

BLUFFDALE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT



POLICE BLOTTER INFORMATION- May 2011

STATISTICAL DATA FOR MAY 2011:

The Bluffdale City Police Department has handled a total of **775** offenses, to date.

The Department handled: **184** reported incidents for the month.

The Department handled: **7** reported traffic accidents during the month.

The Investigations Division has been working **147 Active** cases during the month of: **May 2011.**

CASE SAMPLING FOR MAY 2011:

PIT BULL ATTACK

A citizen reported he was walking his dog on the Jordan River Parkway Trail, when two loose pit bulls attacked him and his dog. The citizen received several puncture wounds to his hand and arm protecting his dog. Other walkers passing by were able to scare off the pit bulls and the citizen was able to escape. After a short search by animal control officers and Bluffdale Police Officers, the pit bulls were located and secured by animal control. The owners of the pit bulls were located and cited for letting the pit bulls run at large. The pit bulls were placed into a ten day quarantine by animal control.

SON AND THIEF

A Bluffdale resident reported his adult son stole several items from him while he was out of town, including a shotgun and his truck. The truck was returned to the owner prior to the resident returning home, but the other items were still missing. Officers checked the pawn shop database and located the missing items on the list, and discovered they had been pawned by the son. The items were returned to the owner and an arrest warrant has been issued for the son.

SADDLE UP

B.P.D. officers were dispatched on a report of a theft from a trailer which had just occurred. The victim reported he was feeding his horses in the late evening hours, when he heard his trailer door close. The victim went to investigate the noise, when he saw an individual run to a S.U.V. and drive away. The victim was unable to get a license plate. The suspects took a saddle and other horse supplies from the trailer. Officers searched the area, but were unable to locate the suspects. The investigations division is currently working on the case.

VEHICLE BURGLARY

A Bluffs resident reported that someone had taken several items from his work van over the weekend. The victim reported that he went out of town and left his work van unlocked. The suspect took several hand and power tools from the van. The case is still under investigation.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

B.P.D. Officers were dispatched to the Bluffs Apartments on a report of a female with a deep cut to her arm. Upon further investigation officers discovered the female received the cut from a broken mirror during an argument with her boyfriend. During this argument, the female picked up her cell phone to call for help. The boyfriend grabbed her phone and smashed it, and then pushed the female down. The female landed on the pieces of broken mirror and cut her arm. Officers arrested the boyfriend for several domestic violence related charges, and booked him into jail. The female was transported to the hospital, where she received several stitches to her arm.

WHERE'S MY CAR

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Officers were called to Buckskin Acres subdivision on a report of a car theft. The victim reported he parked his Dodge Neon in his driveway overnight. When he went out to his car in the morning, it was gone. The victim reported his car was locked and there were no signs of forced entry (such as broken glass). The car was listed on the National Crime Information Center database as stolen. The next day the car was located after it was involved in a hit and run on the freeway. The suspects were arrested and booked into jail.

LEAVE MY SISTER ALONE

9-1-1 Operators received three hang-up calls from a Bluffdale residence. Operators could hear a male and female yelling at each other in the background, then the calls would disconnect. B.P.D. Officers were dispatched to the residence. Officers found an intoxicated male was arguing with his wife because she would not let him in the house. The wife called her brother who lived a few doors away to help deal with her husband. The brother and husband got into an argument. When officers arrived they found the husband was very intoxicated and threatening his wife and her brother. The husband was arrested and booked into jail for intoxication and disorderly conduct.