



The Point After

“Work Hard - Be Safe - Have Fun”

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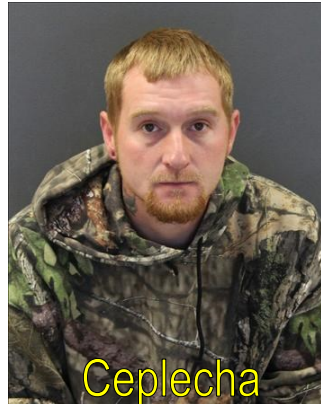
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Domestic Assault Arrest

On Monday, November 7th, **Sergeant Mark Krenik** and **Officer Justin Hunt** responded to a reported domestic assault. The caller told the officers she had come to her friend's residence and saw her friend being assaulted by her boyfriend. She told the officers the suspect had his hands around the victim's throat. The suspect, identified as Matthew Ceplecha, 31, fled the residence when he realized the police were being



Ceplecha

called. **Detective Jeff Burbank** continued to follow up on the case and searching for the suspect. On Friday, November 11th, Detectives Burbank and **Matt Kolling** saw Ceplecha walking and stopped him. He was arrested without incident and jailed. He was charged with Domestic Assault and Domestic Assault by Strangulation. His bail was set at \$15,000 with conditions.



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Stands With All The Citizens
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Adopt A Highway

Our Explorer Post recently adopted a section of MN 21, and made their inaugural garbage pickup along the road last Saturday. **Explorers Mike Shuda, Chloe Robinson, Luke Fridstrom, Jobe Fritz.** Post Advisors **Officers Mallory House, Matt Shuda and Sergeant Brandon Gliem** with his daughter, **Anika**, all took part in the cleanup effort.



“It’s a very sobering feeling to be up in space and realize one’s safety factor was determined by the lowest bidder on a government contract.”

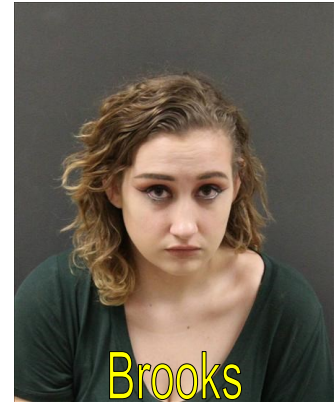
Alan Shepard

Born November 18, 1923

Domestic Assault Arrest

On Saturday, November 12th, **Officer Mike Thul** responded to a reported domestic assault. The victim told the officer that his ex-girlfriend came to his residence, pulled him inside and locked them in a room, refusing to let him out. He stated she was upset about their relationship ending and she began punching and slapping him for several minutes. Ofc. Thul also spoke to witnesses and viewed a video which corroborated the

victim’s statement. **Officers John Gramling and Karl Willers** located the suspect, Cheyenne Brooks, 19, at her residence and arrested her. She was jailed and charged with Domestic Assault and Interference with an Emergency Call, and released on her own recognizance.



This Thanksgiving, we are grateful for the continued community support we have received over the past year. We truly appreciate the cards, treats, calls and other well-wishes from all corners of the community. We are humbled by the opportunity we have to serve this great community.

We wish everyone safe travels and Happy Thanksgiving!

Our lobby will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25, for the Thanksgiving holiday. You can still reach us at 507-334-4305 or 911 for assistance.



Questions?

Comments?

Please contact the

Faribault Police

Department at

507-334-4305 or

25 NW 4th Street,

Faribault, MN 55021

Warrant of the Week

This week, we’re looking for James Williams, 37. He is the subject of two warrants. The first is for failing to appear on charges of Domestic Assault by Strangulation and Domestic Assault, and the second is for failing to appear on charges of Driving After Cancellation and No Insurance. Additionally, Steele County has issued a



warrant for Probation Violation. Williams is 5’7”, weighs 200 pounds, has black hair and brown eyes. Anyone with information about his location is asked to call us at 507-334-4305.

Student Survey

Last fall, the Rice County Chemical Health Coalition and Faribault Public Schools conducted a survey of students in 6th, 8th, 9th and 11th grades to determine attitudes and use of tobacco, alcohol and drugs. This is one of the encouraging results of the survey. We encourage parents and other adults to continue supporting our youth to make good choices.

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