections Division subscribes to the E-Justice Portal Access. 60 active agency members have access to the E-Justice Portal. Uses include: Daily Jail Reporting (DPRF), Wanted Persons Inquiries, Criminal History Information, NYS Sheriff's report, State Ready & Parole Ready reporting to NYS DOCCS and the reportable incident reporting system.

## **D. PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT**

The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), a federal law enacted in 2003, was created to eliminate sexual abuse and sexual harassment in confinement. In addition to providing federal funding for research, programs, training, and technical assistance to address the issue, the legislation mandated the development of national standards. The National Prison Rape Elimination Commission developed recommended national standards for reducing prison rape. The final standards became effective June 20, 2012, when they were published by the Department of Justice (DOJ) in the Federal Register. More recently, the US Department of Homeland Security (DHS) released final standards for DHS confinement facilities, effective May 6, 2015.

#### **E. AFFORDABLE CARE ACT**

The Affordable Care Act, also known as the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA), and informally as “Obamacare”, was signed into law by President Barack Obama on 23rd March, 2010. This health care law aims to improve the health care system of the United States by widening health coverage to more Americans, as well as protecting existing health insurance policy holders.

Beginning January 1, 2014, correctional facilities were to begin enrolling eligible inmates into Medicaid through qualified navigators. In 2018 the Corrections Division was able to enroll 24 inmates into the system, saving the County of Ulster substantial amount of money in inmate medical care.



*Correction Officers Lacey and Speenburgh*

### **III. FACILITY OPERATIONS**

#### **FACILITY REPORTS**

##### **A. GRIEVANCES**

A grievance is an inmate’s written complaint concerning facility policies, procedures, rules, practices, programs, or the actions or inactions of any person or services within the facility. All attempts are made to resolve the grievance in house. The Grievance Officer is designated by the Superintendent and is available to help the inmate through the grievance process. Categories for inmate grievances are taken from the New York State Minimum Standards. Corporal Tracy McCoy has been assigned as the full time grievance coordinator for 2018.

TYPE OF GRIEVANCE	# OF COMPLAINTS		RESULTS	
Medical	142		Resolved in House	114
Food Service	0		Appeal to SCOC	48
Legal Service	1		Denied	23
Commissary	10		Accepted	8
Exercise	0		Withdrawn	14
Staff Conduct	54		I/M Released	11
Maintenance	0		Pending	11
Religion	9		Returned	43
Miscellaneous	18		Unfounded	4
Classification	6			
Education	3			
Correspondence	0			
Food/Diets	4			
Legal/Mail	5			
Visits	8			
Law Library	3			
Disciplinary	9			
Phone System	4			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>276</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>276</b>

## B. INMATE HEARINGS

The Ulster County Jail disciplinary hearing panel reviewed 1,108 hearings by Vincent Martelli. Several years ago the NYS Minimum Standard Section 7006 was amended to allow the county to place a surcharge on any inmate found guilty at a disciplinary hearing. A total of \$7,448 was collected in surcharges from 760 inmates involved in disciplinary matters and incidents in 2018. Hearings were ranked and placed in the following categories:

CATEGORY	2015	2016	2017	2018
Failure to comply	312	286	357	338
Assaults on other inmates	74	82	73	78
Assaults on staff	15	23	6	4
Contraband	89	69	61	55
Smoking	33	23	35	20
Destruction of property	43	42	29	27
Disorderly conduct	199	161	141	196
Abusive language or threats	175	144	170	206
Miscellaneous	238	207	189	171
Throwing of any Liquid or Substance	23	41	6	11
Failure to Attend School	2	0	4	2
Totals	1203	1078	1071	1108

## C. REPORTABLE INCIDENTS

As mandated by the New York State Correction Law, the New York State Commission of Corrections provides an internal and commission review of all incidents of a serious or potentially problematic nature. The following is a list of incidents that are to be reported to the Commission:

**D.**

<b>REPORTABLE INCIDENT CATEGORIES</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>
Assaults	10	2	8	4	7
Sexual Offense	0	0	0	0	0
Contagious Illness	0	0	0	0	0
Contraband	17	15	13	16	15
Deaths	0	0	1	0	0
General Incident Disruption			8	0	0
General Incident Disturbance	0	3	17	19	36
General Incident Natural / Civil Emergency	12	21	0	0	0
General Incident Escapes, Abscondence, Err. Release	0	0	0	1	0
General Incident Fire	0	0	0	0	0
Discharge of a Firearm	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate Group Action	0	0	0	0	1
Hostage	0	0	0	0	0
Physical Injury/Hospitalization		24	34	38	54
Attempted Suicide	1	0	0	0	0
Self-Inflicted Injuries	0	0	0	0	0
Accidental Injuries	3	0	0	0	0
Major Disturbances	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted Escapes	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total:</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>113</b>
<b>Arrests:</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>

### **GANG INTELLIGENCE UNIT**

In an effort to combat the growing gang presence, the Gang Intelligence Unit gathers and validates information regarding individuals identified as members of Security Risk Groups (SRG). The Ulster County Sheriff's Office Gang Intelligence Unit works closely with the Ulster Regional Gang Enforcement Narcotics Team (URGENT).

Upon admission, with the assistance of URGENT, inmates are assessed based on self-admission, tattoos, clothing colors, beads, and hand signs. With the gathered information, the Gang Intelligence Unit can evaluate and analyze ways that provide decisions regarding housing and transporting inmates. The individuals' propensity for engaging in Security Risk Group related activity is evaluated. This information allows the facility to better plan searches, to appropriately adjust inmate housing, work assignments and visits to avoid potentially violent situations.

As seen in the numbers below, a total of 152 gang members entered the Ulster County Jail in FY'18. All of these gang members have been positively identified by Members of the Gang Intelligence Unit and have had all of their personal information and gang affiliations documented and stored for further reference.

Here are the statistics for FY'18.

**BLOODS: 91 CRIPS: 13 LATIN KINGS: 8 FOLK NATION: 2 OMG: 3 OTHER: 35**

Note: These numbers include multiple incarcerations by the same inmate. (Example: an inmate who is admitted in January, released in February, and commits a new crime in October is counted each time).

