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## Man gets DUI taking kids to school



Eric Cameron Robeson

Eric Cameron Robeson, 42, Anchor Drive, Lenoir City, was charged Thursday morning, with DUI, reckless endangerment and implied consent law.

According to records, Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSO, stopped a gold Ca-

(see DUI pg. 4)

## Man holding woman against her will witnessed by motorists

Jeremy Thomas Palmer, 32, Crock Road, Lenoir City, was charged with domestic violence assault and false imprisonment.

According to reports, Thursday, at around 4:27pm, Deputy Brad Rayfield, LCSO, was dispatched to the area of Highway 70 and

(see Domestic pg. 3)



Jeremy Thomas Palmer

## Flat tire gets man stopped

Travis L. Smith, 26, Straight Creek Road, New Tazewell, was charged with DUI 1st offense, possession of schedule IV and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to records, on Friday, Smith was traveling on Interstate 40 East at the 369 mm and was called in on by a motorist who stated

(see Flat pg. 6)



## Teen along for ride in traffic stop

Daniel Ray Poe, 22, Beals Chapel Road, Lenoir City, was charged Saturday, with DUI 1st offense, simple possession of marijuana and violation of implied consent.

According to reports, Sgt. Billy Hall, LCSO stopped a white Nissan on Martel Road for suspicion of DUI after observing the vehicle run out of the roadway several times.

(see Stop pg. 8)

## LC woman charged after trespassing

Debbie Joe Fox, 52, Poplar Street, Lenoir City, was charged with public intoxication and resisting stop, halt, and frisk.

(see Trespass pg. 6)

## Sartin charges woman with theft and forgery

Whitney A. Randolph, 21, Martel Road, Lenoir City, was charged with forgery and theft under \$500.

According to the affidavits, on or about (see Theft pg. 7)

## LPD snags 2nd DUI

Johnny Barrientos, 26, Highway 321 North, Lenoir City, was charged with DUI 2nd offense and driving on

(see LPD pg. 7)

**Verse of the day** *measure that ye mete Give, and it shall be withal it shall be measured unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same* Luke 6:38

### Obituaries

John R. Fleishman

### Weather:

Today: Considerable cloudiness with oc-

casional rain showers. Humid. High 77. Chance of rain 60%. Tonight: Cloudy with occasional rain showers. Humid. Low near 70. Chance of rain 50%. Wednesday: Thunder-showers. Highs in the

mid 70s and lows in the upper 60s.

### Wazzup

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Tristen on your heart surgery on September 15, 2009.

### Horoscopes Virgo

(Aug 24-Sep 23) People are incredibly sensitive to ego (see Horoscopes pg. 2)

## Habitual

Ford Road to a possible rolling domestic, called in by two different motorists that were witnessing the fight, inside a black pickup, possibly a Dakota.

The officer made contact with the vehicle at Grace Baptist Church on Ford Road. The driver was identified as Jeremy Palmer and he advised the deputy nothing was going on. Palmer's passenger would not answer when she was asked if anything was

going on.

The woman reportedly had a red face and was crying. Deputy Rayfield asked the woman to step out of the vehicle so he could talk with her. She was very upset and crying and was very red faced.

She advised Deputy Rayfield and Corporal Chad Estes, LCSO, she and Palmer had been arguing and fighting as they were coming from her place of work. She advised she tried to get out of the pickup, once at Watt Road and High-

way 70 and again on Highway 70 at Dixie Lee Junction.

According to her, Palmer held her against her will by her shirt and around her neck and would not let her exit the vehicle.

The two motorists who witnessed the incident wrote statements on what they saw, backing the woman's statement.

Palmer was also cited for registration violation and no financial responsibility.

Deputy Matt Acuff, LCSO was also on scene.

## Flat

he was all over the roadway and driving

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on a right rear flat tire.

Loudon County Sheriff's Deputy Chris Bowen was first on scene. Upon initial interview, Mr. Smith stated he was coming from the methadone clinic, North Georgia Treatment Center. He reportedly admitted to taking 25mg methadone at the clinic and an additional 75mg the clinic gave him to take home prior to driving.

Smith was given field sobriety, did poorly and was unable to perform as

instructed.

Mr. Smith's vehicle was inventoried and in the glove box, a silver can was discovered with 11 yellow pills believed to be xanax inside it.

Found in the passenger seat was one marijuana pipe, one homemade marijuana pipe and three empty methadone bottles, 25mg labeled to show it was dispensed Friday and was to be taken on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Trooper Eric Miller, THP made the arrest.

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## Obituaries

**John R. Fleishman**, age 74, of the Tellico Village Community, Loudon, passed away August 21, 2009. John was a 1959 graduate of Michigan Tech. University. He was a member of Tellico Village Community Church and was a retired Registered Professional Engineer spending his entire career with the Michigan Department of Transportation. John was active with the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla #1202, a charter member of the Tellico Cruising Club, a member of the Train Collectors Association, and the Tellico Village Roadrunners RV Club. He had a love of boating, music, cars, going to flea markets, collecting, and most of all helping those in need. John was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Ellie Fleishman of Cheboygan, MI. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Alyce (Gallmore) Fleishman; "special niece", Alyce M. Griffioen (Larry) of Portage, MI; sister, Linda Weaver of Michigan along with other nieces and a nephew. A celebration of John's life will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, September 20, at Tellico Village Community Church with Rev. Martin Singley officiating. A reception will

follow the service at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Tellico Village Community Church of the ALS Clinic at U.T. Medical Center. Click Funeral Home is serving the Fleishman family.

### False

dillac on Benjamin Drive for speeding and a seat belt violation. The driver was identified as Mr. Eric Robeson.

