COUNTRYSIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CRIME REPORT SUMMARY
April 3, 2026

Date	Time	Location	Offense	Incident Summary
3-27-26	1:47 PM	6510 Joliet Road, Fajitas Restaurant	Theft	A 68 year old Lake in the Hills man did not pay for his meal and left the store after causing a disturbance. After officers stopped the man a short distance away from the restaurant, the restaurant manager did not want to prosecute the offender and requested he be trespassed from the business.
3-27-26	3:17 PM	5555 Brainard, TJ Maxx	Hit and Run	The victim's vehicle was struck by an unknown vehicle while it was parked and unoccupied in the TJ Maxx parking lot between 2:25 PM and 3:15 PM.
3-28-26	2:53 PM	11 Countryside Plaza, Best Buy	Identity Theft	The victim reported that at approximately 1:25 PM she received a "fraud alert" from her credit card company that someone was trying to purchase Apple products at Best Buy using her credit card information. The victim was able to stop the purchase from being completed. Surveillance footage showed the offender to be a black male approximately 6ft 2in tall wearing a gray baseball hat, tan winter coat, and a white face mask.
3-30-26	8:41 PM	1 Countryside Plaza, Floor and Decor	Hit and Run	The victim reported that on 3-29-26 between 12:32 PM and 1:07 PM their parked and unoccupied vehicle was struck in the parking lot of Floor and Decor by an unknown vehicle.
3-31-26	1:59 PM	6700 block Brainard Avenue	Theft	The victim clicked on a fraudulent website while trying to get a refund from Apple for software they purchased. The victim was then tricked in to allowing a scammer to have remote access to their phone which allowed the scammer to steal $1,300 by purchasing digital gift cards which the scammer them sent to themselves.
4-1-26	3:11 PM	140 Countryside Plaza, Home Depot	Theft	A loss prevention employee reported that a customer rented a piece of equipment valued at $31,760.22 from the business on 1-21-26. The equipment was due to be returned on the same day, however it was not and all attempts by Home Depot to recover it were unsuccessful. The equipment was recovered in Adams County, Indiana on 4-2-26.
4-2-26	11:35 AM	9900 block 58th Street	Theft	The victim reported that a package containing a purse valued at $145.54 was stolen from the back door of their apartment complex after it was delivered.

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ARREST SUMMARY
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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CHARGE(S)	DEFENDANT INFORMATION *	INCIDENT SUMMARY
3-28-26	12:28 PM	13 Countryside Plaza, Dollar Tree	Retail Theft	Jordan K. Hopson, M/26 yoa, East Chicago, IN	Best Buy employees called to report that the offender who committed a retail theft at the store on 3-19-26 had returned and was walking around inside the store. When officers arrived they observed the offender, identified as Hopson, leave Best Buy and enter the Dollar Tree store next to Best Buy. Hopson was detained inside Dollar Tree until officers reviewed video from Best Buy to confirm he was the offender from the earlier theft. After Hopson was positively identified as the offender, he was arrested without incident, charged, and released with a court date.

***Individuals listed have been charged with a criminal offense and have a pending court date.**
All defendants are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.