The list of Parole violators is kept as accurate as possible and is still a work in progress. Any feedback from Parole would be appreciated.



### **Breakdown by month;**

**January:** 18 Bloods, 3 Crips, 2 Latin Kings, 1 Folk , 1 AB, 1 Trinitarian, 1 FOE

**February:** 7 Bloods, 1 Crip, 1 Latin King, 3 18<sup>th</sup> Street, 1 OTL

**March:** 3 Bloods, 1 Crip, 1 18<sup>th</sup> Street, 1 FOE

**April:** 5 Bloods, 2 Crip, 3 Blackout, 1 FOE, 1 YFO, 1 GTC

**May:** 4 Bloods, 2 Crips, 1 18<sup>th</sup> Street, 1 FOE, 1 OE, 1 GMC

**June:** 11 Bloods, 1 Latin King, 1 18<sup>th</sup> Street, 1 FOE

**July:** 5 Bloods

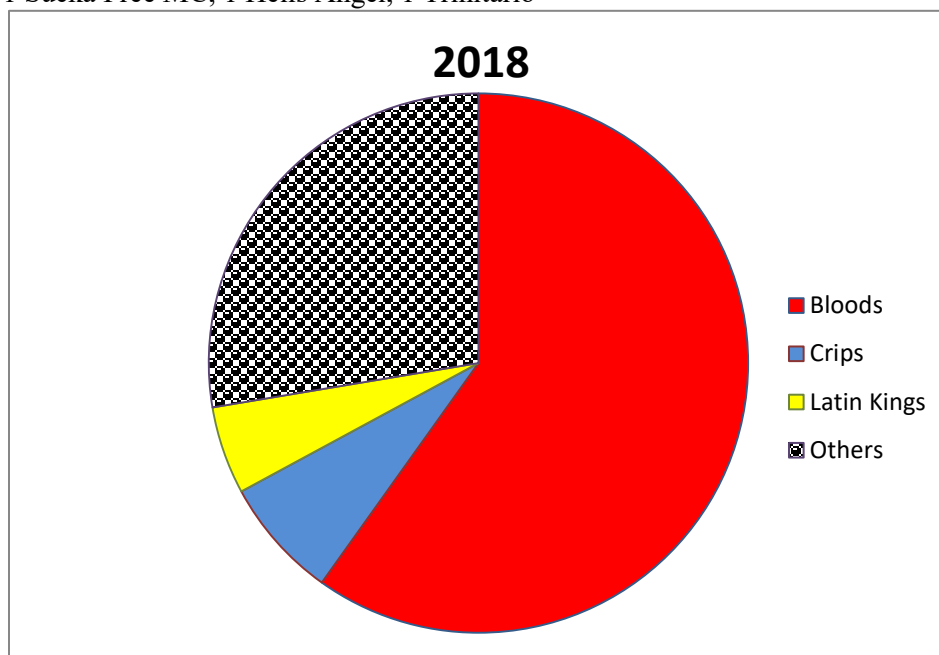
**August:** 10 Bloods, 2 Crips, 1 Latin King, 1 18<sup>th</sup> Street, 1 Neta, 1 OE, 1 FOE

**September:** 1 Bloods, 1 FOE

**October:** 9 Bloods, 1 Crip, 1 Trinitario, 2 Latin King, 1 Mongol, 1 Blackout, 2 FOE, 1 Folk

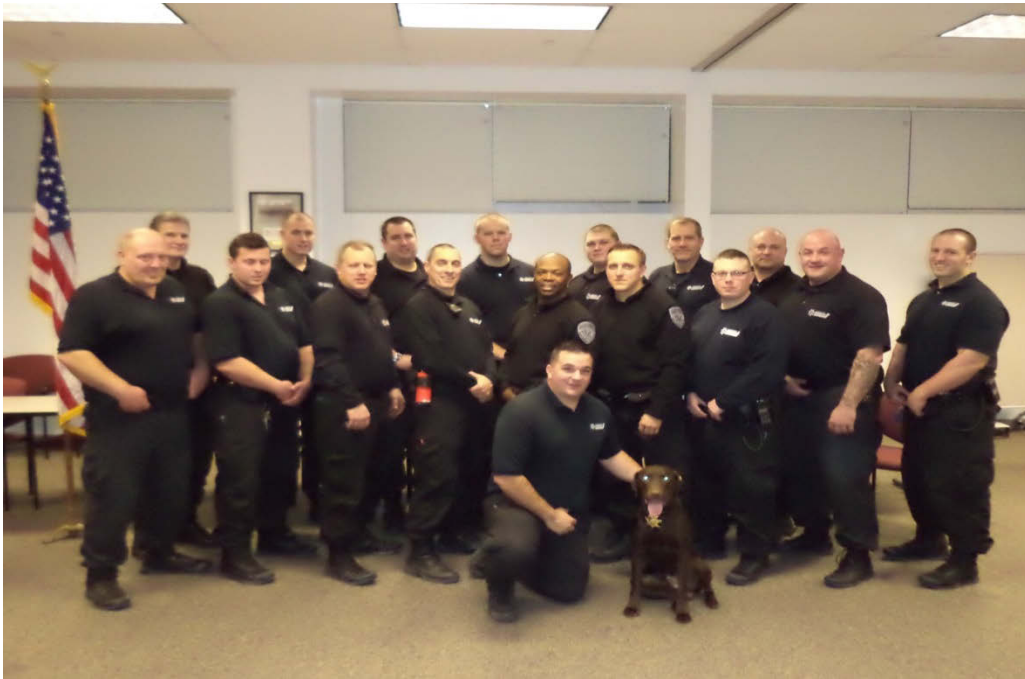
**November:** 8 Bloods, 1 Crip, 1 Latin King, 3 Blackout, 1 Skinhead

**December:** 10 Blood, 1 Sucka Free MC, 1 Hells Angel, 1 Trinitario



### **E. SHERIFF'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM**

The Ulster County Sheriff's Emergency Response Team (S.E.R.T.) is under the direction of Major Jon Becker, C.O. Michael Harris and C.O. Anthony Maggio. S.E.R.T. was established in 1990. The original team started with 8 officers, and grew to 23 specialized trained staff. The team participates in numerous high risk, high security transports and trials. One of their main functions is to conduct facility shakedowns on a regular basis. S.E.R.T. members are assigned to handle facility problems, escort inmates to and from housing units and are prepared at a moment's notice to quell problems before they escalate. They completed over 1,000 hours of training. This training consisted of physical training in the weight room, chemical agents, cell extraction, cell searches, jail shake-downs, Article 35/Use of Force, hostage survival, and firefighting and firearms certification. The Corrections Division and the Patrol Division continue to be joined together forming a larger and stronger S.E.R.T. team.



