COUNTRYSIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CRIME REPORT SUMMARY
July 3, 2026

Date	Time	Location	Offense	Incident Summary
6-26-26	9:51AM	5500 S. LaGrange Road, Dunkin'	Retail Theft	An employee reported that an M/W in his 40's took a banana from the counter and left the store. Officers located the subject a short distance away. The business advised that they did not wish to sign complaints, but opted to have the subject trespassed from the property.
6-29-26	6:36AM	5700 block East Avenue	Burglary to Motor Vehicle	A resident reported that during the overnight hours, a window was broken on their parked work van. The offender(s) stole numerous tools from inside the van after breaking the window.
6-29-26	9:21AM	5301 Dansher Road, Sokol & Co.	Deceptive Practice	An employee from the business reported receiving two telephone orders for merchandise in May, totaling approximately $10,000.00. The business later received notification that the credit card transactions had been disputed as fraudulent, resulting in the loss of the merchandise.
7-2-26	8:42 AM	9500 block 56th Street	Burglary to Motor Vehicle	The victim reported that someone had entered her car during the overnight hours and rummaged through it. Video surveillance cameras in the area revealed that there were two (2) offenders in the victim's driveway at approximately 3:21 AM. The offenders were seen leaving east on 56th Street in a red Honda CRV.

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CHARGE(S)	DEFENDANT INFORMATION *	INCIDENT SUMMARY
6-28-26	10:31PM	6200 block Joliet Road	Driving While License Suspended, Obstructing Identification, Improper Lane Use, In-State Warrant x2	Cordova, Edison, M/32, Villa Park, IL	An officer on patrol stopped a vehicle driven by Cordova after observing a lane violation. During the stop, Cordova provided the officer with a false name. After determining his true identity, officers discovered that Cordova's driver's license was suspended due to a previous DUI conviction and that he had two active warrants for his arrest. Cordova was taken into custody and processed for his charges. He was issued a court date and transported to the Bridgeview Courthouse.
6-28-26	12:30AM	803 Joliet Road, Countryside	Aggravated Identity Theft (Felony), In-State Warrant x 2	Ruich, Richard, M/44, Countryside, IL	Ruich was identified by Countryside Detectives as the suspect in Identity Theft case from April of 2026. In that incident, Ruich made more than $6,000 in unauthorized charges to an elderly victim's credit card. An original arrest warrant was obtained, leading to Ruich's arrest in Lockport. Officers also discovered that Ruich had (2) additional warrants for his arrest, one from DuPage County and one from LaSalle County. Ruich was processed on the the charges and transported to the Bridgeview Courthouse for a hearing.
6-29-26	12:02 PM	5600 block Park Avenue	Criminal Trespass, Assault, Resist or Obstruct an Officer	Panopoulos, Dominick S. , M/22, Countryside, IL	Panopoulos was involved in a disturbance where he threatened to throw or strike the victim with a bench and attempted to force his way in to the victim's residence. Panopoulos subsequently resisted officers attempts to handcuff him when he was

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					being placed under arrest. He was later released with a court date.
6-29-16	4:16 PM	6800 block Willow Springs Road	Battery	Jahari A. Johnson, M/24 yoa, Chicago, IL	Johnson was involved in a road rage incident with the victim and followed the victim home. While the victim was standing in the street, Johnson drove at the victim, striking the victim on the arm with the side view mirror of his (Johnson's) car. Johnson was arrested without incident and later released with a court date.

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