Weyburn Police Service Media Release January 10 to 17, 2016

January 11th

The Weyburn PS are investigating a report of vandalism done to a vehicle in the area of the Comp School. The vehicle was damaged by having some tires slashed. Anyone having any information on this matter is asked to contact either the Weyburn Police Service, or to call Crime Stoppers.

At about 8:45 pm the Weyburn PS were called to a residence to remove an unruly family Member. The 38 year old male was removed without incident and taken to another residence.

At about 9:35 pm the Weyburn PS dealt with a 38 year old male at the Weyburn PS office. The male was intoxicated and agitated walking out of the building and onto a street where he was nearly struck by a vehicle. He was arrested at that point for being intoxicated in public and a minor scuffle ensued before he was taken into custody.

January 13th

At about 10:50 pm the Weyburn PS received a report of a man laying on the street. Upon attending they located a 30 year old male who was under the influence of alcohol. He was given a ride to his residence.

January 14th

At about 6:40 pm the Weyburn PS received a report of an unruly person at a residence. Upon attending the Weyburn PS discovered that there was a domestic issue and that the 47 year old male was no longer welcome at the residence. He was arrested for being intoxicated in a public place and held in cells until sober.

January 15th

The Weyburn PS received a report of a Lottery Scam by telephone. We continually urge people to be extremely cautious in conducting any business over the phone where you have been contacted in the 1st instance and where you are asked to give out either personal or financial information.

The Weyburn PS responded to a report of a Break, Enter & Theft at a business. Sometime over the night a door was forced open and an undisclosed amount of cash was taken. A Forensic Identification Member attended and the matter is still under investigation.

The Weyburn PS received a report of a suspicious person sitting on the 3rd Street Bridge. Upon attending the police found a 60 year old female suffering from a medical issue. The issue was resolved and the female went on her way.

January 16th

The Weyburn PS are investigating a report of a Hit & Run vehicle collision involving a Fire Hydrant located at the corner of Hartney Avenue and 13th Street. From the vehicle debris left at the scene the suspect vehicle is believe to be White in colour. This type of incident is particularly serious as the hydrant was damaged not only causing a leak, but also disabling the hydrant which would have a serious impact in the event of a fire in the area. Anyone with any information that may assist in either identifying the suspect vehicle, or the driver responsible is asked to contact either the Weyburn PS, or to call Crime Stoppers.

January 17th

Just after midnight the Weyburn PS conducted a traffic stop. As the result the 45 year old driver was charged with driving while his licence was suspended. The vehicle was impounded.

At about 3am the Weyburn PS conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle being driven in an erratic manner. The 18 year old male driver was found to be driving under the influence of alcohol and was arrested. He was charged with Driving Over .08 and had the vehicle impounded. He will be making a Court appearance in the future.

At about 3:40 am the Weyburn PS, while on patrol, came across a distraught 32 year old female. The female was taken to the hospital to seek medical attention.

January 17th

At about 9:25 pm the Weyburn PS conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle being driven by a 24 year old male. There was suspicion that the driver was under the influence of marihuana. As the result a Standard Field Sobriety Test was conducted and passed. There was no further action taken.

Even though the drive in this case was operating within the law we wish to remind everyone that driving and being impaired by a drug, even a legally prescribed drug, is a criminal offence. There are Officers trained in the detection of driving under the influence of a drug.

Anyone with information regarding these or other crimes please contact the Weyburn Police Service at 306-848-3250 or Crime Stoppers 1-800-222-8477.