

# Feds open civil rights investigation in Louisiana shooting

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — In a swift move by authorities to keep tensions from boiling over, the U.S. Justice Department launched a civil rights investigation Wednesday into the video-recorded killing of a black man who was shot as he scuffled with two white police officers on the pavement outside a convenience store.

A law enforcement official said a gun was taken from 37-year-old Alton Sterling after he was killed early Tuesday in the parking lot where he regularly sold homemade music CDs from a folding table. The official was not authorized to discuss the investigation and spoke on condition of anonymity.

It was not clear from the murky cellphone footage whether Sterling had the gun in his hand or was reaching for it when he was shot. A witness said he saw police pull a gun from Sterling's



Nishka Johnson touches a makeshift memorial for Alton Sterling, outside a convenience store in Baton Rouge, La., Wednesday, July 6, 2016. Sterling was shot and killed by Baton Rouge police outside the store where he was selling CDs.

pocket after the shooting. The shooting in the Louisiana capital — and shocking videos that found their way all over the internet — set off angry protests in the city's black community and brought calls for an outside investigation. It came at a time when law enforcement

officers across the country are under close scrutiny over what some see as indiscriminate use of deadly force against blacks.

Moving quickly just one day after the shooting, Democratic Gov. John Bel Edwards asked the Justice Department to take the lead

in the investigation. "I have very serious concerns. The video is disturbing, to say the least," the governor said at a news conference.

Edwards also met with black community leaders to reassure them about the investigation and to ask their help in keeping protests peaceful. He expressed hope that once the community sees that the shooting is "going to be investigated impartially, professionally and thoroughly" by the Justice Department, "the tensions will ease."

Baton Rouge Police Chief Carl Dabadie Jr. said that Sterling was armed — Dabadie didn't specify the type of weapon — but that there are still questions about what happened.

"Like you, there is a lot that we do not understand. And at this point, like you, I am demanding answers,"

Dabadie said, calling the shooting a "horrible tragedy." Sterling was confronted by police after an anonymous caller reported being threatened by someone with gun outside the store, authorities said.

In the cellphone video taken by a community activist and posted online, one of the officers tackled Sterling, and the two officers pinned him to the pavement.

Someone yelled, "He's got a gun! Gun!" and one officer pulled his weapon from his holster. After some shouting, what sounded like a gunshot could be heard. The camera pulled away before more shots were heard.

The officers, identified by the chief as Blane Salamoni, a four-year member of the department, and Howie Lake II, who has been on the force for three years, were placed on administrative leave, standard department procedure.

Lake was involved in another police shooting in December 2014. He told detectives investigating that shooting that he fired six or seven times when a suspect refused to drop his gun, threatened to kill himself and pointed his revolver at officers. The man was wounded by police.

In the shooting Tuesday, authorities would not say whether one or both officers fired their weapons or how many times.

The store owner, Abdullah Muflihi, released a video that he said he shot from a slightly different angle. He said Sterling was not holding a gun during the shooting but that he saw officers remove one from his pocket afterward. His video shows an officer reaching into Sterling's pocket to grab an object.

Muflihi said an officer fired four to six shots into Sterling's chest.

## COMING EVENTS

**THURSDAY, JULY 7**  
**ADULT OPEN GYM**, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Half-court basketball. (541-276-8100).

**WALKING FOR WELLNESS**, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-276-8100).

**PENNY'S PUPPETS**, 10 a.m., Heppner Public Library, 444 N. Main St. Musical magical journey includes comedy, laughter and audience participation. Parents also can enter to win a 529 college savings plan for their child. Free.

**PRESCHOOL STORY TIME**, 10:15 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-966-0380).

**PRESCHOOL STORY AND CRAFT TIME**, 10:30 a.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave. (Lili Schmidt 541-938-8247).

**BOARDMAN SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 noon, Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St. Costs \$4 for seniors or \$5 for adults. (541-481-3257).