*Sheriff's Emergency Response Team*

**F. K-9 UNIT**

Officer Maggio and **K-9 Maverick** have proved to be a driving force within the jail to eradicate the use and possession of contraband entering the facility. K-9 Maverick stays proactive conducting searches throughout the Jail on a daily basis. In 2018 Officer Maggio and K-9 Maverick conducted searches of over 48 housing units, 982 visitors and 813 civilian lockers resulting in several finds. There were three (3) employee locker room searches as well as three (2) jail road checks conducted at the Facility entrance. Additionally there were 10 mail checks and 6 vehicle checks in 2018.



In 2018 Officer Maggio and K-9 Maverick worked in close support with the Sheriff's Patrol Division, some of those highlights are listed below:

<b>Case#</b>	<b>Incident Date</b>	<b>Substance</b>
2018-0190	01/04/2018	Marijuana
2018-1101	01/24/2018	Zoloft/Vistaril
2018-1386	01/31/2018	Suboxone (mail)
2018-3009	03/21/2018	Suboxone/Morphine (Joseph Finno)
2018-4030	03/31/2018	Marijuana
2018-4034	03/31/2018	Marijuana
2018-4284	04/05/2015	Marijuana/THC Oil
2018-4382	04/07/2018	Cocaine (Visits)
2018-7486	06/10/2018	Marijuana
2018-8025	06/20/2018	Suboxone (Visits)
2018-8202	06/23/2018	Suboxone
2018-9009	07/08/2018	Cocaine Residue/Marijuana
2018-12017	08/31/2018	Fentanyl
2018-12016	09/06/2018	Oxycodone
2018-12836	09/22/2018	Cocaine/THC Oil (intake)
2018-12878	09/23/2018	Klonopin (26.5 pills)
2018-14134	10/18/2018	Backofen/Gabapentin
2018-15170	11/10/2018	Heroin
2018-15386	11/15/2018	Suboxone (mail)
2018-16156	12/02/2018	Marijuana/Trazadone

#### **G. NIMS (NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM)**

Under Homeland Security Presidential Directive-4 (HSPD), Lt Joseph Decker and Correction Officer George Hill continued to assist disciplines in Ulster County as Incident Command Instructors to become compliant with the Homeland Security Presidential Directive-4.

During the Year of 2018 we continued to assist disciplines with the adoption of NIMS and implementation of continuing education for municipalities. In 2018 several disciplines received ICS Training including: T/Wawarsing; T/Saugerties PD; Tenbroek Commons; DEP Police Academy and Ulster County Community College Police Basic Academy.

In conclusion continuing education and planning will continue for Ulster County to assist the community agencies in prevention, protection against, and the response to, and recovering from the effects of incidents, regardless, of cause, size, location, or complexity.

#### **H. TRANSPORTATION STATISTICS**

Transport activity remained steady in all categories. Transporting officers must be thoroughly trained and provided with the equipment necessary to accomplish their task with efficiency and safety. The transportation unit moves inmates safely to and from court houses throughout Ulster county, medical appointments, wanted persons from other counties and delivery to other facilities, such as the new York State Department of Corrections.

Officers selected for this unit must exhibit the highest degree of mental, emotional and physical capabilities to successfully transport inmates. When transporting inmates for court appearances, the transporting officer must be alert to all conditions and potential hazards which surround the movement of the inmates to and from court.

Specialized equipment, vehicles and S.E.R.T. may be utilized for high-profile inmates, high risk inmates or transports for inmates with special medical and mental needs.

<b>CATEGORY</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>
Number of Officer Hours	16,427	14,618	18,693	15,781
Number of Officers Utilized	4,591	4,657	5,053	4,821
Number of Inmates Transported	6,144	5,635	6,104	5,298
<b>Total Miles</b>	<b>138,452</b>	<b>117,321</b>	<b>160,011</b>	<b>133,101</b>
Local Courts Transports	1,700	1,669	1,774	1,772
State Transports	74	68	71	77
Medical/Psych Transports	207	296	404	682
Work Detail	198	194	181	191
Other *	611	719	610	244
Board – Ins	0	0	0	0
U.S. Federal Board-Ins	3	1	0	2
<b>Total Trips</b>	<b>2,793</b>	<b>2947</b>	<b>3,040</b>	<b>2,968</b>

\* Includes corrections assistant errands, funeral details, death bed visits, escort cars, UCAT, etc.

Department vehicles were utilized for transportation to the following sites throughout the state: County Court, City Court, Village, Town and Family Courts, medical, dental and psychiatric examinations, drug and alcohol rehab facilities, Public Defender's Office, court order pickups at State correctional facilities, other county jails and delivering inmates to psychiatric facilities (Mid-Hudson, Marcy). During this past year, we've also been picking up U.S. federal inmates from airports or Albany County Jail.

In addition, department vehicles are also utilized for corrections staff to attend and/or participate in training (Basic Academy, Firearms Academy, Certification and Re-certification of Firearms).

## **I. Fire Safety**

Due to the size and complexity of the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center and the Commission of Corrections Minimum Standard 7039, staff and resources are required to perform several mandated fire, safety and security inspections. The Sheriff's Office has one full time staff member appointed to the Fire Safety Officer position or FSO, Officer George R. Hill, and six additional staff members

(Lt. Joseph Decker, Officers Manolis Skartados, David Odell, Paul Juliano, Adam Hendricks and Ryan Petit) all trained by the standards put forward by the Commission of Corrections (COC) and the NYS Office of Fire Prevention and Control (NYSOFP). The additional staff has been identified to assist in a relief capacity for the full time FSO.

