

Weyburn Police Service
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February 2nd

The Weyburn PS were dispatched to a report of a domestic disturbance between a 42 year old male and a 38 year old female. The matter was successfully mediated once the Police arrived. Alcohol was a contributing factor.

At about 8:55 am the Weyburn PS, while conducting a traffic stop, discovered that the vehicle had been reported stolen from Regina. As a result of the investigation a 41 year old male and a 37 year old female were taken into custody without incident. Each are now facing charges of Possession of a Stolen Vehicle. Unfortunately 2 minor children were in the vehicle at the time and had to be temporarily apprehended by The Ministry of Social Services. The adults were subsequently released and will be making court appearances in the near future.

At about 1:30 pm the Weyburn PS dealt with a Bylaw parking infraction that turned into a criminal arrest. As the result of a 33 year old male refusing to comply with the directions of the Officers he was Arrested for Obstruction and taken into custody without further incident. He was released a short time later and will be making a subsequent Court appearance charged with Obstruction under the Criminal Code.

February 3rd

At about 1:20 pm the Weyburn PS received a report that 2 females had been observed shoplifting from a local store. As the result of the investigation a 51 year old female has been charged with Theft Under \$5000. Police are still investigating to determine the identity of the accomplice.

At about 11:15 pm while on patrol, the Police noticed a vehicle being operated in a suspicious manner on private property. The vehicle was stopped at the 39 year old male driver was arrested for Impaired Driving. The vehicle was seized and the accused will be making a future Court appearance.

February 5th

At about 1:00 am the Weyburn PS responded to a complaint of a domestic disturbance in an apartment block. Upon their arrival the disturbance was no longer going on and the location of the initial incident or identification of those involved could not be determined.

February 6th

At about 8:05 pm the Weyburn PS came across a minor 2-vehicle collision at the intersection of Railway Avenue and 3rd Street NE. While there was nothing extraordinary about the collision we wish to remind you of the rules governing our many 4-way Stops. In law there is no such thing as a 4-way Stop. Each Stop Sign is independent of the others and the basic rules governing any Stop Sign apply. While history and convention dictate that the 1st stopped vehicle is the first to proceed, there is no law supporting that. You still may be required to yield the right-of-way to the vehicle on your right, or to observe the right-of-way with turning vehicles.

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.