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### **Patrol Division Weekly Activity Report 9/6/12 to 9/12/12**

- **REPORTS: 52**
- **ARRESTS: 28**
- **DUI's: 5**
- **Moving citations: 11**
- **Speeding citations: 6**
- **Non-moving citations: 2**

### **Statistics**

Arrests included: 6 warrant arrests, 5 for public intoxication, 2 for possessing methamphetamine, 2 for battery on police or medical personnel, 2 for vandalism, 2 for criminal threats, and 1 each for: resisting arrest, possessing an illegal weapon, violating probation or parole, battery, vehicle pursuit, burglary, and battery on school grounds. Probation or parole holds were placed on 4 of these arrests.

Officers investigated 2 traffic collisions, 1 DUI traffic collision, and one death. Four vehicles were impounded for 30 days due to the drivers being unlicensed or suspended.

Officers took reports of: 6 thefts, 4 burglaries, 2 found property, 2 stolen vehicles, 2 child neglect, 2 vandalisms, 2 missing persons, and 1 each of; recovered stolen vehicle, suicidal subject, false or forged prescription, forgery, and annoying or molesting a child.

Officers assisted the Ukiah Fire Department with a structure fire, the Mendocino Major Crimes Task Force with a marijuana cultivation investigation, and the California Highway Patrol with a vehicle and foot pursuit.



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### **Highlights for the Week**

On September 6<sup>th</sup> at about 11:30 PM, a Ukiah Police Department Officer attempted to conduct a traffic stop on a black 1983 Mercedes 2 door coupe at the intersection of S. State St. and Talmage Rd. for numerous vehicle code violations. The driver attempted to evade the officer and fled in the vehicle east on Talmage Rd. reaching speeds at times of approx. 80 mph. The driver failed to yield to the officer's lights and siren and continued driving erratically into the Talmage area. The driver drove into the City of Ten Thousand Buddhas property at 2001 Talmage Rd. and rammed through a mechanical gate arm which controls vehicle access to the property. After ramming through the gate arm, the driver continued through the City of Ten Thousand Buddhas at approx. 50 mph. The driver drove to the end of a cul de sac and stopped. The driver attempted to flee on foot and was quickly apprehended after a short foot chase. Additional units from the Ukiah Police Department, the California Highway Patrol, and the Mendocino County Sheriff's Department responded to assist. The driver was a 16 year old female juvenile and was lodged at Juvenile Hall for evading in a vehicle, vandalism, resisting arrest, and driving without a license.

On September 7<sup>th</sup> at about 11:00 AM Ukiah Police stopped a vehicle being driven by 45 year old Manuel Walter Braga, of Fort Bragg, in the 100 block of Gibson Street. Braga displayed symptoms of recent drug use and was on probation and driving on a suspended driver's license. Braga was arrested, and a search of his vehicle was conducted with the assistance of a Ukiah Police Narcotics Detection Canine. Within the vehicle was a methamphetamine pipe and about 2 grams of methamphetamine. Braga was booked into the County Jail for driving on a suspended driver's license, possessing methamphetamine, and violating probation.

On September 7<sup>th</sup> at about 5:30 PM Ukiah Police received a call of a traffic collision in the 1200 block of Carrigan Lane. It was reported a silver Chrysler had been traveling south and collided with a parked trailer, and drug the trailer along the road before stopping. The driver was contacted by witnesses at the scene who obtained the drivers identifying information, and suspected the driver was intoxicated. The driver left the scene driving the Chrysler which was leaking fluids, and officers eventually located the vehicle in the 200 block of Zinfandel Drive.



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The driver was located and identified as 54 year old Debra Regina Caborn, who was intoxicated and was arrested for DUI.

On September 7<sup>th</sup> at about 11:20 PM a Ukiah Police Officer observed 33 year old Michael Lenhard Anderson in the north driveway of the Discovery Inn, at 1340 North State Street. Anderson had an outstanding warrant for his arrest, and the officer attempted to contact Anderson who fled south to the southern driveway then headed west. The officer pursued Anderson who changed direction several times then finally tried to hide between a building and a hedge. The officer quickly located Anderson, who pled with the officer to be allowed to see a female before being arrest and taken to jail. Anderson was arrested for his warrant and for resisting arrest, and booked into the County Jail.

