



## Ukiah Police Department

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### Patrol Division Weekly Activity Report 05/10/17 to 05/16/17

- Reports: 64
- Misdemeanor Arrests: 24
- Felony Arrests: 6
- Moving citations: 1

- Non-moving citations: 6
- Speeding citations: 0
- DUI: 1
- Ukiah City Code: 4

### Statistics

**Arrests included:** 12 warrants, 4 public intoxication, 1 public intoxication/VOP, 1 public intoxication/warrant arrest, 1 DUI, 2 hit and run traffic collisions, 3 resisting or delaying a peace officer, 1 VOP, 1 shoplifting, 1 possession of depressant, 5 battery/assaults, 1 possession of a controlled substance.

**Officers investigated and took reports of:** 8 vandalisms, 6 towed vehicles, 3 thefts, 2 burglary's, 5 found property reports, 4 City Code citations, 4 traffic collisions, 1 vehicle theft, 1 missing person, 1 CPS cross report, and 2 death investigations, 1 assault with a deadly weapon.

The Patrol Division's average response time to in-progress calls was just over 3 minutes. The average response time to all calls was just over 8 minutes.

### Highlights for the Week

On May 10<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 9:08am, a UPD officer was patrolling the area of S. Dora St. and W. Church St. when he located a male subject, identified as Geoffrey Ritter a 32 year old transient. The officer was aware of an outstanding warrant for Ritters arrest. The officer contacted Ritter, advised him of the warrant and took Ritter into custody without incident. Ritter was booked into county jail. 17-1331

On May 11<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 10:03am, a UPD officer responded to the 300 block of Seminary Ave for a report of a suspicious male near the Fire Department vehicles. Upon arrival, the UPD officer located a male subject, identified as Thomas Galindo, a 41 year old transient. The officer observed Galindo displaying signs of alcohol intoxication. A records check revealed Galindo was on probation. Galindo was taken into custody for public intoxication and violation of probation. Galindo was booked into county jail. 17-1342

On May 11<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 8:38pm, a UPD officer was patrolling the 300 block of Talmage Rd. when he located a female subject identified as Jennifer Degroot, a 45 year old transient. The officer was aware of an outstanding warrant for Degroots arrest. The officer contacted Degroot, advised her of the warrant and took her into custody without incident. Degroot was booked into county jail. 17-1349

On May 12<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 1:26pm, a UPD officer was dispatched to area of the railroad trestle near the intersection of Mason St. and Clara St. for a report of a male subject causing a disturbance. Upon arrival, the officer located a male subject identified as William Long, a 54 year old transient. The officer observed Long displaying signs of alcohol intoxication. The officer placed Long under arrest for public intoxication. Long was booked into county jail. 17-1354

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On May 12<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 10:15pm, a UPD officer responded to the 200 block of S. State St. for a male sleeping on the ground in the parking lot. Upon arrival, the UPD officer located a male subject identified as Robert Valadez, a 28 year old transient. The officer observed Valadez displaying signs of alcohol intoxication. Valadez was taken into custody without incident for public intoxication and booked into county jail. 17-1359

### **Press Release: Subject stabbed and transported to out of area hospital**

#### **UPD case # 17-1362**

On May 13<sup>th</sup> at about 3am, a UPD officer was dispatched to Ukiah Valley Medical Center for a report of an assault. Upon arrival the officer contacted a 33-year-old male victim, who was being treated by hospital staff for multiple stab wounds. The male victim reported that prior to being transported to the hospital he was in the 200 block of Observatory Avenue, near an apartment complex, when he was stabbed from behind. The victim was stabbed multiple times and could not provide a description of his attacker. Due to the severity of the victim's injuries, he was transported to an out of area hospital. Officers responded to the location where the stabbing reportedly had occurred and located the crime scene, which was processed for evidence. UPD Detectives are currently investigating the stabbing.

If anyone has information on this assault, please contact the Ukiah Police Department Detective Division at 463-6262.

