



## **ANOKA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SHERIFF JAMES STUART**

**FRIDAY UPDATE: 05.05.17-05.12.17**

When we read burglary reports, often the thief heads directly to the master bedroom to start looking for your valuables - specifically in closets, under beds, night stands, and dressers. That is where most people keep valuables like guns, jewelry, cash, and prescription drugs.

We reached out to our investigators asking them where they hide their valuables in the house. One investigator was very passionate about telling us not to hide valuables in the obvious places ☺ His response went like this:

"Hide valuables in game boxes in a game room, kid's room, utility area, laundry room, unfinished areas of your home - or in a pantry and place them in an empty food containers. I've never seen a burglar take a box of cereal, coffee can, or Tupperware from a pantry or cupboard. Nor have they taken a package marked soup bone from the freezer. I've seen thieves take frozen pizzas and steaks, but it's all about presentation and labeling. Hide things in plain sight and be creative outside of the master bedroom! What criminal is going to open a scrabble game to see what's inside?" You have heard it from an expert.

### **Andover**

#### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

- 05.08 136xx Martin St NW – business; unattended cell phone stolen
- 05.07 47xx 159 Ave NW – unsecure vehicle; hand gun
- 05.07 133xx Tulip St NW – bike stolen from the property
- 05.07 28xx 139 Ln NW – vehicle window smashed; nothing of value was stolen

#### **Arrests**

- 05.10 Round Lake Blvd NW/164 Ave NW – 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .083
- 05.10 Hanson Blvd NW/Andover Blvd NW – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for having a taillight out. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .119
- 05.10 2000 Block of Bunker Lake Blvd NW – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for having a head light out. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The female was arrested.
- 05.07 26xx 136 Ave NW – 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree DWI; deputies responded to a vehicle running in the driveway at the location for an extended period of time. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested.

05.07 161 Ave NW/Uplander St NW – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance, speeding; a deputy stopped a driver for speeding. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

05.06 26xx 168 Ln NW – Warrant Arrest; deputies responded to the location in an attempt to locate a male with felony warrants. The male was located and arrested.

05.06 Bunker Lake Blvd NW/Round Lake Blvd NW – DAC-IPS; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver's license. The male was arrested.

05.06 154xx Potawatomi St NW – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession; deputies were dispatched to a call of suspicious activity. When they arrived, they observed 4 men at a table with what appeared to be drugs on it. Before entering, deputies contacted the DTF who drafted a search warrant. Deputies entered and "froze" the home until the warrant was signed; four males were arrested.

## **Bethel**

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Bethel this week.

## **Columbus**

### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

05.08 152xx Feller St NE – boat motor stolen from the property

05.08 138xx Lake Dr NE – business; 4-wheeler stolen from the property

## **East Bethel**

### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

05.07 241xx Pierce St NE -vandalism to a yard; trees and flowers destroyed

05.06 243xx Hwy 65 NE – license plate stolen off a vehicle

### **Arrests**

05.08 Viking Blvd NE/Isetta St NE – 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for speeding. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested.

05.08 700 Block of Viking Blvd NE – No Auto Insurance; a deputy stopped a driver for having a cracked windshield. The driver did not have insurance on the vehicle. The male was arrested.

05.07 Hwy 65 NE/205 Ave NE – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; a deputy stopped a driver for having a cracked tail light. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

05.07 Hwy 65 NE/Klondike Dr NE - 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver's license. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

05.06 223 Ave NE/East Bethel Blvd NE – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of Narcotics, Warrant Arrest, DAR; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver's license. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The 2 female occupants were arrested.

05.06 10xx 243 Cir NE – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a wife/husband domestic. The male was arrested.

05.06 Hwy 65 NE/Viking Blvd NE – 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a working taillight. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .188

## **Ham Lake**

### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

05.08 5xx Bunker Lake Blvd NE – construction site; tools

05.08 16xx 149 Ln NE – female reporting her personal info was used fraudulently to open a CC

05.05 204xx Austin St NE – unsecure vehicle; electronics, wallet, cash

05.05 141xx Davenport St NE – boat motor stolen from the property

### **Arrests**

05.10 34xx 149 Ave NE – Domestic; deputies responded to multiple people fighting in the street at the location. All parties were interviewed on scene, charges pending county attorney review.

05.09 1536 175 Ln NE – Domestic, 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; deputies responded to a father son domestic at the business. During the search of the son narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

05.07 Crosstown Blvd NE/Johnson St NE – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a license plate light and failing to signal a turn. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male and female occupants were arrested.

05.05 Hwy 65 NE/Andover Blvd NE – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance, Warrant Arrest; a deputy stopped a driver for having a felony warrant. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

## **Linwood**

### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

05.08 227xx Boyne St NE – fishing gear stolen from a boat on the property

## **Nowthen**

### **Arrests**

05.04 210xx Cleary Blvd NW – Possession of Stolen Property; deputies responded to 4-wheeler theft. The male suspect known to the deputies had forced his way into the garage and stolen the 4-wheeler. The male was located and arrested.

## **Oak Grove**

### **Thefts & Damage to Property**

05.08 189xx Lake George Blvd NW – license plate stolen off a motorcycle

### **Arrests**

05.11 195xx Drake St NW – Warrant Arrest; deputies responded to the location in an attempt to locate a male with warrants. The male was located and arrested.

05.11 Viking Blvd NW/Cedar Dr NW – DAR, 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver's license. During the search of the male narcotics were located. The male was arrested

05.10 189xx Lake George Blvd NW – Possession of Stolen Property; deputies responded to a vehicle theft at the location. After stopping and questioning a male located on foot in the area of the theft the stolen items were located during a search of the male. The male was arrested.

05.06 32xx Viking Blvd NW – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree DWI; deputies responded to a single vehicle motorcycle crash. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .146

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*\*Information shared in this report covers crimes that may affect you - things like burglaries, thefts, damage to property, identity theft, etc. We only include a fraction of the calls that deputies regularly respond to.*

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