



## LYON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE ACTIVITY REPORT

1. On January 18, 2021, Deputy Keith Suits investigated a single vehicle collision on KY 730 East, 9 miles Southeast of Eddyville. Upon the arrival of Deputy Suits and other first responders, the driver had fled the scene. He was later identified as Dillon Ray Phelps (27) of Eddyville. Deputy Suits later located and charged Phelps with Leaving the Scene of an Accident.
2. On January 22, 2021, Deputy Suits served an arrest warrant on Paul Gay (39) of Kuttawa for Failure to Appear in Lyon District Court for a case involving multiple counts of wanton endangerment, endangering the welfare of a minor, as well as drug offenses.
3. On January 24, 2021, Sheriff Brent White observed a suspicious vehicle pull into the driveway of an elderly female at 1:17am on US 641 North. Upon further investigation, Sheriff White arrested Timothy D. Matthews (49) of Marion and charged him with Criminal Trespassing-3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Operating on a Suspended/Revoked License, Trafficking in a Controlled Substance-1<sup>st</sup> Degree, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense (greater than 2 grams Methamphetamine) and Drug Paraphernalia Possession. In addition, Nikonia J. Ware (50) of Princeton was also arrested and charged with Criminal Trespassing-3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Public Intoxication, Trafficking in a Controlled Substance-1<sup>st</sup> Degree, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense (greater than 2 grams Methamphetamine), Possession of Synthetic Drugs-1<sup>st</sup> Offense, and Drug Paraphernalia Possession.
4. On January 24, 2021, Deputy Seth P'Pool and other deputies responded to a reported disturbance and assault on KY 810 North. The investigation led to the arrest of Laurie A. Hefler (53) of Kuttawa on Hopewell Road. She was charged with DUI-1<sup>st</sup> Offense, Criminal Mischief-3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Assault-4<sup>th</sup> Degree (domestic), and Failure to Wear Seatbelts.
5. On January 25, 2021, Deputy Suits arrested Dillon Ray Phelps (27) of Eddyville and charged him with DUI-3<sup>rd</sup> Offense. Deputies and Probation & Parole had been attempting to locate Phelps when he was found on Saratoga Heights Road, approximately 8 miles Southeast of Eddyville. In addition, Deputy P'Pool

charged Amy S. Phelps (52) of Eddyville with Possession of Marijuana and Drug Paraphernalia Possession. She was given a court date in Lyon District Court.

6. On January 26, 2021, Sheriff White arrested Andrew Miles Murphy (28) of Wamac, IL following a 911 call for assistance by the Caldwell County Sheriff's Office on Interstate 69 involving Murphy. He was later located on Interstate 24 Eastbound near the 45-mile marker. At the time of the stop, Murphy was hallucinating and was suspected of being under the influence of Methamphetamine. He was charged with DUI-1<sup>st</sup> Offense and Drug Paraphernalia-Possession. The Sheriff's Office was assisted by the Eddyville Police Department and Caldwell County Sheriff's Office.
7. On January 27, 2021, the Sheriff's Office responded to a trespassing complaint on Wynn Road, South of Eddyville. During the course of the investigation, Deputy Sam Adams located Benji Trafford (39) of Eddyville on private property without permission. He was later found to have been armed with a firearm while being on bond for Trafficking Methamphetamine where one of his bond conditions was to not possess any firearms. Deputy Adams arrested and charged Trafford with Contempt of Court/Resistance to Order. In addition, he was charged with numerous hunting related offenses by a Conservation Officer with the KY Dept. of Fish and Wildlife Resources.
8. On January 28, 2021, Sheriff White arrested Harley Keith Tucker (23) of Nashville, TN after the vehicle Tucker was driving was stopped by Kentucky State Police on I-24. Sheriff White charged Tucker with being a Fugitive from Another State after he failed to appear in court in Robertson County, TN.
9. On January 29, 2021, Sheriff White stopped a truck on US 62 in Eddyville driven by William Lonnie Cortner (52) of Princeton. Cortner was found to possess suspected Methamphetamine. He was arrested and charged with Possession of Controlled Substance-1st Degree, 1<sup>st</sup> Offense (Methamphetamine) and Drug Paraphernalia-Use/Possession.
10. During the same stop, a passenger in Cortner's vehicle was identified as Brandi Gail Hawkins (38) of Princeton. She was found to have three (3) active warrants for her arrest. She was arrested by Deputy Suits and charged with two warrants from Lyon District Court (involving a shoplifting case) and one from Caldwell District Court for Failure to Pay Child Support. Additional charges are pending against Hawkins. The Eddyville Police Department assisted the Sheriff's Office with this investigation.

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