

Huxley Police Department
December 2007
Report

- 12-01-07 2:00 am Officer took a report from a citizen that the passenger side window of his vehicle was broken out. The vehicle was parked in the driveway of his residence. Nothing appeared to have been taken from the vehicle.
- 12-01-07 10:45 am Officer took a report from a Huxley resident that his 52 year old mother has been missing since 11-29-07 and no one has heard from her. The female was living in an apartment on National Dr and the apartment was empty and her vehicle was gone. The female was entered as missing. On 12-06-07, the female had been located in Runnels, Iowa. She had moved and did not want to tell her family.
- 12-05-07 8:30 am Officer took a report from a female Huxley resident of some older boys that were throwing and hitting her elementary age girls with snow and ice balls. After the office looked into it, no charges were filed and both the girls and boys involved were told not to do that again.
- 12-05-07 1:00 pm Officer took a report from a female Huxley resident of her storage unit being broken into. Someone cut the lock off the unit and stole some items from there. Approximate value of items missing was \$2,802. Under investigation.
- 12-07-07 10:55 am Officer took a report from Story Co Dispatch about a male Huxley resident who misuses 911. Reports have been taken in the past about the same male who does suffer from some mental issues. The 39 year old male was spoken with and told that if anymore calls to 911 come in and he doesn't have an emergency, charges will be filed.
- 12-07-07 5:17 am Officer arrested a 18 year old Clear Lake, Iowa male for driving under suspension. Cited and released with a court date.
- 12-09-07 12:52 am Officer took a report from an 18 year old Huxley female about her ex boyfriend making many harassing cell phone calls and text messages. A statement was taken from the female and the 19 year old Huxley male was spoken to about the incident. He was told that charges would be filed if the phone calls did not stop. No further calls were taken from the female.
- 12-10-07 8:17 pm Officers were called about an intoxicated 16 year old at the High School band concert. The parents were called of the 16 year old and they came to the school. Officer was concerned about the level of intoxication or what the student had taken. The 16 year old was taken by ambulance to MGMC for evaluation.

- 12-11-07 11:30 am Officer was contacted by Nevada PD to look for a missing 17 year old male that might possibly be in the Huxley area. A vehicle description was given that the 17 year old might be driving. The vehicle was located at an apartment building in Huxley and the male was found in one of the apartments. He was transported to Huxley PD where his mother came to pick him up.
- 12-11-07 1:39 pm Officer covered a 1 vehicle accident on Hwy 69 just to the south of the Oak / Main intersection. A 38 year old female lost control due to the icy conditions and the vehicle ended up in the ditch near the creek. She was transported to MGMC for treatment of possible injuries. No damage to the vehicle.
- 12-13-07 1:15 pm Officer was called to a residence in Huxley for a 55 year old male who had taken an overdose of prescription drugs. He was transported to MGMC for evaluation.
- 12-13-07 5:19 pm Officer investigated a two vehicle accident at the intersection of E 4th and Hwy 69. A 17 year old Huxley female tried to turn onto 4th from 69 but was traveling too fast for the slick conditions and her vehicle slid into a vehicle that was stopped at the stop sign that was being driven by another Huxley resident. Total damage was \$5,000 and the 17 year old was cited for failing to maintain control.
- 12-14-07 3:32 pm Officer investigated a 1 vehicle accident on Oak Blvd just past Ashwood Dr. A 17 year old Ballard student stated he lost control on the icy street when he was shifting his vehicle into a higher gear and slid off the road and struck a street sign. About \$50 damage to the sign and post and \$900 to his vehicle.
- 12-15-07 2:30 pm Officer arrested a 21 year old Cambridge female for driving under suspension when he watched her drive into the Casey's parking lot. When the officer got turned around to investigate, a 19 year old Huxley male was driving the vehicle and he was under suspension as well. Both persons were cited and released with court dates.
- 12-15-07 4:45 pm Officer took a report from a Huxley female about her 11 year old daughter getting some sexual in content voice mails and text messages. Officer called the number that the messages were from and was able to make contact with a 18 year old Des Moines male who stated he owned the phone. The male stated he thought the number was that of a friend of his and did not realize it was an 11 year olds cell phone. After speaking with the 18 year old and the boy's father, no more calls were made.
- 12-19-07 10:00 am Officer investigated a two vehicle accident on North Park Blvd. A 18 year old Ballard student lost control on the icy road and struck a male

Huxley resident head on. No injuries but an estimated \$5,800 damage done to both vehicles. No charges.

- 12-20-07 12:00 pm Officers investigated a call by Ballard Officials about a student bringing in some of his own prescription drugs and selling them to another student who asked for them. After the investigation, three 16 year old male Ballard students where charged with illegal possession of a prescription drug, unlawful sale of a prescription drug and delivery of a controlled substance and referred to juvenile court. Parents of all three were called and came and picked up their child.
- 12-21-07 6:10 am Officer investigated a report of the Ride Share van, parked in the Railway Park parking lot, had a window broken out. No evidence found at the scene.
- 12-21-07 6:10 am Officer found a second vehicle parked in the parking lot had a window broken out. Nothing stolen from the vehicle and no evidence found.
- 12-23-07 2:05 pm Officer took a report from a female Huxley resident about someone stealing \$242 from her purse which was locked up in her residence. There were no signs of forced entry and nothing else taken. Under investigation.
- 12-23-07 5:28 pm Officer took a report about windows being broken out on a bus that is owned by a local business and parked in behind the business. There were footprints in the snow around the bus but had been covered by another snow. Unknown amount of damage or suspects. Under investigation.
- 12-27-07 11:00 am Officer assisted DHS in the removal of a 2 year old boy from his mothers residence due to living conditions. After the investigation, the 22 year old Huxley female was charged with child endangerment.
- 12-29-07 9:33 am Officer investigated a two vehicle accident in the Dollar General parking lot. A 42 year old Ankeny female was backing out of her parking space and struck a parked vehicle owned by an employee. About \$100 damage to the employee's vehicle and none to the other. No report.

Overall, Huxley Officers had a busier year than 2006, not including Cambridge in these numbers. The total number of contacts for 2006 were 5,049 and up 1,275 this year to 6,324. Here are some of the different increases and decreases for some of the different items.

Arrests were down 11 from last year to 223. The number of citations were down 38 to 605 but warnings were up 411 to 1,254. So the number of traffic stops went up dramatically.

The number of alcohol related contacts were up 7 to 55. These included 25 OWI's, 7 public intoxication, 15 possession of alcohol, 7 open containers and one .02 violation.

The number of assaults went up 19 from 13 to 32. Also the number of medical calls or assisting other agencies went up 71 to 302. Motorist assist calls jumped 53 to 246 and several of these calls came off of I35.

The number of burglary calls went down 6 to only 20.

The number of child abuse calls increased by 2 to 7 but not all cases were founded so no arrests were made.

Criminal mischief calls or cases went down 56 to only 41. Drug or paraphernalia charges dropped by 7 to 20 and domestic dispute calls went down by 1 to 35.

The number of calls for information or assistance went up from 1,617 to 2,311. Traffic accidents went up 8 to 49 accidents reported. While the number of theft cases reported went down 15 to 72.

Huxley Officers had 146.5 hours of being on call. 3,707.5 hours of answering calls, investigations, giving assistance or paperwork in the office. Patrol hours given were 5,453.25.

With the growth of Huxley in the last year and the expanding city limits, the decrease in some of the areas is a great thing to see. But with growth come busier times and our overall numbers are showing it. Huxley Officers keep very busy keeping everyone and everything safe.

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