# Lincoln Police Department Monthly Report

## March 2018



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## DARE vs WLB

Lincoln Police DARE went again the West Lincoln Broadwell Girls State Champs in an all-out basketball fundraiser, including donuts, on March 4. DARE lost in points, but won in helping the DARE program connect with the kids and raise some needed funds.

WAND-TV Sports Director Gordon Voit and the WLCN 96.3 Cheap Seats Crew joined the DARE team and was "coached" by Joe Ryan.

Kids and the officers had a great time and we would like to thank Chad Kerns that assisted with McGruff the Crime Dog.

Looking forward to the DARE Golf Outing in June!

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#### **Fines**

Fines collected, by the Logan County Circuit Clerk, for Lincoln during the month of March 2018 were \$9,933.29.

Fines collected for Parking Tickets for the month of March was \$160.00.

#### **Vehicle Crashes**

There were 35 crashes the Lincoln Police Department responded to for March 2018.

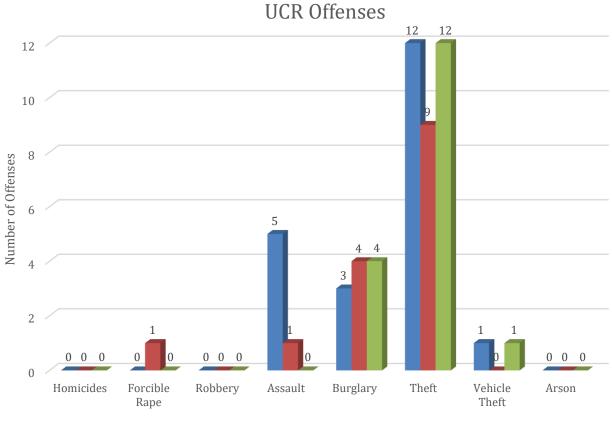
March 2018 Accidents by Manner of Collision							
Туре	Total Collisions	Total Fatal Collisions	Total Injury Collisions	Total Property Damage	Number Injured		
Rear End	6	0	2	4	3		
Sideswipe							
Same							
Direction	1	0	0	1	0		
Angle	5	0	0	5	0		
Head On	1	0	0	1	0		
Other							
Object	1	0	0	1	0		
Parked							
Motor							
Vehicle	12	0	0	12	0		
Turning	5	0	1	4	4		
Total	31	0	3	28	7		

## **MONTHLY STATISTICS**

#### **Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)**

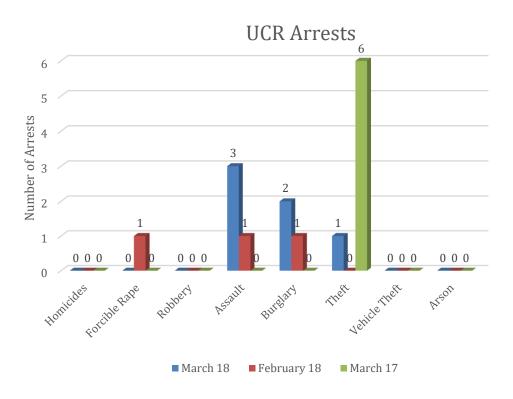
UCR is the reporting system that the State of Illinois uses. These statistics are sent to the FBI to be included in the Federal UCR statistics. These statistics include the most major crimes. Although the State of Illinois has many offenses some are grouped together for these stats, for instance battery is included in assaults.

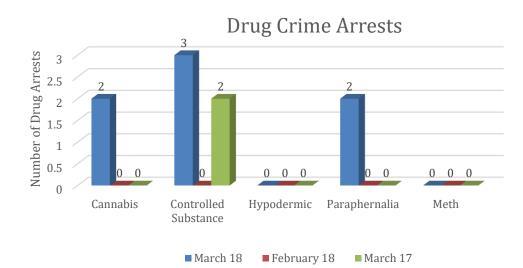
#### **UCR Report for March 2018**



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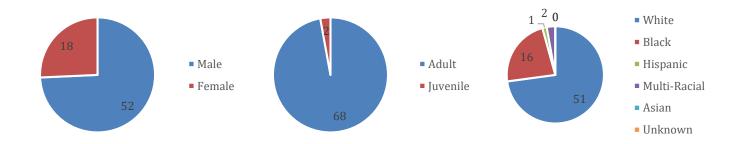
Lincoln Police responded to 1207 incidents for the month of March and 116 case reports were written for the month.

