

## From the Sheriff's Desk . . .

by Jeff Dickerson, Sheriff  
Columbia County



### The "OFFICE" of Sheriff

People all over, on occasion, will mistakenly refer to the sheriff's office as a "department" of county government.

Since taking office in January, I have sought to alter the image of our agency in the minds of the people I have been chosen to serve. There are many important reasons why people have needed to see the role of their sheriff's office in a more favorable light, and a lot of those reasons

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## Police/Court Abbreviations

Abbreviations: A&D, Alcohol & Drug; DUII, Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants; BUII, Boating Under the Influence of Intoxicants; CCSO, Columbia County Sheriff's Office; DWS, Driving While License is Suspended; MIP, Minor In Possession of Intoxicants; MVA, Motor Vehicle Accident; PCS, Possession of Controlled Substance; ODL, Oregon Driver License; FTA, Failure to Appear in Court; NTSI, National Traffic Safety Institute; DA, District Attorney; VIP, Victim Impact Panel; FF&A, Fines, Fees and Assessments.

## Col. Co. Sheriff

Nov. 15 – Resident on McDonald Rd. reported a beating threat if he didn't pay rent; subject left area and no follow up is needed unless things changes.

## Vernonia Justice Court

November 3-10, 2009

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