

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's office (MCSO) received and responded to the following calls or referred them to another agency during the past three weeks:

July 3: MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a barking dog;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of an injured deer on Highway 730;

MCSO received a request for information regarding a sex offender living in Boardman;

MCSO received a report of a person allegedly using county equipment. The report was unfounded, the subject was using private equipment;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a civil problem in Boardman. A woman had bought a car which wouldn't run an hour after she bought it;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. and the Oregon State Police a report of a person in a Jeep Cherokee driving off without paying for gasoline at the Boardman Texaco;

MCSO received a report of a possible drunk driver on I-84 east-bound from Arlington;

MCSO received a request for information concerning an overdue person;

To MCSO, Umatilla Police Dept., Umatilla County Sheriff's office and Oregon State Police a report of a person driving off from Brown's Auto and Truck Stop without paying for \$16.70 worth of gas;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of apartments broken into at the Nugget Inn in Boardman;

MCSO received a report of garbage dumped in a pasture off Kunze/Paul Smith roads;

MCSO dispatched to the Ione and Heppner Fire depts. a report of a large wheat fire off Baker Lane out of Ione. The fire was put out and the units were cancelled in route;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner ambulance a report of a man who had fallen and possibly broken a leg in Heppner. The patient was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

MCSO received a request for assistance at the Boardman Texaco. A person had locked his keys inside his Cadillac;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner Police Dept., and ambulance a report of a woman possibly having a stroke at the R & W Drive-in in Heppner. The patient was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner Police Dept. a report of several subjects drinking by Willow Creek near the Heppner library;

MCSO received a report of a deer hit at the Heppner Junction off I-84;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner ambulance a report of a two year old with asthma having trouble breathing. The patient was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

MCSO received a report of a vehicle pulling a boat on Highway 207 between Heppner and Lexington with no tail lights;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of juveniles with firecrackers trying to blow up mailboxes at the Desert Springs Estates in Boardman. They were unable to locate the juveniles.

July 4: MCSO received a re-

port of dogs barking at a residence in Lexington;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of a disabled pickup with a horse trailer on I-84 milepost 148;

MCSO received a report of suspicious circumstances in Ione. Someone had spilled oil in the garage at an Ione residence;

MCSO received a report of people pushing a vehicle and leaving it in front of a residence in Irrigon;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of a medical alarm at the A.C. Houghton Elementary School in Irrigon. It was a false alarm;

MCSO received a report of a calf out on Highway 74. It was put into a pasture and the owners were contacted;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of a woman on the ground and a man yelling obscenities at her at Homer's Fruit Stand on Highway 730 in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a fence spray painted in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a vehicle swerving on Highway 730 milepost 170. It turned out to be a vehicle problem;

MCSO received a report of 11 bikers from a gang from the Tacoma area were headed to Ione for the blues music festival;

MCSO received a report from a woman in Boardman who said her neighbors put sugar in her gas tank and ruined her car;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of an alarm sounding at a Boardman residence. It was a false alarm;

MCSO received a report of an emergency in progress at Murray Drugs in Condon. It turned out to be a false alarm;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report from a park ranger at Boardman that explosives were being set off at Sailboard Beach;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept., and ambulance a report of a woman who had passed out near the restrooms at the Boardman Marina. The subject refused transfer;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of loud noise at Wilson Road Trailer Court in Boardman;

MCSO received a report of loud music on Wilson Road.

July 5: Morrow County deputy happened on a woman crying following a verbal dispute;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of loud music at Wilson Road Trailer Court;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a suspicious vehicle parked in the intersection at West Glen in Boardman with its lights out;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of loud noise at a residence in Boardman;

MCSO received another report of loud noise at a residence in Boardman

MCSO received a report from a woman who said her neighbors threatened her because she reported them to the police;

MCSO received a report of an intoxicated man talking strangely in Heppner;

MCSO received a request for information from a man who thought someone from Boardman may have been injured in a road race. The man thought someone, maybe the police, had been chasing him;

MCSO received a report of a suspicious man in Lexington. The man had asked someone for a shirt.

MCSO dispatched to Wheeler County a report of two teenage boys who walked into Oregon Hotel at Mitchell at 4 a.m. asking directions to the Rainbow Gathering;

-dispatched to the Boardman Police Department (BPD) a report of a home graffitied in Boardman

-received a report of blood discovered all over a car at a residence in Boardman;

-received a report of a car stolen which had been parked at the Ione School. Keys were in the 1990 white Ford Taurus;

-received a report of a car parked in a bad spot on the corner of 2nd and Cherry in Ione;

-discovered a car previously stolen in Ione, located on Baseline Road with no damage to vehicle;

-received a report of an overdue boat up river from Boardman which later arrived safely;

-MCSO officer gave occupant of a disabled motor home on I-84 a ride to Boardman;

-received a report of a drive-off from Boardman Texaco. Occupant of vehicle drove off without paying for \$16 of gas. Officers were unable to locate the vehicle;

-received a report of a person who was depressed and making suicide threats. Person was evaluated by Morrow County Behavioral Health and not believed to be a danger to himself;

-received a report of a two-year-old with fishhook in his cheek. Irrigon EMTs were contacted;

-received a report of an alleged driving with open container in Boardman;

-received report of a person dropping a dog off on old Highway 30 near country gardens;

-received a report of Heppner kids allegedly drinking and partying at a cabin at the top hill of Shaw Creek;

-received information on problem with Heppner Police Department (HPD) and fire department paging system, which has been down since Thursday. It turned out to be a PTI problem;

-dispatched to BPD a report of people throwing rocks and hitting a child in the face.

