

WEEKLY WRAP UP 2018

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My New Uniform



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NO HAND-HELD DEVICES WHILE DRIVING

Remember that on July 1, the new law goes into effect on hand-held devices while driving. (HB-673) “*A driver cannot have a phone in their hand or use any part of their body to support the phone. Drivers can only use their phones to make or receive calls by using speakerphone, earpiece, wireless headphone, or by connection to vehicle or electronic watch. GPS navigation devices are allowed.*”

EXCEPTIONS

- Reporting a traffic crash, medical emergency, fire, criminal activity, or hazardous road conditions.
- An employee or contractor of a utility provider acting within the scope of their employment responding to a utility emergency.
- First responders during the performance of their official duties, and,
- When lawfully parked (not for traffic, signals, or stop signs on a public roadway.)

Burglary

7961 24 Cedar Run 30350 6/23

The residents returned home and found the door unlocked but not forced. Inside the apartment, the residents discovered that an Apple computer, Michael Kors coat, Canon camera, and other items were stolen.

7991 4900 block Rebel Trail 30342 6/24

The resident said between the 22nd and 24th, someone entered his home and stole several items.

7998 1125 Hammond Drive 30328 6/24

The resident said between 7 to 11:30 p.m., someone entered his apartment and took several items including a 55-inch TV with sound bar, PS4 and games, MacBook Pro, and several foreign currency bills. The living room window screen had been cut and window moved up.

Larceny

7929 5700 block Kayron Drive 30328 6/23

A chainsaw and edger was stolen from the resident's carport sometime between the 21st and 23rd of June.

7952 6851 Roswell Road 30328 6/23

The resident reported that she hired a carpet-flooring company to replace her carpet in her home. She said she hid a jewelry box in a room that was occupied by 4-5 workers who were working on the flooring. She requested to be in the room however, she said they asked her not to be. She suspects them of the theft of jewelry.

7993 5600 block Northside Drive 30327 6/24

The Shell Store employee said a black male came into the store, requesting the location of the restroom. He later walked out and snatched two rows of lottery tickets, then fled. He was described as stocky with dread locks. He wore a red jacket and black jeans. He got into a black Dodge Journey with tinted windows, driven by another person.

8038 9 Concourse Pkwy

30328

6/25

The employee of KinderCare Learning Center said an iPhone 7 was stolen from the cubby area.

Larceny from Vehicle

CASE #	LOCATION	ZIP	DATE	REMARKS
7934	200 block Franklin Rd	30342	6/23	Forced window entry
7931	8100 Roswell Road	30350	6/23	Forced entry, nothing taken
7951	5600 Roswell Road	30342	6/23	Kia Stinger, 2 BM's suspects, fled on 285 West
7984	325 Hammond Drive	30328	6/24	Forced window, Apple iPhone 7 and Jan sport backpack taken
7988	5920 Roswell Road	30328	6/24	Forced window, backpack and Google Pixel Book computer, wallet and ID, TJ Maxx card and \$400 cash taken

Fraud Complaints

Assault

7917 Glenridge Drive / Roswell Road

30342

6/23

(Aggravated Assault) The 40-year old victim said he exited a Marta bus around 10:55 p.m. and walked across the Scientology parking lot, north to Glenridge Drive where he lived. He was carrying a small dog in a dog carrier and speaking with his sister on his cellphone as he walked. He told officers that a white or silver SUV pulled up (west on Glenridge) and a man described as a black male, who was a passenger in the car, yelled obscenities at him, then shot at him. The driver was a white male. The victim said he felt pain in his abdomen and noticed one of the bullets passed through the dog carrier. (There was no indication the dog was hit.) The victim's sister called a Lyft car for him, which took him to his apartment. He was taken by whatever transportation means, to the hospital. His sister said while speaking to her brother on the phone, she heard 2-3 shots. He was treated for non-life-threatening injuries. The victim said he believes he's seen the car before, within his apartment complex.



Well, I didn't think I'd have to point this out but when you get shot, the ambulance will gladly come and take you to the hospital and treat your injuries while on the way. No sense freaking out the Lyft driver.

7955 8400 block Jett Ferry Drive

30350

6/23

The 48-year old victim told police he and his friend left the home for an hour in order to shop nearby. On return, they spotted a Toyota Corolla parked in his driveway. As they approached, they saw a young black male standing next to the car. The male suddenly ran from the car into the home by way of a side door. Seconds later, the man and 2-3 other males, wearing hoods, ran from the home and appeared to be pointing guns at the two men as they ran. The victim ducked behind his car while the second victim ran towards nearby bushes while the suspects fled in the Corolla.