**HERMISTON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 noon, Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave. Costs \$4 or free for children under 10. Extra 50 cents for utensils/dishes. Meals on Wheels available. Transportation arranged by donation. (541-567-3582).

**PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 noon, Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St. Costs \$3.50 or \$6 for those under 60. Pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks, Second Time Around thrift store 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals on Wheels, call 541-276-1926. (541-276-7101).

**SENSORY STORY TIME**, 12:30 p.m., Boardman Public Library, 200 S. Main St. Special story time for children from birth to age 4. Free. (541-481-2665).

**BORDER COLLIE INTERNATIONAL PERFORMANCE**, 2 p.m., Pendleton City Hall lawn, 500 S.W. Dorion Ave. Performing team of rescue border collies will demonstrate football, basketball, baseball, soccer and world-class Frisbee tricks. Free and suitable for all ages. (541-966-0380).

**SKILLS FOR LIFE**, 3-5 p.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Includes gym activities and life skills for middle and high school students. Free, but registration requested. (Danny Bane 541-379-4250).

**MAKERSPACE**, 4-5 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. Children ages 3 and up create, design and experiment with a variety of tools, STEM challenges and educational games.

**PICKLEBALL OPEN GYM**, 5:15-7 p.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Combination of tennis, ping pong and badminton is taking the country by storm. Opportunities to compete for those willing to travel. Free, ages 18 and up only. (541-276-8100).

**ARTIST'S RECEPTION**, 5:30-7 p.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Meet artist Mike King and enjoy his graphic design work, including gig posters for Ben Harper, Jack Johnson, Pink Martini and more. Refreshments; wine and beer will be available for a donation. Show runs through July 30. Free admission. (541-278-9201).

**PAJAMA STORY TIME**, 6 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. Wear pajamas and bring a favorite stuffed animal. All ages welcome. (541-966-0380).

**THE ARC UMATILLA COUNTY BINGO**, 6 p.m. doors open, bingo starts at 7 p.m. 215 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-7615).

**FIDDLER'S NIGHT**, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Brookdale Assisted Living, 980 W. Highland Ave. Join jam session or just listen. (541-567-3141).

**AARON AUER MEET-AND-GREET POTLUCK**, 7 p.m., Lexington Grange, 66296 Marquardt Road. Meet the ROAR Ministries member and enjoy a community-style meal. Bring a dish to share. (Douglas Marquardt 541-276-1736).

**FRIDAY, JULY 8**  
**ADULT OPEN GYM**, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Half-court basketball. (541-276-8100).

**WALKING FOR WELLNESS**, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-276-8100).

**SUMMER STORY TIME**, 10:15 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave.

**PENNY'S PUPPETS**, 2 p.m., Echo Public Library, 20 N. Bonanza St. Musical magical journey includes comedy, laughter and audience participation. Parents also can enter to win a 529 college savings plan for their child. Free.

**BREWS BY THE BLUES FESTIVAL**, 3-9 p.m., Milton-Freewater Jr. Show Grounds, behind Bordertown Feed & Supply, 84575 Highway 11. Tickets are \$25 for one day or \$40 for both, includes beer glass, six tasting tokens, live entertainment, food vendors and more. VIP tickets are \$80 each or \$560 for a table of eight, includes private parking, gourmet dining on Saturday at the VIP pavilion and patio seating. (www.brownpaper-tickets.com/event/2545628 or 541-938-5563).

**PENDLETON FARMERS MARKET**, 4 p.m. to dusk, 300 block South Main Street, Pendleton. Browse fresh produce, meats, baked goods and plants, locally crafted jewelry and items for the home. EBT, debit and credit cards welcome. (pendletonfarmersmarket.net).

**ATHENA CALEDONIAN GAMES CEILIDH DINNER**, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Athena City Park. Includes presentation by author Lee Rain-Goode of Clan McBrayner, chieftains of the day and candle-lighting ceremony. Followed by free movie, "Babe," at 8:15 p.m. Bring blankets. (www.athenacaledoniangames.org).

