



# Mount Laurel Police Department

## Press Release

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**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF:** A resident of the 1600 block of Larchmont Place reported his vehicle was scratched during the overnight hours of January 12<sup>th</sup> into the 13<sup>th</sup>.

**ARREST:** On January 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:15 pm Mount Laurel Police arrested Preston Thomas, age 29, of Camden, NJ. Thomas turned himself in at police headquarters as part of the investigation into counterfeit money used at Wegman's on December 28<sup>th</sup>. He was charged with conspiracy to commit forgery and released after posting bail.

**THEFT:** A resident on Brookwood Road reported they discovered jewelry missing from a bedroom on January 12<sup>th</sup>. No forced entry was made to the residence. A moving company had been on location during the time of the theft.

**ARREST:** On January 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:03 am Mount Laurel Police responded to the ShopRite on Nixon Drive for a shoplifting report. During the investigation officers arrested Yan Lin, age 36, of Mount Laurel. He attempted to steal \$53.00 worth of merchandise. He was charged with shoplifting and released pending a court hearing.

**BURGLARY:** A resident on the 100 block of Willow Turn reported that someone stole a TV and bicycle from an unlocked garage between January 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>.

**THEFT:** A guest at a hotel on Atrium Way reported prescription medication was stolen from his room on January 14<sup>th</sup> between 7:50 am and 5:00 pm. No forced entry to the room was made.

**SHOPLIFTING:** An employee of Wegman's reported a suspect stole \$60.00 worth of Red Bull energy drinks on January 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:15 am.

**ARREST:** On January 14<sup>th</sup> at 11:37 pm Mount Laurel Police responded to the intersection of Mount Laurel Road and Hainesport Road for a single vehicle crash into a utility pole. The driver, Christopher Creighton, age 45, of Mount Laurel was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated. He was not injured and was released pending a court hearing.

**ARREST:** On January 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am Nadia Bukacz, age 46, of Mount Laurel turned herself in at police headquarters as part of an investigation into credit card fraud that occurred on

*All persons are considered innocent unless and until proven guilty in a court of law.*

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