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Thursday, December 31, 2009

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Accident with injury results in 2nd DUI

A local man received his second DUI after he reportedly caused an accident with injury while under the influence of intoxicants.

Ruben F. Weaver Jr., 54, Church street, Philadelphia was charged Saturday with DUI 2nd offense and failure to yield.

The report states Mr. Weaver was the driver of

(see Weaver pg. 3)



Ruben F. Weaver Jr.

Hidden pills result in charge for inmate

An inmate at the Loudon County Jail was charged after a contraband search produced pills hidden in a condom on her person.

Angela Hall Fugate, 47, Grant Hill Farm Road, Kingston was charged with introduction to a penal facility (suboxone).

The report states, at 6:00 PM on Sunday, Deputy McKinzie Williams, LCSO

(see Fugate pg 6)



Angela Hall Fugate

BAC outnumbers birthdays for LC driver

A BAC taken by a young Lenoir City man reportedly registered a higher number than he's had birthdays for after he was arrested for

DUI Friday.

Julio J. Pineda, 21, Johnson Drive, Lenoir City was charged Friday with no drivers license, DUI 1st of-

(see Pineda pg. 7)

Fake Department of Justice card offered in PI arrest

A Hispanic man reportedly gave officers a fake U.S. Department of Justice card and refused to say where he had gotten it when

he was taken into custody for being intoxicated in the parking lot of a Lenoir City convenience station.

Arturo Jose Cano-Rivas (see Cano-Rivas pg. 6)

Trailer, contents stolen

A local man called authorities when he and his family returned home to discover

someone stole his utility trailer and it's contents from his yard.

(see Stolen pg. 3)

Tennesseans Advised to Take Precaution to Prevent Hypothermia, Frostbite

NASHVILLE --- The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency advises Tennesseans to take precaution to prevent hypothermia and frostbite as they enjoy hunting, fishing, wildlife watching and other activities outside this winter.

Hypothermia is a life-threatening condition that causes the body's core temperature to drop. When the temperature dives, some people who can not easily regulate their temperature, such as infants and the elderly, are at increased risk

(see Hypothermia pg. 7)

Verse of the day

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Friday: Snow showers

at times. Highs in the upper 30s and lows in the low 20s.

Wazzup

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Horoscopes Capricorn

(Dec 22-Jan 20)

Your jokes and fun may go south

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

Weaver

a brown Jaguar involved in a crash with injury on Highway 11 at Fork Creek Road in Philadelphia when he failed to yield and pulled in front of a vehicle traveling north on Highway 11.

Mr. Weaver was un-

steady on his feet at the scene and had difficulty answering basic interview questions asked by the officer.

Weaver had an obvious odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person and admitted drinking "a couple of

beers," prior to driving. Mr. Weaver also had multiple prescription medications that he was taking.

Weaver had a prior DUI on October 18th, 2004.

Trooper R. Smith, THP, made the arrest at 12:50 PM.

Stolen

According to reports, on December 27, 2009, Mr. Dennis W. Watson, Hickory Creek Road, Lenoir City advised Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO he and his family left their home to go out of town and when they returned home he noticed his flatbed trailer was missing

from his yard.

Mr. Watson advised there were several items on the trailer, which was in his yard, when he and his family left.

The trailer was described as a 5x12 with a black frame and the items on it included miscellaneous tools, a Powerwheel Jeep, a blowtorch, a metal toolbox, a basketball goal, and tow chains.

The value of the loss was estimated at \$3000. The case is under investigation.

Police Beat

Lee Roy Galyon, 45, Vaughns Chapel Road, Lenoir City was charged with assault by domestic violence.

According to the report, Sgt. Adam J. Yokley, LCSO was dispatched to Vaughns Chapel Road for an unwanted guest. Upon arrival the officer spoke to Lee Roy Galyon. Mr. Galyon had just been in a physical altercation and had marks on his neck from the fight. Galyon stated the victim was up the road.

Sgt. Yokley spoke to the victim who reported she and Lee Roy were in a verbal argument and he threatened to kill her and had thrown a beverage at her in the house.

The victim stated she was in fear for her life and that was why she would not return to the residence.

Lee Roy stated he did throw a beverage at the victim. Sgt. Yokley made the arrest.

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Fugate

conducted a contraband search of inmate Fugate in the Loudon County Jail. The officer discovered a condom with two orange pills on her person.

The pills were identified as suboxone.

Cano-Rivas

vas, 28, Highway 11 West, Lenoir City was charged with public intoxication and criminal simulation.

