

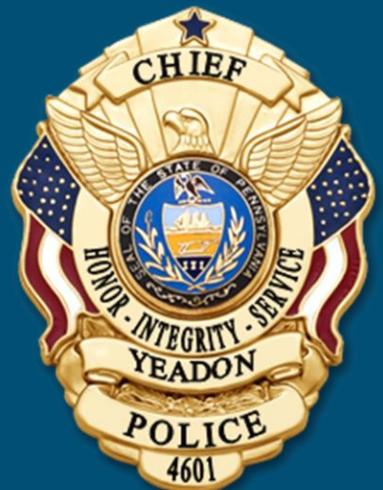


Yeadon Police Monthly Report

JANUARY 2021

Chief Anthony R. Paparo

Home of Flag Day



*Blessed are the peacemakers:
for they shall be called
the children of God.
Matthew 5:9*

Mayor Hepkins:

It is my pleasure to present to you, Council, and our Community with the Police Department’s Monthly Report. For review, are the services performed by the Officers and Staff of the Yeadon Police Department for the month of January 2021.

Yearly stat totals for 2016 – 2020, Monthly Info until end of year for 2021.

Calls for service	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Total Calls	9953	8986	8190	7627	496
Burglary	62	41	25	22	3
Robbery	21	15	23	16	1
Theft	133	144	130	125	10
Auto Theft	36	18	25	26	2
Theft from Auto	125	144	121	79	3

Jan 2021 Traffic Issues and Enforcement

Citations	Warnings	DUI	ACC	Reportable Acc
12	4	4	28	13

Parking

Issued	920
Parking Complaints	12

Parking enforcement has resumed for street cleaning, road work and other services that require movement of vehicles and is planned sometimes ahead of time based on signage assigned to streets in the Borough.



COVID19 ALERT!

Safety Protocols are in effect at the Borough Building. Wear a MASK, practice Social Distancing (or what Id rather call it - Physical Distancing), and wash those hands.



Police Department Community Efforts

- The Police Department launched the new Zoom Talk show, “**Good Morning Yeadon!**”.
 - ✓ Mayor Hepkins was the first special guest.
 - ✓ Program was held on Martin Luther King, Jr.’s Holiday, to honor him, and celebrate his memory of service to the Community, and how we together can be a part of that every day.
- Yeadon Police are teaming with **Race for Peace**, <https://raceforpeace.org/> an organization committed to building community relationships with the police amongst other honorable endeavors to promote peace in our communities. Alim Howell, will be my next guest on the next episode of “Good Morning Yeadon!”, tentatively set for Tuesday, February 23, 2021 at 1100am.
 - ✓ Stay tuned for further information via our website, Nextdoor, and other Yeadon Social Media outlets.



Police Training

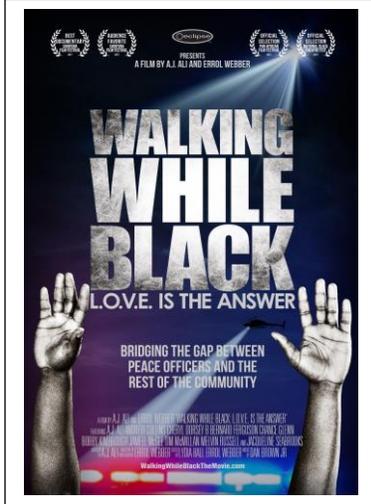
- ✓ Supervisors continue daily roll call trainings and briefings with officers.
- ✓ Two Officers completed advanced tactical training.
- ✓ All officers have now been trained on a new Fingerprint Identification Unit for field use.

Borough Wide Camera Program

Mayor and Police continue working with a consultant and the Management Team on the installation of a Borough wide Camera Security System, and updates to the Borough Building Security and Lighting.

Once cameras are installed, the Borough will be covered with a blanket so to speak. Their mere presence alone along with signage should help deter criminal activity in addition to police patrols and will help in solving crimes.

- As an example, Yeadon Police assisted Upper Darby Police with a serious accident investigation last year, in which the cameras located at Church and Myra caught the fleeing vehicle, tag, and view of the operator.
- Please know this is not a big brother attempt to monitor your movements, it is a form of deterrence and an investigative tool when needed. The presence of cameras, which are already EVERYWHERE, helps instill in criminals that their likelihood of success will be greatly reduced because they may be caught on video and identified. This sends the message, “Don’t come to Yeadon to commit crimes, period.”