**PENNY'S PUPPETS**, 6 p.m., Stanfield Public Library, 180 W. Coe Ave. Musical magical journey includes comedy, laughter and audience participation. Parents also can enter to win a 529 college savings plan for their child. Free.

**VFW BINGO**, doors open at 6 p.m., games start at 7 p.m., Hermiston VFW, 45 W. Cherry St.

**SATURDAY, JULY 9**  
**ATHENA CALEDONIAN GAMES**, all day, Athena City Park and other venues, Athena. Vendors (8 a.m.-6 p.m.), parade (9 a.m.), piping competition (10-11:15 a.m. & 12:45-1:15 p.m.), car show (10 a.m. to 3 p.m.), Scottish athletic competitions (noon-6 p.m.), horseshoe tournament (2 p.m.) and Caledonian Tattoo (6:30 p.m.). Also, live entertainment throughout the day. (www.athenacaledonian-games.org).

**HERMISTON FUNFEST**, 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., downtown Hermiston. Funfest breakfast (7:30 a.m.), other activities start at 9 a.m. include vendor booths, children's games, lawn mower drag races, chainsaw wood carvers, live music, the K9 Kings Flying Dog Show and a car show (at McKenzie Park). (541-567-6151, www.hermiston-chamber.com).

**CAR WASH FUNDRAISER**, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Dave's 12th Street Chevron, 220 S.W. 12th St., Pendleton. Get a clean car and support Pendleton High School's Rhythmic Mode Dance Team. Cost is by donation. (Joni 541-377-1333).

**HERMISTON'S OWN FARMERS MARKET**, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., McKenzie Park, 300 S. First St., Hermiston. Food, crafts, live music, art.

**PARKING LOT SALE**, 8:30-11 a.m., Agape House, 500 Harper Road, Hermiston. Clothing is three for \$1, furniture prices as marked, knick-knacks you name the price. Donations welcome. (Dave 541-57-8774).

**LIL BUCKS OPEN GYM**, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. For students in first and second grade and parents/guardians. Free basketball skills and pickup games.

**BASEMENT SALE**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, 485 W. Locust Ave., Hermiston. (Nancy Carlson 541-567-9660).

**FAMILY FISHING EVENT**, 9 a.m. to noon, Jubilee Lake, Pendleton. Stocked pond provides plenty of action for all ages. ODFW will provide some loaner gear as well as helpful tips to beginning anglers. Free for children ages 11 and under; those 12 and older must have an angling license (not sold at the event).

**FREE FOR ALL**, 9:30-10:15 a.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Family art experience for children up to age 12. Children under 8 should be accompanied by an adult. (541-278-9201).

**HIP & HANDMADE**, 11 a.m. to noon, Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Free drop-in art project class for adults. (541-278-9201).

**BREWS BY THE BLUES FESTIVAL**, 12 noon to 9 p.m., Milton-Freewater Jr. Show Grounds, behind Bordertown Feed & Supply, 84575 Highway 11. Tickets are \$25 for one day or \$40 for both, includes beer glass, six tasting tokens, live entertainment, food vendors and more.

**HEPPNER FARMER'S MARKET**, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Heppner City Park. Food, craft and garden vendors. (541-676-8957).