The Fire and Safety Officers (FSO) core job performance duties include weekly, monthly, quarterly, semi and annual inspections of all the facility and fleet fire protection, detection and control equipment such as fire extinguishers, automatic sprinkler systems, alarm systems and any equipment related to health safety, OSHA or PESH mandates. The FSO is responsible for fire safety and health training to the sheriff's office, and under direction of the sheriff, other county departments and local municipalities. Additional responsibilities include accompanying US Department of Labor, OSHA, PESH, COC or any other regulatory agency that relates to the fire and health safety or any other inspections of the facility.

The FSO is responsible for the coordination of any type of drills or exercises mandated by the regulatory agencies that fall within the parameters of the Sheriff's Office, such as annual disaster drills, and quarterly housing unit fire drills.



The FSO coordinates with all responding agencies and acts as the department liaison during any emergency involving fire suppression. Additionally the FSO facilitates facility formularization training to the local fire department and conduct walk through training.

#### **J. VEHICLES**

The total mileage logged by the Corrections Division for 2018 was 133,101. There are 8 vans, 1 sedan, 1 pick- up, 4 SUV's, 1 K-9 vehicle (SUV) and 1 cargo trailer for the work crew. The Corrections Division is the primary transport for inmates in the Ulster County Corrections Division.

#### **IV.**

<b>VEHICLE #</b>	<b>YEAR / MAKE</b>	<b>Annual Miles</b>
301	2015 Chevy Tahoe	11,601
302	2018 Chevy 12 Passenger Van	4,698
303	2018 Chevy Tahoe	8,000
304	2014 Ford 12 Passenger Van	9,091
305	2014 Ford 12 Passenger Van	8,691
306	2008 Chevy 8 Passenger Van	3,959
307	2016 Nissan 12 Passenger Van (Work Crew)	5,343
309	2012 Chevy Tahoe	24,066
310	2006 Ford 12 Passenger Van	6,409
311	2010 Chevy Express Van (For S.E.R.T.)	4,491
312	2013 Chevy Caprice	7,455
313	2016 Nissan 12 Passenger Van	8,654
314	2012 Chevy Silverado Pickup	6,752
315	20013 Chevy Tahoe	14,191
K9-1	2016 Tahoe	21,300
Sheriff	2000 Trailer Express (Work Crew)	
		<b>133,101</b>

### **SUPPORT SERVICES AND PROGRAMS**

#### **A. FOOD SERVICES**

Food service for the Ulster County Jail is provided by ARAMARK Correctional Services. The Food Services Unit provides three nutritional meals each day for the inmate population. The kitchen is open seven days a week to meet the needs of staff and the inmate population. The Ulster County Jail maintains 1 full time county cook, while ARAMARK employs a Food Service Manager and four cooks. The facility cooks prepared and served 365,878 meals to inmates and Corrections staff in 2018.

In the fall of 2018 food services for the Correction Facility went out to bid. Trinity Food Service was awarded the bid and assumed operations on December 1<sup>st</sup> 2018.



Always looking to be more efficient and cut cost, the facility tested a waste dehydrator for three weeks this December. The Ecovim Eco-250 is a unique waste management system that can process waste for medium size foodservice operations up to large institutions or facilities. The Ecovim system dehydrates compostable waste using energy efficient and automated control process. The Eco-250 is easy to maintain, requires no fresh water connection or venting. Agitators will stir the waste heated by the units decomposing chamber to kill any bacteria and reduce the waste matter up to 93%, producing a dry, light and odor free material that may be used as soil amendment. \*Currently out to bid.

## **B. COMMISSARY**

ARAMARK is responsible for all purchases by inmates through commissary. Profits generated from the sale of commissary goods offset the cost of the games, recreation equipment, television sets, and cablevision. There is no financial impact on Ulster County taxpayers for any of the above items purchased for inmate use in accordance with the New York State Minimum Standards. The FY'18 gross proceeds from inmate commissary were \$98,776, a slight decrease (1.4 %) attributed to the lower inmate population.

\* As of December 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 ARAMARK commissary was replaced by the Keefe Group.

## **C. INMATE TELEPHONES/TABLETS**

On August 19, 2010, the facility changed vendors and now uses I.C. Solutions as the inmate telephone system provider. The new system offers the population access to call cell phones; there are also several different ways for the inmates to make just collect calls. There are debit and prepaid accounts. Total revenue for telephone service in 2018 was \$233,856.

In March of 2018, the Correction Division purchased 160 Samsung tablets for inmate use through the Illinois-based firm Edovo (short for Education Over Obstacles), which developed a wireless, tablet-based education platform for incarcerated inmates that is designed to help reduce recidivism by providing inmates with the chance to get an education.

On any given day, a portion of the inmates at the Ulster County Jail can be found locked in their cells, a tablet computer in hand, studying topics such as “introduction to plumbing,” learning about substance abuse treatment options, or improving their reading comprehension by reading about Revolutionary War battles, wildlife, or American colonies.

There are 20 tablets assigned to each housing pod, which holds around 48 inmates. Inmates can sign a tablet out during times when prisoners are allowed to be out of their cells and in the common areas of the housing unit. Inmates “earn points” by completing sections in the educational component that allows them to use the tablet to stream music,

movies, or books, all from pre-approved lists and to make phone calls. They are not allowed to send text messages or emails from the tablets.

Funding for the tablets as well as establishing the secure and restricted internet access for their operation was \$100,000. Revenues generated through the current inmate phone system paid for the tablets. All of which means no taxpayer money was spent on the equipment.

#### **D. MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

Correctional Medical Care Inc. (C.M.C.) contractually provides forensic services to the Ulster County Jail. Under the contract with C.M.C., the psychiatrist provides 16 hours of service per week. For the year of 2018, 1,517 inmates were seen by the psychiatrist. In addition, the psychiatrist is part of a group of doctors on call 24 hours a day. This is an invaluable tool to the correction facility as inmates can be in crisis at any time. C.M.C. also provides a forensic manager 40 hours per week. We continue to maintain constant supervisions which are monitored closely, tying up valuable staff hours as well as housing space.

Due to the facility layout and procedure changes, the Certified Social Worker (C.S.W.) was able to see 690 inmates. Inmates seen by the Discharge Planner numbered 656.