July 6: HPD and MCSO responded to a report that a man had entered a residence in Heppner and passed out in the front room. In connection with the incident, Curtis W. Gammond, 24, was reported to have two outstanding warrants;

-responded to a report of a man that was assaulted by a gang member who had just graffitied the man's residence. The alleged gang member returned and broke a window;

-received a report of several vehicles and motorcycles racing up and down the street;

-received a call from a man threatening suicide in Irrigon. The man, who had family problems, was patched to Morrow County Behavioral Health;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a cat run over near a residence hurt badly and needing to be put down;

-MCSO and the HPD responded to a report of a 10-year-old assaulted by a 16-year-old in Heppner;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a domestic dispute. A woman and children were taken to a residence for safety. Fred Eugene Stephens, 37, was arrested for Assault IV domestic and lodged at Umatilla County Sheriff's Office (UCSO) jail

-responded to report of dead cats with their heads cut off discovered in a trailer at Ridgecrest Lane in Boardman;

-received a report of suspicious vehicles at a neighbor's residence in Irrigon;

-to BPD a report of graffiti in the women's bathroom at the Boardman Marina Park;

-received a report of juveniles on motor bikes riding too fast in Irrigon. Officer located juveniles and warned them;

-received a report of brown, week-old calf missing and believed stolen;

-received report from a man in Irrigon who says his ex-wife and children are staying with a sex

offender. Officers determined no children had been involved in the offense;

-received a report of complaints of dogs barking out of control at a residence in Lexington;

July 8: to BPD a report of two suspicious persons at Kate's Pizza in Heppner. Officers were unable to locate anyone;

-MCSO, Oregon State Police (OSP) responded to a report of a person shooting at two other persons in Irrigon. Man allegedly told them to get off his property and then shot at them;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a cow out a Desert Springs Estates;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a suspicious person at Trail Apartments in Boardman;

-dispatched to HPD a report of a dog in a pickup with no water and windows barely open. Officer determined that dog had water and windows were down sufficiently;

July 9: to Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) a report of a sinkhole on Linden Way;

-received request for a home to be watched while residents on vacation;

-MCSO and ODOT a report of a potato slurry spill on Hwy 730 I-54 east bound off ramp. The spill was cleared;

-received report of five cows out in Boardman;

-dispatched to OSP a report of a one-vehicle rollover on I-84, milepost 187-88;

-dispatched to OSP and Arlington ambulance a report of one car rollover on I-84 milepost 147, east-bound at Heppner Junction. One patient was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital;

-dispatched to BPD, Boardman Fire Department (BFD) a report of a bus on fire at Paul Smith Road;

-MCSO officer, while on a suspicious vehicle call, arrested Joshua Michael Spence, 24, on two warrants out of UCSO, Failure to Appear (FTA) on Aggravated Animal Abuse I, FTA Driving While License Suspended, false information to police;

-dispatched to HPD a report of two juveniles, approximately eight years old, playing in culverts on main street in Heppner.

-received report of suspicious, unusual tire tracks around Desert Supply building in Irrigon;

-received report of two juveniles believed to be breaking glass on another person's property in Irrigon;

-received report of horse found dead in pasture. Person believed horse may have been shot in stomach;

-received report of missing jet skier on Columbia. The jet ski motor died in the middle of the river. The family's 18-year old son swam to shore but mother had not returned. She was later located;

-dispatched to BPD a report of someone yelling and honking across from Trail Apartments in Boardman;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a person knocking on window and banging on door of another residence;

July 10: received report of a person in silver sports car with a spotlight believed to be drunk on Bombing Range Road. Person said he was hunting for someone;

-received report of person finding two more dead cats in her home in Boardman;

-dispatched to OSP a report of two suspicious males loading something in a van at Irrigon park by fish hatchery;

-Travis Lane Thomas, 25, was arrested on two Morrow County warrants for DUII, Parole Violation Burglary II and lodged at UCSO jail;

-dispatched to BFD a report of a fire alarm at Sam Boardman Elementary School. Alarm turned out to be false;

-received report of an old man camped in another person's pasture shooting a high powered rifle;

-received request for assistance in transporting prisoners;

-dispatched to BPD a request for an officer concerning a domestic dispute. Romeo Cardona Hevera, 43, was arrested on Assault IV domestic and lodged at UCSO jail;

