

BUTLER COUNTY COMMON PLEAS COURT JUVENILE DIVISION



2008 ANNUAL REPORT

**In Honor of a Life Well Lived
Judge David J. Niehaus
March 29, 1944 – July 31, 2008**



For forty years, Judge David J. Niehaus served Butler County as an employee of Common Pleas Court. In 1981, he was elected as a Probate Court judge, with the assignment of hearing juvenile cases. In 1987, he became the first Juvenile Court judge in Butler County, a position he held for the last twenty-one years of his life. His life's work was to strengthen families, believing that families were the cornerstone of our society. His fairness and compassion touched the lives of many children and families in our county. He has truly shaped lives for a lifetime. Let us all begin shaping lives for a lifetime.



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In compliance with Section 2151.18 of the Ohio Revised Code, we submit herewith the Annual Report of the Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division, Butler County, Ohio, covering the calendar year of 2008. This report reflects the number and kinds of cases that have come before it, and other data pertaining to the work of the Court and of interest to you and the general public.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald R. Craft
Administrative Judge

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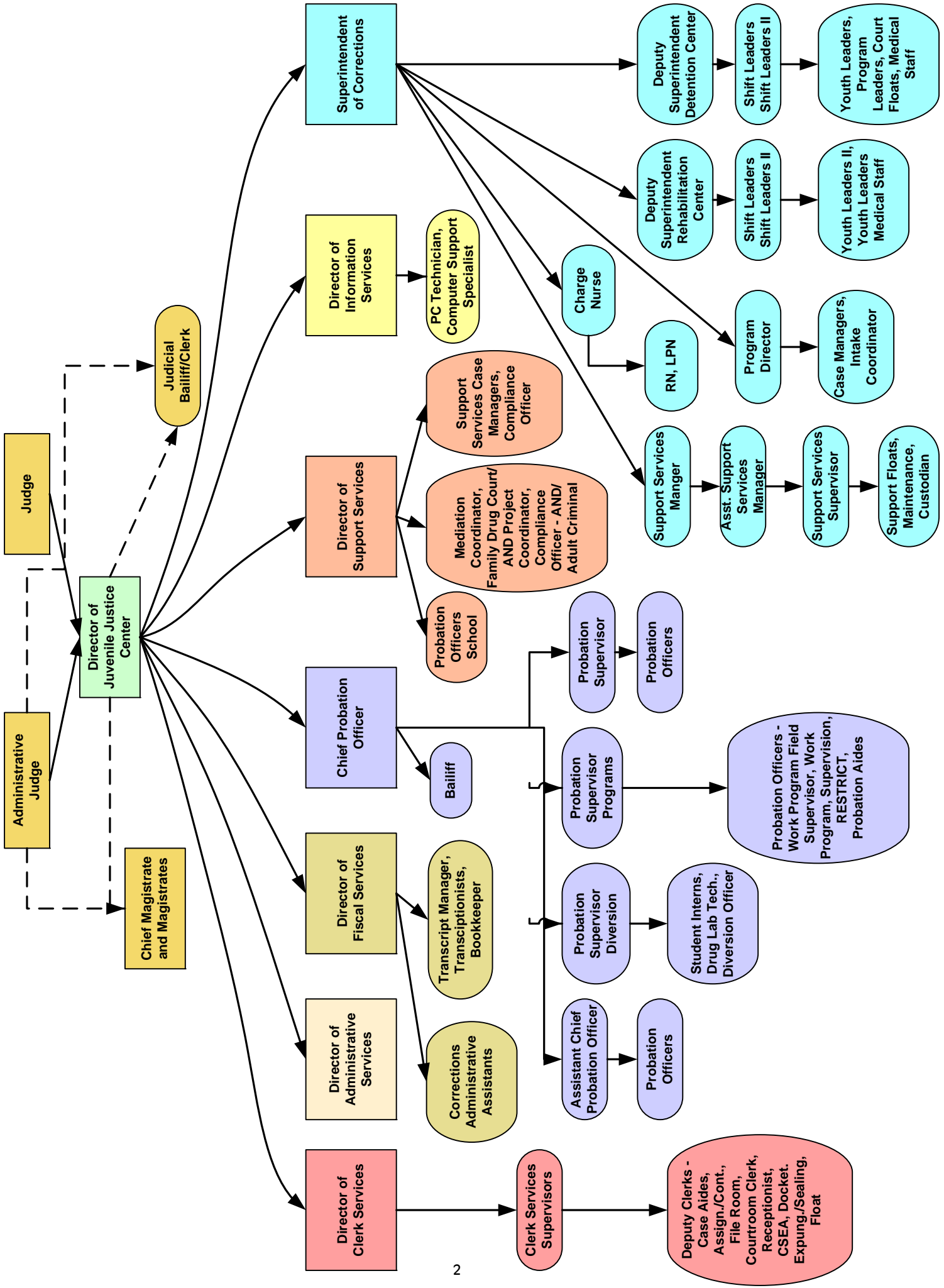
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JUVENILE COURT OVERVIEW

It is difficult to write an overview of the year 2008 without first mentioning the untimely passing of Judge David J. Niehaus. During his all too brief time with us, Judge Niehaus guided this court through a time where this court as well as juvenile and family courts across the nation experienced tremendous growth. Fueled by several factors; a growth in societal concern and awareness about child abuse and neglect, a marked upswing in the number of children born to unmarried parents; an increasing awareness of the problems associated with domestic violence, the continuing court and legislative emphasis on due process and proper legal representation for children and parents, ongoing increases in the quantity and severity of juvenile criminal activity, persistent problems posed by drug and alcohol abuse, and growing concerns regarding sex offenders, that growth presented unprecedented challenges to this and other juvenile courts. Judge Niehaus ably led us through those times, always keeping this court focused upon the citizens, children, and families that we all serve. He will be deeply missed by the staff of this court and by the community he served.

