



Lincoln Police Department Monthly Report

June 2024

Imposter scams

Business imposter scams are a type of cyber-crime that involves scammers pretending to be from a familiar business to trick people into sharing personal information or paying them. These scams can come in many forms, including emails, texts, calls, and social media messages. They may include claims that there's a problem with your account, that you won a prize, or that you owe money to the IRS. Scammers may also use caller ID to make it look like they're calling from an official number, or spoof legitimate phone numbers to call or text you.

- [Government imposter scams](#) - Unless you contact them first, government agencies typically initiate communication with you by letter. Unexpected contact or demands through any other method may be a scam.
 - [IRS imposter scams](#) - scammers pretend you owe the IRS money for taxes and may threaten legal action
 - [Social Security imposter scams](#) - scammers claim there is a problem with your Social Security account or promise to increase your benefits
- [Charity scams](#) - scammers pretend to be from a real or fake charity and try to get you to contribute
- [Grandparent scams](#) - scammers pretend to be a grandchild or other relative who needs emergency financial help
- [Tech support scams](#) - scammers tell you your computer's security is at risk and try to remotely access your device and steal personal information or ask for payment
- Scammers may also pretend to be from your bank or a company you do business with. You might be told you owe money or there is a problem with your account.

Here are some tips to help avoid imposter fraud:

Never share personal information online or over the phone with an unverified source. Hang up or close your browser if you feel suspicious activity may be happening. Look up the person or agency directly if you are not sure if a call or message is real. Avoid answering calls from an unknown number.

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NEWS

Report Summary

Lincoln Police responded to 1087 incidents, which resulted in 95 case reports written for the month of June. Officers responded to 26 vehicle crashes. Patrol officers wrote 42 traffic citations, 34 written warnings citations, along with 5 City Ordinance Citations.

Of the 50 arrests for the month, the top arrests were for warrants and domestic battery. Detectives continued investigations on many cases including participating in CIEG task force operations.

Lincoln Police Department would like to thank everyone who generously gives donations of food as a “thank you for your service” or for the new businesses, LoCo Nutrition, that would like to use us as taste testers. The officers appreciate the gesture.

Fines

Fines collected, by the Logan County Circuit Clerk, for Lincoln during the month of June were \$6,883.59. There were no fines collected, for Parking Tickets, during the month of June.

Vehicle Crashes

Lincoln Police Department responded to 26 crashes the Lincoln Police Department responded to for the month of June.

