



# ***Gulf County Sheriff's Office***

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### **GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY**

October 3, 2016 – October 9, 2016

On Monday, October 3, 2016, Deputy A. White executed a transport order and transported Brittany Nicole Hoover (26) from a correctional facility in Washington County. Hoover was delivered to a correctional facility in Liberty County.

On October 3, 2016, Investigators S. Ferrell and P. Williams conducted a traffic stop on a red Toyota truck driven by Corey Neal Hooper (23) at the intersection of State Road 71 and Highway 22 in Wewahitchka for a traffic infraction. A driver's license check revealed Hooper was driving on a suspended license. Hooper was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended or Revoked. Hooper was transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility (GCDF).

On October 3, 2016, the Gulf County Sheriff's Office (GCSO) received a burglary complaint in the 300 block of North 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Wewahitchka. Deputy M. Peek responded to conduct an investigation. The investigation revealed a Remington .22 Speedmaster Rifle was stolen out of the complainant's boat that was parked on their property. This case has been assigned to the GCSO Criminal Investigations Division (CID). Lt. P. Beasley continues to investigate.

On October 3, 2016, Deputy P. Baxley conducted a traffic stop on a green Ford SUV driven by Deonte James Ray (24) on Chapel Lane in the Overstreet area for unlawful speed. Ray admitted to Deputy Baxley he did not possess a driver's license. A driver's license check confirmed Ray did

not possess a valid driver's license. Ray was arrested and charged with Driving without a License. Ray was transported to the GCDF.

On Tuesday, October 4, 2016, Investigators S. Ferrell and P. Williams conducted a traffic stop on a black Volkswagen driven by Katy Beth Gammons (34) on County Road 386 in the Overstreet area for littering. A driver's license check revealed Gammons was driving on a suspended license. She was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended or Revoked. Gammons was transported to the GCDF.

On October 4, 2016, Deputy C. Bailey arrested Tit Van Nguyen (66) during a court proceeding for Violation of Probation. Nguyen was delivered to the GCDF.

On October 4, 2016, the GCSO received a domestic disturbance complaint in the 600 block of East River Road in Wewahitchka that had occurred at a separate location in Wewahitchka. Deputy P. Baxley responded to the disturbance to conduct an investigation. The investigation revealed Chad Edward Medley (35) committed battery, child abuse and disorderly conduct. Deputy Baxley observed injuries to the complainant to substantiate the allegations. Medley was subsequently arrested and made admissions to Deputy Baxley that corroborated a statement provided by a witness. Medley was charged with Domestic Battery, Child Abuse and Disorderly Conduct. Medley was transported to the GCDF.

On October 4, 2016, the GCSO received a domestic disturbance complaint in the 4600 block of County Road 386 in the Overstreet area. Deputy C. Harvey responded to conduct an investigation. The investigation revealed the disturbance was verbal in nature and one party involved left with the complainant's vehicle traveling to their parent's residence. Deputy Harvey discovered the female driving the complainant's vehicle did not possess a valid driver's license. Deputy Harvey located the complainant's vehicle in the 100 block of Chapel Lane in the Overstreet area. Deputy Harvey conducted a traffic stop on a red Ford SUV driven by Tracy Lynn Nobles (43) on Chapel Lane. A driver's license check confirmed Nobles was driving on a suspended license. Nobles was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended or Revoked. Nobles was transported to the GCDF.

On Wednesday, October 5, 2016, the GCSO received a harassing phone call complaint in the 500 block of South Dianne Street in the Stone Mill Creek area. Deputy C. Harvey responded to the complaint to conduct an investigation. The complainant reported receiving numerous unsolicited text messages from a known individual to the complainant. The complainant reported they asked the individual to stop sending text messages but they refused to do so. Deputy Harvey continues to investigate.

On October 5, 2016, Captain C. Buchanan served Randall Lamar Moore (34) with an arrest warrant at the GCSO. Moore was arrested and delivered to the GCDF.

On October 5, 2016, Deputy A. White executed a transport order and transported Brittany Nicole Hoover (26) to a correctional facility in Washington County. From Washington County Deputy A. White traveled to Blackwater River Correctional Facility to transport Jered William Roberson (23) to the GCDF.

On October 5, 2016, the GCSO received a commercial burglary complainant in the 100 block of State Road 71 in Wewahitchka. Deputy C. Sanders responded to the complaint to conduct an investigation. The complainant reported their business had been broken into during the night. The investigation revealed the intruder accessed the business adjacent as well and stole US Currency during the burglary. This case has been assigned to the GCSO Criminal Investigation Division (CID).

On October 5, 2016, Lt. T. Wood received a walk-in theft complaint at the GCSO. The complainant reported a life jacket had been stolen out of their boat from the 100 block of Wimico Drive in White City. Lt. Wood continues to investigate.

On October 5, 2016, the GCSO received a boat/motor/trailer theft complaint in the 400 block of East Creekview Drive in the Stone Mill Creek area. Sgt. J. Murnan responded to the complaint to conduct an investigation. The complainant reported their 2007 14ft aluminum boat w/trailer with a 50hp Yamaha outboard was stolen from their property. This case has been assigned to the GCSO CID. Lt. P. Beasley continues to investigate.

On Thursday, October 6, 2016, Captain C. Buchanan served Chad Edward Medley (35) with a Violation of Probation warrant at the GCDF.

On October 6, 2016, Captain C. Buchanan served Gene Allen Porter (42) with a Violation of Probation warrant at the GCDF.

On October 6, 2016, Deputy A. White executed a transport order and transported Daniel Earl Ray Fisher (22) from the Bay County Jail to the GCDF. Gulf County held an active Violation of Probation warrant for Fisher.

On Friday, October 6, 2016, Deputy A. White executed a transport order and transported Jered William Roberson (23) from the GCDF. Roberson was transported and delivered to a correctional facility in Blackwater River Correctional Facility.

On Saturday, October 8, 2016, Deputy P. Baxley conducted a traffic stop on a white Ford truck driven by Johnny Phillip Chastain (63) on Highway 98 in the Highland View area for a moving violation. Chastain consented to a search of his vehicle. During the search of the vehicle Deputy Baxley discovered crack cocaine and drug paraphernalia. Chastain was placed under arrested and charged with Possession of Crack Cocaine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Chastain was transported to the GCDF.

On October 8, 2016, the GCSO received a residential burglary complaint to a vacation rental in the 7000 block of Highway 98 in St Joe Beach. Deputy M. Manley responded to the complaint to conduct an investigation. The complainant reported a television and bed sheets had been stolen from the residence while vacant from renters. Deputy Manley continues to investigate.

On October 8, 2016, the GCSO received a theft complaint in the 100 block of Ponce De Leon Street in St Joe Beach. Deputy M. Manley responded to the complaint to conduct an investigation. The complainant reported the residence was under construction and construction tools had been stolen from the job-site. Deputy Manley continues to investigate.

On Sunday, October 9, 2016, Deputy P. Baxley conducted a traffic stop on a tan Ford driven by Marty Allen Organ Jr. (25) on Jehu Road in Wewahitchka for unlawful speed. Organ was found to be in possession of open container of alcohol. Organ gave Deputy Baxley consent to search his vehicle. During the search Deputy Baxley discovered Organ was in

possession of a concealed straight edge weapon. Organ was arrested and charged with Carrying a Concealed Weapon. Organ was transported to the GCDF.

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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