After the death of Judge Niehaus, leadership of the Juvenile Court in Butler County passed to Judge Ronald R. Craft. During his first year as Administrative Judge of the Juvenile Court, Judge Craft oversaw a court in transition in many ways. For the first time in many years, this court experienced a marked decrease in the filing of new child abuse, neglect and dependency cases. Almost 200 fewer such cases were filed in 2008 than in 2007. Concurrently, the number of court actions filed in this court regarding visitation and support continued their historical increases, significantly outpacing the decline in abuse, neglect and dependency cases while child custody actions showed a marked decline.

Despite the ongoing increases in the number of complaints and motions filed, utilizing alternative dispute resolution mechanisms such as mandatory mediation and settlement conferences, this court was able, in 2008, to significantly reduce the delays that had historically been present in many case types.

2008 also represented the first full year of operation of the Family Drug Court Program. This innovative program coupled intensive drug dependency treatment with a specialized court process designed to encourage sobriety, to enforce court orders, and to, ultimately, return children to healthy families.

In terms of services for delinquent children, the Juvenile Court contracted with the Sheriff's Office in developing a program designed to find juveniles for whom warrants had been issued. Additionally, the Juvenile Rehabilitation Center was accredited, in 2008, by the American Correctional Association.

There are many challenges which the Juvenile Court must face in the coming year. Economic uncertainty looms large, the needs in our communities continue to expand, and complex changes are being planned for our court system. Optimism and persistence in the face of such challenges may seem unrealistic. We are nonetheless committed to providing quality services to the people and families of this county. In light of this court's legacy we cannot afford to do less.

JUVENILE DATA TOTALS

Delinquent/Unruly

Cases Filed	4188
Juveniles	2616
Offenses	6701
Offenses Against Persons	1019
Offenses Against Property	1050
Offenses Involving Drugs or Alcohol	655
Offenses Involving Weapons	58
Other Offenses	685
Unruly Offenses	801
Truancy Offenses	886
Technical Violations	1547
Restitution Collected	\$243,937.37
Delinquent/Unruly Fines and Costs Collected	\$173,072.45

Diversion

Cases Diverted	670
Juveniles	653
Offenses	751
Juvenile Fund Contributions Collected	\$17,219.81

Traffic

Cases Filed	1819
Juveniles	1636
Offenses	2251
Dispositions	4529
Traffic Fines and Costs Levied	\$126,392.00
Traffic Fines and Costs Collected	\$159,482.39

***Note: The above sections represent the number of cases filed as committed by the number of unique juveniles charged with the number of specific offenses.**

(EXAMPLE: There were 4,188 Delinquent/Unruly cases filed that involved 2,616 distinct juveniles. Those cases were comprised of 6,701 individual offenses and resulted in the Court issuing 31,916 dispositions or orders.)

Work Program

Total Juvenile Participants	1631
Restitution Hours	6277
Community Service Hours	8950
Total Amount Paid to Victims	\$20,392.38

Bind-Overs

Cases Bound Over	14
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Placements

Department of Youth Services	50
Juvenile Detention Center	1525
Juvenile Rehabilitation Center	78

Juvenile Detention Center

Total Number of Youth Admitted During 2008	1525
Average Daily Population	69
Average Length of Stay in Days	15

Juvenile Rehabilitation Center

Total Number of Youth Admitted During 2008	78
Total Number of Youth Released During 2008	85
Number of Youth Successfully Completing the Program	(85%) 72

Support Services

Abuse/Neglect/Dependency Cases Filed	438
Custody Filings (Complaints and Motions)	1291
Visitation Filings (Complaints and Motions)	182
Adult Criminal Cases Filed	698
Adult Criminal Fines and Costs Collected	\$33,017.35

Family Drug Court Program

Clients Accepted into the Program in 2008	21
Clients that Successfully Completed the Program in 2008	3
Clients Currently in the Program	22
Children Currently Involved with Children Services	42

Clerk Services

Total Number of Cases Filed	9,202
Total Number of Motions Filed	11,708
Total Number of Decisions Issued/Hearings Held	35,161
Total Number of Service Documents Issued	47,887
Total Number of Warrants Issued	1818
Number of Cases Assigned to Domestic Relations Court	861
Number of Hearings Held in Domestic Relations Court	5270
Parentage Complaints and Motions	221
Support Complaints and Motions	1869
UIFSA Complaints and Motions (Uniform Interstate Family Support Act)	33

JUVENILE PROBATION DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

The Butler County Juvenile Probation Department conducts investigations at the direction of the Juvenile Court Judges and presents the findings of the investigations to the Judges. In addition, the Juvenile Probation Department provides supervision for delinquent youth as directed by the Juvenile Court.

