

Northbrook Police Department

Week ending February 13, 2026



RETAIL THEFT: 02.06.26 1404
100 Block of Skokie Blvd

The loss prevention staff stated a male subject came into their store and grabbed a NFL Patriots' shirt and a container of moisturizer, a total value of \$36.99. The subject concealed the items in his coat pocket and fled out of the store without paying.

NO VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE: 02.07.26 1347
Dundee Rd & Greenwood Rd
Defendant – Adams, Summer D
Last Known Address – Schaumburg, IL
Vehicle – 2016 black Honda Accord

The officer observed a 2016 black Honda traveling at a high rate of speed. The officer measured the vehicle's speed at 60mph in a 40mph. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Summer Adams. Summer did not have a valid driver's license. She was charged with:

- Speeding
- No Valid Driver's License

The court date is set for March 30.

DEATH INVESTIGATION: 02.07.26 1817
1500 Block of Church St

The Northbrook police and fire departments responded to a residence because the homeowner had stopped breathing. Once they arrived, they attempted to revive him with CPR, but he eventually passed away due to natural causes.

THEFT: 02.07.26 1618
2300 Block of Salceda Dr

The complainant stated he ordered a Samsung phone, and it was being delivered to his residence via a national delivery company. He received an email from the carrier indicating the phone had been signed for and delivered. He checked his front door, but the phone was not there. He didn't know who signed for it or where the delivery company brought it to, but someone had stolen his phone.

SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSE: 02.07.26 2206
Willow Rd & Landwehr Rd
Defendant – Castrejon, Fernando
Last Known Address – Wheeling, IL
Vehicle – 2016 grey Nissan Altima

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The officer observed a grey Nissan swerve out of its lane on to the raised median and then travel back again. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Fernando Castrejon. Castrejon had a suspended driver's license. He was charged with:

- Improper Lane Usage
- Driving While License Suspended

The court date is set for March 30.

DEATH INVESTIGATION: 02.08.26 0446
2600 Block of Techny Rd

The Northbrook police and fire departments responded to an apartment because a person had stopped breathing. Once they arrived the caretaker of the subject advised the decedent had a do not resuscitate order on file. The decedent had passed away of natural causes. The officer assisted the family with contacting a funeral home.

DEATH INVESTIGATION: 02.08.26 0854
4100 Block of Lake Cook Rd

The Northbrook police and fire departments responded to an assisted care facility because a patient had stopped breathing. Once they arrived the staff advised the decedent had a do not resuscitate order on file. The decedent had passed away of natural causes. The staff contacted the family and the funeral home.

BANK FRAUD: 02.09.26 1405
200 Block of Old Post Rd

The complainant stated on February 6th an unknown subject forged fake checks to withdraw money from his banking account. On February 9th another illegal withdrawal occurred on his account. The total amount taken out of the banking account was \$38,000.00.

DUI: 02.09.26 2349
Willow Rd & Patriot Blvd
Defendant – Basurato, Francisco I
Last Known Address – Long Grove, IL
Vehicle – 2015 gray Nissan Altima

The officer observed a gray 2015 gray Nissan strike the curb with its passenger side tires. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Francisco Basurto. Basurto appeared intoxicated and refused to perform any field sobriety tests. The officer observed an open wine bottle inside the vehicle. Basurto was charged with:

- Improper Lane Usage
- DUI
- Illegal Transportation of Alcohol

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The court date is set for March 4.

EMAIL HACKING: 02.10.26 1025
4200 Block of Lindenwood Ln

The complainant stated she received a text message from a friend indicating the complainant's email was hacked and sending out random emails. After checking her email, she found it was hacked. The complainant worked with the carrier to get a new password and freeze various accounts.

CREDIT CARD FRAUD: 02.10.26 1243
2200 Block of Wyndance Way

The complainant stated she was notified of fraud on her husband's credit cards. The complainant thought that someone that assisted her husband at the house might have fraudulently used the credit card to make random purchases.