#### **E. MEDICAL SERVICES**

2018 was the fifteenth full year of medical services provided by Correctional Medical Care Inc (CMC). The medical staff completed 1,962 new inmate screenings in addition to 3,695 inmate sick call visits. An additional 1,871 inmate visits were made to the physician and dentist. C.M.C. remains an accredited agency with the National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC) and the New York State Sheriff's Association (NYSSA).

#### **F. INMATE EXERCISE**

Inmates are entitled to exercise periods which, at the discretion of the chief administrative officer, shall consist of at least 1 ½ hours during each of five days per week or at least one hour seven days a week.



*Correction Officer Michael Negron*

*Intake Area*

#### **G. INMATE VISITATION**

Since Jan.1, approximately 8,516 civilians visited 6,018 inmates in separate visiting blocks. Staff members have worked closely with supervisors, S.E.R.T. and the K-9 Unit in locating contraband. They have also utilized effective communication skills, passing on valuable information gathered while speaking with inmates during visitation.

A total of 15 arrests and 21 finds were made in the visiting area this year. These arrests were contraband related. Tickets were issued as a result of road blocks and license checks using Mobile Cop.

Visitation security was enhanced by the combined efforts of the Criminal and Correction Divisions. The department K-9 acts as an additional measure for preventing contraband from entering the facility by outside sources.

## **H. INMATE WORK DETAIL**

Each year, the work detail has worked setting up the Ulster County Fairgrounds and Seamon's Park in which the inmates plant for the Mum Festival. In addition, they set-up for the Garlic Festival held in Saugerties each year. They sheet-rock, hang insulation, paint, plant, and built new structures. 500 inmates participated in the work detail crew, working 3,728 hours for Ulster County.

This detail helps inmates after release with the labor skills they have learned and applied. It also prepares them to be employable members of society and give back. In 2018, the detail worked at various locations, including the fire departments of West Hurley, Whittenberg and St. Remy. Other work details included various churches, town halls, police departments and other non-profit organizations throughout the community.



## **I. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES**

Eligible youth are entitled to receive educational services and are encouraged to become involved in the programs offered by the Kingston City School District as they may obtain skills and credentials necessary to function more productively both during incarceration and after release. All youth ages 16 through 21 admitted to U.C.L.E.C. are interviewed during an intake screening as to the last level of schooling they have completed. The Kingston School District distributes a handbook on the services provided. Youths are mandated to attend school as soon as they are incarcerated.

Due to a change in the teaching structure, the Kingston City School District now has 3 full-time teachers with one teaching assistant and one counselor. The teaching staff offers various studies, including adult and teen Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC) preparation studies, remedial studies, life skills, review and actions for personal choice (APC). Currently, the teachers use contact area teaching. This is a more hands-on approach. Math, Social Studies, Science, Language Arts and Writing have been more specifically addressed. This has proven to benefit the



students, as it offers a much more structured environment and gives teachers the ability to target each individual student's needs. The educational services also provide employment preparation education.

**TASC statistics for 2018:** (Class time is based on 5.5 hours per day, 212 days per year).

65 Enrolled in class  
7 Adults Passed  
1 Youths Passed

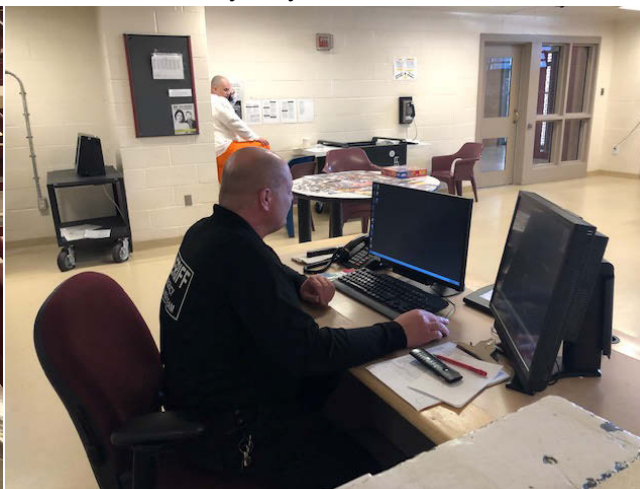
## **J. REHABILITATION**

With the reorganization of inmate programs and resources available to the inmate population, we are now able to provide a sufficient number of programs to meet the needs of the growing inmate population.

**Volunteer Registry-** The volunteer registry program continues to be a very successful program in the identification of volunteers visiting the facility. Applications are kept on file and reviewed yearly for all volunteers.



*Correction Officer Phillip Mason*



*Correction Officer Travis Rossman*

**Law Library-** The Law library is updated on a regular basis. On a routine schedule, outdated law materials are replaced with the appropriate updates as per the N.Y.S. Minimum Standards. The mobile computer kiosks allow for more time per housing unit for law studies.

**Programs** - Long standing programs continued their services this year. Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotic Anonymous, and religious services of several different faiths were routinely attended by both male and female inmates. The female population is offered several programs, including Ulster Literacy, which teaches the fundamentals of reading and writing, and a parenting class given by the YWCA. The Maple Ridge and Woodcrest communities continue to provide programs involving crafts and seasonal events.

## **V. TRAINING & AWARDS**

### **A. AWARDS**

Correction Officer of the Year (2018) went to Correction Officer Megan Baker

Civilian Employee of the Year (2018) went to Barbara O'Brien

Correction Officer of the Quarter

The Officer of the Quarter program was initiated to recognize officers of the department for their role as correction professionals in the overall operation of the facility and their contribution to the local criminal justice system.

2018 Officers of the Quarter were:

1st Quarter - Correction Officer David Sickles  
2nd Quarter - Correction Officer Sarah Longto  
3rd Quarter - Correction Officer Michael Negron  
4th Quarter - Correction Officer Scott Burke

## **B. TRAINING**

Training and staff development is an integral function of jail operations. Training Coordinator Sgt. Eddie Torres has the responsibility of implementing the facility's training program.

There are a total of 27 certified BMP/COC instructors within the Ulster County Correction Division.