According to reports, at approximately 11:52 PM, on Friday, Mr. Cano-Rivas was in the Pilot parking lot with a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about his breath and

body. He was unsteady on his feet, had red bloodshot eyes and very slurred speech.

Mr. Cano-Rivas stated he'd had about three or more alcoholic beverages to drink. He was deemed a danger to himself and others if left alone in the area.

Mr. Cano-Rivas gave officers a permanent resident card as a form of identification and it was determined the card was a false US Department of Justice document.

Cano-Rivas would only state the person on the card was him, but he would not explain where he had

obtained it.

Patrolman Mark Maxwell, LCPD was the arresting officer.

Police Beat

Christopher Loyd James, 23, Church Drive, Lenoir City was

charged Thursday with driving on a suspended licence.

According to records, Patrolman Brandon Gentry, LCPD stopped a gray Dodge Durango on

Town Creek Parkway without it's headlights on after dark.

A check of Mr. James's information through NCIC showed his license are suspended.

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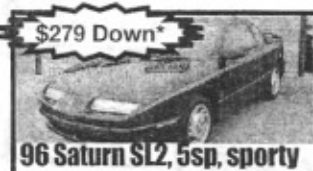
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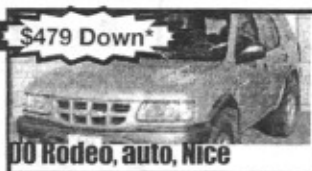
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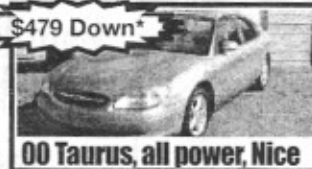
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Hypothermia

of hypothermia.

Possible symptoms of hypothermia in adults include shivering, confusion, memory loss, drowsiness, exhaustion and slurred speech. Infants who are suffering from hypothermia may appear to have very low energy and bright red, cold skin.

Hypothermia is usually classified into two types, chronic and acute. Chronic hypothermia occurs over a long period of time. It results from exposure to wind and wetness combined with exhaustion. Acute hy-

pothemia is the type waterfowl hunters and fishermen might encounter. Acute hypothermia occurs when one falls into cold water.

Frostbite is another cold weather concern and is especially dangerous because it often happens with little warning. Numbness can occur so quickly that the individual, unaware of being frostbitten, may remain outside, increasing the chance of permanent damage. Older persons, and those with diabetes, are especially vulnerable to frostbite because of impaired circulation.

When outside, persons should frequently check exposed areas of their body for loss of feeling and other danger signs. To prevent frostbite and hypothermia, it is important to dress warmly in windproof clothing and to go indoors when you begin to feel cold. Wearing several layers of loose-fitting clothing traps body heat. Fasten buttons or zippers and tighten drawstrings securely. Gloves and a hat that covers the ears should not be forgotten.

The outer layer of clothing needs to be tightly woven to reduce body-heat loss caused by wind. As the speed of wind increases, it can carry heat away from the body faster. In high wind conditions, cold weather-related health problems are much more likely.

Cold weather puts an extra burden on the heart. Persons with cardiac problems or high blood pressure

should follow doctor's orders before performing any strenuous exercise outside.

Healthy adults should remember that their bodies already are working overtime just to stay warm, so dress appropriately and work slowly when doing heavy outdoor chores. Alcoholic beverages cause the body to lose heat more rapidly. If you are spending time outside, do not ignore shivering, it is an important first sign that the body is losing heat and a signal to quickly return indoors.

TWRA recommends that all Tennesseans should take a first aid class before going into the field to learn how to take care of the first stages of hypothermia, frostbite and other life threatening situations.

Pineda

fense, open container and driving to right of line.

According to records, Mr. Pineda was observed pulling out of the Rocky Top Market in Loudon and into the west bound lane of travel, going east. An on-coming vehicle had to veer onto the shoulder to

avoid a head-on collision.

Trooper Carey Hixson, THP stopped Mr. Pineda's white Chevy Silverado on Highway 72. An open beer was visible in the center console and a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage was present in the vehicle.

Upon exiting the vehicle, Mr. Pineda had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person, was unsteady on his feet and had slurred speech. He performed very poorly on field sobriety tasks.

Mr. Pineda consented to a breath test and registered .24%.

Bryan Casaca-Martinez, 23, Johnson Drive, Lenoir City was charged with public intoxication.

Mr. Martinez was a passenger in the Chevy Silverado with Julio Pineda. According to the officer's report, Bryan Casaca-Martinez was so intoxicated he posed a danger to himself if released into the public.

Trooper Carey Hixson, THP made the arrests.

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