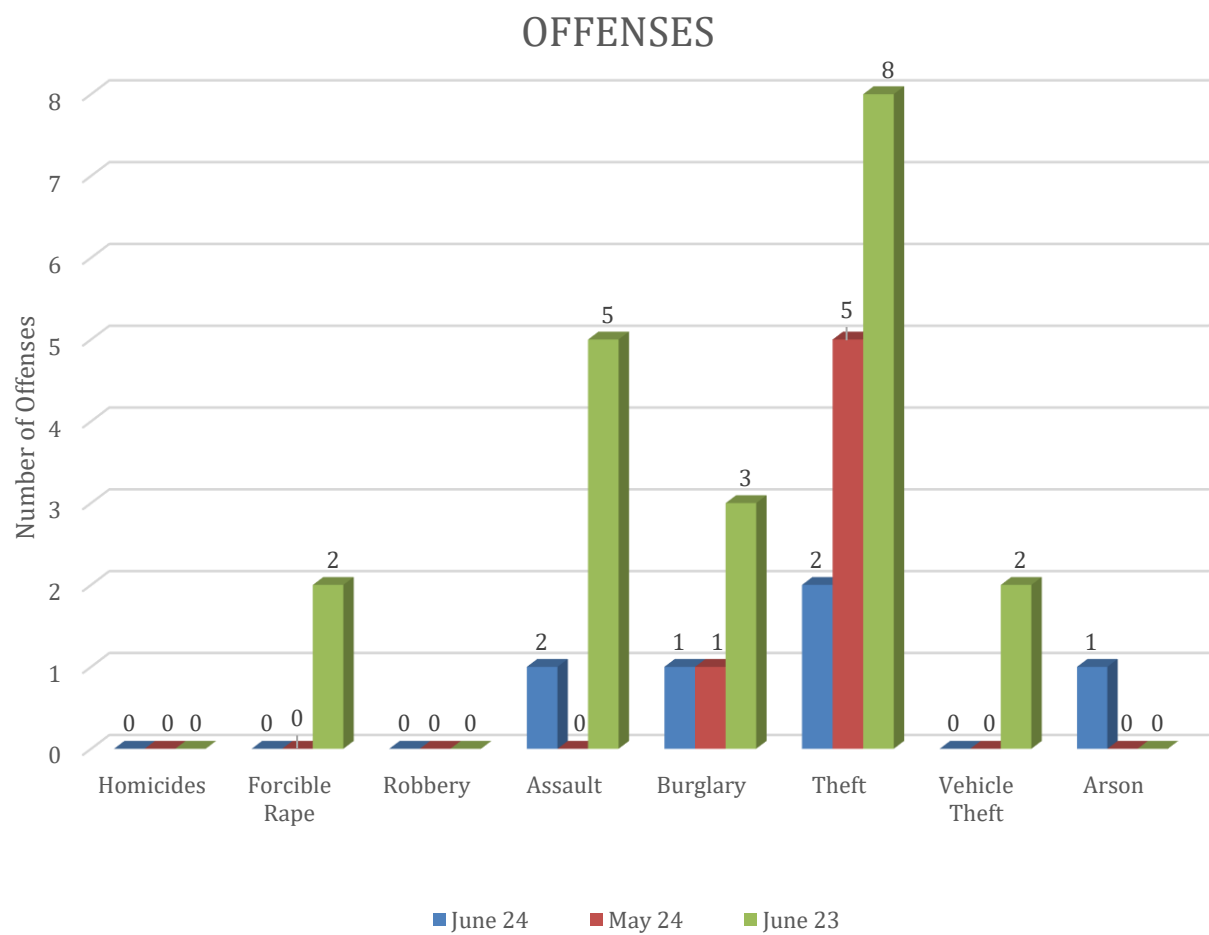
June 2024	
Accidents by Type of Crash	Count of records
Multi Vehicle Crash - Front to Rear	4
Multi Vehicle Crash - Parked Motor Vehicle	3
Multi Vehicle Crash - Turning	1
Multi Vehicle Crash - Angle	7
Single Vehicle Crash - Sideswipe Opposite direction	1
Multi Vehicle Crash - Fixed Object	4
Multi Vehicle Crash - Sideswipe same direction	1
Multi Vehicle Crash – Other Object	2
Multi Vehicle Crash – Rear to side	1
Single Vehicle Crash – Pedalcyclist	1
Single Vehicle Crash - Animal	1

