



## **Media Information**

### **Ryde Police Area Command**

**Tuesday 9 October 2018**

#### **Drug detection – Macquarie Park**

About 10.30am on Monday 8 October 2018, Police attached to Ryde LAC were called to a job on Waterloo Rd, Macquarie Park.

Police observed woman at a nearby bus stop, that appeared to be drug affected. Police stopped and approached the woman.

As a result of the conversation the police have had with the woman she was searched.

Police located a plastic resealable bag containing Cannabis on her person.

A 37-year-old woman from Dundas Valley was issued Field Court Attendance Notice, and will appear in court on 19 November 2018 in relation to the offence.

#### **Seven injured in two vehicle crash – Gladesville**

Police have appealed for witnesses to come forward after seven people were injured in a head-on crash at Gladesville overnight.

About 11.30pm (Sunday 7 October 2018), emergency services were called to the intersection of Victoria Road and Sulter Street, Gladesville, following reports of a two-vehicle crash.

Police have been told a Subaru Impreza and Toyota Hiace van collided head-on.

The 25-year-old male driver and sole occupant of the Impreza was trapped in the vehicle for a period of time before being freed.

He was taken to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital in a critical condition. He will also undergo mandatory testing.

The six occupants of the Toyota Hiace all sustained various injuries.

They were conveyed to the Children's Hospital at Westmead, Royal North Shore Hospital and Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, all in a stable condition.

Officers from Ryde Police Area Command attended the scene and are investigating the circumstances surrounding the crash.

Investigators have urged anyone with information about the crash to come forward

### **“P1” Driver charged over suspended licence-Macquarie Park**

About 12.00pm on Wednesday 3 October 2018, Police were patrolling Waterloo Road, Macquarie Park, when they were alerted to a vehicle that may be driven by a suspended driver.

Police stopped the vehicle and spoke with the driver. Police checks confirmed that the “P1” driver was suspended. The 24-year-old male from Carlingford was issued with a Field Court Attendance Notice, and will appear in court on 5 November 2018 in relation to the offence.



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### **Ryde Police Area Command**

**Monday 15 October 2018**

### **Shoplifter – Macquarie Park**

About 12pm on Thursday 11 October, a 30-year-old woman from St Leonards has entered a department store in Macquarie Park

The woman has placed a number of items into a plastic bag, which was observed by the Loss Prevention Officer

The woman has then exited the store without making any attempts to pay for the items. She was stopped by the Loss Prevention Officer and escorted to the security office to await the arrival of police.

Police spoke with the woman before issuing her with a Criminal Infringement Notice for shoplifting.

### **Driver charged over cancelled licence-North Ryde**

About 8.50pm Friday 12 October 2018, Police were conducting stationary random breath testing Southbound on Delhi Road North Ryde, when they stopped a 27-year-old man from Oatlands for a breath test.

Police requested to see his licence, which he was unable to produce. Police checks confirmed that his licence was cancelled. He was issued with a Field Court Attendance Notice, and will appear in court on 26 November 2018 in relation to the offence.

### **Investigation underway after pedestrian dies - North Ryde**

Police are investigating after a pedestrian died in Sydney's north-west this afternoon.

Just before 12.30pm Sunday 14 October 2018, emergency services were called to a car park on Wicks Road, North Ryde, following reports a woman had fallen before being struck by a car.

The woman died at the scene. She has not been formally identified.

The driver, a 66-year-old woman, was not injured and was taken to Ryde Hospital for mandatory testing.

Officers from Ryde Police Area Command established a crime scene and are investigating the circumstances surrounding the incident.

Any witnesses or anyone with dash cam vision are urged to come forward.

A report will be prepared for the Coroner.



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### **Ryde Police Area Command**

**Monday 22 October 2018**

#### **Mid-Range PCA - Ryde**

About 1:00am on Saturday 20 October 2018, a 56-year-old man from Maroubra drove a black Lexus in a westerly direction along Victoria Road in Ryde.

At the intersection of Victoria Road and Belmore Street in Ryde he came under the notice of police after being stopped for the purpose of a random breath test.

The man was submitted to a breath test that returned a positive result. The man was arrested and taken to Ryde Police Station where he was submitted to a breath analysis that returned a reading of 0.081.

