
Franklin County sheriff's weekly report: Thefts & traffic accidents

Franklin County Sheriff's Office weekly report for Dec. 2 – 9, 2016:

12/2/2016 Sgt. Matt Brann responded to a car vs. deer accident on the Rangeley Road in Phillips.

12/2/2016 Lt. David Rackliffe assisted deputies with a search for drugs in Rangeley.

12/3/2016 Deputy Sandy Burke investigated a theft from Edmunds' Market in Phillips.

12/3/2016 Deputy Andrew Morgan responded to a car vs. deer accident on the Rangeley Road in Madrid.

12/3/2016 Deputy Morgan responded to a 911 hang up on Olde Parkway Road in Kingfield.

12/4/2016 Deputy Morgan investigated a civil issue on the West Road in Chesterville.

12/4/2016 Sgt. Brann assisted State Police with a pursuit which was reported to be on Route 2 in Mercer headed towards New Sharon. Brann waited at the county line, the vehicle's driver was eventually stopped in Mercer.

12/5/2016 Deputy Derek Doucette assisted Farmington police with an accident on the Town Farm Road in Farmington.

12/5/2016 Deputy Doucette and Sgt. Kevin Hartley responded to a single vehicle accident on the West Mills Road in Industry where a driver passed another vehicle then lost control on the snowy road conditions. No injuries were reported.

12/5/2016 Deputy Doucette conducted at traffic stop on Route 4 at the Farmington/Strong town line regarding the report of a vehicle making an unsafe pass. As a result of the stop, Todd Huff, 42, of Strong, was arrested on a charge of operating after suspension.

12/5/2016 Deputy Morgan investigated a report of a theft at the Chesterville Corner Store in Chesterville. During Morgan's initial interview, it was revealed that the theft actually occurred on Dec. 3 at 5:45pm. The suspect (a man who appeared to be in his late 40s or early 50s and wearing a red and green colored ball cap, leather jacket, blue jeans and white shoes, is alleged to have stolen multiple items which included a flashlight, cans of tuna, a toothbrush and bottles of water, soap and coffee. The suspect's vehicle appeared to be a gold colored Chrysler with Florida tags. The suspect stated he was staying in the Eustis area. Additional information has enabled Morgan to believe that the alleged suspect is a transient named Michael Shaw, 49, of South Paris. A warrant for his arrest has been issued.

12/5/2016 Sgt. Brann responded to a 911 hang up complaint on the Carthage Road in Carthage. It was determined to be a false alarm.

12/5/2016 Deputy Burke, Deputy Doucette responded to Route 2 in New Sharon near Sandy River Farm Supply where a three-vehicle accident was reported. As a result of the investigation, Fred Coro, 62, of Wilton

who was one of the drivers, was arrested on charges of operating under the influence and operating after suspension.

12/6/2016 Deputy Bradley Scovil responded to a single vehicle accident on Route 4 in Avon. No injuries were reported.

12/6/2016 Deputy Keith Madore investigated a civil issue between a landlord and former tenant on the Rand Road in Industry.

12/6/2016 Deputy Scovil responded to an animal complaint on the Salem Road in Salem twp.

12/6/2016 Deputy Madore responded to the Barker Road in New Vineyard for a single vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.

12/6/2016 Deputy Madore responded to Cape Cod Hill School in New Sharon to assist Evergreen Behavioral Services.

12/7/2016 Sheriff Scott Nichols responded to a single vehicle accident on Mile Hill Road in New Sharon. No injuries were reported.

12/7/2016 Sgt. Brann responded to a single vehicle accident on Lambert Hill Road in Strong. No injuries were reported.

12/7/2016 Deputy Madore and Deputy McCormick responded to a two-vehicle accident on the Farmington Falls Road in New Sharon.

12/7/2016 Deputy Madore investigated a theft of a Yamaha snow sled from a seasonal residence in Weld.

12/8/2016 Detective Kenneth Charles, Chief Steve Lowell and Lt. David St. Laurent assisted Jay police by recovering an ATV that had been stolen in Jay and found in Temple.

Deputies conducted seven building checks during this time period, all were found secure. Deputies also conducted seven elder checks.

- Submitted by Sheriff Nichols