



The Point After

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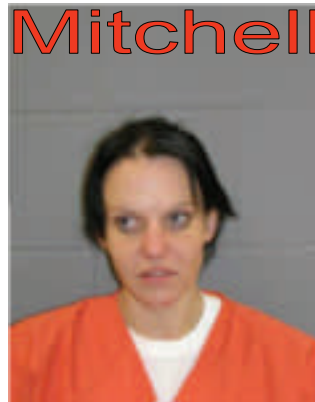
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Warrant Leads to New Drug Charges

On Friday, November 23rd, **Officer Justin Hunt** stopped a vehicle at a local convenience store. Inside the vehicle he identified Shannan Mitchell, 30, who was the subject of a Rice County arrest warrant. While she was exiting the car, Ofc. Hunt saw a partial bottle of wine in the car at her feet, and she admitted the wine was hers. She was transported to the jail. During booking, **Correctional Deputy Mallory House** found 19 prescription pills in Mitchell's possession, and she did not have a prescription for them. She was charged with 5th Degree



Controlled Substance, and her bail was set at \$12,000 without conditions.

On Monday, November 26th, officers were called to locate a suicidal person. The person had made statements to his family about “ending it all” and left the house. **Officers Tom Mueller, Bryan Johnson, Brad Roschen and Matt Kolling, Sergeant Al Shuda**, Rice County **Deputy Trevor Peterson** and **Sergeant Ross Spicer** cooperatively worked with the family and searched the area. The person was found safe within the hour, and transported to District One Hospital for evaluation.

Domestics and DANCOs

On Saturday, November 24th, **Officer Lisa Petricka** was called to District One Hospital for a possible domestic assault. The victim and her mother reported that the suspect, Matthew Schauer, 41, was arguing with her and he hit her in the nose. She was able to run away and went to the hospital for treatment. **Officers Justin**



Hunt and Kayla Bauer assisted Ofc. Petricka in trying to locate Schauer. He contacted Ofc. Petricka and provided a statement to her. He was subsequently arrested and charged with Felony Domestic Assault, Gross Misdemeanor Domestic Assault and Malicious Punishment of a Child. His bail was set at \$10,000 without conditions.

For the third time this month, officers were called regarding Curtis Chavie, 23. The latest incident occurred on Wednesday, November 28th, **Officer Lisa Petricka** and **Detective Cadie Spicer** responded and were told that Chavie, the subject of a Domestic Abuse No Contact Order (DANCO) had been at the house a short time earlier. The victim stated

Chavie came to the house after court, and when not allowed in the house, attempted to enter through a window. He fled when told the police had been called. He was located and arrested about three hours later by Deputy Jason Witt. He was charged with Violation of a DANCO, and his bail was set at \$20,000.



“The significant problems we face cannot be solved at the same level of thinking we were at when we created them.”

Albert Einstein

Questions?

Comments?

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Diversity Task Force Roadshow

Recently members of the Mayor's Diversity Task Force travelled to Willmar, MN to visit with city staff along with business and cultural leaders to see how newer immigrants have integrated into the community. It was apparent that Willmar had much to offer and that the growing diversity strengthen the city. Pictured from left to right are Somali Community Services Volunteer Chris Nevins, Faribault Mayor John Jasinski, Director of Somali Community Services Asher Ali, Faribault Police Chief Andy Bohlen, Faribault Human Resources Director Kevin Bushard, Community Volunteer Dan Burns, and Chamber President Kymn Anderson.



Scam Warning

As holiday shopping picks up, so does phishing. One of the scams going around, for those of you shopping online, involves e-mail from e-tailers. Unfortunately, these official-looking e-mails contain links to hack into your accounts or get you to provide account information. If you get an e-mail from PayPal, eBay, Amazon, etc., do not click on the links in the e-mail.

Rather, go directly to the merchant's website to confirm orders or take advantage of special deals. If you do get a suspicious e-mail, particularly if you did not make a transaction, ignore and delete the e-mail. If you question an e-mail sent by a merchant, contact the merchant to verify its authenticity.

Our deepest sympathies go out to the men, women and families of the Cold Spring Police Department on the senseless murder of **Officer Tom Decker**.



Holiday Traffic

Friday, November 23rd, **Officers Eric Sammon and Jeff Larson** assisted **Deputy Jason Witt** with a pursuit that began in the city of Faribault and continued out into the county. A male driver and female passenger were arrested, and no one was injured.

On Sunday, November 25th, officers were called to Spike's Bar for a hit and run. Witnesses told the officers that a female had backed into a

parked car, then switched places with a male passenger, and drove off. Witnesses also provided the vehicle description to officers. A short time later, **Trooper Bryan Mielke** found the vehicle on I-35, and arrested the male driver for DWI. **Officers Jordan Juenger and Eric Sammon** arrived at the stop, and identified the female as the one involved in the crash. She was then arrested for DWI and Hit and Run.

Over the holiday weekend, eight motorists were arrested for DWI - three on Wednesday night, three on Friday night, and two on Saturday night. **Captain Neal Pederson and Officers Mike Thul, Eric Sammon and Jordan Juenger** were arresting officers.