Editor’s Note- We will be going on a short hiatus and will return with our next issue October 6th. The City of Kennewick will also be unveiling a new web site between now and October 6th and this will change how we are notifying you about our latest Briefing issue. Thanks. M. Blatman

Monday, September 19, 2016

B-Shift

False Reporting/2800 blk W. Kennewick Ave- Officers responded to a disturbance call. While investigating the incident the male provided a false name to officers. Officers quickly determined his true identity and arrested him for false reporting. In a twist of fate, the male stated he provided the false name because he thought he had warrants for his arrest, he did not.

Hit and Run/40th Ave & Quincy Pl- Officer Johnson arrested a 19 year old female for reckless driving and hit and run. She had been traveling north on Quincy Pl when she attempted to turn west onto 40th Ave. She was traveling too fast and struck a parked vehicle and then left the scene. She was located a short time later at her residence. Neighbors report that she continually drives recklessly in the neighborhood. She was booked into jail.

Suicidal Subject/200 blk E 2nd Ave- Sgt Walters contacted a female in reference to her boyfriend being suicidal. The two had argued this morning and she left with their child. When she returned home this afternoon he was gone and she found one if his handguns missing. He also left his cell phone behind and his vehicle is also gone from the residence. An ATL with officer safety has been issued.

D-Squad
Suicidal Subject/200 blk E 2nd Ave FOLLOW UP- Officer Grant responded to a follow up stating that the suicidal male was located and OK. The male was reluctant to come to the door but did when the original complainant was told we needed to see that he was he complied. He did not appear to be upset during the contact and indicated he did not intended to hurt himself. The ATL was cancelled.

Malicious Mischief/300 blk W Kennewick Ave- The clerk claimed he was robbed and assaulted by a male. He fled the scene and was detained by 2 patrons of a neighboring business. There was video of the incident and the video was very different from Shupe’s account. The video showed a long conversation and interaction between the two. The suspect threw merchandise around breaking it and then fled with a box. He was intoxicated and was medically cleared and booked for felony Malicious Mischief. The case was forwarded for review by the Prosecutors office for any possible additional charges.

Assault/400 blk N Columbia Center Blvd- Male reported that he had been drinking with another male that Zach became very intoxicated. First male reported the second male said he was going to kill himself, pushed him four times and left. An area check was done and his apartment was checked but he was not located. This case was forwarded to the City Attorney for review of charges.

Tuesday, September 20, 2016

B-Shift

Graffiti/100 blk N Cascade St- Officers investigated multiple reports of graffiti in the Downtown Parkade. Reports completed and GAP has been notified for clean-up. Some businesses in the area are reviewing their security camera footage for suspect information.

Burglary/1200 blk W 14th Ave- Complainant reported that sometime over the weekend an unknown suspect entered this residence and stole assorted tools. The residence is currently under major renovation and may have been left unsecured.

Malicious Mischief/1200 blk E 6th Ave- Complainant reported that sometime during the night an unknown suspect severely scratched his vehicle and broke the front windshield.

Order Violation/1600 blk W 2nd Ave -Complainant reported that during the night her ex was knocking on her bedroom window and motioning for her to come outside. There is an active No Contact Order between the two. Officer Rosane was unable to locate the suspect and the report has been forwarded to the City Attorney.

D Squad
Warrant Service/2600 blk W Bruneau Pl- Officer Reynolds responded to a narcotics complaint and contacted the subject of the call. The female suspect had a felony warrant out of Franklin County and was booked there. She managed to dispose of her narcotics and paraphernalia before she was contacted.

Assault DV/2100 blk S Fruitland- Male and female called and reported the other had assaulted them. They are married. The female had injuries and the male did not. He was booked for Assault 4 –DV. A No Contact Order was requested.

Order Violation/1300 blk N Columbia Center Blvd- Complainant reported that he ex-boyfriend approached her Kiosk at the mall and made eye contact with her. She has worked at the location for several years and did when she was dating the male. Several attempts were made to contact him including having West Richland PD attempt contact with him at his residence. A criminal citation will be prepared for mailing.

CAT

Trespassing/1000 blk W 5th Ave - CAT received information last week that this apartment was a flop house for criminals. CAT was also aware that the apartment had been posted by code enforcement for not having electricity. Nobody was supposed to be in the apartment. CAT went to the apartment and found the code enforcement sign torn off. Detectives knocked and several people jumped off the second story balcony and ran away. The following people were contacted inside the apartment and arrested. A total of five persons were booked into Benton County Jail.

