

PARK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
WEEKLY ACTIVITY REPORT
JUNE 08, 2018 THROUGH JUNE 14, 2018

Jail News

On Tuesday, June 12 the Detention night shift supervisor was performing a routine check of in-coming mail for contraband and found a quantity of Suboxone secreted in a greeting card intended for a Pueblo County female inmate. Suboxone is a prescription medication intended for the treatment of opioid dependence. The card was confiscated and a warrant was obtained for felony charges of *Introduction of Contraband* based on evidence located and her phone calls. This was also passed to the USPS Postal Inspector to handle the party in California who mailed the contraband. She was booked into the Park County jail as a Park County inmate on the new charges.

Fire Ban News

Deputies wrote fourteen (14) fire ban tickets over the course of the week. The electronic VMS boards now state "No Campfires-No Shooting in Park County". The last wildland fire was the tenth (10th) caused by recreational shooting. This fire was on the east slope of Thirty-nine Mile Mountain south of Hartsel on Monday, June 11 and is being investigated by USFS.

Revoked Driver's License, Pine Junction

On Friday morning, June 8 at around 8:30 AM a traffic stop was initiated near Pine Junction. The passenger took off and a foot pursuit was conducted. Deputies checked the remaining driver and found him to be revoked, so he was taken into custody. Enroute to the jail he violently banged his head on the police car cage four times. When he arrived at the jail the party immediately broke free from the Deputy's grasp of his arm and rammed his head into the cinder block wall. He was taken down to a mattress on the cell floor and restraints applied after a struggle. He was then placed in the Restraint Chair for his safety. After around twenty minutes of immobilization his attitude was corrected and the booking process completed without incident. The runner was located and the warrant for him was extraditable only in Nebraska. He was not taken into custody.

Road Rage Incident, Bailey

On Friday, June 8 at approximately 5:30 PM Park County Communications advised of a two-vehicle crash at mile marker 227 on U. S. Hwy 285. Deputies arrived on scene and found both vehicles with less than \$1000 damage. Both drivers admitted to getting irritated with the other driver while heading southbound on the highway over tailgating, and cutting each other off. One driver "smacked" the other vehicle's mirror and the second driver threw a can of soda onto the passenger side of the first vehicle. Driver number two then "brake checked" driver one and the two vehicles collided causing minimal damage. Driver one was issued a summons for *Harassment* and driver two was summoned for *Harassment* and *Reckless Endangerment*.

Speeder gets Arrested

The driver of a vehicle who was stopped near Lake George on Friday, June 8 told the Deputy his license was "suspended". That wasn't totally accurate, as he was "revoked" as an Habitual Traffic Offender (HTO) as well as having a warrant from Lakewood, CO. He was taken into custody, charged with *Speeding* and *Drove Vehicle when License Revoked HTO* and transported to the Park County Jail.

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Blocked Driveway by DUI Driver

On Friday, June 8 parties called in that an unresponsive driver was in a vehicle blocking a driveway near Bailey. When a Deputy contacted the driver he was unable to stand without swaying back and forth, gave off an odor of an unknown alcoholic beverage and his eyes were bloodshot with droopy eyelids. The driver said he was coming from a wedding, but couldn't say where that was. He declined to perform Standard Field Sobriety Tests and declined chemical test. He was taken into custody and charged with *Drove While Under the Influence of Alcohol* and *Drove Vehicle with Blood Alcohol Content of 0.08 or More* and was transported to the Park County Jail.

Disturbance in Campground, Jefferson Deputies were called to a designated campsite near Jefferson on the night of Friday, June 8 for a reported dispute between two groups of campers. A female party reported that she had gone to a camp occupied by five adult males and demanded that they turn off their generator. When it came back on she again went over with her husband. There was a slight altercation and the female party pulled a weapon to protect her husband. Deputies took statements, but all parties declined to pursue charges and were separated for the night.

Illegal Campfire leads to Arrest

A Deputy located a campfire in the area of Lake George on Saturday morning, June 9 and checked the identification of the four male parties. One had two valid warrants from El Paso County and was taken into custody and transported to the Park County Jail.

2nd Degree Assault, Domestic Violence near Fairplay At around 02:40 AM on Tuesday, June 12, 2018 an in progress domestic violence assault was reported to Park County Communications. When deputies arrived, the male party had departed. Deputies took statements from the female victim and a witness. A warrant has been issued for the male party for *Assault in the 2nd Degree; Criminal Mischief; Child Abuse* and *Domestic Violence*. The suspect is still at large, possibly out of state.

Assault, Domestic Violence, Bailey

At approximately 04:40 AM on Tuesday, June 12 Park County Communications called Deputies to respond to a domestic altercation. Both parties were at the residence and the male party displayed injuries he received from the female during the argument. The female party was arrested and transported to the Park County Jail.

Hit and Run Accident, DUI Arrest near Hartsel

Reports came in of a single car roll over on Hwy 9 near Garo quickly followed by reports of the vehicle that caused the crash to be turning east on Hwy 24 near Hartsel. Deputies responded to the area and made contact with the speeding car. Colorado State patrol responded to the accident scene where a broken side view mirror was located which was consistent with damage observed to the stopped vehicle. The driver stopped by Deputies gave strong indications of impairment, but refused to perform roadside maneuvers. He was arrested and transported to South Park Ambulance District for a blood draw and then to the Park County Jail. When at the jail the male party was non-compliant until he sobered up when things improved. He was charged with *DUI; DUI per se; Child Abuse (two counts); Failed to Drive in a Single*

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Lane; Speeding 84 in a 65 Zone; Reckless Driving and Failed to present Evidence of Insurance.
Additional charges were added by CSP when the accident investigation was completed.