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**Sheriff's Report**

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office reports handling the following business:

**June 19:** MCSO received report of eight teenage boys running through back yards headed toward Idaho St. in Irrigon.

MCSO received report of stuffed animals and clothing on Highway 730 between Irrigon and Umatilla causing a hazard. ODOT and Umatilla Police Department advised that they didn't have anyone on duty. MCSO deputy checked the area and discovered no hazard, just a few clothes and stuffed animals on the side of the road.

MCSO received report of a "weird sound" outside and to the rear of a Heppner residence. The subject said it sounded like a hurt bird.

MCSO received report of a found Yorkie-type dog at an Irrigon residence. The reporter advised she would take it to the Humane Society later that day if no one claimed it.

MCSO received report of a mean pit bull in the driveway of an Irrigon residence. The dog would not let the subjects get out of the car. Manuel Gutierrez was cited for Dog at Large.

MCSO received report that Hermiston Police Department arrested Doug Duane Jones, 29, on Morrow County Circuit Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Possession of Methamphetamine. He was also arrested on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for FTA/Criminal Trespass II. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail.

MCSO received report from the Heppner Mayor that a peddler without a license was on Union Street. He advised MCSO that he would handle it.

MCSO, Boardman Ambulance received report that a woman hit a deer on I-84 near Boardman. The woman sustained minor injuries due to flying glass; the

Heppner Ambulance received report of a 72-year-old male with a nosebleed. He was transported.

June 20: MCSO received report of two vehicles, one pickup and one car, going into Les Schwab, spinning tires and driving erratically. Deputy was unable to locate anything.

MCSO deputy checked out a vehicle on I-84 Patterson Ferry Rd. The driver was only talking a nap.

MCSO deputy advised he was out with two vehicles, possibly with car trouble. The vehicle was okay, just leaving.

MCSO received report from the Irrigon Medical Clinic that a male subject came into the clinic and made inappropriate remarks.

MCSO received report of a semi tailgating several vehicles on I-84 near Boardman. No deputy was in position. OSP was advised.

MCSO, Boardman Ambulance received report that an 85-year-old female had fallen and suffered a possible hip or leg injury. A nurse was on the scene.

MCSO received report from an office in Heppner that a suspicious male subject had been sleeping in a trailer and parking at the office. The subject told the deputy that he lives in Arlington and makes medical supply deliveries to the medical office. He said he was just taking a nap.

MCSO received report of a badger underneath a vehicle at the clinic in Heppner. The badger was removed.

MCSO arrested Andrew Scott Gomez on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/Driving While Suspended. There was also a hold for a Gilliam County warrant. She was transported to Umatilla County Jail.

MCSO arrested Jerry Lloyd Olson for Driving While Suspended misdemeanor. He was cited and released.

MCSO received report of a group of young adults selling magazine and acting strange in Cecil.

MCSO received report of a vicious pit bull that cornered a woman in Boardman. The dog then went after some juveniles.

MCSO received report a vehicle partially blocking Highway 207 near Lexington. It was a non-injury motor vehicle accident. The vehicle hit a deer and a tow was en route.

MCSO received report of windows broken on two vehicles in Lone. Two juvenile girls admitted to the damage and the private parties will handle it themselves.

MCSO received report of theft and burglary on Forest Service Rd. 21, Heppner.

MCSO received report of loud music and kids yelling on Second St. and Wyoming in Irrigon.

Boardman Police Department cited to Maria Del Carmen Estrada Solano,

31, for Open Container.

BPD received report of a subject behind the Post Office in Boardman wearing only shorts. The subject said he just got off work and was cooling down.

BPD received report of injured animals. Two baby birds were found and taken to Vector Control.

Boardman Ambulance received report of a 36-year-old unconscious female with labored breathing. She was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

June 21: MCSO deputy reported he was assisting Boardman Police Department officer attempting to overtake a vehicle doing 96 mph on I-84 west. Amanda Lou Smith, 22, was cited for Violation of the Speed Limit doing 96 mph in a 65 mph zone.

MCSO received report from a deputy who was out with a vehicle on I-84 in a weird spot. The occupants of the vehicle were determined to be camping by the river and the vehicle was well off the road.

MCSO received report of a horse in very bad health in Irrigon. Owners were warned that they had to put the horse down that day. The horse was put down.

MCSO received report that Kunze Rd. was completely blocked by trees that had been felled near Boardman.

MCSO K-9 Deployment cited Brandon Saucillo, 21, for Possession of Less Than One Oz. Marijuana and for Driving While Suspended violation.

Esteban M. Rodarte, 22, was cited for Possession of Less Than One Oz. Marijuana and Permitting the Unlawful Use of Motor Vehicle. The vehicle was impounded.

MCSO cited Joshua Sidney Zinter, 24, for Failure to Register Vehicle and warned for Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance and Failure to Maintain Lane.

MCSO received report from a Boardman woman that a white Nubian goat showed up on her property. She said she would take care of it until somebody claims it.