The Balanced Approach Philosophy is the framework that guides the Juvenile Probation Department. This philosophy emphasizes holding youth accountable for their actions, keeping the community safe from the individual and referring youth to resources that increase the youth's ability to be successful in the community. The Butler County Juvenile Probation Department implements this framework by:

1. Enforcing the orders of the court (Accountability) – Probation Officers recommend sanctions and enforce orders such as restitution to victims, driver's license suspensions and community service. When the court orders restitution and/or community service, these orders can be met through the Butler County Juvenile Court Work Program. The Butler County Juvenile Court Work Program consists of three Work Program Officers that supervise youth at non-profit work sites within the community, which allows the youth to fulfill the order of the court and to give back to the community. If the youth owes restitution to a victim, the community service hours worked can be converted to money that goes directly to the victim.
2. Referring youth to resources to improve their chances to be successful within the community (Skill Development) – Probation Officers link youth to resources within the community that will address the behaviors that have brought the youth to court. A continuum of substance abuse treatment services, from education to inpatient services, is available for those with substance abuse issues. Other resources, Multisystemic Therapy and Functional Family Therapy, are designed to address the delinquent/unruly behavior of youth. Both of these services are nontraditional therapies that work with the youth and the youth's family to address problem behavior and have research that supports the effectiveness of working with delinquent/unruly youth.

3. Supervising youth who remain in the community (Public Safety) – Court-involved youth who remain in the community must be actively supervised and the Probation Department provides that supervision. Probation Officers have face to face contact with the youth at their home and at school. The Probation Department also utilizes House Arrest, Home Incarceration, Electronic Monitoring and Curfew to restrict the juveniles' movement within the community. Probation Officers go to homes in the evening to verify that the youth are complying with the restrictions. Drug screening is also utilized by Probation Officers to monitor court involved youth. In 2008, there were 1,743 drug screens completed on court involved juveniles.

The Butler County Juvenile Probation Department has three levels of Supervision; Diversion Supervision, Court Supervision and Probation Supervision.

Diversion Supervision is provided to youth who are referred to the court for the first time for committing minor offenses and are willing to take responsibility for their actions. A Diversion Supervisor, Diversion Officer, and at times, interns from social work fields and other related courses of study, supervise those youth, ensuring that they are held accountable for their actions. In 2008, 653 youth were supervised through Diversion Supervision.

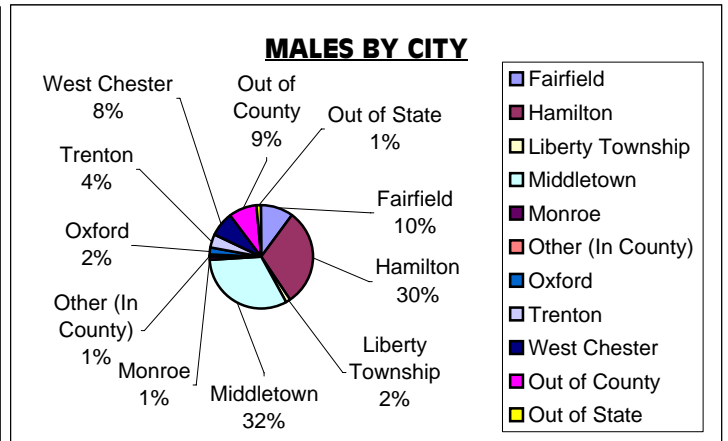
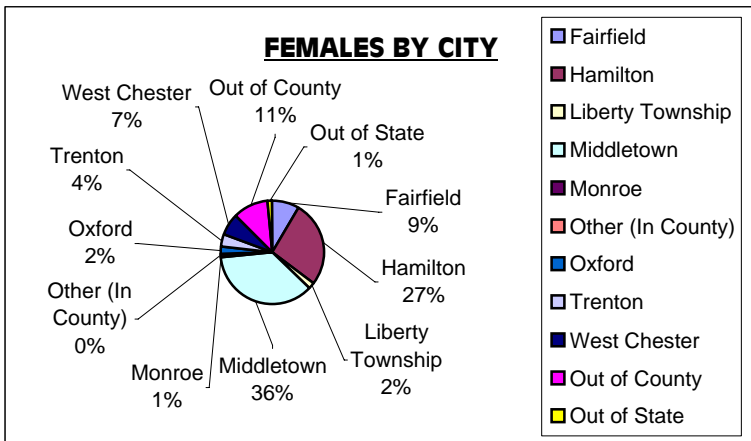
Court Supervision is provided to youth who are found to be delinquent or unruly and are not in need of the structure provided by Probation Supervision. Three Compliance Probation Officers supervise these youth to ensure that the youth fulfill the orders of the court. In 2008, 3,198 youth were supervised through Court Supervision.

Probation Supervision is provided to youth who are found to be serious, high risk offenders and/or chronic offenders. Fifteen Field Probation Officers supervise these youth, not only to ensure that they comply with the orders of the court, but also that the youth show improvement in their functioning at home, school and community. In 2008, 1,174 youth were supervised through Probation Supervision.

In 2008, The Butler County Juvenile Probation Department enhanced its abilities to protect the community from court involved youth. In this year, Probation created the Juvenile Court Law Enforcement Program (JCLE) and contracted with the Butler County Sheriff's Office to provide a Detective as our JCLE Officer. This JCLE Officer began, in August, actively looking for court involved youth who had warrants. In 2008, the JCLE Officer was able to serve 84 warrants. In 2009, the JCLE Officer will also begin checking on high risk juvenile offenders in the evenings to ensure compliance with court ordered restrictions, such as House Arrest and Home Incarceration.

