Hazard man, 18, among arrests for sex abuse, drugs

Manchester announces results of a two-month investigation

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A pair of 18-year-olds from Hazleton and Manchester are facing sexual abuse charges after Manchester Police arrested them on rape charges following a two-month investigation. All nine are being charged with rape and�
drug crimes.

Manchester Police Chief James R. Hauschild said a news release on Thursday listing the arrests and charges.

Manchester Police

Crimes

![Clocksmith Ted Phillips works on a timepiece in his clock shop at 5 East Charles St.](image)

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How does a guy go from Cop to Clocker? I’m assuming it’s a long and “wind- ing” road. OK, no pun, I promise.

Many of you probably already know Officer Ted Phillips, an 18-year veteran of the Manchester Police Department. He certainly has established himself as an excel- lent law-enforcement officer, but did you know he is also a skilled clocksmith?

Let’s take that journey from cop to clocker. Ted Phillips was born in Cleveland, Ohio. His dad was an engineer and a machinist. Ted said he found early in life that he enjoyed making and clock repair, many of which were very, very old because

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Guitarist playing near Hazleton this evening

Harriet Fife will be singing and playing guitar from 5:30-7:30 p.m. today, Aug. 12, at Morwood Campground, 1865 15th St., south of Hazleton. From Hoyt, 1417th, north and east — on 30th Street. Fife is visiting out of state and the last of June, and is attending Hazleton’s Schule, University. She stops a stack of music, spanning the decades.

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