



LYON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE MEDIA RELEASE

1. On Sunday, December 5, 2021, at 1:10pm, Chief Deputy Sam Adams responded to a single-vehicle injury collision on US 62 in Kuttawa. His investigation revealed a 2013 Hyundai Elantra driven by Karen J. Driver (54) of Eddyville hydroplaned while West bound on US 62 during a rainstorm. The Driver vehicle impacted the median resulting in minor injuries to Driver and her passenger, Shania Driver (21), also of Kuttawa. Both occupants were transported by Lyon County EMS to the Crittenden County Hospital for treatment of minor injuries.
2. On Monday, December 6, 2021, at 11:25am, Sheriff Brent White arrested Dean D. Adornato (26) of Nebo and charged him on a Lyon Circuit Court Indictment Warrant for Possession of a Handgun by a Felon, and Wanton Endangerment-1st Degree (3 counts). He was lodged in the Christian County Detention Center.
3. On Tuesday, December 7, 2021, at 12:35pm, Chief Deputy Sam Adams arrested Tawny M. Clinton (32) of Eddyville after she voluntarily surrendered herself to the Sheriff's Office. Chief Deputy Adams charged her on a Bench Warrant from Lyon Circuit Court for a Probation Violation and two Bench Warrants from Lyon District Court for Failure to Appear. She was lodged in the Crittenden County Detention Center.
4. On Tuesday, December 7, 2021, at 12:54pm, Chief Deputy Adams responded to a woodland fire near Old Eddyville off Robin Lane. The three-alarm fire necessitating the response of the Eddyville, Kuttawa, and Princeton Fire Departments consumed several acres and caused four structures to be exposed, but thankfully they were not damaged due to the quick work of the responding fire departments. Chief Deputy Adams' investigation revealed the fire was started by James E. Tanner (42) of Eddyville after he began burning trash earlier in the day, which escaped due to the high winds. Tanner was charged with one county of Violation of the Fire Hazard Season. As a reminder, the Fire Hazard Season continues through December 15, 2021.

5. On Friday, December 10, 2021, at 8:12am, Chief Deputy Sam Adams and Sheriff Brent White responded to a suspicious person complaint behind a residence near the intersection of KY 819 and KY 93 North. Upon arrival, nobody was located; however, just down the road from this residence there was a fresh illegal dump site consisting of household garbage and discarded goods. Further investigation led Sheriff's Office personnel to a home which was two doors down from the original complaint location. At this residence, deputies located Jimmy Richard Hawkins, Jr (47) of Kuttawa and arrested him on a Marshall County Circuit Court Bench Warrant for Probation Violation. In addition, Jason S. Reed (18) of Kuttawa was also located. He was arrested for Possession of Controlled Substance-1st Degree (Methamphetamine), Drug Paraphernalia-Possession, and Criminal Littering for the illegal dump site. The Lyon County Road Department was called upon to clean up the dump site. Reed was lodged in the Crittenden County Detention Center and Hawkins was lodged in the Marshall County Detention Center.

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