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Eagle Lake Popular Stop For Cross Country Cyclists



In the last week Eagle Lake has been a resting place for cyclists attempting cross country treks. Pictured above are Mike Wallis and Keri Mounce of San Diego, Cali. They are married and both doctors and said that are cycling from Jacksonville, Fla. to San Diego, Cali. to see the country. They left on April 7 and are riding an average of 75 miles per day. They came through Eagle Lake on May 10.



Mark Maund, originally from New York City, but currently residing, nowhere, came through Eagle Lake on Monday. He said he is riding around the entire perimeter of the United States, about 15,000 miles. He said he has planned to take three years for the journey, two for riding and the rest for exploring places he comes across. Maund said he is riding to raise awareness for several charities including The Red Cross, Salvation Army and the Betty Ong Foundation, which was established in memory of a friend who died on Sept. 11. His website is www.northamericacyclingexpedition.com.

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Colorado County Sheriff's Report

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ed a traffic stop on Hwy 90A east of FM 2437 in Sheridan. After further investigation, Geronimo Tonchez, 25 of Weimar, was arrested for Driving While Intoxicated. Case closed.

At 8:38 am, Deputy Hudson responded to FM 2434 in reference to a severely wounded deer struck by a vehicle. On arrival, the deer was found to be suffering from compound fractures on both hind legs and was put down. Case closed.

At 6:34 pm, Deputy Hoffer responded to a residence near Weimar in reference to a death investigation. Justice of the Peace Pet. 2, Richard Luhrs, arrived

on scene to conduct the inquest. After the investigation, the death was determined to be from natural causes. Case closed.

Monday, April 23

At 7 pm, Deputy Hoffer responded to Diversitech west of Columbus in reference to a Theft. An investigation was initiated and the case remains under investigation.

At 9:20 pm, Deputy Staff initiated a traffic stop on Hwy 71 in Nada. After further investigation, Juan Joe Gonzales, 37 of Eagle Lake, was arrested for Driving While License Invalid with a previous conviction. Case closed.

Tuesday, April 24

At 9:14 am, Deputy Savino responded to the Sheriff's Office to meet with a complainant about an Identity Theft. A report was filed and the case is pending further information.

At 9:20 am, Lt. Busby met with a complainant from Alleyton in reference to a neighbor's dog attacking other animals. A report was filed and the incident will be resolved in civil court.

At 2:11 pm, Deputy Savino responded to FM 532 near Weimar in reference to a Burglary. An investigation was conducted and the case is pending further information.

At 2:30 pm, Deputy Cranek responded to Reese Lane in reference to a subject taking property without permission. On arrival, the incident was determined to be a civil dispute. After further investigation, one of the parties

involved was issued a Criminal Trespass Warning. Case closed.

Wednesday, April 25

At 12:56 am, Deputy Thumann conducted a traffic stop on Hwy 90 and Front Street in Columbus. After further investigation, Robert Clayton Sanders, 62 of Columbus, was arrested for Possession of Marihuana. Case closed.

At 5:30 am, Deputy Cranek responded to a residence near Altair in reference to Cruelty to Animals. Evidence was collected and the case is under investigation.

Thursday, April 26

At 8:25 am, Deputy Mieth and Deputy Pardo conducted a traffic stop on IH-10 near the 695 mile marker. After further investigation, Jorge Jacinto McCormick, 41 of Pace Florida, was arrested for Possession of a Controlled Substance (Hydrocodone), Possession of Marihuana, and Money Laundering. In addition to the charges, the McCormick was in possession of \$10,080.79 in cash. The vehicle and cash were submitted for seizure.

At 8:30 am, Deputy Cranek responded to a business on IH-10 east of Columbus in reference to Criminal Mischief to a vehicle. A report was filed and the case is pending further information.

At 11:13 am, Deputy Savino responded to Vogelsang Road in reference to an Identity Theft. A report was filed and the case is pending further information.

At 12:10 pm, Deputy Cranek responded to IH-10 near the 686 mile marker in reference to an

abandoned vehicle in some trees. The vehicle had apparently been abandoned for several days. The vehicle was missing a battery, the ignition was popped, and the engine was burned. The vehicle was removed from the location by Colorado County Towing to prevent further vandalism. Case closed.

At 12:30 pm, Deputy Pardo met with a complainant from Columbus in reference to a welfare concern for two adult subjects who had not returned home from a trip to Louisiana. A report was filed for informational purposes and the subjects were entered into the state and national database as a welfare concern. The missing subjects later returned home and were removed from the system. Case closed.

At 1:52 pm, Deputy Savino responded to CR 273 and Avenue J in Sheridan in reference to a Theft. After further investigation, the incident was determined to be a civil matter. A report was filed and the case is closed.

At 7:10 pm, Sgt. Edman responded to a residence in Glidden in reference to a fight between juveniles. The situation was resolved and no charges were filed. Case closed.

SUMMARY FOR APRIL

- Jail Population as of April 30, 2007 - 59 Inmates
- \$ 3,129.02 Billed to Dewitt County for Housing Inmates during the month of April 2007
- \$ 1,680.00 Billed to Austin County for Housing Inmates during the month of April 2007
- 91 Civil Papers Processed
- 55 Civil Papers Served
- 73 Traffic Citations Issued
- 376 Traffic Warning Citations Issued
- 6 Inmates Transported to TDC
- 2 Juvenile Transported to the Victoria Juvenile Facility
- 10 Prisoners Picked up from other counties on Outstanding Colorado County Warrants
- 61 Arrests made by Colorado County Sheriff Deputies
- 97 Criminal and Civil Complaints answered by Sheriff Deputies
- 34,883 - Miles Driven by Colorado County Sheriff's Deputies while Transporting, Patrolling, and Civil Process.

Correction

In last week's edition of the Headlight there was a misprint in the article for Brandy Meitzen that listed the incorrect paternal grandparents. It should have read the late Tom and Chris Halbert of Garland, Texas.

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