COUNTRYSIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CRIME REPORT SUMMARY
May 29, 2026

Date	Time	Location	Offense	Incident Summary
5-24-26	3:11 AM	7157 Willow Springs Road, The Mood	Battery	Two (2) victims reported that the offender, who is known to them, pushed them during an argument as the offender was leaving the business. Both of the victims indicated that they were not interested in pursuing criminal charges against the offender.
5-26-26	3:59 AM	6574 Joliet Road, Betty's Bistro	Attempted Burglary, Aggravated Fleeing and Eluding	An officer on patrol observed 4 offenders exit a white Kia Stinger sedan with no license plates and break the glass on the front door of the business. As the officer started driving towards them, they entered the car and fled at a high rate of speed. The officer pursued the vehicle until losing sight of it on I-55 near 1st Avenue travelling in excess of 100 MPH. The vehicle, which was found to be stolen, was later recovered in the 8700 block of S Normal in Chicago.
5-26-26	8:01 AM	6700 block Brainard Avenue	Theft	The victim reported that on 5-20-26 he applied for a loan through an online website. He then received phone calls from two different people that convinced him to wire $14,320 to a bank account. In addition to wiring the money, the victim's bank also found suspicious activity on his bank account after speaking with the scammers on the phone. The bank was able to stop some of the suspicious and/or fraudulent transactions from being completed.
5-26-26	8:54 AM	9685 55th Street, Terry Plumbing	Theft	The victim reported that the catalytic converter was stolen off of their truck while it was parked at the listed location between 5-22-26 at 1:30 PM and 5-26-26 at 4:30 AM.
5-26-26	9:43 AM	5227 Dansher Road, Van Lang Food Products	Theft	The victim reported that the catalytic converter was stolen off of their work van while it was parked at the listed location between 5-22-26 at 5:00 PM and 5-26-26 at 8:00 AM.
5-28-26	1:07 PM	9600 block 56th Street	Identity Theft	The victim reported that she discovered an unauthorized charge on her debit card for $124.00 which occurred on 5-20-26. The victim's bank notified her that an unknown person contacted the bank and unsuccessfully requested to change some personal information on her account.

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CHARGE(S)	DEFENDANT INFORMATION *	INCIDENT SUMMARY
5-23-26	11:00 AM	5545 Brainard Avenue, Jewel	Retail Theft (3) (Felony)	Gregory D. Logan, M/56 yoa, Maywood, IL	Logan committed a retail theft and was arrested by patrol officers waiting for him as he left the store. Additionally, he was identified as the offender that committed retail thefts at Jewel on 5-14-26 and 5-18-26. The Cook County State's Attorney approved felony retail theft charges against Logan for all three incidents. Logan was released with a court date.
5-23-26	4:22 PM	140 Countryside Plaza, Home Depot	Endanger the Life or Health of a Child	Javier A Barzuto Bermeo, M/34 yoa, Chicago, IL	Officers were dispatched to check on children left unattended inside a parked vehicle at Home Depot. They located a 1 year old and 4 year old child alone inside the car. The children's father, Barzuto Bermeo, returned to the car while officers were with the children and admitted to leaving them alone while he was inside Home Depot. He was arrested without incident and later released with a court date.
5-24-26	3:41 AM	6101 LaGrange Road, Shell Gas Station	Criminal Damage To Property, Resisting a Police Officer	Vanessa Gutierrez, F/19 yoa, Chicago, IL	Gutierrez kicked a window at the gas station causing it to shatter. She then fled as the passenger in a white Kia sedan. When officers stopped the Kia and attempted to arrest Gutierrez she resisted arrest and had to be wrestled in to handcuffs. She was later released with a court date.
5-24-26	3:41 AM	6101 LaGrange Road, Shell Gas Station	Fleeing and Eluding, Illegal Transportation Open Alcohol, Expired Drivers License	Victor D Sambrano, 27 yoa, Chicago, IL	Sambrano was Gutierrez's getaway driver. After initially pulling over for officers, Sambrano quickly sped away as the officer walked up to his car. After a very brief pursuit the car was boxed in and stopped which led to the arrest of Sambrano and Gutierrez. During a search of the car open beer cans

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					and a bottle of whiskey were found inside. After being arrested, Sambrano was released with a court date.
5-28-26	11:26 AM		Retail Theft (Felony)	Mitchell R. Gunther III, M/43 yoa, Chicago, IL	Gunther was identified as the offender that stole $159.98 worth of liquor products from the store on 5-23-26. On 5-28-26 at approximately 11:25 AM LPR Cameras alerted Countryside Police Officers that Gunther's vehicle had returned to the area. They were able to conduct a traffic stop and arrested Gunther without incident. The Cook County State's Attorney approved a felony retail theft charge against Gunther. Gunther was released with a court date.

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