Delinquent and Unruly Cases by Residence

	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Fairfield	408	282	126
Hamilton	1210	818	392
Liberty Township	71	42	29
Middletown	1396	863	533
Monroe	44	30	14
Other (In County)	17	14	3
Oxford	95	62	33
Trenton	171	114	57
West Chester	317	214	103
Out of County	405	241	164
Out of State	54	35	19
Total	4188	2715	1473



	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK	BI-RACIAL	HISPANIC	ASIAN	NATIVE HAWAIIAN/ PACIFIC ISLANDER	AMERICAN INDIAN /ALASKA NATIVE	OTHER
Fairfield	408	211	155	12	21	6	0	0	3
Hamilton	1210	900	186	37	80	3	1	0	3
Liberty Township	71	46	16	6	1	1	0	0	1
Middletown	1396	881	357	97	44	3	0	0	14
Monroe	44	39	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Other (In County)	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oxford	95	86	3	5	0	0	0	0	1
Trenton	171	165	2	1	3	0	0	0	0
West Chester	317	196	99	7	11	2	0	0	2
Out of County	405	251	125	9	8	0	0	0	12
Out of State	54	36	8	4	1	0	0	0	5
Total	4188	2828	954	179	169	15	1	0	42

Delinquent and Unruly Cases by Referral Agency

Police Department Referrals

	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Butler County Sheriff's Office	310	228	82
Fairfield Police Department	366	234	132
Fairfield Township Police Department	136	79	57
Hamilton Police Department	540	398	142
Metro Parks	0	0	0
Miami University Police Department	2	1	1
Middletown Police Department	715	474	241
Monroe Police Department	100	74	26
Ohio State Patrol	11	9	2
Oxford Police Department	88	63	25
Oxford Township Police Department	0	0	0
Ross Township Police Department	33	24	9
Seven Mile Police Department	0	0	0
Sharonville Police Department	2	1	1
Trenton Police Department	123	97	26
West Chester Police Department	401	246	155
Total	2827	1928	899

Board of Education Referrals

	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
ECOT	12	7	5
Edgewood	27	15	12
Fairfield	145	89	56
Hamilton	184	98	86
Lakota	59	31	28
Life Skills	88	41	47
Madison	11	4	7
Middletown	268	129	139
Monroe	12	6	6
New Miami	18	10	8
Ross	8	3	5
Talawanda	48	24	24
Total	880	457	423

Other Referrals

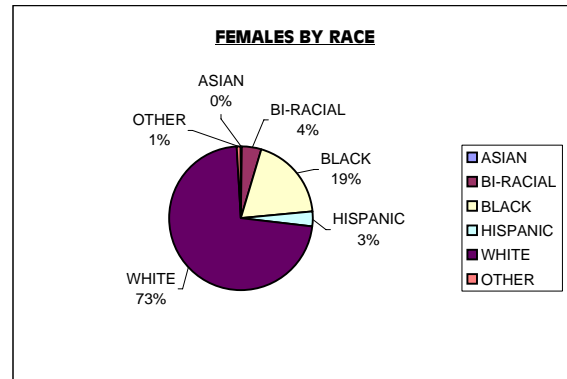
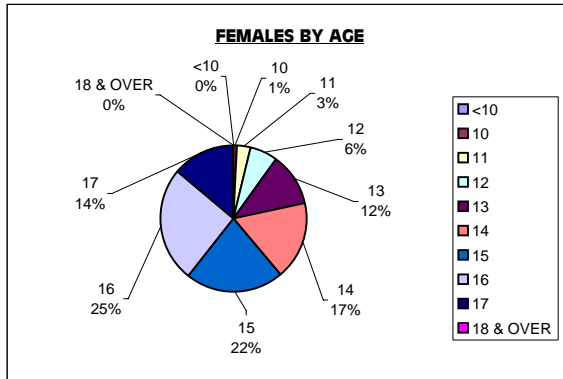
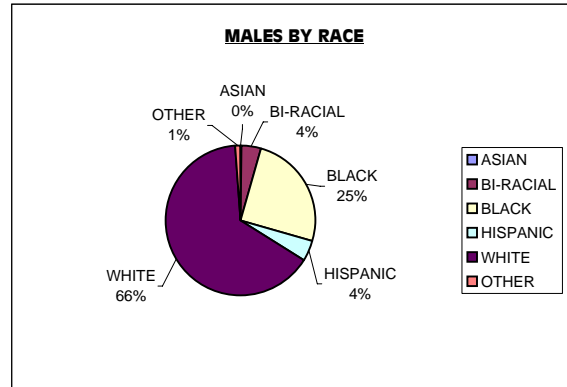
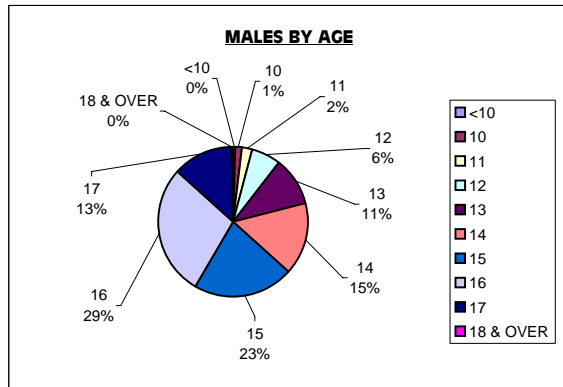
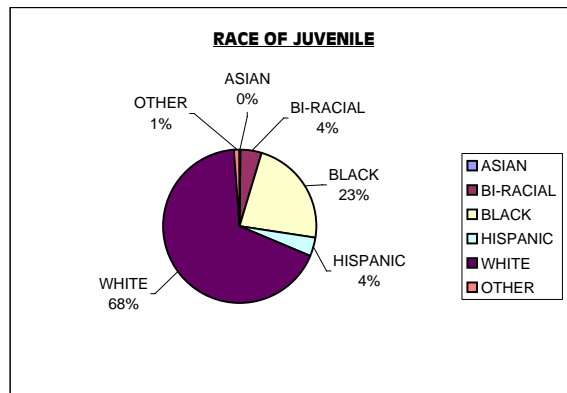
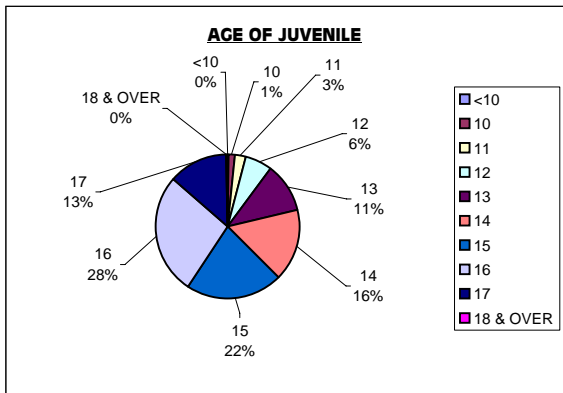
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Butler County Corrections	81	71	10
Department of Youth Services	5	4	1
Middletown Fire Department	1	1	0
Monroe Fire Department	1	0	1
Other Referrals	22	19	3
School Resource Referral	254	168	86
Transfer From Another County	117	67	50
Total	481	330	151
Total	4188	2715	1473