### **Certified Trainers include:**

Colonel James Hanstein	C.O. Anthony Maggio
Major Jon Becker	C.O. Bradford Ebel
Lt. Joseph Decker	C.O. Wilbur Prutzman, Jr.
Lt. Ed Decicco	C.O. Eamon Cunningham
Lt. John Steketee	C.O. Matthew Blum
Lt. Nicholas Scott	C.O. Chris Howe
Lt. Ernest Taylor	C.O. George Hill
Sgt. Eddie Torres	C.O. Paul Juliano
Sgt. Charles Polacco III	C.O. Ann Marie Legg
Cpl. Tracy McCoy	C.O. Norman James
Cpl. Charles Stracuzzi	C.O. Wilbur Prutzman III
C.O. Scott Burke	C.O. Jarett Speenburgh
C.O. Warren Whitaker	C.O. Bogert
C.O. Vincent Decker	



*Torres*

*Sergeant Eddie*

In addition to all being General Topic Instructors, many are certified in specialized “Train the Trainer” topics such as Legal Issues, Firearms, Chemical Agents and Effective Communication, Defensive Tactics, Direct Supervision, Suicide Prevention and Ethics Awareness.

As an accredited agency, the Sheriff’s Office recognizes member training as an important responsibility and allots increased emphasis and effort to this task by the training coordinator. Continual training consists of: an ongoing in-house service training program and search for outside applicable training courses or seminars. To satisfy the requirements of the NYS Sheriff’s Association all staff members are required to receive 21 hours of in-service training. In addition, all supervisors are required to receive an additional 21 hours of managerial training annually. I.C.S. 200 was accomplished among the supervisory levels throughout the department. Overall, in 2018, the Training Unit provided 21,320 hours of training to 3,577 members of the Correction Division and other county employees. The Basic Academy for newly hired correction officers comprises 160 hours within one year from the date of hire for peace officer training. We have sponsored several Correction Officer Basic Academy courses. Instructors have also assisted other agencies in the field of legal services, defensive tactics, gang intelligence, report writing, and firearms. We also participate in career days and K-9 presentations in local schools and other organizations.



## Sheriff’s Office

This organization is officially known as the "Office of the Sheriff" or more commonly known as the "Sheriff's Office." As the sheriff is a constitutionally elected position, the term "Sheriff's Department" is, by definition, incorrect. What is the difference between sheriff's *department* and sheriff's *office*, and why should it matter?

To answer the first question, we can turn to Black's Law Dictionary, which defines the terms as follows:

**Department:** *'One of the major divisions of the executive branch of the government generally, a branch or division of governmental administration.'*

**Office:** *'A right, and correspondent duty, to exercise a public trust. A public charge or employment, the most frequent occasions to use the word arise with reference to a duty and power conferred on an individual by the government; and when this is the connection, 'public office' is a usual and more discriminating expression in the constitutional sense, the term implies an authority to exercise some portion of the sovereign power, whether in making, executing, or administering the laws.'*

Clearly, the office of sheriff is not simply another department of county government. Its internal operations are the sole responsibility of the sheriff. County department heads are subordinate to a County Executive because they are truly only a division of county government, and they work for him/her and for the governing body of the county (i.e. county board.)

The Office of Sheriff, on the other hand, is a constitutional office having exclusive powers and authority. These powers are not subject to the dictates of a county executive or the whims of a county board. The powers of this office have been exercised for over a millennium.

A sheriff's office, then, is fundamentally different from a county department, which derives its limited authority from whatever is delegated to it. This delegation is made by those individuals who hold an elected position, of office, in the governing body. The use of 'department' actually refers to a subordinate unit of government, rather than to a body with inherent powers and sovereignty, such as the office of sheriff.



# **Ulster County Sheriff's Office**

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## **Civil Division**

## **2018 Annual Report**



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Fax (Criminal Division)	340-3718
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Fax (Civil Division)	334-8125
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January 15, 2019

This report contains the following:

- Two Year Summary Report: Civil paper docketed counts, Civil fees collected and total funds processed thru the Civil Division with percentage of change for the years 2018 and 2017
- Two Year Comparison: Pistol Permit Annual Statistics
- Civil Services Counts 2018: Summary of Civil papers served by month and type
- Cash Flow Summary Report 2018: Summary of cash flow totaling the amount collected by the Civil Division with monthly breakdown by fee account with remitted to
- Fee Summary Report 2018: showing the division of fees by month in accordance with Accreditation Rules
- Two Year Comparison: Summary of Cash Flow for Civil Division with dollar amount of change for the years 2018 and 2017
- Bail Collected 2018: Monthly totals received for Bails including amount collected though credit card transactions and cash transactions
- Inmate Commissary Commission Account 2018 with Purchase Report and Sales and Commission Report

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**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CIVIL DIVISION  
TWO YEAR STATISTICS REPORT**

	2018	2017	% of Change
<b>Total Pistol Transactions Processed</b>	<b>10644</b>	<b>16181</b>	<b>-34%</b>
New Licenses Issued	485	654	-26%
Amendments Processed	4692	6785	-31%
Duplicate Licenses Issued	207	549	-62%
New Applications Filed	480	487	-1%
Dealer/Gunsmith Licenses Issued	27	27	0%
Fingerprints	61	267	-77%
Handguns Added	3814	5555	-31%
Handguns Deleted	878	1857	-53%
<b>Total Civil Papers Docketed</b>	<b>2503</b>	<b>2430</b>	<b>3%</b>
Warrant of Evictions	493	468	5%
Civil Papers	2010	1962	2%
<b>Total Fees Remitted to County</b>	<b>\$328,056.35</b>	<b>\$307,229.81</b>	<b>7%</b>
Pistol Permit Fees	\$28,858.27	\$37,999.69	-24%
Civil Fees	\$299,198.08	\$269,230.12	11%
<b>Total Funds Processed</b>	<b>\$3,876,999.99</b>	<b>\$3,332,646.24</b>	<b>16%</b>
Pistol Permit Fees	\$30,011.31	\$37,999.69	-21%
Civil Fees	\$336,160.97	\$269,230.12	25%
Debtor Execution Fees	\$2,565,943.25	\$2,083,774.43	23%
Bail/Fines	\$944,884.46	\$941,642.00	0%