The man was issued with a Court Attendance Notice for Drive with Middle Range PCA. His license was suspended and he will now appear in Burwood Local Court on 3 December 2018.

#### **Shoplifter – Macquarie Park**

About 2:30pm on 20 October 2018, a 33 year old man from West Ryde was at a supermarket at Macquarie Park. During this time a staff member has followed the man and observed him walk down a number of aisles and select various food items from the store shelves and place them into a shopping basket that was within the trolley he was pushing.

The man was then seen to place reusable bags over the shopping basket in an attempt to hide the items. The man then continued to select a number of items and place them on top of the reusable bags that were covering the shopping basket.

The man proceeded to the store's self-serve checkout and began scanning the items that were placed on top of the reusable bags before placing them into the bags and back into the trolley.

As the man was leaving the store, the staff member who had been following him observed that the man did not pay for the items contained within the shopping basket. The man was approached by the employee and escorted to the security office.

Police attended a short time later and spoke with the man. He was issued with a Criminal Infringement Notice for Shoplifting.

### **Man charged with Possession of a prohibited weapon – Ryde**

About 6:45pm on Sunday 21 October 2018, police received information from a member of the public and as a result of that information attended Gannan Park at Ryde.

Police stopped and spoke with a 45-year-old man from Ryde who at the time was dressed in an army style jacket with camouflage print. As a result of the conversation with the man, he was searched. Police located what appeared to be a converted grey coloured garage remote case with two metal screw ends protruding from one end. A small black rubber button was placed in the middle of the casing and the case was held together with metal screws in each corner.

Police pressed the black button and an electric arc sparked from the top of the object between the two screw heads until the button was released. The device was a type of taser.

The man was issued with a Court Attendance Notice for Possess or use a prohibited weapon without a permit. He will now appear in Burwood Local Court on 12 November 2018.

### **Man charged with steal from motor vehicle and possess prohibited drug.**

About 3:55am on Thursday 18 October 2018, police responded to a radio call for a man breaking into cars. At this time the man was being held by members of the public. being held in Neil Street, North Ryde.

Police attended the location to find a 22-year-old man from Putney being held by members of the public. The man was spoken to by police before being searched.

Police located a number of credit cards which were not in the man's name. Further enquiries made by police revealed that the credit cards had been stolen from a vehicle that had been parked in the street.

Police located a number of other items on the man which they will allege had been stolen from vehicles within the street. Police also located a small quantity of what is believed to be the drug Ice and other prescription medication for which the man did not possess a prescription for.

The man was arrested and taken to Ryde Police Station where he was issued with a Court Attendance Notice for 3 counts of Steal from Motor Vehicle and two counts of possess prohibited drug.

He is now due to appear in Burwood Local Court on 10 December 2018.

## **Two men charged with numerous offences - Carlingford**

About 12.40am on Wednesday 17 October 2018, a 19-year-old man and a 34-year-old man both from Galston, were together in the vicinity of Keeler Street, Carlingford. Whilst in the vicinity the two men have located motor vehicle licence plates off a South Australian vehicle hidden in shrubbery. These plates were reported stolen on the 15 October 2018. The two men have collected the motor vehicle licence plates and fixed them to the 19-year-old man's vehicle, a white Toyota.

About 1.00am on the same date, the two men have driven into the basement car - park of a Shopping Centre in Carlingford. The two men have used power tools to cut two copper pipes from the roof, without permission. The men have then placed the copper pipes into the rear of the vehicle, returned their power tools and sat in the front of the vehicle. This was witnessed by a security guard who contacted Police

At 1.27am, Police arrived at the location and observed the White Toyota driving at speed through the shopping centre car park. As a result, Police followed the vehicle and whilst on Thallon Street, Carlingford, Police stopped the vehicle.

Both men were placed under arrest and searched. During the search Police located in the driver's door a small resealable bag of cannabis.

The men were taken to Ryde Police Station where the 19-year-old man was issued with a Court Attendance for two counts of Larceny and Custody of a knife in a public place.

The 32-year-old was issued with a Court Attendance Notice for Use class B or C vehicle unauthorised number plate affixed, Possess prohibited drug and two counts of Larceny.

They will appear in Burwood Local Court on 27 November 2018.