On September 8<sup>th</sup> at about 12:40 AM Ukiah Police responded to the Pub at 585 North State Street for a subject who reported having been punched at the location. A responding officer was flagged down on Clara Avenue by 22 year old Anthony Scott Bertozzi, who reported he was driving his vehicle and leaving the bar when he was punched in the face through the open driver's window. Bertozzi had been drinking, and was found too intoxicated to drive and was arrested for DUI. A search of the vehicle Bertozzi was driving revealed over ½ gram of methamphetamine and a methamphetamine smoking pipe. Bertozzi was booked into the County Jail for DUI, possessing methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia, and violating probation.

On September 9<sup>th</sup> at about 3:50 AM Ukiah Police responded to Safeway at 653 South State Street for a subject inside the store yelling and causing a disturbance. Officers contacted 35 year old Bruce Lee Hice as he exited the store, who was on parole. Hice was acting bizarre and speaking of strange topics, and suddenly struck an officer in the shoulder with moderate force. Hice was arrested for battery on a police officer and violating parole, and booked into the County Jail.

On September 10<sup>th</sup> at about 1:25 PM Ukiah Police responded the Ukiah Valley Medical Center Emergency Room at 275 Hospital Drive for a combative subject. Officers found 26 year old Aaron Gerald Lincoln being restrained by hospital staff, and assisted in restraining him. Officers learned Lincoln had charged an ER nurse, ramming his shoulder into the nurse pushing



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the nurse into a metal partition and work area, injuring the nurse. Lincoln was arrested for battery on medical staff and booked into the County Jail.

On September 11<sup>th</sup> at about 1:25 AM Ukiah Police contacted 26 year old Jose Luis Rodriguez in the 1100 block of South State Street. Rodriguez possessed a large metal trailer hitch pin, which he would place inside his clenched hand to make his punches harder when fighting. Rodriguez had several outstanding warrants for his arrest including one for illegal possession of a firearm. Rodriguez was arrested for possessing an illegal weapon and for the warrants.

On September 11<sup>th</sup> at about 8:30 AM the Mendocino Major Crimes Task Force, assisted by members of the County of Mendocino Marijuana Eradication Team, California Fish and Game, Ukiah Police Department, and Mendocino County Probation served a search warrant on a residence and property in the 300 block of South Highland Avenue. Located on the property were multiple outdoor locations where a total of over 100 marijuana plants were growing. Inside a garage over 120 marijuana plants were being grown. Also located at the location was more than ½ pound of processed marijuana, additional drying marijuana, and items used to process, package, and associated with the selling of marijuana. The investigation led to a secondary location in the 2800 block of Boonville Road, where another search warrant was served and additional marijuana plants were found growing both indoors and outdoors. Located and arrested at the Highland Avenue location for cultivation and possession of marijuana for sale were; 23 year old Jared Boyd Hare, 37 year old Jesus Manzo Mendoza, 49 year old Timothy Clayton Noyd, and 39 year old Thaddeus Estes Wakefield.

On September 11<sup>th</sup> at about 9:00 AM Ukiah Police responded to a residence in the 800 block of Waugh Lane for a theft from a vehicle, wherein cash and a credit card were stolen. The victim learned the stolen credit card had been used earlier that morning at a convenience store and at Wal Mart, where a television and other items worth over \$900.00 were fraudulently purchased using the card. The investigating officer proceeded to both locations, and determined three suspects had participated in the purchase at Wal Mart. The officer was able to identify one of the suspects as 28 year old Anthony Grayson Aguilar, and found he was on parole. A search of Aguilar's residence, also in the 800 block of Waugh Lane, was conducted, and the television and other stolen items were located although Aguilar was not. The investigating officer



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continued to investigate the theft and attempted to locate Aguilar, and the following day arranged for Aguilar and the two outstanding suspects to respond to the Ukiah Police department. On September 12<sup>th</sup> at about 11:20 AM the investigating officer met with Aguilar, as well as 32 year old Anna Maria Aguilar and 19 year old Austin Jay-Lee Shealor at the Ukiah Police Department. All subjects were interviewed and ultimately arrested for burglary, possessing stolen property, criminal conspiracy, and identity theft. Aguilar was additionally charged with violating parole.

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