Remember this event 2 years ago? Brought the Yeadon Community and Police together for candid conversation after a viewing of the film. Part of that endeavor I wanted to create a community garden, the L.O.V.E. Garden where instead of us meeting at a 911 call, we talk about something else, while growing vegetables, flowers, and most of all a better understanding of ourselves together. Then COVID hit.

Say a prayer, in the Spring we get this started without any obstacles. I am!

Arrest Details for the month of January 2021

Arresting Officer	Date	Main Charge	Summons / Detained
Ofc Qawasmy	01-06-21	DUI / Narcotics	Summons
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Ofc Rasanen	01-13-21	PFA Violation	Detained
Ofc Christie	01-16-21	DUI	Summons
Ofc Tokonitz	01-18-21	Theft, RSP	Detained
Ofc Wellbrock	01-29-21	Criminal Trespass	Detained

No juveniles were cited, detained, or arrested during the month of November 2020.

Complaints Against Police

Complaint	Formal/Informal	Summary Details	Outcome

****There were no complaints lodged against police for the month of January 2021.



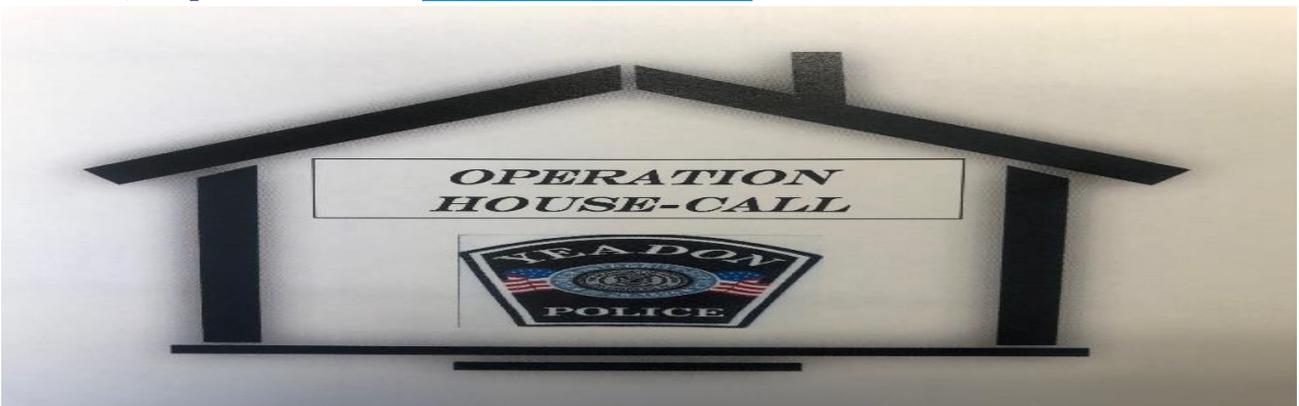
Have a Ring Camera, other type of Home Security System? Help deter and fight crime.

Sign up with our CAM Saw It Program. Stop at the PD for a form or email me and I'll send you one. It helps us gather information and solve crimes together.



Our efforts to decrease gun violence is something we take very seriously. Officers just in the last couple of months alone, have removed about a dozen illegal firearms off the streets. This is a picture of 2 seized weapons. This was a result of a traffic accident investigation. When officers arrived, they realized there might be more going on with the occupants. Both subjects realizing this fled, but were apprehended, and the car also held ski masks, handcuffing wire tires, and other items. What was their plan? We do not know, but the diligent work of your Yeadon Police Officers surely stopped a serious crime from later happening.

Don't forget, take advantage of this program when announced on Social Media! Don't know what it is, drop me an email at apaparo@yeadonpd.org or call 610-623-7611 to find out more.



Recently, a former resident who lives out of state, but still follows our Borough news and such, contacted me to check on his parents. I did just that, and just one more example of how this can program can be more than just a 911 call response for when there might be trouble.



From the Chief:

Be safe out there, and always remember we are a family, so take care of each other, look out for one another, and always be Yeadon Proud.

Chief Anthony R. Paparo