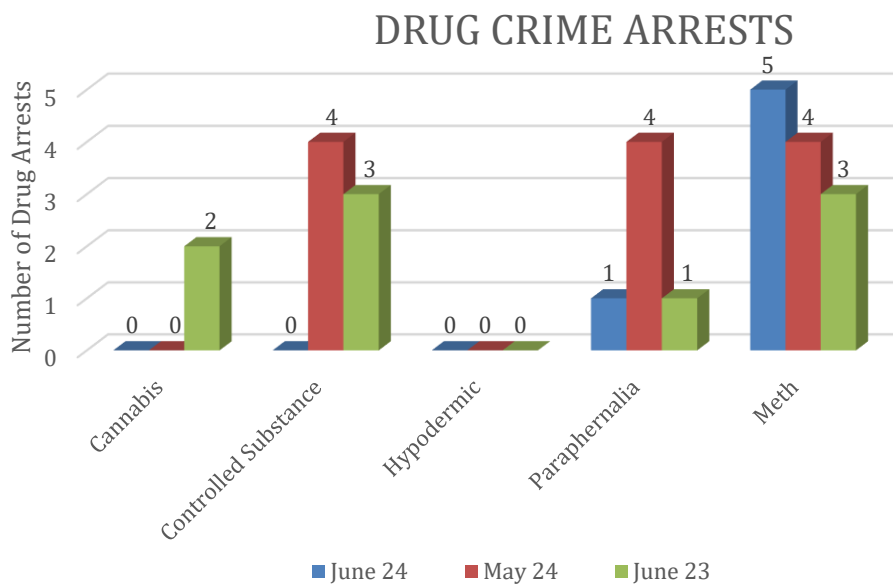
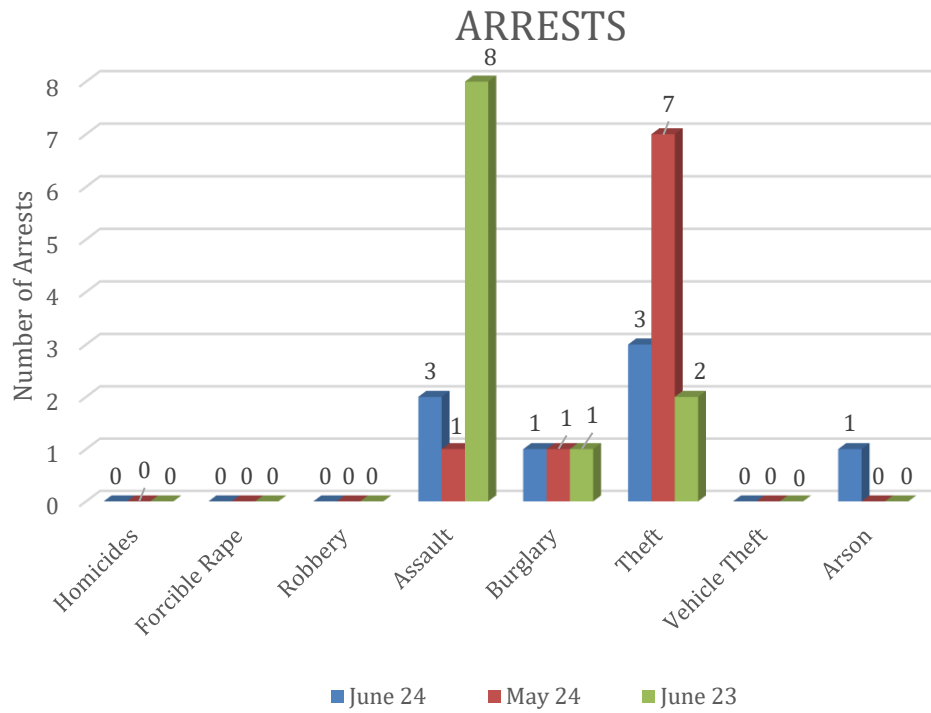
MONTHLY STATISTICS

National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS)

NIBRS is the reporting system that the State of Illinois uses. These statistics are sent to the FBI to be included in the Federal NIBRS 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.

NIBRS Report for June 2024





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Incident Breakdown By Priority Report

Priority	Sunday Totals	Monday Totals	Tuesday Totals	Wednesday Totals	Thursday Totals	Friday Totals	Saturday Totals	Calls
	Calls	Calls	Calls	Calls	Calls	Calls	Calls	
1-Critical	6	2	4	7	7	1	4	31
4-Low	73	77	54	66	71	82	75	498
3-Medium	70	66	50	62	53	49	65	415
2-High	24	17	18	19	21	16	28	143
Total:	173	162	126	154	152	148	172	1087