**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CIVIL DIVISION  
PISTOL PERMITS ANNUAL STATISTICS**

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**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CIVIL DIVISION  
SERVICE COUNT BY TYPE AND DATE**

<b>Y2018</b>	<b>Certified Mail</b>	<b>First Class Mail</b>	<b>Personal</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
January	120	99	183	52	454
February	231	97	90	58	476
March	204	75	185	78	542
April	215	86	182	71	554
May	202	84	210	75	571
June	224	91	172	100	587
July	209	106	147	73	535
August	204	111	133	48	496
September	132	64	215	73	484
October	158	98	188	101	545
November	239	101	146	60	546
December	171	90	109	40	410
<b>Total</b>	<b>2309</b>	<b>1102</b>	<b>1960</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>6200</b>

<b>Action Type</b>	<b>Services</b>	<b>Avg Days</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Total Trips</b>
Arrest Warrant	1	4.00	0	1
Citation	9	88.78	18	27
Divorce	13	7.92	12	25
Income Execution	3,056	54.47	13	3,069
Jurors Served	8	5.63	0	8
Notice	34	5.53	23	57
Notice of Petition/Petition	23	4.96	15	38
Order	8	2.25	4	12
Order to Show Cause	94	9.72	65	159
Property Execution	34	20.91	24	58
Property Execution - Bank	57	13.95	1	58
Property Execution - Real	6	17.50	0	6
Property Execution - Vehicle	7	33.57	5	12
Subpoena	30	3.53	21	51
Summons	191	8.43	177	368
Warrant of Eviction	1,165	12.27	1,086	2,251
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,736</b>	<b>39.38</b>	<b>1,464</b>	<b>6,200</b>

**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CIVIL DIVISION  
CASH FLOW SUMMARY REPORT**

<b>Y2018</b>	<b>Pistol Permits Fees</b>	<b>Civil Fees</b>	<b>Total</b>
January	\$ 2,679.00	\$ 31,580.61	\$ 34,259.61
February	\$ 2,552.28	\$ 20,111.93	\$ 22,664.21
March	\$ 2,660.00	\$ 25,027.33	\$ 27,687.33
April	\$ 2,652.00	\$ 23,003.28	\$ 25,655.28
May	\$ 2,303.00	\$ 26,769.97	\$ 29,072.97
June	\$ 2,198.00	\$ 25,925.65	\$ 28,123.65
July	\$ 2,220.00	\$ 22,725.97	\$ 24,945.97
August	\$ 2,011.00	\$ 22,229.91	\$ 24,240.91
September	\$ 2,430.28	\$ 23,731.23	\$ 26,161.51
October	\$ 2,178.00	\$ 26,322.95	\$ 28,500.95
November	\$ 2,464.00	\$ 27,204.81	\$ 29,668.81
December	\$ 2,510.71	\$ 24,564.44	\$ 27,075.15
<b>Fees Remitted to County</b>	<b>\$ 28,858.27</b>	<b>\$ 299,198.08</b>	<b>\$ 328,056.35</b>

<b>Y2018</b>	<b>Debtor Fees</b>
January	\$ 364,979.05
February	\$ 152,516.74
March	\$ 163,908.48
April	\$ 163,901.50
May	\$ 239,117.78
June	\$ 194,674.44
July	\$ 197,518.02
August	\$ 183,417.75
September	\$ 177,979.36
October	\$ 215,961.80
November	\$ 228,568.15
December	\$ 283,400.18
<b>Remitted for Judgements</b>	<b>\$ 2,565,943.25</b>

<b>Y2018</b>	<b>Bail/Fines</b>
January	\$ 157,851.00
February	\$ 84,712.72
March	\$ 67,536.00
April	\$ 55,300.00
May	\$ 50,580.00
June	\$ 71,453.74
July	\$ 79,650.00
August	\$ 50,651.00
September	\$ 67,076.00
October	\$ 69,305.00
November	\$ 58,668.00
December	\$ 132,101.00
<b>Remitted to Courts</b>	<b>\$ 944,884.46</b>

**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CIVIL DIVISION  
TWO YEAR COMPARISON**

<b>Pistol Permits</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>\$Change</b>
January	\$ 2,790.71	\$ 3,864.57	\$ (1,073.86)
February	\$ 2,692.28	\$ 3,795.85	\$ (1,103.57)
March	\$ 2,703.28	\$ 4,063.00	\$ (1,359.72)
April	\$ 2,668.71	\$ 3,919.00	\$ (1,250.29)
May	\$ 2,426.64	\$ 3,449.14	\$ (1,022.50)
June	\$ 2,346.14	\$ 2,935.14	\$ (589.00)
July	\$ 2,186.57	\$ 2,547.00	\$ (360.43)
August	\$ 2,086.00	\$ 3,680.14	\$ (1,594.14)
September	\$ 2,363.28	\$ 2,330.57	\$ 32.71
October	\$ 2,205.71	\$ 2,332.14	\$ (126.43)
November	\$ 2,580.28	\$ 2,047.00	\$ 533.28
December	\$ 2,961.71	\$ 3,036.14	\$ (74.43)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 30,011.31</b>	<b>\$ 37,999.69</b>	<b>\$ (7,988.38)</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 2,500.94</b>	<b>\$ 3,166.64</b>	<b>\$ (665.70)</b>

<b>Civil Fees</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>\$Change</b>
January	\$ 33,139.04	\$ 21,775.15	\$ 11,363.89
February	\$ 21,923.37	\$ 17,699.51	\$ 4,223.86
March	\$ 26,972.30	\$ 24,842.45	\$ 2,129.85
April	\$ 26,227.76	\$ 20,060.62	\$ 6,167.14
May	\$ 31,206.35	\$ 29,298.84	\$ 1,907.51
June	\$ 28,994.23	\$ 20,204.13	\$ 8,790.10
July	\$ 26,083.91	\$ 23,213.24	\$ 2,870.67
August	\$ 25,495.93	\$ 26,727.92	\$ (1,231.99)
September	\$ 26,855.91	\$ 24,526.89	\$ 2,329.02
October	\$ 29,268.03	\$ 24,153.40	\$ 5,114.63
November	\$ 31,578.70	\$ 16,475.96	\$ 15,102.74
December	\$ 28,415.44	\$ 20,252.01	\$ 8,163.43
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 336,160.97</b>	<b>\$ 269,230.12</b>	<b>\$ 66,930.85</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 28,013.41</b>	<b>\$ 22,435.84</b>	<b>\$ 5,577.57</b>