Wednesday, September 21, 2016

A-Shift

Shoplifting & Assault 3rd/4600 blk W Clearwater Ave- A 25 year old homeless female was detained by Loss Prevention for shoplifting. While in custody she assaulted the Loss Prevention employee by kicking him. She was booked into jail for theft and assault.

Shoplifting/2400 blk W Kennewick Ave- The owner of the business reported a female stole several packs of cigarettes from his store and jumped into a white Honda Civic that was waiting outside for her. The officer viewed the video of the incident and recognized the 29 year old female suspect. Another officer, prior to the call, had stopped a white Honda for a traffic violation where confirmed he saw her as the passenger. Officers have not been able to locate her but a summons will be sent to her for theft.

DV Assault/300 blk W Kennewick Ave- Officers responded to a report of a disturbance. Upon arrival they found the victim, a 24 year old male, sitting out front on the stoop
with a bloodied face. They contacted the second half of the disturbance upstairs, the brother of the first male. Both males had been drinking alcohol. The second brother admitted he assaulted his brother because he was drunk and he urinated on his bed. He was arrested and booked for DV Assault.

**Warrant Arrest/Union & 10th Ave** - A suspicious vehicle report in the area of 4500 blk W 9th Ave reference a Honda Civic that was in the area. The vehicle was located driving from the area and was stopped at 10th and Union. The driver, a 25 year old male, had an outstanding warrant and was arrested and booked into jail. The female passenger in the car was later found to be wanted on a theft incident earlier in the day.

**C-Squad**

**Warrant Arrest/100 blk E Columbia Dr** - Officer Zinsli noticed a male looking into the closed business through the glass door. Officer Zinsli contacted the 24 year old male who could not explain what he was doing or why he was there. The male has a previous conviction for Burglary and also had a felony warrant on a burglary charge. The business was checked and no access or attempt to break in was located. He was booked on his warrant.

**Phone Scam/2100 blk W 50th Ave** - 55 year old male received a phone call from someone advising that they were with the security software company that he was using on his computer. They advised that the software was not working correctly and they needed to refund $249. So he provided his bank account info so they could directly deposit the refund. The caller then advised he did not hit the shift key for '$' and entered a '4' instead causing an entry of $4249. The caller then convinced him to send him the difference via money orders. He was able to send $1900 prior to him being advised by advised by Western Union that he was being scammed. The caller's number was checked and internet reports show it is a common scam number. He had the money to cover the $1900 upon issuance of the money order, which was promptly withdrawn from his bank account. No suspect identified.

**CAT**

**Warrant Arrest/1100 blk N Newport St** - CAT detectives went to this location to arrest a female for three felony warrants. Detectives knocked and her son answered the door and said she wasn't there. The detectives already knew she was inside, and contained the apartment. Her husband came outside and was belligerent and obstructed the investigation. He was arrested for obstructing police. A few minutes later she exited the apartment and was arrested. Both were booked into Benton County Jail.

**Warrant Arrest & Narcotics/1000 blk W 5th Ave** - CAT detectives were on extra patrol and observed a male in the parking lot. He was arrested for three felony warrants and a
Washington State DOC warrant. During a search incident to arrest methamphetamine was found on his person. He was booked into Benton County Jail.

Learn more about crimes reported in your neighborhood.

**CRIME STOPPERS**

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**Wanted Person**

Date: September 19, 2016
Agency: Franklin County Prosecuting Attorney
Name: Gabriel Antonio Velazquez
Alias: None Known
Last Known Residence City: Kennewick
Date of Birth: 02/26/1960 Age: 56 Sex: M Race: H
Height: 5’07 Weight: 180 Hair: Brown Eyes: Green
Special features (Scars, marks, and tattoos): None Known
Charges: CHILD MOLESTATION IN THE FIRST DEGREE

Effective Date: 09/19/2016

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If you have information on a felony crime or person wanted in connection with a felony crime, call Tri-Cities Crime Stoppers at 586-TIPS or (800) 222-TIPS or reach us on the web at www.tricitiescrimestoppers.org. No questions, no sassies.

Warrant is valid as of the day of submittal. There is no guarantee the individual listed still has a valid warrant as of a later date. Please check to see that the warrant is confirmed.