**STORY TIME**, 10:15-11 a.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

## Thursday Morning

STATION	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11 AgDay	Friends	Animals	Paid	Hot/ Cleve.	Paid	Mother	Paid	Steve Harvey	Crime Watch Daily	
KPTV	3	Good Day Oregon at 6	Good Day Oregon					Good Day		The 700 Club	Paid	Paid
CBS	19 KEPR	2 News	News	CBS This Morning (N)				Meredith Vieira		The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	
KOIN	19	KOIN 6 News at 6 a.m.	CBS This Morning (N)					Let's Make a Deal		The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Wake Up Northwest	Today Show	Eric Stonestreet (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)	Wendy Williams	
KGW	8	KGW News at Sunrise	Today Show	Eric Stonestreet (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)	The Dr. Oz Show (N)	
ABC	42 KVEV	4 Northwest	Northwest	Good Morning America (N)				Live! With Kelly (N)		The View	Paid	Middle
KATU	5	KATU News Morning	Good Morning America (N)					AM Northwest		The View	Live! With Kelly (N)	
PBS	31 KTNW	Stretch	W.L.Yoga	Wild Kratts	Jet Go!	Nature Cat	C.George	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	Sesame St.	Peg + Cat	DinoTrain
OPB	59	Sit and Fit	Jet Go!	Nature Cat	C.George	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	Sesame St.	Peg + Cat	DinoTrain	DinoTrain	SuperWI

## AFTERNOON

STATION	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Paid	Pat. Court	Divorce	Divorce	Judge Mathis		The People's Court		The People's Court	Mike&M.	Mike&M.
KPTV	3	The Rachael Ray Show	Wendy Williams			The Real		TMZ Live!		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	5 O'Clock News
CBS	19 KEPR	2 NameG.	Bold & B.	The Talk		Let's Make a Deal		Dr. Phil		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News
KOIN	19	News	Bold & B.	The Talk		The Doctors		Dr. Phil		KOIN 6 News at 4 p.m.	News	News
NBC	25 KNDU	6 TMZ	Paid	Days of Our Lives		Hot Bench	Hot Bench	Million?	Million?	Ellen DeGeneres	News	NBC News
KGW	8	KGW New	Paid	Days of Our Lives		FABLife		Ellen DeGeneres		KGW News	KGW News	NBC News
ABC	42 KVEV	4 The Chew		General Hospital		The Doctors		The Rachael Ray Show		Minute	Minute	News
KATU	5	The Chew		General Hospital		Meredith Vieira		Steve Harvey		KATU News @ 4	News	News
PBS	31 KTNW	Charlie Rose		Good Food	Knitting	C.George	Thomas	Arthur	Nature Cat	Jet Go!	O. Squad	Wild Kratts
OPB	59	Landscap	Louisiana	Charlie Rose		Nature Cat	Bob Build	Cat/ Hat	Jet Go!	Speaks	WordGirl	Odd Squad

## EVENING

STATION	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Modern Fam "Slow Down Your Neighbors"	Modern Fam "Our Children, Ourselves"	2 Broke Girls "And Too Little Sleep"	2 Broke Girls "And the Knock Off Knockout"	Bones Brennan and Booth officially return to the Jeffersonian and the FBI.		Home Free As the competition continues, the challenges get more difficult. (N)		FOX News First at Ten	:35 Law:CI	Goren and Eames investigate the murders of two staffers at a Web company.
KPTV	3	6 O'Clock News	Family Feud	Family Feud	Bones "The Donor in the Drink"		Home Free "Boulevard of Skill vs. Will" (N)		10 O'Clock News		11 O'Clock News	Everybody Loves Ray
CBS	19 KEPR	2 Action News at 6 p.m.	Inside Edition	The Big Bang "The Hot Troll Deviation"	The Simpsons "Opposites A-Frack"	Big Bang "The Solder Excursion Lobster Gym Sale"	Life Pieces "Party Lobster"	Big Brother A group of strangers lives together in a house outfitted with cameras & microphones.		C Black Angus' older brother returns to Angels Memorial, & Christa & Neal's romance heats up.	Action News at 11:00 p.m.	:35 Stephen Colbert
KOIN	19	KOIN 6 News at 6	Evening News	Extra	Ent. Tonight	Big Bang Theory	Life in Pieces	Big Brother		Code Black "First Date"	KOIN 6 News/ 11	:35 S. Colbert
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Local News	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Spartan Six new teams compete on one of the most demanding obstacle courses ever.		Spartan Six new teams compete on the most grueling obstacle course ever made. (N)		Aquarius Shafe's addiction problems mount; Hodiak helps an old war buddy find his blackmailer.	Local News	:35 The Tonight Show
KGW	8	KGW News at 6:00 p.m.	Live at Seven	Inside Edition	Spartan "Bet the Farm"		Spartan "The Comeback" (N)			Aquarius "Revolution 9" (N)	KGW News at 11	:35 Tonight at 11
ABC	42 KVEV	4 Extra	Local News at 6:30	Entertainment Tonight	The Insider	BattleBots The 32 teams advance out of the qualifying round. (N)		Great Hits This episode celebrates the greatest hits of the musical era from 1995-2000. (N)		Match Game	Local News at 11 /Kimmel This distinctive late-night talk show features celebrity guests, bands & comedy.	:35 Jimmy Kimmel
KATU	5	KATU News	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	BattleBots (N)		Greatest Hits "1995-2000" (N)		Match Game		KATU News	:35 Jimmy Kimmel
PBS	31 KTNW		PBS NewsHour	BBC World News	Well Read	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Doc Martin:50 Doc Martin "Gentlemen Prefer"		:35 Red Green	Doctor Blake "Brotherly Love"	
OPB	59		Bare Feet M. Mallozz (N)	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour	Oregon Art Beat	Outdoor Idaho	DCI Banks "Bad Boy"		:35 Afterlife Forgotten"	"Things Film School"	

