

# UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TO: UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
FROM: MARK F. SCHMIDT – CHIEF OF POLICE  
DATE: 12/19/2023  
RE: MONTHLY POLICE REPORT

## NORMAL BUSINESS

November 24, annual Kiwanis Christmas Tree Lighting was held at RT's 32 & 532. As the weather was good, attendance was up this year. No Medical, Traffic or Criminal activity was associated with this event.

December 9, annual "Shop with a Cop" at Target - RT1, Langhorne was held. This year 330 children received the magic of Christmas from 95 Officers, 100+ civilian volunteers (Judy Caporiccio being one) and 19 police departments.

December 10, the rehearsal for the 71<sup>st</sup> annual "Crossing of the Delaware" (First Crossing) was held. While the weather was cold and rainy, 3,000 paid (source Friends of Washington Crossing Park) to watch this event. No Medical, Traffic or Criminal activity was associated with this event.

## MOTOR CARRIER ENFORCEMENT

November 15, the team met on RT 413 at Fox Hill Drive in Wrightstown Township. During the detail 12 commercial vehicles were stopped and inspected yielding 2 citations, 4 warnings and three vehicles being placed out of service for equipment violations.

November 29, the team met on RT 332 at Campus Drive in Newtown Township. During the detail 24 commercial vehicles were stopped and inspected yielding 1 citation, 19 warnings and one vehicle being placed out of service for equipment violations.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

December 16, "Wreaths Across America Observance" (VA Cemetery).  
December 25, 71<sup>st</sup> annual reenactment of the "Crossing of the Delaware".