-dispatched to OSP a report of a person with a suspended license driving from Buff and Brew. Of-

ficer was unable to locate anyone. Person was later located at Stanfield;

-received report of dogs chasing cattle in Irrigon;

-received report of dog poisoning. Later dog was determined to have Parvo;

-received report of tires believed to be stolen in Ione;

-received report from man who was concerned about his daughter, who is a mental patient, and worried about other family members;

-received report of cows in a yard in Boardman;

-received report of a gray Toyota pickup headed on Highway 730 from Boardman to Irrigon which allegedly has eight-foot sturgeon in the back;

-received a request for a building check at Desert Farm Supply in Irrigon; Caller believed a stolen trailer have been inside. Officer was unable to locate anything;

-received report of two cows at a residence in Boardman;

July 11: dispatched to OSP a report of a red compact car all over road on I-84, milepost 136;

-received report of bad check at Morrow County Grain Growers in Lexington;

-received report of an alarm at A.C. Houghton Elementary School in Irrigon. Burglar alarm and motion detector went off in hall;

-received report of Primestar receiver box and remote missing from RV spot next to Office Tavern in Ione;

-received report of cows on Hwy. 206/207;

-received report of people racing up and down streets in Ione with "scooters";

-dispatched to HPD a request to locate a person at Mt. Glen Apts.;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a drive off at BP station in Boardman with \$24 dollars worth of gas. Officer was unable to locate vehicle;

-dispatched to HPD a report of holes in a window possibly caused by bullets in Heppner;

-received report of man digging in his yard; neighbor thought his pants were too low and thought it may be indecent exposure;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a person refusing to leave a residence;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a man assaulted. Jimmy Rulon Meacham, 43, was arrested for Assault II and lodged at UCSO jail;

-received request to deliver message. Officer was unable to locate person to deliver message;

-received report of two men trying to pick up two females in Irrigon;

-received report of a man assaulted by a woman at Bake's in Irrigon;

-dispatched to HPD a report of juveniles hanging around bridge at Court Street in Heppner and riding a mini bike up and down street with no light. Officer was unable to locate subjects;

-received report of suspicious vehicles in Boardman;

July 12: dispatched to BFD a report of a stray dog;

-received report that people in Boardman had allowed unlicensed juveniles to drive vehicle downtown;

-dispatched to OSP a report of

a reckless driver in a red 4x4 Dodge pickup swerving on I-84, east bound, milepost 129;

-received report of go-carts speeding in Irrigon;

-dispatched to Boardman Ambulance a report of an incoherent 79-year-old woman. She was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital;

-received report of two subjects bothering people who gave out free coffee at Boardman rest area;

-MCSO, Heppner Ambulance and HFD responded to a motor vehicle accident on Willow Creek Road. Two were transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital;

-received report of persons in a car at Boardman Marina, mooning other people and honking their horn;

-dispatched to BPD a report of windows broken out of a residence at Wilson Road Trailer Park;

July 13: received report of an allegedly intoxicated woman driving following a domestic dispute;

-dispatched to HPD a report of a combative patient at Pioneer Memorial Hospital;

-received info concerning an elderly man seeming confused at Boardman BP;

-received report of someone who had broken into a shop and stolen meat out of a freezer and unplugged freezer, causing remaining meat to spoil;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a theft of cat and dog food from a Boardman residence;

-located three subjects needing tow;

-received report of dispute between two men on I-84 west bound at Boardman. Two brothers were arguing;

-dispatched to BPD, BFD a report of black smoke coming from Olsen Road and Wilson Lane. People were burning a couch;

-dispatched to BPD a report of men who had a case of beer on their hood. Caller feared men would drive;

-MCSO and BPD responded to a report of a woman out of control at a residence in Boardman;

-dispatched to BPD a report of a party with loud music at Wilson Road Trailer Court;

-dispatched to HPD a report of a domestic disturbance at Mt. Glen Apartments in Heppner;

-received report of shots fired at residence;

-received report of a disabled vehicle on I-84 west bound milepost 156;

July 14: received report of a 26-year-old out of control in Irrigon;

-dispatched to Wheeler County a report of a man who had been lost for two day showing up at a ranch in Mitchell.

OSU students

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scholarships

More than \$50,000 in scholarships will be awarded to Oregon State University college of science students for the 1997-98 academic year, which begins Sept. 29.

Local scholarship recipients include: Jason Smythe, Boardman, a junior in pre-medicine, \$1,000 James A. Riley, M.D. Health Scholarship.

July 19th
Class of 1957 Reunion.

July 24th
Regular Lodge-Trustee Meeting.

July 12th
Class of 1967 Reunion.

Bingo every Wednesday, starting at 7 p.m.

Many THANKS to Carl and Alice Schmoldt and kitchen crew for the great food and service we have enjoyed while dining since you have been employed at the Elks Lodge. We wish you great success in all of your future endeavors.

Note: Carl and Alice will be leaving Sunday, July 20th. Due to scheduled functions, the dining room will remain open.

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