MCSO, BPD received report of a fight in progress in Irrigon with several males attacking the caller's son. The assailants left in a gray Chevy pickup. It was determined to be a verbal dispute with both parties pushing and shoving each other but no punches thrown. Both parties were throwing rocks at each other, but no injuries occurred.

MCSO received report of a dog barking non-stop in Heppner.

BPD received report of a window broken out of a car with a rock. The parties have agreed to settle the situation civilly.

BPD officer reported that he was attempting to overtake a vehicle at 81 mph near Irrigon. Amanda Rae Mack, 19, was cited for VBR 81 mph in a 55 mph

zone.

BPD officer reported he was out with a group of juveniles playing football in the middle of the street.

Boardman Fire Department responded to a fire at a Boardman address. The subjects were advised to put the fire out as the burn ban was in effect.

Boardman Ambulance received report of an elderly male shaking and vomiting. He was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital

**June 22:** MCSO received a fire call regarding a smell of an electrical fire. Irrigon FD responded.

MCSO deputy was out with three juveniles. The deputy advised the juveniles they need to return to their homes. The juveniles advised they were on their way home.

MCSO and BPD received a report that an officer was enroute to the North Shell in Boardman regarding a stolen vehicle. The vehicle was located by the Hermiston PD.

MCSO received a report about a coyote that was hit by a car and was still alive. Dispatch was needed.

MCSO arrested Keith Alan Buck, 37, for Probation Violation, Poss. Forged Check and Forgery II.

MCSO was advised by UCSO that a MCSO deputy was going 85-90 without lights or sirens.

MCSO received a report that two pieces of equipment from Windy River Farms are too big. The tractors pulling the equipment advised they will park and get a supervisor to come flag the equipment.

MCSO issued a citation to Edgar Adan Godinez, 24, for making an unsafe pass on the left.

MCSO issued a citation to Karen Mitchell, 51, for failing to register vehicle.

MCSO received a report that the reporter stated she gave a vehicle to a male subject on May 13, 07, and he told her that she would have her vehicle in three to four days. The reporter has not heard from him since.

MCSO received a report about a stolen bike in Irrigon.

MCSO received a report that the reporter from Irrigon came home to find the door open and stuff all over. A DVD player, MP3, PC and guitars were missing from the home.

MCSO received a report that two males were going door to door selling books and magazines to people in town. The people in town were calling city hall about it. The reporter advised they have no peddlers license.

MCSO responded to a nine day old infant who was not breathing. The infant was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital.

MCSO received a report that there was a small fire at the post office in Irrigon.

MCSO and Irrigon FD responded and the fire was put out.

MCSO responded to a grass fire and advised it was in Gilliam County. Boardman FD was called.

MCSO received a report that a mail box was at the end of the reporter's drive. Photos were taken and evidence taken in.

MCSO issued a citation to Michael R. Masterson, 38, for Furnishing Alcohol to Minors X2.

MCSO issued a citation to Cody J. Keisling, 18, for MIP/Alcohol by consumption.

MCSO issued a citation to William B. Bergstrom, 20, for MIP/Alcohol.

MCSO issued a citation to Heriberto Pinto Ramirez, 27, for Driving while Suspended and failing to carry proof of Insurance.

BPD received a report of an unknown injury Motor Vehicle Accident. The accident involved a pick-up that rear-ended a semi truck.

BPD issued a citation to Wayne Bradley Schwabrow, for violating the basic rule by going 74 mph in a 45 mph zone and for Driving while Suspended.

BPD received a report of a suspicious person wearing a flannel coat walking behind the fire station in Boardman.

Irrigon Ambulance assisted an 82-year-old male who was complaining of severe abdominal pain.

Boardman Ambulance reported a silver car speeding in excess of 85 mph.

**June 23:** MCSO received a report that there were a couple of people in the state park in Irrigon. The reporter advised the juveniles looked like they were going to run from the deputy.

MCSO received a report that a male subject came up to the reporter's residence asking for water for his car. The reporter did not know who it was and requested deputy assistance. The male's car was overheated and he received water.

MCSO issued a citation to Bertalicia Martinez Madrigal, 41, for violating the basic rule by going 72 mph in a 55 mph zone.

MCSO issued a citation to Larry Dwayne Fussell, 66, for violating the basic rule by going 74 mph in a 55 mph zone.

**Heppner Day-care and Preschool to offer extended hours this fall**

The Heppner Day-care and Preschool will offer extended hours, from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, effective September 4.

The after-school program, the Colt Club, will continue with pick-up services from Heppner Elementary School to the club headquarters at Heppner Daycare until 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Colt Club rates are in effect until 5:30 p.m. for all children from kindergarten on up. After 5:30 p.m., the day care rate will apply. On Fridays, Colt Club will be from 1-4 p.m.

Call Heppner Day-care to sign up or for more information

**MORROW COUNTY ROAD COMMITTEE WILL MEET AT THE PORT OF MORROW IN BOARDMAN IN THE WELLS SPRINGS ROOM ON THURSDAY, JULY 19TH AT 7 P.M. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND. COME AND ASK QUESTIONS OF YOUR ROAD COMMITTEE!**

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