



Report to the Board: Criminal Investigation Division

Submitted By: Sergeant Jay Cartwright

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Criminal Investigation Division investigated the following incidents:

- 2024-February 2 – SC24000505 – Drugs/CDSA Search Warrant – On January 22, 2024, members of the Criminal Investigations Division and the Street Crime Unit sought and obtained a warrant to search a residence in Strathroy for drugs. On February 2, 2024, that warrant was served and during the execution a male and a female were arrested. The subsequent search revealed a quantity of fentanyl, cocaine, methamphetamine and cash. The male and female face charges of possession of controlled substances for the purpose of trafficking.
- 2024-February 22 – SC24001263 – Sudden Death – Strathroy-Caradoc PS CID members were summoned to a Strathroy senior living residence on the report of a sudden death. The Coroners Service requested that SCPS assist in the investigation of the deceased who died as a result of a fall, the investigation is ongoing.
- 2024 – February 23 – SC24001302 – Sexual Assault – CID Detectives were detailed to follow up on an earlier sexual assault complaint (SC24000292). The complainant wished to report to police that she had been sexually assaulted on other dates as well, this investigation is ongoing.
- 2024 February 24 – SC24001333 – Traffic Stop – Members of the Street Crime Unit assisted by the Uniform Division conducted a traffic stop in Mount Brydges. As a result a male was arrested and a significant quantity of drugs were located. SCPS has charged a male with possession of controlled substances for the purpose of trafficking as well as other criminal code offences. The street value of the drugs seized as a result of this traffic stop was over \$5,000.
- Street Crime Unit (SCU) – In February 2024, the SCPS SCU generated 19 reportable occurrences including drug investigations, impaired driving arrests, warrant executions and several stolen vehicle/trailer investigations (as part of the Provincial Auto Task Force Initiative).
- Digital Forensics Unit (DFU) – In 2023, the SCPS DFU conducted examinations into 9 devices that were seized for investigation. The investment into the DFU system continues to be a very valuable tool for the police service.

STATISTICS:

- CRIMINAL CHARGES CID – 3
- CRIMINAL CHARGES SCU – 15
- INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INCIDENTS: 15 IPV incidents – In February 2024, the SCPS laid 15 charges relating to intimate partner violence. Of those charges, 7 charged persons were male and one charged person was female.

- SEARCH WARRANTS/PRODUCTION ORDERS: 4
- COURSES: (1)
- CONFERENCES: (1)
- MEETINGS: (CISO/PATS/ETC) 1
- SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION: 2
- OTHER DUTIES:

Respectfully submitted,

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