

MONTHLY POLICING REPORT February 2022 Happy Valley-Goose Bay RCMP Detachment "B" Division Newfoundland and Labrador





TO: Mayor and Council, Town of Happy Valley-Goose Bay, Newfoundland and Labrador.

The Happy Valley-Goose Bay RCMP Detachment responded to a total of 382 occurrences, which were classified as calls for service during February 2022, compared to 310 occurrences in 2021.

A total of 89 persons were incarcerated for a variety of Offences during the month of February.

FOR: February 2022		OUR FILE#: ADMIN # 302-1	
OFFENCE	NUMBER	OFFENCE	NUMBER
Traffic		Miscellaneous Offences	
Impaired Driving	3	Provincial Statutes (except traffic)	45
Traffic Collisions	20	Disturbing the peace	85
Provincial Statutes (traffic)	16	Resist Arrest	0
Check Stops (estimated vehicles)	2(25)	Failure to comply/appear with PTA/UT/RECOG etc	14
7-day susp.	0	Breach Probation	0
		Mental Health Act	37
		Other CC	3
Drug Offences		Persons Crime	
Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking	2	Assault	18
Possession		Assault w/weapon	4
Property Crimes		Aggravated Assautt -	0

		Assault Police Officer - 3	
Break and Enter -	1	Sexual Assault	6
Thefts	7	Robbery	0
Theft of vehicle	1	Uttering Threats	13
Mischief	55	Careless use of firearm	0
Fraud	2	Harassing communications (phone calls + Criminal Harassment)	6
Arson	0	Federal Statutes (except traffic)	1
Assistance to Public	30	Susp Person/Vehicle/Property	6
	Common	Police Activities	
Police Certificates/Letter			45
Fingerprints taken for the genera	al public		18
False Alarms			22
Persons reported missing			8

Annual Performance Plan (A.P.P.'S) Community Priorities

- (1) Enhance Road Safety Improve Road Safety Through Education and Enforcement;
- (2) Crime Reduction Reduce Crimes against Persons/Property;
- (3) Community Relations Build and Maintain Positive Relations with our Community

The 2021/2022 Happy Valley Goose Bay RCMP Annual Performance Plan has been set with final updates on assigned priorities and goals which help us focus on the above noted areas. The progress of this plan will be monitored throughout the year, but COVID restrictions continue to play a role in how these initiatives will progress.

(1) Enhance Road Safety – Improve Road Safety Through Education and Enforcement Goals have been set for improved Traffic initiatives, with increased traffic enforcement and regular checkstops to help combat Impaired Driving. Members conducted Two Checkstops, utilizing Mandatory Alcohol Screening. One Impaired Driver was located and Charged using a Drug Recognition Expert. Members continue to conduct proactive vehicle stops for traffic safety issuing SOTs under the Highway Traffic Act when/where applicable. Members also conducted proactive Skidoo patrol with Municipal Enforcement checking trails in and around Town

(2) Crime Reduction – Reduce Crimes against Persons/Property

Goals have been set for proactive initiatives to help reduce crimes against persons and property. Detachment members will undertake to implement additional measures to monitor persons bound by court orders to ensure compliance. Due to the increase in crimes through social media/computers, members will be seeking opportunities to educate persons on crimes related to Fraud and Cybercrime. Detachment members have also been monitoring Persons bound by court imposed conditions. Members continue to conduct routine compliance checks ensuring persons are abiding.

(3) Community Relations – Build and Maintain Positive Relations with our Community

Detachment Commander will ensure there is regular contact and communication with Mayor and Council to ensure any issues are brought forward and plans made to address. Detachment Commander will also ensure regular contact is maintained with the HVGB C/Cst. Detachment members continue to try and increase contact with the local youth with regular contact/visits made to local schools. School Liaisons have been appointed to maintain contact with Local Schools.

****The APP is the main objective, outside of responding to calls for service, of the Detachment and helps direct members efforts each and every day.****

Notable Investigations:

2022156778 – Sexual Assault – On Feb 6^{th} HVGB RCMP responded to a report of a sexual assault. Upon investigation a 32 year old male was arrested for Sexual Assault, Sexual Interference, Invitation to Sexual Touching. The matter is before the courts

2022188095 – Assault Police Officer On Feb 13th HVGB RCMP had been called to a disturbance at the Hospital. While present at the Hospital two officers were assaulted by a female. The Female kicked and spit at officers. The female has been arrested and charged with Assault PO and Breach of a Court Order

2022179200 – Snowmobile Safety – On Feb 11th RCMP pared up with HVGB Bylaw and patrolled the snowmobile trails through out HVGB. Pulling multiple sleds over to discuss safety and proper paperwork that is required to be riding the trail system.

2022231281 – Impaired Operation - On Feb 23rd HVGB RCMP responded to a report of a motor vehicle collision involving a Snowmobile. Members attended and arrested a male for impaired operation. The male refused to comply with required testing and has been charged with Impaired Operation and Refusal to Comply with Demand.

2022250464 – Assault Police Officer - On Feb 28th HVGB RCMP was assisting LGH when an officer was assaulted by a Female. The Officer received injuries to his arm due to a bite. The female is charged with Assault PO and Breach of a Court Order.

Due to COVID outbreak in the Happy Valley Goose Bay area, HVGB Detachment did suspend Front Counter Services for a couple weeks but have since resumed normal operations.

The ADSE is a new device and we've recently been able to have several members obtain the required training to utilize it. Further training is planned for all HVGB members. Again, this roadside device will allow officers to test subjects who may also be impaired by drug to further pursue charges in these instances

HVGB Detachment and its members continue to deal with and adjust to the new realities of Covid-19 which continues to evolve. With the rollout of the vaccine we, along with everyone, are hoping a return to regular activities for all.

Happy Valley-Goose Bay RCMP wishes to thank our citizens for all of their assistance in combating crime and making our Community a safe one.

Happy Valley-Goose Bay RCMP Detachment would like to remind our Community members when you see a crime or have information related to keeping your community safe, call your local Detachment at (709) 896-3383, and we will do our best to deal with your concerns.

If you wish to remain anonymous, you can call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or submit a tip online at www.nlcrimestoppers.com, and they will pass the information on to us.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this report, please feel free to contact me to discuss.

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