Delinquent and Unruly Offender Profile - Case Count

AGE	<10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 & OVER	TOTAL
MALE	13	40	63	171	288	419	591	765	358	7	2715
FEMALE	2	11	43	90	173	254	318	377	204	1	1473
TOTAL	15	51	106	261	461	673	909	1142	562	8	4188

AGE	<10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 & OVER	TOTAL
ASIAN	0	0	0	0	4	3	1	1	6	0	15
BI-RACIAL	0	4	11	10	33	30	45	30	14	1	178
BLACK	5	13	28	66	95	177	205	244	120	2	955
HISPANIC	1	3	6	9	15	17	41	50	27	0	169
WHITE	9	30	58	172	308	443	607	810	388	4	2829
OTHER	0	1	3	4	6	3	10	7	7	1	42
TOTAL	15	51	106	261	461	673	909	1142	562	8	4188

RACE	ASIAN	BI-RACIAL	BLACK	HISPANIC	WHITE	OTHER	TOTAL
MALE	10	113	676	122	1766	28	2715
FEMALE	5	65	279	47	1063	14	1473
TOTAL	15	178	955	169	2829	42	4188



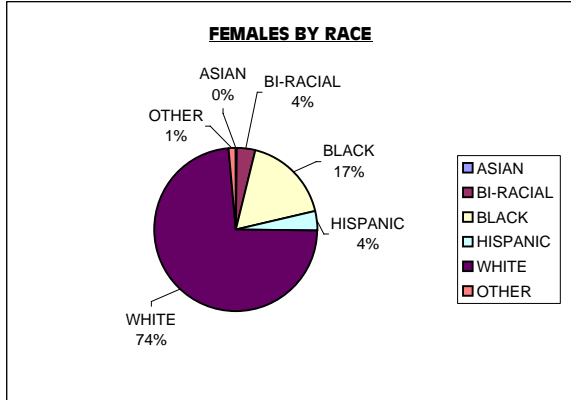
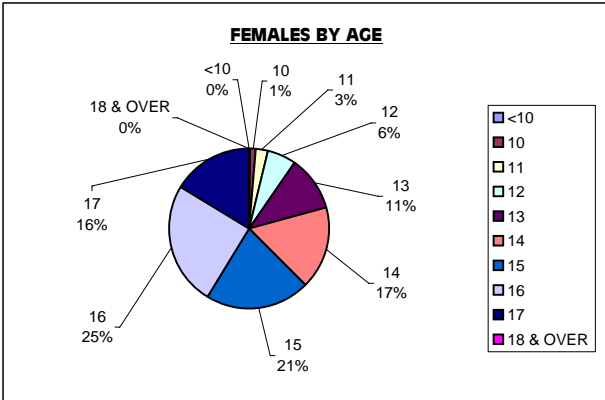
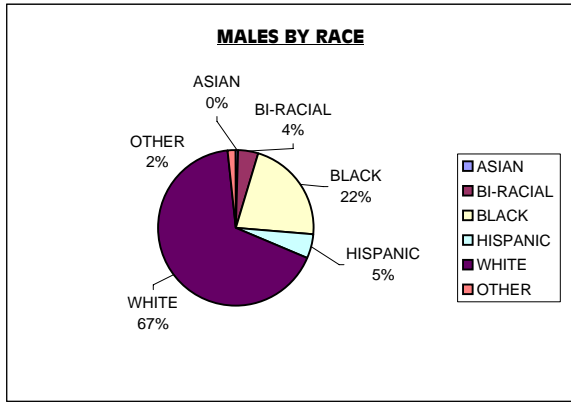
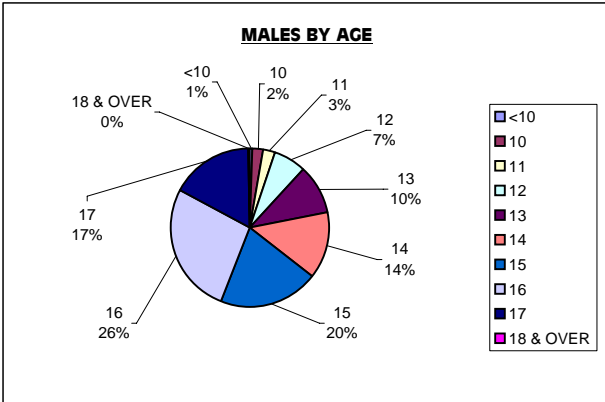
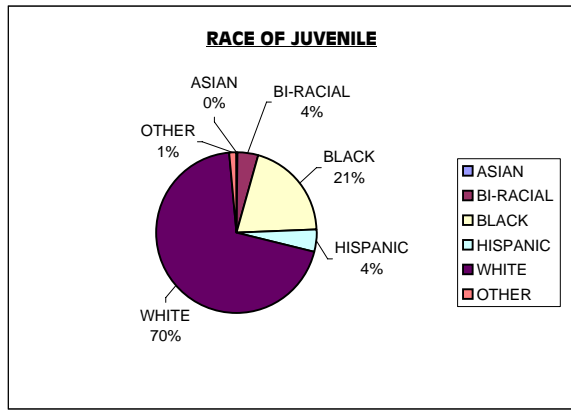
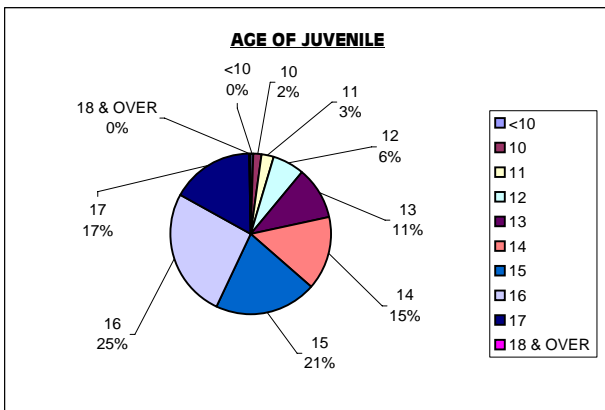
* NOTE: These statistics represent an accounting of the juveniles that committed each offense. Some juveniles may be counted more than once since these counts refer to each case and not each unique juvenile.

Delinquent and Unruly Offender Profile - Distinct Count

AGE	<10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 & OVER	TOTAL
MALE	11	32	44	106	164	220	329	436	271	6	1619
FEMALE	2	11	27	56	111	166	210	251	162	1	997
TOTAL	13	43	71	162	275	386	539	687	433	7	2616

AGE	<10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 & OVER	TOTAL
ASIAN	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	1	2	0	9
BI-RACIAL	0	2	5	8	16	23	23	19	11	1	108
BLACK	5	12	17	39	54	82	112	121	81	2	525
HISPANIC	1	3	5	7	8	15	18	34	26	0	117
WHITE	7	25	41	104	189	260	377	506	306	3	1818
OTHER	0	1	3	4	6	3	8	6	7	1	39
TOTAL	13	43	71	162	275	386	539	687	433	7	2616