Top Reported Offenses

Description

Domestic Battery

Criminal Trespass

Possession of Methamphetamine

Driving While License Suspended/Revoked

Violation of Order of Protection

Top Arrest Charges

Description

Warrants

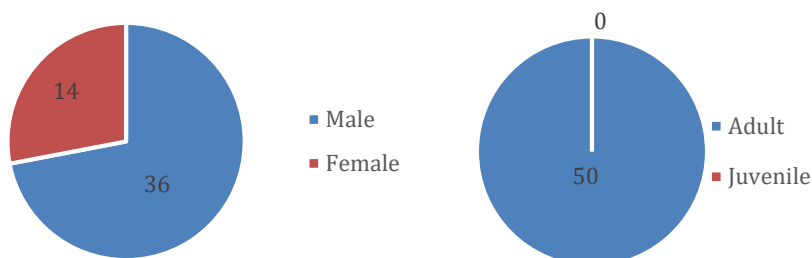
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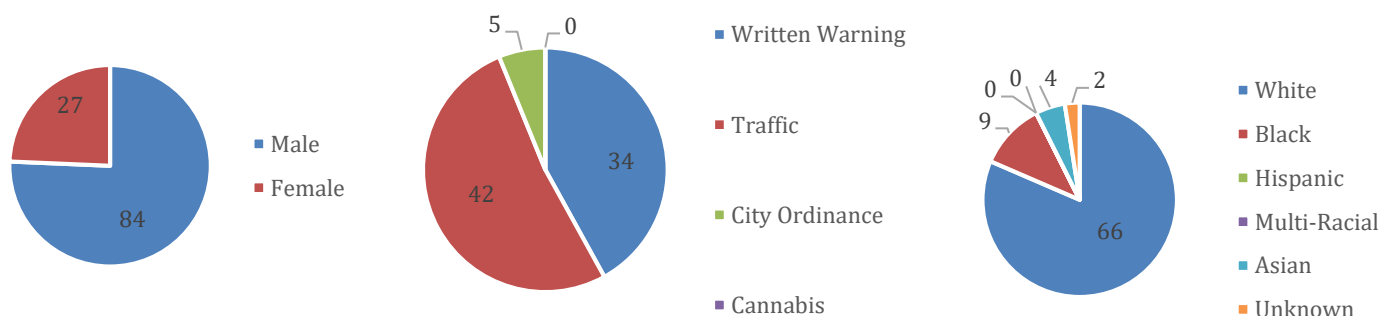
Possession of Methamphetamine

Battery

Adult and Juvenile Arrest Summary	Total
Citation Issued	4
Arrest Adult	40
Summoned/Cited/Notified	1
Arrested/Held Prosecution	2
Warrant Arrest	3
Total Arrests:	50



Top Citations Issued
Description of Offense
Speeding
Uninsured Motor Vehicle
Failure to Reduce Speed to Avoid Accident
Improper Turn Signal
Disobey a Traffic Control Device
Expired Registration



DIVISION REPORTS

Criminal Investigations

The detectives of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Lincoln Police Department conducted further investigation on 16 active criminal investigations in the month of June. The types of investigations are listed but due to the sensitivity of those investigations, specific information is not available for release.

- (2) Investigations involving sexual offenses.
- (2) Investigation involving crimes against persons.
- (5) Investigation were property related.
- (4) Investigations were narcotics related.
- (1) Arson.
- (2) Search Warrant were obtained to further these investigations
- One officer of the Criminal Investigations Division continued to participate in a multi-jurisdictional drug task force, conducting joint investigations with other local, state, and federal agencies.

Lincoln K9



Officer Phillips and K9 Diesel had 8 deployments during the month of June. On those deployments, there were 8 search areas with all 8 being vehicles. There were 8 indications with 13 seizure incidents, 9 seizure incidents producing 16 items of drug paraphernalia, 3 seizure incidents producing 4.7 grams of methamphetamines and 1 seizure incidents producing a hand gun. The K9 Unit made 4 arrests.

DARE/Community Policing

The Department supports the DARE program and its efforts to assist youths with sound judgement and decision making, including but not limited to resisting drug/alcohol abuse and prevention of bullying at home, at school and in their community.

DARE was able to donate to help with the 2024 LCHS Boys Soccer Boosters and DARE was able to help a family, that has suffered trauma, due to violence. DARE held its 28th Annual DARE Golf Outing on June 21,

2024. The day was a beautiful sunny and warm day for golf. DARE would like to thank everyone for your generous donations as sponsors and as golfer for this event. The fundraiser was a success and the donations, from the citizens of Lincoln and Logan County, help keep the DARE program going to assist the youth in our community.

On June 29, 2024 we have the first Family Fun Day, hosted by DARE, at Postville Park. There were hotdogs, inflatables, connect 4, Jenga, football, Frisbee, bubbles and sidewalk chalk. We had T-shirts available for the children to decorate and gave away pencils and stickers. It was a afternoon.



School Resource

The goals of well-founded SRO programs include providing safe learning environments in our community's schools, providing valuable resources to school staff members, fostering positive relationships with youth, developing strategies to resolve problems affecting youth and protecting all students, so that they can reach their fullest potentials. The three main roles of school resource officers are: educator (i.e. guest lecturer), informal counselor/mentor, and law enforcement officer.

SRO Fruge and SRO Rohrer attended the Illinois Juvenile/D.A.R.E. Officer conference and the Illinois School Resource Officer Conference in June.