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On May 14<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 8:56pm, UPD officers were dispatched to Kohls for a report of a shoplifting. UPD Dispatch advised that the suspect had stolen multiple items from the store earlier in the day and was now standing on the sidewalk outside of the store. The UPD officers located the suspect, identified as Ashley Long a 28 year old Lake County resident. Approximately \$732 worth of items from Kohls were recovered and Long was placed under arrest for the shoplifting. Long was booked into county jail. 17-1375

On May 15<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 3:29 hours, a UPD officer was patrolling the 800 block of Cypress Ave when he located a male subject identified as James Miles, a 39 year old transient. The officer was aware of an outstanding warrant for Miles arrest. The officer contacted Miles, advised him of the warrant, and took Miles into custody without incident. Miles was booked into county jail. 17-1386

### **Press Release: Unconscious driver / hit and run DUI drug case**

#### **UPD case # 17-1388**

On May 15<sup>th</sup> at about 6pm, UPD officers and an ambulance were dispatched to the area of East Perkins Street and Oak Manor Drive, regarding an unresponsive male subject inside a vehicle. Upon arrival, officers located a parked white Toyota Tacoma in the roadway, blocking northbound Oak Manor Drive traffic. The vehicle had sustained significant front end damage and the driver was unresponsive. The vehicle was locked and officers had to break a window, to render aid to the unconscious driver. Officers removed the driver and ambulance staff transported him to Ukiah Valley Medical Center for treatment. The driver was identified as Sergio Luna, a 24-year-old local resident. During the subsequent investigation officers learned that prior to being found unconscious Luna was driving in the 800 block of Yosemite Drive and had collided with a parked vehicle. Luna then left the scene of the collision and drove to where he was found

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unconscious. Luna was suspected of being under the influence of Heroin and prescription medication at the time of the collision. This case was submitted to the District Attorney's Office for prosecution of Luna for driving under the influence of drugs and the hit-and-run collision. Officers were also aware of an incident on May 12<sup>th</sup>, UPD case 17-1353, where Luna was arrested for a hit-and-run DUI drug collision that occurred in the 100 block of Clara Avenue. At that time Luna was booked into county jail.

I would like to take this opportunity to provide some tips in reporting a suspected DUI driver:

- *Use a hands free type device to call 911 and tell the dispatcher you suspect a driver maybe impaired. (If you don't have a hands free device, safely pull over, park and then make the call).*
- *Be aware that you will be asked questions such as your location, the suspect vehicle location, direction of travel, vehicle description, license plate number, manner in which the vehicle is being driven, etc...Be patient with the dispatcher as they are often talking with you and dispatching officers to respond at the same time.*
- *Don't follow too close to the suspected impaired driver or attempt to stop the suspect vehicle yourself.*

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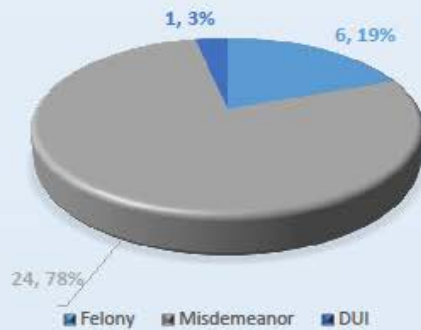
On May 16<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 11:05pm, a UPD officer was patrolling the 600 block of N. State St. when he located a female subject identified as Andrea Wright, a 38 year old transient. The officer was aware of an outstanding warrant for Wrights arrest. The officer contacted Wright, advised her of the warrant and placed her under arrest without incident. Wright was booked into county jail. 17-1400

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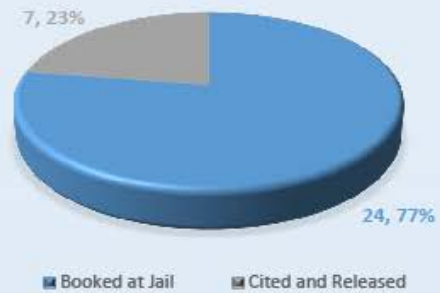
## Reports



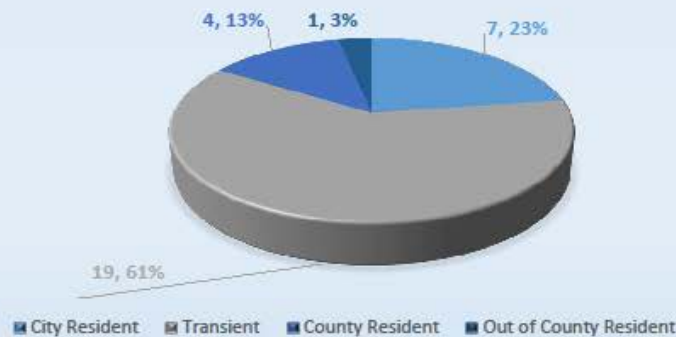
## CRIME BREAKDOWN



## ARREST DISPOSITION



## ARREST RESIDENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS



## Daily Average Response Times (mm:ss)