RACE	ASIAN	BI-RACIAL	BLACK	HISPANIC	WHITE	OTHER	TOTAL
MALE	7	70	351	80	1085	26	1619
FEMALE	2	38	174	37	733	13	997
TOTAL	9	108	525	117	1818	39	2616



* NOTE: These statistics represent an accounting of the juveniles that committed offenses. Each juvenile is counted only once and is counted by age at their first offense.

Juvenile Offenses

Offenses Against Persons	2007 TOTAL	2008 TOTAL	2008 MALE	2008 FEMALE
Abduction	1	5	4	1
Abuse of a Police Officer	3	1	1	0
Aggravated Assault	9	10	8	2
Aggravated Burglary	2	12	10	2
Aggravated Menacing	33	48	33	15
Aggravated Murder	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Robbery	9	18	15	3
Aggravated Vehicular Homicide	0	1	1	0
Assault	302	341	237	104
Child Endangering - Abuse/Neglect	4	3	1	2
Child Endangering - Serious Physical Harm	1	0	0	0
Contaminating Substance for Human Consumption	1	0	0	0
Contributing to Unruliness/Delin. Of a Minor	2	2	2	0
Criminal Mischief Physical Harm to Person	3	4	4	0
Domestic Violence	354	311	180	131
Endangering Child/Op Vehicle	1	4	1	3
Ethnic Intimidation	1	2	1	1
Failure to Stop Injury to Person/Property	0	1	0	1
Felonious Assault	28	26	22	4
Forgery (formerly offense against property)	8	10	3	7
Gross Sexual Imposition	30	23	21	2
Harassment by Inmate	2	1	1	0
Importuning	1	0	0	0
Intimidation of Attorney/Victim/Witness	3	1	1	0
Involuntary Manslaughter	0	2	2	0
Kidnapping	1	6	4	2
Menacing	58	79	57	22
Misuse of Credit Cards (formerly offense against property)	5	14	6	8
Murder	1	1	1	0
Negligent Assault	1	0	0	0
Passing Bad Checks > 500.00 < 5000.00	0	2	2	0
Rape	35	38	37	1
Retaliation	0	1	1	0
Robbery	25	14	14	0
Sexual Battery	1	1	1	0
Sexual Imposition	12	10	9	1
Theft of Elderly of Disabled	0	1	1	0
Telecommunications Harassment	18	23	13	10
Unlawful Restraint	5	2	2	0
Vehicular Homicide	0	1	0	1
Voyeurism	1	0	0	0
TOTAL	961	1019	696	323

