

Police Log

Picked up on bench warrant

David Swain, 51, of 79 North Main Rd., was picked up on a bench warrant on Aug. 11 from Newport District Court and charged for failing to make a court appearance to pay fines for unlawfully transporting raccoons, a protected species, police said.

Swain appeared before the Justice of the Peace and was released on bail of \$228.50. The original charge was for trapping raccoons on his property and transporting them to the north end of Conanicus Island where he released them, police said.

Driving a stolen vehicle

Erin Beckwith, 25, of 130 America Way, was charged Aug. 12 with driving a stolen vehicle and with violating a home confinement. The victim reported the vehicle stolen to the Jamestown police and Beckwith was arrested by the Cranston police department.

Beckwith was held at the Adult Correctional Institutions in Cranston for arraignment. A court date was scheduled for Aug. 14 at Newport

District Court, police said.

Domestic disorderly conduct charged

Marie Benoit, 51, of Gloucester was charged Aug. 8 with making harassing phone calls to a family member, police said.

The Jamestown police obtained an arrest warrant for Benoit and the Smithfield Police Department assisted in the arrest. Benoit was arraigned at Newport District Court and a pre-trial date was scheduled for Aug. 17 at Newport District Court, police said.

Charged in break-in

Jerome McDevitt, 20, of Portsmouth was charged Aug. 8 with domestic breaking and entering of a High Street dwelling.

A neighbor reported a suspicious subject in an adjacent back yard. The police were called and officers saw a broken window at the residence. McDevitt was found hiding inside.

McDevitt was held at the police department where a scheduled court date is yet to be determined, police said.

Fire and EMS Runs

Fire runs

2 a.m., Aug. 6, Marine 1, Car 3 and Engine 3 were dispatched to Fort Getty Road to search for a person in the water.

12:45 p.m., Aug. 7, Cars 1 and 3, Engines 1 and 3 were sent to Melrose Avenue for a false alarm.

4:20 p.m., Aug. 8, Car 1, Marine 1, EMS 1 and 2, and Engine 3 went to Fort Wetherill Road to search for three people who fell off the rocks into the water.

7:48 a.m., Aug. 9, Marine 1, EMS 1, and Engine 3 were sent to East Shore Road for a watercraft rescue.

11:46 a.m., Aug. 10, Engine 1 was sent to North Main Road for a downed power line.

12:05 p.m., Aug. 10, Special Services 1 went to Narragansett Avenue for a public service call.

2:14 p.m., Aug. 11, Ladder 1, and Engines 1, 2 and 3 were dispatched to Norman Road for an electrical wiring/equipment problem call.

2:31 p.m., Aug. 12, Car 1, Ladder 1, Engines 1, 2, and 3 went to Union Street for a false alarm.

6:28 p.m., Aug. 13, Marine 1 and Engine 3 went to Seaside Drive to answer a boat sinking call.

6:29 p.m., Aug. 13, Car 3 and Engine 3 responded to a power line down call on North Main Road.

11:10 p.m., Aug. 13, Ladder 1, Car 2, and Engines 1, 2 and 3 answered a false alarm on East Shore Road.

EMS runs

10:41 a.m., Aug. 5, EMS 1 was dispatched to Fort Wetherill State Park for a trauma call. A patient was driven to Newport Hospital.

2:16 p.m., Aug. 5, EMS 1 went to Beavertail State Park for a trauma transfer to Marine 1.

6:08 p.m., Aug. 5, EMS 1 answered a Knowles Court medical call and transported a person to Newport Hospital.

7:22 p.m., Aug. 5, EMS 1 responded to a trauma call from the Lawn Avenue Skate Park and drove a patient to Newport Hospital.

1:49 p.m., Aug. 6, EMS 1 was dispatched to the West Passage to stand by for a boating accident.

7:01 p.m., Aug. 6, EMS 1 went to Summit Avenue for a medical emergency and drove a person to Newport Hospital.

11:40 p.m., Aug. 7, EMS 1 answered a trauma call on Carr Lane and transported a person to Newport Hospital.

3:25 a.m., Aug. 8, EMS 1 was

sent to the police department for a trauma call. Transportation was not needed.

4:45 p.m., Aug. 8, EMS 1 went to the Fort Wetherill boat basin for a trauma call and transported a patient to Newport Hospital.

5 p.m., Aug. 8, EMS 2 went to the Fort Wetherill boat basin for a trauma call and transported two patients to Newport Hospital.

7:48 a.m., Aug. 9, EMS 1 met Marine 1 and transferred a patient to drive to Newport Hospital.

2:15 p.m., Aug. 11, EMS 1 was sent to Norman Road for a fire standby.

8:40 p.m., Aug. 11, EMS 1 was dispatched to Narragansett Avenue for a medical emergency. Patient refused service.

Town Hall records

Building permits

Santino Campo received a permit on Aug. 7 to replace an existing front deck at 9 Lawn Ave., work estimated to cost \$3,500.

Lennart and Linda Nilsson received a permit on Aug. 9 to restore a porch at 6 Ocean Ave., work estimated to cost \$2,000.

Eleanor C. Swett received a permit on Aug. 9 to install three windows at 29 Longfellow Rd., work estimated to cost \$2,000.

Paul T. Andrews received a permit on Aug. 9 to build two wings to an existing single family home and add 2.5 stories to a house according to plan at 55 Blueberry Lane, work estimated to cost \$250,000.

Valerie and Chuck Kelley received a permit on Aug. 9 to add a new deck and double French doors to a house at 9 Bow St., work estimated to cost \$10,500.

Sandy Kane received a permit on Aug. 9 to construct an addition with a covered porch to a house at 1243 North Main Rd., work estimated to cost \$250,000.

Armand Musumesi received a permit on Aug. 10 to add a third floor and renovate a house at 260 Capstan St, work estimated to cost \$280,000.

Susan and Duncan Pendlebury received a permit on Aug. 10 to erect a tent from July 20 to 23 at 302 East Shore Rd., work estimated to cost \$450.

Omnipoint Communications received a permit on Aug. 10 to install communications antennas on an existing water tank at 96 Howland Ave., work estimated to cost \$43,698.

Electrical permits

Noah Anacleto received a permit on Aug. 7 to rewire a kitchen, dining room, and living room to code at 797 East Shore Rd., work estimated to cost \$6,500.

Town of Jamestown received a permit on Aug. 9 to install low voltage devices for FM200 suppression system at 93 Narragansett Ave., work estimated to cost \$22,000.

Hill/Reed received a permit on Aug. 9 to wire a house at 159 Longfellow Rd., work estimated to cost \$10,000.

Philip Wharton memorial Aug. 3

A memorial celebration for Philip Wharton will be held Friday, Aug. 31, at 2 p.m. in the Wharton's home, 615 Wakefield St., West Warwick.

Philip Wharton died suddenly on April 18 in Lake Placid, N.Y. He is survived by his parents, Leverett and Valerie Wharton; his sister, Mary Wharton of West Warwick; his grandmother, Mary Reynolds of Newport; his grandmother, Emmy Wharton of Stonington Conn.; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Whiteface Mountain c/o the Philip Wharton Memorial Ski Foundation Fund, State Route 86, Lake Placid, N.Y. 12997.




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