



HOT SHEET NEWS

A Monthly Newsletter

Reporting Ohio's Habitual DUI Offenders

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THE WORST



Wilmington Police Dept. Patrolman Ronald Cravens arrested George Tribune, 45, for his **SEVENTEENTH DUI** offense on 05/02/04. He was operating a cycle the wrong way down a one-way street. He tested .189 BAC. This was a felony DUI.

Jackson Post Tpr. Michael Akers arrested Keith Ousley, 41, for his **FIFTEENTH DUI** offense on 04/05/04.

Chillicothe Post Tpr. Jeffrey Moorhead arrested Rodger Vanmeter, 41, for his **TWELFTH DUI** offense on 04/25/04.

Delaware Co. Sheriff's Office Deputy Chuck Gannon arrested Robert Converse, 56, for his **TENTH DUI** offense on 05/11/04. A complaint was received by a passing motorist.

SHERIFF'S ARRESTS

Hocking Co. Sheriff's Office Deputy Dustin Robison arrested James Congrove, 35, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 05/16/04. He was stopped for going left-of-center. Also, he had open beer cans and marijuana in the car. He tested .118 BAC.

Stark Co. Sheriff's Office Sgt. Terry Curry arrested Michael Pike, 51, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/25/04. He tested .244 BAC.



Program-to-Date Totals

August 1, 1991 to
April 30, 2004

- 14,950 arrests of habitual offenders (five or more convictions)
- 16,311 calls were placed to 1-800-GRAB-DUI

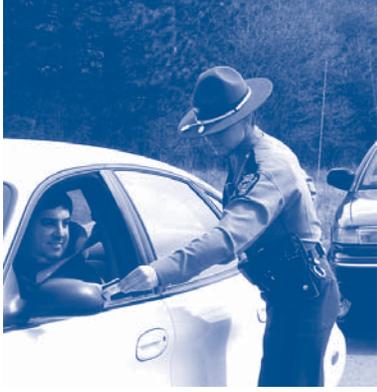
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Sheriff's Arrests

LOCAL ARRESTS



Coldwater Police Dept. Sgt. Shane Dellinger arrested Todd Sanders, 41, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/30/04. He tested .218 BAC.

Columbus Police Dept. Officer Terrence Kelley arrested Franklin Jarrell Jr., 43, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 05/04/04.

Frazeysburg Police Dept. Patrolman Kevin Starrett arrested Grady Thompson, 39, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 05/15/04. He was stopped for failure to signal. He had slurred speech. He refused the BAC.

Lawrence Twp. Police Dept. Patrolman Aaron Simon arrested Larry Warner, 46, for his **NINTH DUI** offense on 05/17/04. He was charged with a felony. His son was charged with wrongful entrustment since he was driving his son's car. He tested .293 BAC.

Lebanon Police Dept. Patrolman Buchanan arrested Carl Kratzer, 44, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/30/04. He was spotted driving recklessly. He refused the test.

Malvern Police Dept. Officer Jeanette Hoster arrested Mark Perkins, 39, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 05/02/04. He tested .232 BAC.

Miami Twp. Police Dept. Officer Bob Rose arrested Amos Blankenship, 39, for his **NINTH DUI** offense on 05/06/04. He was stopped for speeding 97 mph in a 65 mph zone. He tested .171 BAC.

Mogadore Police Dept. Patrolman Mark Zehner arrested Nathan Woods, 37, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 05/17/04. He was traveling at a high rate of speed, didn't use turn signals and didn't stop until two feet past stop sign.

Napoleon Police Dept. Patrolman Michael Campbell arrested Todd Campbell, 35, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 05/16/04. He tested .281 BAC.

Springfield Twp. Police Dept. Patrolman Michael Tablack arrested Kenneth Lupton, 42, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 05/15/04. He was speeding on his motorcycle. He refused the test.



OSHP ARRESTS



Ashland Post Tpr. Roy Beach arrested Jody Kohout, 29, for her **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/21/04.

Athens Post Tpr. Philip Skaggs arrested Kenneth Morris, 64, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/24/04.

Batavia Post Tpr. Michael Shimko arrested Geoff Kinnaird, 38, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/17/04. Shimko also arrested Thomas Hopkins, 38, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/17/04. He tested .170 BAC.

Canton Post Tpr. Michael Maddock arrested David Sloat, 34, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/17/04.

Chillicothe Post Tpr. Robert McClelland arrested Ronald Anderson, 49, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/23/04.

Chillicothe Post Tpr. Troy Sexton arrested Lloyd Mills, 43, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/04/04.

Chillicothe Post Sgt. Chad Neal arrested Ronald Simpson, 54, for his **NINTH DUI** offense on 04/05/04.

Chillicothe Post Tpr. James Fisher arrested Steven Smith, 52, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/17/04. Fisher also arrested Margaret Bethel, 38, for her **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/16/04.

Chillicothe Post Tpr. Aaron Cooper arrested Wayne Unger, 41, for his **NINTH DUI** offense on 04/25/04.

Circleville Post Tpr. Shad Caplinger arrested David Brown, 41, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/11/04.

Defiance Post Tpr. Darryl Edge arrested Erin Ryan, 35, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/22/04. He was stopped for failure to stop at a stop sign.

Defiance Post Tpr. Chad Durfrey arrested Rodolfo Garcia, 37, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/03/04. He was stopped for a vehicle defect.

Findlay Post Tpr. Stacy Eichhorn arrested Michael Keeran, 42, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/23/04.

Findlay Post Tpr. Ryan Wilson arrested Gladwin Smith, 49, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/11/04. He tested .173 BAC.