Juvenile Offenses

Offenses Against Property	2007 TOTAL	2008 TOTAL	2008 MALE	2008 FEMALE
Aggravated Arson	5	1	1	0
Aggravated Theft	1	0	0	0
Aggravated Trespass	4	5	4	1
Arson	4	3	3	0
Arson - Public Buildings	3	2	2	0
Arson w/o Owner's Consent - Property Less Than \$500	10	2	1	1
Breaking and Entering	58	59	52	7
Burglary	55	44	38	6
Criminal Damaging	92	186	156	30
Criminal Mischief	60	44	34	10
Criminal Trespass	116	120	90	30
Desecration	1	0	0	0
Grand Theft of Motor Vehicle	6	18	16	2
Grand Theft - More \$5,000/Less \$100,000	6	16	16	0
Illegal Vehicle Trespass	0	1	1	0
Petty Theft - Less Than \$500	386	368	227	141
Receiving Stolen Property - Less Than \$500	35	20	16	4
Receiving Stolen Property - More \$500/Less \$5,000	14	17	11	6
Receiving Stolen Property - More \$5,000/Less \$100,000	19	11	10	1
Safecracking	1	1	1	0
Tampering with Coin Machine	1	0	0	0
Theft - More \$500/Less \$5,000	60	46	30	16
Theft of Motor Vehicle or Firearm	7	2	2	0
Unauthorized Use of Computer Property	2	1	1	0
Unauthorized Use of Property	2	3	3	0
Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	31	33	25	8
Vandalism	21	43	37	6
Vehicular Vandalism	0	4	3	1
TOTAL	1000	1050	780	270

*Note: Forgery and Misuse of Credit Cards were previously counted in this section (2007).

Juvenile Offenses

Offenses Involving Drugs or Alcohol	2007 TOTAL	2008 TOTAL	2008 MALE	2008 FEMALE
Abusing Harmful Intoxicants	0	1	1	0
Aggravated Possession of Drugs	2	0	0	0
Allow minor remain while consuming	1	0	0	0
Corrupting Another With Drugs	0	2	0	2
Deception to Obtain Dangerous Drug	0	1	0	1
Disorderly Conduct while Intoxicated	13	10	7	3
Drug Paraphernalia	104	94	77	17
Funding of Drugs or Marijuana Trafficking	1	0	0	0
Illegal Cultivation of Marijuana	2	0	0	0
Intoxicating Liquor - Sell/Purchase/Open/Under 21	11	4	4	0
Permitting Drug Abuse	3	1	0	1
Possession of Cocaine	27	13	8	5
Possession of Counterfeit Controlled Substance	7	1	1	0
Possession of Drug Instrument	4	4	4	0
Possession of Drugs	26	32	26	6
Possession of Marijuana	183	187	159	28
Possession of Tobacco	53	61	47	14
Sell/Purchase/Distribute/Deliver Dangerous Drug	7	7	4	3
Theft of Drugs	4	4	1	3
Trafficking Offenses	34	26	26	0
Unauthorized Practice of Pharmacy	0	1	1	0
Underage Alcohol Consumption	141	149	110	39
Underage Alcohol Possession	99	56	42	14
Using Weapons While Intoxicated	1	1	1	0
TOTAL	723	655	519	136

Offenses Involving Weapons	2007 TOTAL	2008 TOTAL	2008 MALE	2008 FEMALE
Carrying Concealed Weapon	18	8	8	0
Discharging a Firearm	2	8	8	0
Discharging Fireworks	1	3	1	2
Having Weapon Under Disability	1	5	4	1
Illegal Conveyance of Deadly Weapon/Detention	4	3	2	1
Illegal Conveyance of Deadly Weapon/School Zone	27	23	21	2
Illegal Manufacturing or Processing Explosives	0	2	2	0
Improper Furnishing of Firearm to Minor	0	1	1	0
Improper Handling of Firearm in Vehicle	1	0	0	0
Possession of a Deadly Weapon under Detention	1	0	0	0
Unlawful Possession of Dangerous Ordinance	2	4	4	0
Weapon on School Premises or Activities	1	1	1	0
TOTAL	58	58	52	6

