

Police

Wednesday, May 1st, 2024

Police reports



Grants Pass Police Department

Law enforcement responded to what turned out to be a malfunctioning alarm at Rogue Community College at 3:22 p.m. Tuesday. Officers searched and cleared several buildings, students were evacuated, and the campus was on lockdown. The incident was declared over at 3:58 p.m.

A man on private property with a wagon covered in a tarp was arrested on a second-degree criminal trespassing charge at 10:18 a.m. Tuesday near the Grants Pass Parkway and Agness Avenue.

The crisis negotiation team responded to a report of an 81-year-old man pointing a revolver at relatives while accusing them of throwing away his belongings, in a home in the 700 block of Northwest A Steet on Tuesday afternoon. After arresting him and doing a safety sweep of the home, police collected guns for safekeeping at a relative's request. The man was jailed on charges of unlawful use of a weapon and menacing. No one was injured in the incident.

Near Dollar Tree in north Grants Pass, police arrested a man on a warrant who had stripped down to his shorts and was screaming and throwing punches in the air Tuesday afternoon.

After a complaint about a man sleeping in the entryway of Hampton Inn & Suites at 3:01 a.m. today, police arrested a 39-year-old man on a probation violation and criminal trespassing charge.

Park enforcement Tuesday:

- At Westholm Park, a man with a methamphetamine pipe sleeping in the street next to the park was cited for drug possession. A man and woman were cited for scattering rubbish and issued 30-day exclusion orders from the park. Police later received a neighborhood complaint that the pair had moved their tent and belongings into the street.
- At Lawnridge Park, a man who failed to move his tent after getting a 72-hour notice to move was cited for illegal camping and issued an exclusion order.

- At Tussing Park, four people were cited for various violations including scattering rubbish, and two were issued exclusion orders.
- At Baker Park, a woman cited for scattering rubbish and camping in a buffer zone was issued an exclusion order.

Josephine County Sheriff's Office

Nothing of note.

Oregon State Police

No new log.