SUSPENDED REGISTRATION: 02.10.26 1633
Dundee Rd & Shermer Rd
Defendant – Aquilar Zavaleta, Julian
Last Known Address – Chicago, IL
Vehicle – 2011 gray Honda Civic

The officer observed a 2011 gray Honda with expired and suspended license plates. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Julian Aquilar Zavaleta. Aquilar Zavaleta was charged with:

- Expired Registration
- Suspended Registration
- Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle

The court date is set for March 4.

SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSE: 002.10.26 1841
Shermer Rd & Techny Rd
Defendant – Marrero Alvarez, Rufino
Last Known Address – Northbrook, IL
Vehicle – 2010 red Kia Soul

The officer observed a 2010 red Kia with suspended license plates. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Rufino Marrero Alvarez. Marrero Alvarez had a suspended driver's license. He was charged with driving while his license was suspended.

The court date is set for March 20.

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SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSE: 02.10.26 1940

Founders Dr & Westleigh Dr
Defendant – Chornyy, Mikhaylo
Last Known Address – Arlington Heights, IL
Vehicle – 2015 white Toyota Sienna

The officer observed a 2015 white Toyota who the registered owner, from the license plate information, came back with a suspended driver's license. The officer confirmed the description of the owner looked like the driver and stopped the vehicle. The driver, Mikhaylo Chornyy, was charged with driving while his license is suspended.

The court date is set for March 4.

SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSE: 02.10.26 2351

Dundee Rd & Western Ave
Defendant – Hernandez, Francisco
Last Known Address – Chicago, IL
Vehicle – 2012 red Hyundai Elantra

The officer observed a 2012 red Hyundai with suspended license plates. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Francisco Hernandez. Hernandez had a suspended driver's license. He was charged with:

- No Valid Driver's License
- Driving While License Suspended

The court date is set for March 4.

EMAIL SCAM: 02.11.26 1337

600 Block of Academy Dr

The complainant received an email from a subject that appeared to be from her supervisor. The email instructed her to purchase nine \$200.00 gift cards. Once she purchased the gift cards, the complainant was supposed to supply the card numbers back to the subject through email. The complainant followed the instructions and provided the newly purchased card numbers to the subject. When she arrived back at work and her supervisor advised her he never sent her an email, that is when she realized she had been scammed.

IDENTITY THEFT: 02.11.26 1930

1100 Block of Greenbriar Ln

The complainant stated an unknown subject used his personal information to purchase two iPads and two iPhones through T-Mobile. After looking into the matter, he noticed someone was able to access his credit information through Trans Union and obtain all his information.

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SUSPENDED REGISTRATION: 02.11.26 2326

Willow Rd & Landwehr Rd
Defendant – Amador Vargas, Jairo
Last Known Address – Lincolnshire, IL
Vehicle – 2010 black Ford Edge

The officer observed a 2010 black Ford with suspended license plates. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver, Jairo Amador Vargas. Amador Vargas was charged with:

- Suspended Registration
- Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle

The court date is set for March 4.

COMMERCIAL BURGLARY: 02.12.26 0532

2800 Block of Dundee Rd

While patrolling the area of a fast-food restaurant, the officer observed the front window smashed. After searching inside, the officer noticed someone had broken in and stole approximately \$200.00 from the cash drawer.

PHONE SCAM / BANK FRAUD: 02.12.26 1232

1000 Block of Sunset Ridge Rd

The complainant stated her elderly mother fell for a scam when someone called her and obtained her banking information. The scammers were able to change her password to her bank account and withdrew several thousands of dollars from it.

SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSE: 02.12.26 1623

3500 Block of Dundee Rd
Defendant – Johnson, Gerrell D
Last Known Address – Arlington Heights, IL
Vehicle – 2015 black GMC Terrain

The officer observed a black GMC with expired license plates. The license plates were registered to a gold Cadillac as well. The officer stopped the vehicle and spoke to the driver. The driver was eventually identified as Gerrell Johnson. Johnson had a suspended driver's license. He was charged with:

- Failure to Secure New Registration
- Driving While License Suspended
- Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle

The court date is set for March 20.