



Community Safety Update: Nov 2025

Keeping Our Community Safe – One Call at a Time

Throughout the month of Nov, Shomrim of Baltimore has continued to work diligently to protect our neighborhoods, support victims, and partner with local authorities to deter crime and ensure public safety.

Monthly Statistics:


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| • Total Calls Received: 117 | • Total In-Person Responses: 78 | • Issues Handled by Phone: 39 |
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Every call matters. Whether dispatched in person or resolved remotely, our team remains committed to responding with compassion, discretion, and urgency.


Highlights:

- A resident reported a male wearing a ski mask approaching their vehicle late at night. Shomrim responders were dispatched, and the individual fled the area.
- Baltimore County Police requested Shomrim's assistance with a missing individual was reported earlier in the evening. A search was organized, and the individual was located by police near Greenspring Avenue and Old Court Road.
- Multiple calls were received regarding individuals walking through residential streets, approaching homes, or lingering in driveways. In several cases, Shomrim responders made contact and determined the activity to be non-threatening, providing reassurance and follow-up communication to concerned residents.
- Shomrim assisted residents with reports of stolen vehicles and suspicious activity related to auto theft. In one case, a previously stolen vehicle was later recovered by police, leading to an arrest after officers identified mismatched plates.

Notable Trends:

 **Trend of Anti-Semitic Incidents:** Cases of targeted harassment, threatening behavior near schools & synagogues, & property damage involving religious symbols continue across North America. We encourage the community to be mindful & report any suspicious activity to the police & Shomrim.

 **Suspicious Persons / Activity:** Reports included masked individuals, loitering near homes, individuals videotaping houses, & people checking vehicles. Many incidents were resolved through patrol verification, resident reassurance, or coordination with police.

 **Continued Vehicle Crime Concerns:** Residents reported vehicles stolen, suspicious persons near cars, & thefts from vehicles. These incidents remain a persistent concern, particularly during evening & overnight hours.

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Top 3 Crime Types in Nov:

1. **Suspicious Persons / Activity:** Residents reported individuals loitering, checking car handles, or wandering near homes late at night. Many calls were resolved through proactive patrol verification or coordination with police.
2. **Theft / Vehicle Tampering:** Multiple incidents involved items stolen from unlocked cars or suspicious persons attempting vehicle entry. Shomrim patrols intercepted several suspects in progress, and video footage from community cameras was shared with detectives.
3. **Burglary / Attempted Break-Ins:** Calls involving individuals attempting to enter residences or outbuildings during overnight hours (typically between 2–6 AM). In several cases, suspects fled upon realizing they were being monitored or recorded.

Intelligence Tidbit:

November incidents in and around our community include:

Crime Type	Count
Assault / Robbery	97
Vehicle Theft / Carjacking	81
Burglary / Attempted Break-In	61
Theft / Larceny	44
Disorderly Conduct / Harassment	39

- Data drawn from dataminr, Citizen, blotters, and other sources.

Safety Reminder: Please remain vigilant and take the following precautions:

- Always lock **doors, windows, and vehicles** — especially at night.
- Keep **exterior lights** on from dusk to dawn.
- Avoid leaving valuables in cars or on porches.
- Register exterior cameras with Shomrim's community system.
- Report any suspicious persons or activity immediately to **Shomrim (410-358-9999)** and **Baltimore Police**.

Join Our Mission: We are actively recruiting new volunteers for all roles (Dispatch, Patrol, Response, Victim Advocacy, Administrative, etc.). If you are passionate about protecting your community and want to join us in making a real difference, we want to hear from you!  **Contact:** membership@shomrim.net

Thank you for your continued trust and support.

Together, we are stronger!

The information presented is based on a compendium of multiple sources. Every effort has been made to confirm accuracy at the time of publication. However, the nature of the material and changing circumstances may impact verification. All individuals described are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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