Fremont Post Tpr. Michael Walter arrested Michael Black, 38, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/28/04.

Fremont Post Tpr. Nathan Henn arrested Edward Barger, 42, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/28/04. He was stopped for left-of-center. He tested .160 BAC.

Gallipolis Post Tpr. Mark McFann arrested Charles McGrath, 44, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/03/04.

Granville Post Tpr. Jonathan Thomas arrested Paul Glasmeier, 37, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/15/04. He tested .154 BAC. Thomas also arrested Verlen Farmer, 45, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/15/04. He tested .160 BAC.

Jackson Post Tpr. Marlin Folden arrested Randall Baisden, 42, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/22/04.

Jackson Post Tpr. Robert Haislop III arrested Tracy Wright, 41, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/15/04.

Lancaster Post Tpr. Joshua Garrett arrested Denver Seymour, 45, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/16/04.

Marietta Post Tpr. David Keener arrested Richard Bay, 36, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/18/04.

Marion Post Tpr. Nicholas Malo arrested James Thompson, 42, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/02/04.

Marion Post Tpr. Douglas Shockey arrested Leo Monroe, 51, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/04/04. Shockey also arrested Michael Vanscoy, 43, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/03/04.

Medina Post Tpr. Nicholas Clemens arrested Clyde Kimble Jr., 51, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/20/04.

Medina Post Tpr. Samuel Christ arrested Nicholas Mersinas, 38, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/26/04.

Mt. Gilead Post Tpr. Justin Hurlbert arrested Thomas Hampton, 36, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/02/04. Hurlbert also arrested Micahel Marquez, 42, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/02/04 and arrested Ricky Shafer, 45, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/17/04.

Portsmouth Post Tpr. Rocky Hise arrested Donald Patton, 44, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/29/04. He tested .173 BAC. Hise also arrested Donald Patton, 44, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/29/04.

Ravenna Post Tpr. Gary Whitacre arrested John Chell, 38, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/18/04.

Ravenna Post Tpr. Jeffrey Greene arrested James Mollohan, 50, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/12/04.

Ravenna Post Tpr. Charles Mendenhall arrested Alvin Slade Jr., 36, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/30/04.

Sandusky Post Tpr. Brett Gockstetter arrested Lawrence Young, 35, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/01/04. Gockstetter also arrested Ricky Lowry, 46, for his **EIGHTH DUI** offense on 04/18/04.

Sandusky Post Tpr. Erika Englund arrested Kim Christman, 46, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/22/04.

Springfield Post Tpr. Timothy Durham arrested William Peters, 32, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/04/04.

Wapakoneta Post Tpr. Daniel Edelbrock arrested Scott Taylor, 40, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/28/04. He was stopped after having an argument with a passenger in his vehicle and impeding traffic on the roadway. He tested .19 BAC.

Wilmington Post Tpr. Thomas Bloomberg arrested Jeffrey Shepherd, 37, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/06/04.

Wilmington Post Sgt. Aaron Gentry arrested Daniel Hayslip, 49, for his **SIXTH DUI** offense on 04/09/04.

Wilmington Post Tpr. Andrew Bennett arrested Steven Hopkins, 43, for his **FIFTH DUI** offense on 04/18/04.

Wilmington Post Tpr. Rodney Murphy Jr. arrested Phillip Downing, 45, for his **SEVENTH DUI** offense on 04/28/04.

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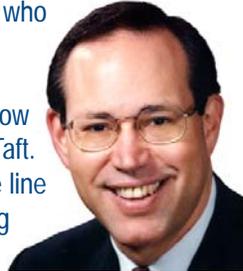
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TAFT SIGNS DRUNK DRIVING BILL

STRENGTHENS PENALTIES AGAINST REPEAT OFFENDERS

On June 24, 2004, Governor Bob Taft signed House Bill 163 into law, which increases penalties and jail time for repeat offenders who operate a vehicle while intoxicated (OVI).

"In Ohio, we have some startling statistics when it comes to how many people have multiple drunk driving convictions," said Taft. "Those who drink and drive put themselves and others in the line of danger; and by signing House Bill 163 and strengthening penalties, we hope to further deter repeat offenders."



Alcohol-related crashes result in more than 300 deaths and more than 14,000 injuries each year in Ohio. According to the Ohio State Highway Patrol, there are more than 300,000 repeat drunk driving offenders in Ohio, 28,000 of which have five or more drunk driving convictions. Troopers arrested 842 drivers for drunk driving over the 2004 Memorial Day weekend alone.

Currently, mandatory sentencing for repeat drunk driving offenders does not exceed a 120-day sentence. House Bill 163, sponsored by Representative Scott Oelslager (R-Canton), increases penalties and imposes mandatory prison time up to five years for repeat drunk driving offenders. The bill also increases the look back period from six years to 20 years for repeat offenders with five or more drunk driving violations. Additionally, penalties will be increased for an OVI conviction if the offender refuses to take a chemical test after being arrested for the offense and has a prior OVI conviction, including drinking underage and driving.

The bill also increases the penalty for vehicular assault when the offender fails to stop at the scene of the accident resulting in that offense, and modifies the issuance of the restricted license plate, the "family plate," giving the judge discretion to require the restricted plate in the first offense, but making the restricted plate mandatory on second and subsequent offenses.

"Drunk driving is a serious crime that has destroyed the lives of thousands of Ohio families," said State Executive Director of MADD Ohio Doug Scoles. "The strengthened penalties in House Bill 163 will hopefully make people think twice about getting behind the wheel of a car after drinking, and reduce Ohio's drunk driving recidivism rates."

The bill goes into effect September 23, 2004.



NOTES

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