<b>Debtor Fees</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>\$Change</b>
January	\$ 364,979.05	\$ 179,460.83	\$ 185,518.22
February	\$ 152,516.74	\$ 152,837.05	\$ (320.31)
March	\$ 163,908.48	\$ 159,491.80	\$ 4,416.68
April	\$ 163,901.50	\$ 153,618.31	\$ 10,283.19
May	\$ 239,117.78	\$ 194,718.38	\$ 44,399.40
June	\$ 194,674.44	\$ 200,000.26	\$ (5,325.82)
July	\$ 197,518.02	\$ 176,942.07	\$ 20,575.95
August	\$ 183,417.75	\$ 213,703.02	\$ (30,285.27)
September	\$ 177,979.36	\$ 199,044.10	\$ (21,064.74)
October	\$ 215,961.80	\$ 234,883.47	\$ (18,921.67)
November	\$ 228,568.15	\$ 80,068.48	\$ 148,499.67
December	\$ 283,400.18	\$ 139,006.66	\$ 144,393.52
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,565,943.25</b>	<b>\$ 2,083,774.43</b>	<b>\$ 482,168.82</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 213,828.60</b>	<b>\$ 173,647.87</b>	<b>\$ 40,180.74</b>

<b>Bail/Fines</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>\$Change</b>
January	\$ 157,851.00	\$ 129,505.00	\$ 28,346.00
February	\$ 84,712.72	\$ 51,500.00	\$ 33,212.72
March	\$ 67,536.00	\$ 91,950.00	\$ (24,414.00)
April	\$ 55,300.00	\$ 40,505.00	\$ 14,795.00
May	\$ 50,580.00	\$ 66,450.00	\$ (15,870.00)
June	\$ 71,453.74	\$ 92,200.00	\$ (20,746.26)
July	\$ 79,650.00	\$ 94,554.00	\$ (14,904.00)
August	\$ 50,651.00	\$ 124,800.00	\$ (74,149.00)
September	\$ 67,076.00	\$ 57,627.00	\$ 9,449.00
October	\$ 69,305.00	\$ 65,200.00	\$ 4,105.00
November	\$ 58,668.00	\$ 50,550.00	\$ 8,118.00
December	\$ 132,101.00	\$ 76,801.00	\$ 55,300.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 944,884.46</b>	<b>\$ 941,642.00</b>	<b>\$ 3,242.46</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 78,740.37</b>	<b>\$ 78,470.17</b>	<b>\$ 270.21</b>

**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
BAIL COLLECTED**

<b>Y2018</b>	<b>Bail</b>	<b>Credit Card</b>	<b>Cash</b>
January	\$ 157,851.00	\$ 6,501.00	\$ 151,350.00
February	\$ 84,712.72	\$ 50,600.00	\$ 34,112.72
March	\$ 67,536.00	\$ 30,685.00	\$ 36,851.00
April	\$ 55,300.00	\$ 15,500.00	\$ 39,800.00
May	\$ 50,580.00	\$ 24,930.00	\$ 25,650.00
June	\$ 71,453.74	\$ 19,908.00	\$ 51,545.74
July	\$ 79,650.00	\$ 24,900.00	\$ 54,750.00
August	\$ 50,651.00	\$ 29,000.00	\$ 21,651.00
September	\$ 67,076.00	\$ 10,697.81	\$ 56,378.19
October	\$ 69,305.00	\$ 35,500.00	\$ 33,805.00
November	\$ 58,668.00	\$ 44,858.29	\$ 13,809.71
December	\$ 132,101.00	\$ 22,600.00	\$ 109,501.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 944,884.46</b>	<b>\$ 315,680.10</b>	<b>\$ 629,204.36</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 145,366.84</b>	<b>\$ 26,306.68</b>	<b>\$ 52,433.70</b>



**ULSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
INMATE COMMISSARY ACCOUNT**

<b>Commissary</b>	<b>2018</b>
Beginning Book Balance	\$ 38,228.92
<b>Commissions</b>	<b>\$ 98,776.57</b>
<b>Purchases</b>	<b>\$ (92,993.84)</b>
Interest earned	\$ 61.35
Ending Book Balance	\$ 44,073.00

**Summary Purchases**

American Rehabilitation Ministries	\$ 660.00
Aramark	\$ 20,901.93
BSN Sports	\$ 1,246.44
Davis Distributors Inc	\$ 6,283.20
Falls River News Co Inc	\$ 13,322.90
Lowe's	\$ 3,785.74
Mid-Valley Office Products Inc.	\$ 279.99
Parstown	\$ 3,511.10
Quarterly Payroll	\$ 19,971.00
Time Warner Cable/Spectrum Business	\$ 4,407.74
Ulster Literacy Association	\$ 15,000.00
Walmart	\$ 2,202.80
Williamsport-Bowman Barber Supply	\$ 1,421.00
<b>Total Purchases</b>	<b>\$ 92,993.84</b>

<b>Y2018 COMMISSARY</b>	<b>Gross Sales</b>	<b>Commission</b>
January	\$ 30,732.52	\$ 8,986.83
February	\$ 26,310.41	\$ 7,629.58
March	\$ 25,494.99	\$ 7,770.25
April	\$ 27,127.83	\$ 8,372.63
May	\$ 37,167.77	\$ 11,017.86
June	\$ 28,667.18	\$ 8,343.66
July	\$ 26,109.33	\$ 7,621.52
August	\$ 32,613.41	\$ 9,525.15
September	\$ 26,161.70	\$ 7,504.86
October	\$ 32,034.78	\$ 9,478.48
November	\$ 25,833.47	\$ 7,280.78
December	\$ 19,495.86	\$ 5,244.97
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 337,749.25</b>	<b>\$ 98,776.57</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>\$ 28,145.77</b>	<b>\$ 8,231.38</b>