Mr. Robeson's speech was slurred and according to the officer's report, he seemed to be unsteady. The man had his 14 year old and his 9 year old in the vehicle, taking them to school.

Corporal McGinley asked him if he had been drinking or taking any medication.

Mr. Robeson stated he takes prescription somas and oxycodone. He was given standard field sobriety tasks.

Mr. Robeson was unsteady on his feet and did poorly on the tasks.

He was read the Tennessee implied consent advisement and refused.

### Police Beat

David McKinley Stanley, 30, of Panorama Drive, Morristown, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Rob Lane, LCSO made the arrest.

rest.

Grant C Durst, 27, of West Broadway Lenoir City was charged with violation of parole.

Deputy Olwin Norman LCSO made the arrest.

Edward Scott Welch, 31, of Lakeside Drive Lenoir City was charged with child support attachment and show cause order.

Deputy Bryan Blakney, LCSO made the arrest.

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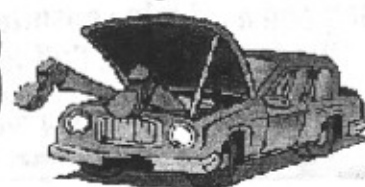
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## Trespass

According to reports, on Saturday at approximately 3:23pm, Patrolman James Bowman, LCPD was dispatched

to a residence on Poplar Street on a trespassing call. The complainant stated Debbie Joe Fox entered her property on Poplar Street where there are no trespass-

ing signs posted in plain view.

Ms. Fox reportedly entered the property and tore down one of the signs.

Upon locating Ms. Fox in her front yard, also on Poplar Street,

the officer observed a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on Ms. Fox's breath and person, red bloodshot watery eyes and slurred speech.

Ms. Fox was intoxicated in a public place

and was a danger to herself and others. Upon attempting to take Ms. Fox into custody she resisted by pulling away and trying to shut her front door in Officer Bowman's face.

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## LPD

revoked.

According to the report, on Sunday Officer Brendan DeBoer, LPD observed a white Chevy pickup traveling over the Loudon bridge traveling 40mph in a 30mph zone.

While the officer was behind the truck, he saw it cross over the center line numerous times, one of the times nearly striking traffic in the opposing lane of traffic.

Officer DeBoer stopped the vehicle and identified the driver as Johnny Bar-

rientos.

Mr. Barrientos reportedly had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about his person. The man was asked to perform a series of field sobriety tasks on which he performed poorly.

Barrientos was found to have a revoked license in the state of Tennessee for DUI in 2007.

Once at the jail, Mr. Barrientos was read the implied consent form and refused to submit to the test and sign the form. He was then charged with violation of implied consent.

### Theft

August 24, 2009, Whitney Randolph took a check to BB&T Bank on Highway 321 in Lenoir City that was drawn on the account of a man and woman.

Ms. Randolph cashed the check, which had the woman's name signed to it. The victim did not sign this check, nor give anyone permission to sign her name to this

check.

The check was written for \$380 and Ms. Randolph did receive the money from this check.

Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD, filed the complaint and is in charge of the case.

Detective Sartin made the arrest.

### Police Beat

Jimmy Calvin Letsinger, 73, Hayes Lane, Knoxville was charged Tuesday with assault domestic violence.

According to records, Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSO responded to a residence on Donaldson Light Road in Lenoir City to a report of a domestic dispute. On arrival, the officer had Deputy Michael Watkins stop a vehicle for him that was leaving the scene.

The complainant stated his brother-in-law, Jimmy Letsinger,

came to his house where Mrs. Letsinger had come to get away from a domestic that occurred earlier in Knox county. When he got out of the truck he was confrontational.

The complainant was asking Letsinger to leave and Mr. Letsinger started trying to hit him and his wife. When Mr. Letsinger's daughter arrived, he tried to hit them all when they were trying to get him in their car to get him away and take him home.

When they arrived back at the scene and were talking with Mr. Letsinger, it was discovered Letsinger had been drinking and had defecated on himself. He refused to give a statement about what happened at the scene. Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSO, made the arrest.

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## Stop

The driver was identified as Daniel Ray Poe.

Mr. Poe reportedly displayed signs of being under the influence of an intoxicant, slurred speech, watery eyes and constricted pupils. Sgt. Hall asked the man to exit the vehicle to perform field sobriety tasks.

Mr. Poe was reportedly unsteady on his feet when he exited the vehicle. Once Poe got out of the car, the officer noticed a unlabeled prescription bottle next to the driver's seat.

Sgt. Hall deployed K9 Draga around the vehicle and K9 Draga alerted in the area of the driver's open window.

Reportedly found in

the vehicle was a bag of marijuana and a set of postal scales. Also found in the prescription bottle were several marijuana cigarettes.

The passenger, a 17 year old, gave a written statement that as the vehicle was stopping for the traffic stop, Daniel Poe handed him the bag of marijuana and the scales and told him to hide the items. The statement was taken with the permission of the 17 year old's father, who was present.

Daniel Poe was given several field sobriety tasks and performed poorly on all. Poe was read the implied consent form advisement and refused to have blood drawn.

Sgt. Billy Hall, LCSO.

Narcotics Division, made the arrest. Corporal Ernie Brown, LCSO and Deputy Brian Smith, LCSO were also on scene.

## No License

Adam Davione Pringle, 18, Main

Street, Loudon, was charged with driving without a license.

The report states on Thursday, Officer Blake Norman, LPD observed Mr. Adam Pringle pull into the Taco Bell on High-

way 72. The officer had prior knowledge of Pringle not having a valid drivers license and pulled him over.

A check through NCIC shopwre Pringle is unlicensed.

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