



Report to the Board: Criminal Investigation Division

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Criminal Investigation Division investigated the following incidents:

- February 8 2025 to February 10 2025 – SC25000896 / SC25000906 / SC25000927 – Residential Break and Enters – Between February 8, 2025 and February 10, 2025, three separate residences in Strathroy-Caradoc were targeted for break and enters. The investigation revealed that the modus operandi for all three occurrences were the same, leading investigators to believe the crimes were all linked. The investigation has revealed that neighboring police services have had very similar break-ins and there are persons of interest identified. The investigations are ongoing.
- February 11 2025 – SC25000940 - Sexual Assault – On February 11, 2025, CID investigators were detailed to investigate the allegation of a sexual assault. The parties involved were all young persons and the allegation was that a sexual assault occurred while on a supervised community group outing. CID has investigated, and have not been able to substantiate the allegation.
- February 12 2025 - SC25000952 – Public Mischief “Swatting” – On February 12, 2025, SCPS officers were called to investigate a possible shooting threat at the Strathroy District Collegiate Institute. CID members looked further into the incident and it was determined to be another “swatting” attempt. The investigation revealed that this case was similar to a case in Eastern Ontario. SCPS investigators have made contact with the Ontario Provincial Police as well as the FBI who are often able to assist. At this time, the investigation is ongoing.
- Street Crime Unit (SCU) – February 1 2025 – SC25000711 – Drug Investigation – On February 1, 2025, the Street Crime Unit arrested a male person who had been the subject of an ongoing drug investigation. During the search of that male, a large quantity of cocaine as well as Canadian currency and other drug related items were found. The value of the cocaine seized was over 65 grams valued at \$6500. That male was charged accordingly.
- February 20, 2025- SC25000728 – Drug Investigation – On February 20, 2025, the same male from the above incident (SC25000711) was again arrested for a further drug investigation. As a result of the search of the male this time, over 40 grams of cocaine worth over \$4000 and \$600 in Canadian currency was seized. The male was sent to court and charged accordingly.
- Digital Forensics Unit (DFU) – In February 2025, D/C Butts executed three search warrants on mobile devices. D/C Butts is analyzing the data from those devices and assisting officers from the Uniform Division and CID with their investigations.

STATISTICS:

- CRIMINAL CHARGES CID – 0
- Criminal Charges SCU – 6
- Provincial Offence Charges – SCU - 1
- INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INCIDENTS: 17 IPV incidents – In February 2025, the SCPS laid 5 charges relating to intimate partner violence. Three of the persons charged were male and one person charged was female.
- SEARCH WARRANTS/PRODUCTION ORDERS: 6
- COURSES: (3)
- CONFERENCES: (2)
- Meetings: (CISO/PATS/ETC) 2
- Sex Offender Registration: 1
- OTHER DUTIES:

External Police Agency Assistance Notifications;

- None

Respectfully submitted,



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