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## **GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY**

SEPTEMBER 16, 2019 – SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

On Monday, September 16, Sgt. C. Dixon took a report of a stolen trailer from Country Club Road in Simmons Bayou. During the daylight hours of Saturday, September 14, suspects in a white newer model Chevrolet Silverado took the trailer from a residence on Country Club Road. The trailer, which has not been recovered, was described as a 5x10 galvanized colored utility trailer.

On Monday, September 16, Sgt. C. Dixon served Gary A. Roberts (42) with an Order of Contempt and a Writ of Bodily Attachment for failure to pay child support at the Gulf County Detention Facility.

On Monday, September 16, Deputy Everett responded to a domestic disturbance in Wewahitchka involving a male and female who were fighting in the yard. The two were fighting because the female was attempting to keep the male, who was reported to have been intoxicated, from driving. The male subject had already left the scene prior to law enforcement arriving. Criminal charges are pending against the male suspect.

On Tuesday, September 17, Investigators C. Harvey and S. Ferrell conducted a traffic stop on Our Town Road. During the course of the traffic stop investigators discovered that a passenger in the vehicle, identified as Tyler Anderson Bowles (31), was in possession of methamphetamine and a syringe. Bowles was arrested and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Bowles attempted to dispose of the syringe before it was revealed, so he was also charged with Tampering with Evidence.

On Tuesday, September 17, GCSO Communications received multiple 911 prank calls from a young boy. The boy called a total of five times and made statements to dispatchers that, "police suck" and "I need toilet paper." Dispatchers were able to identify that the calls were being placed on a cell phone from Wewahitchka Elementary School. School Resource Deputy L. Greenwood was notified and briefed on the location the calls were

received from. He was then able to identify the student who made the calls. The incident was turned over to school administrators in lieu of a criminal investigation.

On Tuesday, September 17, the GCSO responded to a report of an attempted child abduction that occurred near the intersection of East River Road and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in Wewahitchka. A 14-year-old boy reported to authorities that while he was riding his bicycle, a white male on a red and black four-wheeler approached him and asked if he needed a ride. The boy declined, which prompted the suspect to get off the four-wheeler and attempt to grab the boy by the arm. The boy fled and made it home to call the Sheriff's Office. The suspect was described as being approximately 30 years old with black hair. He was wearing a white t-shirt and cut-off blue jeans. Deputies and investigators have canvassed the neighborhood surrounding the incident location searching for clues but they have not been able to identify the suspect. Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact the Gulf County Sheriff's Office.

On Wednesday, September 18, the GCSO transported John L. Dellolmo (75) from the Calhoun County Jail after he was taken into custody on a warrant for Failure to Appear. Dellolmo's original charge was for No Vehicle Registration. He was booked into the Gulf County Detention Facility.

On Wednesday, September 18, Deputy S. Sheline was dispatched to the Creek Stop convenience store in Wewahitchka to investigate an unresponsive female that was found in the rest room. Deputy Sheline and Sgt. D. Sanders arrived and discovered that the female had overdosed on drugs. NARCAN was administered by deputies to counteract the effects of the drugs the female was on. The female became responsive and was transported to a medical facility for treatment.

On Wednesday, September 18, Deputy P. Young was dispatched to Cape San Blas Road in the area of the "Stump Hole" to investigate a vehicle burglary. Someone had broken through a window of a parked vehicle and stole a purse and medication. No suspects have been identified at this time.

On Wednesday, September 18, Deputy M. Peek conducted a traffic stop on Jim Rish Road. The driver of the vehicle was identified as Joseph Dale Garner (34). During the traffic stop, Deputy Peek obtained consent to search the vehicle which revealed methamphetamine and a glass drug pipe. The meth and pipe belonged to Garner. He was placed under arrest and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On Thursday, September 19, the GCSO transported April A. Ward (37) from the Bay County Jail to the Gulf County Detention Facility to be booked on an Order of Contempt and Writ of Bodily Attachment for failing to pay child support.

On Thursday, September 19, Investigators S. Ferrell and C. Harvey conducted a traffic stop on Hurd Street in Land's Landing. While the driver was retrieving vehicle information from the glove compartment, investigators saw a clear plastic baggie containing what appeared to be methamphetamine. Consent to search the vehicle was granted from the driver and their suspicions were confirmed. The baggie in the glove compartment contained methamphetamine. The driver, Stacy Martel White (46) from Youngstown, Florida, was placed under arrest and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine.

On Thursday, September 19, Deputy P. Young was dispatched to the area of Red Bull Island to conduct a welfare check on someone who was suspected of being a victim of domestic violence. Deputy Young met with the alleged victim who stated that she had been beaten by Edward Earl Nobles (59). She stated that Nobles had also pointed a shotgun at her and threatened to kill her. GCSO Criminal Investigations Division (CID) became involved and conducted a search warrant on the location where the shotgun was at. The shotgun used to threaten the victim was found and seized. Nobles was placed under arrest and charged with Assault with a Deadly Weapon and Domestic Battery. Nobles is a convicted felon so he was also charged with Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon. As a result of the search warrant at his home, Nobles was also charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On Friday, September 20, Christina A. Rhoades (37) was taken into custody by Sgt. R. Burkett at a residence on McGlon Drive in Wewahitchka. Rhoades was wanted on an Order of Contempt and Writ of Bodily Attachment for failure to pay child support. Rhoades was transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility to be booked.

On Friday, September 20, Shawn B. Wood (45) was arrested in the area of Ridgewood Street on a warrant for Violation of Probation on the original charges of Possession of Methamphetamine (two counts). This is the second VOP warrant that the GCSO has served on Wood. He was taken to the Gulf County Detention Facility to be booked.

On Saturday, September 21, Sgt. R. Burkett responded to a report of a disturbance on South Long Street in Overstreet. Sgt. Burkett learned that a male and female were traveling in a vehicle when the two got into an argument. While traveling along the road the female began hitting the male who was driving. When the two arrived home, the female began burning the males clothing in the front yard. The female was identified as Brenna Christine Jewell (33). Jewell was placed under arrest and charged with Domestic Battery.

If you have any information regarding the aforementioned cases, please contact the Gulf County Sheriff's Office at 850-227-1115, 850-639-5717, or remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers at 850-785-TIPS.

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