



The Point After

“Work Hard - Be Safe - Have Fun”

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Couldn't Read the "Closed" Sign

On Monday, June 6th, **Officers Todd Hanson, Adam Marvin and Sergeant Matt Long** responded to a burglary alarm at a local business. Ofc. Hanson encountered a male outside of the business, who stated he was just walking past on the way to a friend's residence. Ofc. Hanson saw a glasses case sticking out of the man's pocket. Upon meeting with the business owner, the officers learned the business sold read-

ing glasses and noted some were missing. Upon checking the glasses case in the male's pocket, the officers determined they had been taken from the business. After initially denying being in the business, the suspect, Alexander Chavie, 24, admitted to being inside. He was jailed and charged with 3rd degree Burglary and Theft. His bail was set at \$5,000 with conditions.



On Monday, June 6th, **Officer Josh Sjodin, Sergeant Matt Knutson and CSO Marsden Powell** responded to a crash involving a truck and railroad trestle. The driver, a 33-year-old male from Dayton, MN, was uninjured (except maybe his pride). This is the first crash we are aware of since the installation of the flashing signs.



Windy City Visitor

On Saturday, June 4th, **Officer Adam Marvin** responded to a reported intoxicated male in a vehicle at a local gas station. On arrival, Ofc. Marvin found the suspect stopped at a gas pump. While speaking with the suspect, Ofc. Marvin noted he appeared intoxicated. The suspect refused to perform field sobriety tests, and was placed under arrest. **Sergeant Matt Long** arrived to assist, and searched the suspect's vehicle prior to towing it. Sgt. Long found a knife, plastic baggies,



and a Tupperware container with dryer sheets and suspected marijuana. The officers later determined there was about 21 grams of marijuana in the container. At the jail, the suspect, Harold Jackson, 25, of Chicago refused to submit to blood alcohol testing. Jackson was charged with 5th degree Controlled Substances, 4th degree DWI, 3rd degree DWI (refusal), possession of a dangerous weapon and driving without a valid license. His bail was set at \$3,000 with conditions.

Explorer Recognition

On Tuesday, June 7th, **Sergeant Brandon Gliem** attended the Minnesota State Academy for the Deaf's year-end awards ceremony. He presented **Explorer Chloe Robinson** with a certificate recognizing her four years of service to the department as an active member of the Explorer Post.



“Nobody got anywhere in the world by simply being content.”

*Louis L'Amour
Died June 10, 1988*

Cocaine Arrest

On Tuesday, June 7th, **Officers Jeff Burbank** and **Keith Voegel** responded to a report of drug use. As Ofc. Burbank arrived, he saw several persons standing in a driveway that tried to walk away. He saw a female walk behind a vehicle and appear to hide something in a shrub. After she was secured, Ofc. Burbank checked the shrub and found an improvised pipe used for smoking crack cocaine.

Two other persons gave Ofc. Burbank the suspect's purse, which was found to contain a baggie of suspected crack cocaine. The suspect, **Debra Bongers**, 57, was arrested and jailed. She was charged with 5th degree Controlled Substances and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and released on her own recognizance.



**Questions?
Comments?**
Please contact the **Faribault Police Department** at **507-334-4305** or **25 NW 4th Street, Faribault, MN 55021**



On Thursday, June 9th, the 19th Faribault Futures class met at the Police Department. **Chief Andy Bohlen** told the class about some of the great things happening here. **Captain Neal Pederson** gave the group a tour of the department and answered questions about our operations.

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Owatonna High School junior **RJ Kniefel** recently completed a two-month mentorship program with the Investigations Unit. He spent time shadowing detectives and observing different duties of the unit. Kniefel is also a member of our Explorer Post.



CSO Paula Wadekamper was recently recognized as Volunteer of the Year by the Paradise Center for the Arts. Paula is a very active member of the Faribault community, and also helps keeping the PD looking sharp by attending to our plants and shrubs.