STATION	PEN	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
A&E	52	The First 48 "Pointless Set Up"	"Pointless/ Set Up"	The First 48 "The Rookie/ Cornered"		The First 48 "Mother of Two"		The First 48 "1000 Cuts/ Draw" (N)		The First 48 "Knock Knock"		:05 The First 48 "Game Over/ Long Walk Home"	
AMC	60	*** Hitch While helping his latest client, a professional date doctor falls for a journalist.		*** Alice in Wonderland Alice returns to magical Underland and learns her destiny is to defeat the Red Queen.		*** The Sorcerer's Apprentice (10, Act) Nicolas Cage.							
ANPL	24	To Be Announced	Last Alaskans "Alone"	Last Alaskans (N)		North Woods Law (N)		:05 Lone Star Law		:05 North Woods Law			
CMT	43	Still King	Still King	*** Encino Man '92, Com) Sean Astin.		*** Encino Man '92, Com) Brendan Fraser, Sean Astin.		Last Man					
CNBC	72	American Greed: Scam	American Greed (N)	American Greed: Scam		American Greed: Scam		American Greed: Scam		American Greed: Scam		Paid	Paid
CNN	68	Declassified	CNN Tonight	CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight	
DISC	51	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid	
DISN	26	Hot Madie Underc.	:15 *** WALL-E '08, Ani) Ben Burt.			Walk (N)	Bunk'd	Friends	Underc.	Jessie	Liv Maddie		
ESPN	33	Liv Dog Eat Contest "2016"	E:60	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	CFL Football (L)	CFL Football Toronto Argonauts at British Columbia Lions (L)			UEFA Soccer Euro 2016							
FNC	66	The Kelly File	Hannity	The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File		Hannity		Hannity		On the Record	
FOOD	61	Chopped	Chopped	Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		BeatFlay	Beat Flay	Beat Flay	Beat Flay
FREE	32	*** Billy Madison '95, Com) Adam Sandler.		*** The Waterboy '98, Com) Adam Sandler.				Pretty Little Liars		The 700 Club			
FX	65	*** Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit	*** Anchorman 2: The Legend Continues Will Ferrell.			Sex&Drug	Sex&Drugs	Sex&Drug		Sex&Drugs		Sex&Drug	Movie
GOLF	88	PGA Golf The Greenbrier Classic	PGA Golf The Greenbrier Classic Site: The Old White TPC					Golf Cent.		PGA Golf			
GSN	76	Winsan.	Winsan.	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud							