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Chaska Police 4-1-1

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“Your Speed Is... “

St. Francis Hospital most generously donated two electronic speed signs to the city. These signs display the actual speed of oncoming vehicles and serve as an advisory to motorists to slow down, if they are exceeding the speed limit. One of these signs has been installed on HWY 41, at the beginning of the 30 MPH zone, just north of County Road 61 (old HWY 212.) The other sign, which has yet to be installed, will be placed on the south end of downtown to advise drivers entering Chaska's downtown from south of the Minnesota River crossing.



St. Francis actually donated these signs some time ago. The reconfiguration of HWY 41 through downtown, the installation of the traffic lights at 41 and 2nd Street, and a rather taxing MnDOT permitting process significantly delayed our being able to get the signs up and operational.

We are very grateful to St. Francis Hospital for this generous donation. This signs do work to remind drivers to slow down, and strongly contribute to safer streets.

More Fit to Serve...



On Saturday, October 8th, Officer Lee McClure ran the Fargo (ND) Half Marathon (13.1 miles.) Lee finished with a time of 2:01:16.

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Around the Clock
-Sgt. Ben Anderson

Chaska Officers issued 26 citations and 35 warnings during this reporting period. There were 234 calls for service

DWI:



Police responded to the intersection of Pioneer Trail and Village Road in reference to a property damage crash involving two vehicles. The female driver who caused the crash was intoxicated and was arrested for second degree DWI.

Disturbances:

A female was driving a moped in a downtown parking lot. She had consumed alcohol and was an inexperienced moped driver. She fell off the moped, hurting her head and shoulder. She was transported to a hospital for her injuries. Prior to police arrival, a male had left on the moped and hid it from officers. He was located and was cited for obstructing the legal process.



A Polaris snowmobile and a commercial-grade lawn mower were stolen from a farm homestead.

Officers responded to a wooded area near Crosstown Blvd in reference to a report of three intoxicated juvenile males. One male, who was severely inebriated, had passed out in the woods and was located by police. He was transported to a hospital. The two other males ran from the officers and were apprehended a short time later. They were charged with fleeing from police. All three males were cited for minor consumption of alcohol.

Five juvenile females grabbed several items from inside the Super Target store and ran out without paying. Investigation continues.

Police received a report of a vehicle break-in, which had just occurred in the area of Sixth and Oak Streets. Witness accounts led police to the male offender, who was taken into custody a short time later. He was charged with 4th degree criminal damage to property, theft, possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.



A male was screaming and yelling in the area of Engler Blvd and Bavaria Road. He hid from responding officers, who located him in a backyard of a nearby residence. He did not comply with officers' commands and resisted arrest. He appeared extremely intoxicated and would not submit to a breath test after being taken into custody. He was charged with obstructing the legal process with force.

CSI-Chaska
-Det. Sgt. Stock

CHOOSE YOUR FRIENDS WISELY



Recently a gentleman reported to the Chaska Police that he was being black-mailed by a friend. This gentleman stated that while working out at a gym he met a woman and over a couple years they formed a friendship. After not hearing from his female friend for months, she called and suggested they should "hangout" sometime. Soon, they spent an evening together, which included talking, dancing, going to a club, and ended in a one-time sexual encounter. Within weeks, the gentleman was contacted by his female friend advising him that she needed money. If he did not pay her, she was going to report their encounter as a rape, take him to court, and cause him a lot of trouble. She demanded \$30,000.00. Obviously being sensitive to the tough economy, she offered a couple different payment options for the gentleman.

Chaska police detectives set up a sting operation that included inviting the female suspect to meet with the victim to receive her money. The female suspect showed up as planned, but instead of receiving a large payday, she was arrested for the crime of coercion.



Found property at the water tower site located in the Symphony Hills development: 8x4 pull behind trailer with a broken hitch/tongue. If you are missing this trailer call 952.448.4200 and reference case number 11010094. Please be prepared to describe the trailer and the contents found loaded in the trailer.

Telephone Numbers

Emergency: 911
Police Service: 952.361.1231
Administration: 952.448.4200

Confidential Tip Line
952.227.2479

District 112 Student Tip Line
952.227.7448

Chaska Student Text Tip Line/Email
HawkTip@chaskamn.com

Website
www.chaskamn.com/cityhall/ns_policehome.cfm

www.cpdvideos.blogspot.com

Knight Watch
Cable Channel 15
7 days a week
10:00am
6:00pm and 10:35pm
knightwatch@chaskamn.com

Need Help?

Assistance for Domestic Assault Victims
952.873.4214

Assistance for Sexual Assault Victims
952.448.5425

Statewide Referral Service
1.800.247.0390

24 hour Emergency

Carver /Scott Crisis Program 24hr
952.442.7601

First Call for Help
612.335.5000

Crisis Connection
612.379.6363

Chaska Human Rights Commission
HOTLINE:
952.448.9200 EXT- 7103

Things I Learned From The Movies



All telephone numbers in America begin with the digits 555.

The ventilation system of any building is the perfect hiding place.

A cough is usually the sign of a terminal illness.

The more a man and a woman hate each other, the more likely they will fall in love.

The Eiffel Tower can be seen from any window in Paris.

When paying for a taxi, don't look at your wallet as you take out a bill — just grab one at random and hand it over. It will always be the exact fare.

A man will show no pain while taking the most ferocious beating, but will wince when a woman tries to clean his wounds.

