



Report to the Board: Criminal Investigation Division

Submitted By: Sergeant Jay Cartwright

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Criminal Investigation Division investigated the following incidents:

- June 14, 2025 – SC25004211 – Fraud Over \$5000 – On June 14, 2025, CID members were tasked with investigating a fraud involving the loss of over \$142,000. A Strathroy couple thought they were investing in a legitimate financial institution but were being defrauded. The investigation does show some possible leads and CID Detectives are working on the case.
- June 23, 2025 – SC25004349 – Assist Other Agency – On June 23, 2025, SCPS CID members assisted the St. Thomas Police Criminal Investigation Bureau with their investigation into potential fraudulent activity by former employees of the Municipality. The St Thomas Police investigation is still ongoing.
- June 24, 2025 - SC25004504 – Intimate Partner Violence – On June 24, 2025, CID members were assigned to assist the Uniformed Division with an Intimate Partner Violence investigation that involved an accused from a foreign country. The accused was put into court and the Canadian Border Services Agency was notified to begin an extradition process.
- June 27, 2025 – SC25004613 – Homicide – ON June 27, 2025, SCPS Uniform Members responded to a disturbance that resulted in the murder of a 27 year old Strathroy man. The person accused of the murder was taken into custody at the scene and is still in custody. The OPP Criminal Investigation Branch has been on scene working alongside SCPS Investigators. A 27 year old Strathroy man has been charged with 1st degree murder.
- Street Crime Unit (SCU) – During the month of June 2025, the Street Crime Unit generated 46 reportable occurrences. These occurrences include drug offences, trespassing incidents and multiple community Services type events.

STATISTICS:

- CRIMINAL CHARGES CID – 2
- Criminal Charges SCU – 0
- Provincial Offence Charges – SCU - 1
- INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INCIDENTS: 17 IPV incidents – In June 2025, the SCPS laid 3 charges relating to intimate partner violence. In these cases, 2 male persons were charged.
- SEARCH WARRANTS/PRODUCTION ORDERS: 2
- COURSES: (0)

- CONFERENCES: (2)
- Meetings: (CISO/PATS/ETC) 1
- Sex Offender Registration: 3
- OTHER DUTIES:

External Police Agency Assistance Notifications;
OPP Criminal Investigation Branch for Homicide SC25004613

Respectfully submitted,

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