## Top 10 Reported Offenses

Description	Amount
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	16
Warrant In-State	11
Theft - Under \$500	10
Disorderly Conduct - All Others	9
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	6
Driving Under the Influence - BAC .08 or more	6
Domestic Battery	5
Resisting Arrest of a Peace Officer	5
Warrant Arrest	4
Criminal Damage to Property <\$300	3

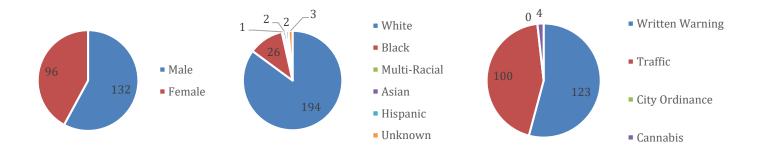
## Top 12 Arrest Charges

Description	Amount
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	16
Warrant In-State	11
Disorderly Conduct - All Others	4
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	4
Driving Under the Influence - BAC .08 or more	4
Warrant Arrest	4
Criminal Trespass to Residence	3
Domestic Battery	3
Domestic Battery / Bodily Harm	3
Resisting Arrest of a Peace Officer	3
Child Neglect	2
Burglary	2



## Top 12 Citations Issued

Description of Offense	Amount
Speeding	30
Operating Uninsured Motor Vehicle	26
Disobeyed Stop Sign	18
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	14
Headlight Violation	13
Unlawful Use of Electronic Communication Device on Roadway	12
Disobeyed Traffic Control Device	7
Failure to Wear Properly Adjusted and Fastened Seat Safety Belt	7
No Rear Registration Plate Light	7
No Valid Registration 1st and 2nd Offense	7
Driver's View or Driving Mechanism Obstructed	6
Fail to Reduce Speed/Accident to Avoid Accident	6



#### **Criminal Investigations**

Monthly Cases Report Summary for March 2018

The detectives of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Lincoln Police Department conducted further investigation on <u>15</u> active criminal investigations in the month of March. The types of investigations are listed but due to the sensitivity of those investigations, specific information is not available to for release.

- (6) Investigations were narcotics related. These cases involved the manufacture/delivery of controlled substances, the production of methamphetamine, controlled substance trafficking, drug induced aggravated battery.
- (5) Investigations involved sexual offenses. These crimes involved both adults and children with offenses including predatory criminal sexual assault, criminal sexual assault and criminal sexual abuse.
- (2) Investigations involved crimes against persons. These investigations child abuse and neglect and attempted murder.
- (2) Investigations were property related crimes. Those involved Theft and Forgery.
- (5) Search warrants were executed to further investigations in these cases.
- Two officers of the Criminal Investigations Division continued to participate in a multijurisdictional drug task force, conducting joint investigations with other local, state, and federal agencies.

#### **DARE/Community Policing**

March 4<sup>th</sup>: Lincoln Police Officers along with local celebrities from WLCN radio participated in a basketball game against the West Lincoln - Broadwell State Champion girls' basketball team. Unfortunately we were beat! This event raised around \$1,200 for the DARE program, but more importantly we were able to make memories with those talented young girls.

March 5<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>: Officer Christy Fruge spent these two weeks with the Chester-East Lincoln and Carroll Catholic 6<sup>th</sup> grade classes. The 6<sup>th</sup> graders were taught the elementary school curriculum for DARE. At the end of the 2 weeks, each student wrote an essay about their experience. The essay winners will get a special gift at the pizza party in May.

March 17<sup>th</sup>: Lincoln DARE donated an auction item for the West Lincoln Broadwell trivia night.

March 23<sup>rd</sup>: Officer Christy Fruge was invited to have lunch with the students at Chester-East Lincoln School. CEL has a "celebrity lunch" every week and she was chosen for that week. Officer Fruge sat with 5 students at

a special table. They talked about making good choices and eating healthy. The students asked her questions about being a police officer.

March 26<sup>th</sup>: Officer Christy Fruge visited two Central School 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes. They talked about making good decisions in and out of school. Officer Fruge offered those classes a challenge to be good students and citizens for a certain time frame. If she gets good feedback on the students from the school, then she will bring pizza to the students one day for lunch.

March 31<sup>st</sup>: Officer Christy Fruge spent a cold morning with kids at the Lincoln Park District while they had an Easter Egg Hunt. Lincoln DARE purchased prizes for different age groups at the hunt. The kids were cold but very excited!

DARE also donated \$100 to Salt Creek ABATE for their Easter Egg Hunt held on the same day.

#### Lincoln K9

Officer Sullivan and K9 Ace had 10 deployments for the month of March. Lincoln Police Department requested the K9 Unit 6 times and the Logan County Sheriff's Department requested the LPD K9 Unit 4 times. K9 Ace was deployed for a human search which resulted in K9 Ace apprehending the suspect. The K9 indicated 7 out of the 10 deployments. Out of the 7 indications, there were 7 items seized being drugs and/or drug paraphernalia. Total amount of drugs seized was 6.2 grams. The drugs indicated were Marijuana and Crack Cocaine.

#### **School Resource**

Officer Butterfield responded to 61 incidents at LCHS for the month of March. The most common offenses were class misconduct, general disciplinary offenses with parental contacts, and social/emotional issues. Officer Butterfield went over the new standard response protocol with Park Meadows Church, the Christian Child Care and a review with the Lincoln College. Officer Butterfield attended a Safe School Summit and 2 EMA meetings. Officer Butterfield also sat in on the Truancy Review Board in the month of March.