Inside the home, the victim found a couple of marijuana (smoked) cigarettes on the floor. He said the stolen and/or damaged goods totaled just under \$8,000.

Suspect: Young black male, light skinned possibly mixed, shaved sides and curly hair. He was of average height and described as slender and “normal, not ‘hood.” No motive was determined at the scene.

7972 7600 Roswell Road

30350

6/24

A 28-year old woman called police and told officers that around 3 a.m., she and another woman went to an apartment where the offender lives. She said the offender saw her with another male and became angry, yelling at her to leave. Initially she refused but did walk to the apartment balcony area. She said the offender threw a cup of water at her so she did the same thing, which caused the offender to assault her by hitting her in the face. Another male pulled the man off. He took her iPhone and threw it to the ground before leaving the apartment. The woman was checked by EMS and released with abrasions to her legs and arms. The officers applied for a warrant for the offender.

7969 5700 block Roswell Road

30342

6/24

Cops responded to the Chevron on a suspect who stole a can of beer. The man fled so the officers looked around for him, finding him at 125 Northwood Drive, between two cars, drinking the stolen property, after a security guard pointed him out. The man was cuffed and became angry at the security guard, calling him a “snitch.” This was followed by a spitting incident towards the guard. The guard became instantly and clearly upset and took a defensive position, also known as the pre-whoop’in position, but the cops defused it by putting the cuffed prisoner in the back of the patrol car and offering up some hand sanitizer for the guard.

7990 700 block Willow Creek Drive

30328

6/24

This incident involved alcohol—which is obvious as you, read on. The 21-year old male victim met officers across the street from where the 51-year old suspect stood. He told the cops he and the offender were arguing since noon, (it was now after 5 p.m.) The argument centered on the location of the offender’s car and his motorcycle keys. He said the offender was drinking heavily and when he tried to leave, she grabbed him by the collar and punched him right smack in the face, apparent by the swelling and redness of his right eye.

The offender said it was he who took her keys and threw them in the bushes to conceal them. She said the motorcycle was at his mother's home, differing from his version, which was that the bike was stolen. (He immediately recanted the stolen-motorcycle story.) The offender then accused the victim of stealing the motorcycle—but also recanted the story. The report said while the officer was on scene, the offender did at least one shot of vodka. She was later arrested for Battery.

Other Areas of Interest

8035 6000 block Roswell Road

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6/25



(Indecent Exposure) An employee of Dunkin Donuts said around 5:20 p.m., an older white male, in a black SUV, came through the drive-through window and placed an order. When she returned with the order, she noticed the man was naked. He paid for the order and drove off. The tag is registered to a man in Tucker, GA.

Arrests

There were several but today's edition was the short form so look for goofball arrests next week.

This Week's Einsteins

Courtesy of Chuck Shepherd's News of the Weird

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Things got wild on June 2 at Mile High Spirits and Distillery in Denver when an unnamed off-duty FBI agent accidentally shot patron Tom Reddington, 24, in the lower leg. According to the Denver Post, the agent was dancing and did a backflip, which caused his firearm to come out of its holster and fall to the floor. When he bent to pick up the gun, it discharged. "I heard a loud bang," Reddington said, "and I thought some idiot set off a firecracker. All of a sudden, from the knee down became completely red, and that's when it clicked in my head, 'Oh, I've been shot.'" A man at the bar applied a tourniquet to

A COLLECTION OF INCIDENTS, SOME ARRESTS, SOME CRIME TIPS, AND A FEW KNUCKLEHEADS

Reddington's leg. The FBI agent was taken to Denver police headquarters and released to an FBI supervisor. Mile High Spirits has promised "complimentary drinks forever" to Reddington. [Denver Post, 6/7/2018]

On June 2, as two Jackson County, Oregon, sheriff's deputies waited for a tow truck to remove a 2003 Toyota Camry from the side of a road, 23-year-old Anthony J. Clark, of Grants Pass, walked up to the car and told the deputies he was going to steal it. He then got into the car and drove off, leading officers on a 40-mile chase through Ashland, Talent and Phoenix, Oregon, crashing into fences and driving the wrong way on several roads. When officers finally stopped the car, The Oregonian reported, Clark ran into a mobile home park, where he was arrested trying to steal another car. The deputies reported Clark admitted taking LSD and said he thought he was inside a real-life version of the "Grand Theft Auto" video game. Among other charges, Clark was accused of driving under the influence of intoxicants and second-degree criminal mischief. [The Oregonian, 6/4/2018]