Juvenile Offenses

Other Offenses	2007 TOTAL	2008 TOTAL	2008 MALE	2008 FEMALE
Adoption of Parole Rules	0	3	3	0
Certain Acts Prohibited	1	2	1	1
Complicity	5	0	0	0
Confining, Restraining, Debarking Dogs	0	1	1	0
Courtesy Supervision to Probation	2	6	5	1
Cruelty to Animals	5	1	1	0
Disorderly Conduct	309	354	234	120
Disposal of Liquids	0	1	1	0
Disrupting Public Services	2	0	0	0
Disseminating Matter Harmful to Juveniles	0	1	1	0
Dog Fighting	2	0	0	0
Escape	12	5	2	3
Failure to Comply with Order of Police	7	7	4	3
False Alarms	0	6	1	5
Falsification	11	6	4	2
Flee/Elude Officer	0	1	1	0
Fugitive from Justice	1	0	0	0
Gambling	0	2	2	0
Illegal Distribution of Tobacco Products	0	2	2	0
Illegal Use of Minor in Nudity-Oriented Material	0	2	2	0
Inciting to Violence	3	7	3	4
Inducing Panic	20	28	26	2
Interference With Custody	1	0	0	0
Intimidation	0	1	0	1
Making False Alarms	7	0	0	0
Making False Reports	5	11	7	4
Misconduct at Emergency	0	2	2	0
Obstructing Justice	1	5	4	1
Obstructing Official Business	135	140	106	34
Pandering Obscenity	0	6	5	1
Possessing Criminal Tools	14	9	9	0
Prohibition Against Failure to Register Dog Kennel	0	1	1	0
Public Gambling	4	0	0	0
Public Indecency	10	17	13	4
Resisting Arrest	72	44	38	6
Soliciting	0	1	0	1
Tampering with Evidence	8	6	5	1
Tampering with Records	2	2	2	0
Transfer of Probation	0	3	2	1
Violating Protection Order or Consent Agreement	0	2	1	1
Violation of a Valid Court Order	2	0	0	0
Violation of Park Rules	2	0	0	0
TOTAL	643	685	489	196

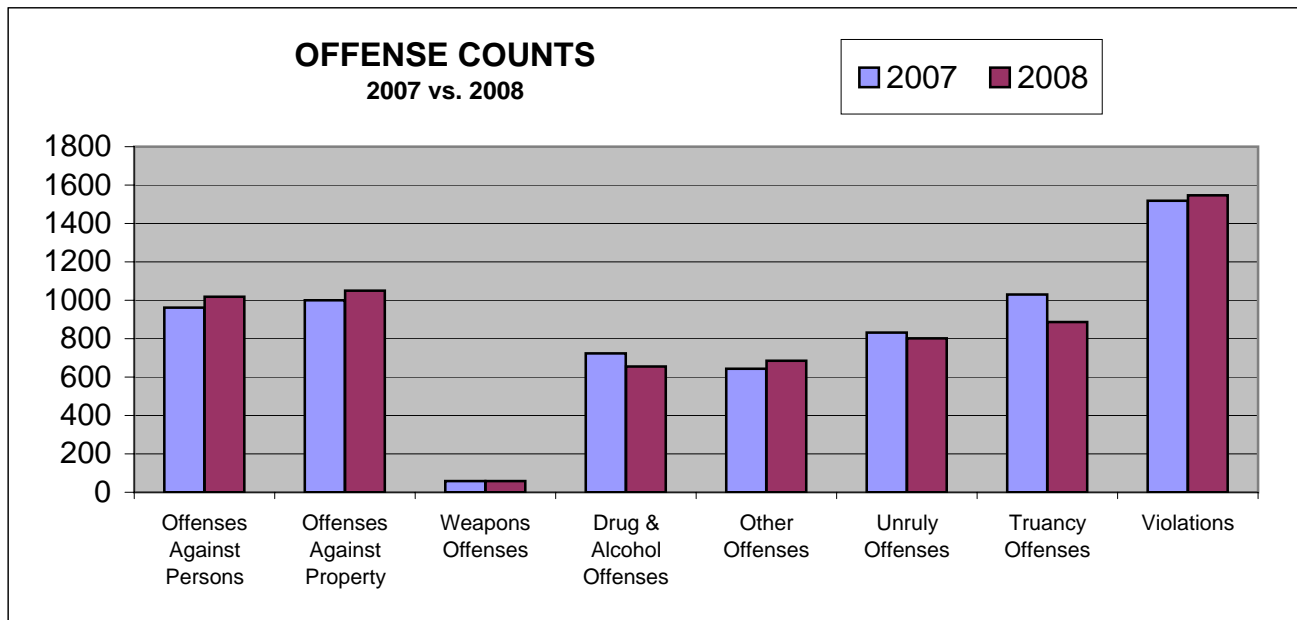
Juvenile Offenses

	2007	2008	2008 Male	2008 Female
Unruly				
Curfew	185	161	134	27
Runaway	33	7	3	4
Unruly Child	613	633	340	293
Total	831	801	477	324

	2007	2008	2008 Male	2008 Female
Truancy				
Chronic	722	625	328	297
Habitual	308	261	128	133
Total	1030	886	456	430

	2007	2008	2008 Male	2008 Female
Violations				
Violation of Court Order	251	242	159	83
Violation of Parole	53	78	60	18
Violation of Probation	1214	1227	817	410
Total	1518	1547	1036	511

Total Offenses	6764	6701	4505	2196
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Offenses by Degree	2008	% of Total Offenses
(*Excludes Violations)		
Felony Offenses	633	12.28%
Misdemeanor Offenses	3419	66.34%
Status Offenses	1055	20.47%
Unclassified Offenses	47	0.91%
Total	5154	100.00%

ON BEHALF OF THE JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER

We would like to express our appreciation to law enforcement agencies, other county departments, schools, and various community organizations for their continued support in our efforts to provide meaningful service to the community.

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