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Deputies Arrest 8 Drunken Drivers in Operation Drive Sober Stolen car involved in 2-car crash on I-43 1289 Repeat Offenders Since January 2010



Katie Joehnck – DUI-4th

William Ostrowski – DUI-3rd

Milwaukee, WI – Sheriff David A. Clarke Jr. has ordered a continued aggressive weekend Driving Under the Influence (DUI) initiative to rid the Milwaukee County freeway system of drunken drivers. This weekend's Operation Drive Sober initiative, from Friday at 4:00 p.m. through Sunday at 6:00 a.m., resulted in the arrest of eight drunken drivers. The average PBT result was .16.

Deputies arrested two repeat offenders. Katie L. Joehnck, age 27, of Butler, was arrested for felony DUI-4th offense this morning at 3:25 a.m. after a call to dispatch about a car unable to maintain its lane northbound on US-45 at Bluemound Road. A deputy stopped the vehicle after it exited on Hampton Avenue. Joehnck's PBT result was .19. Her previous convictions were in March 2006, July 2009, and March 2012. If convicted of the current charges, she faces up to twelve years in prison.

William Ostrowski, age 47, of Brookfield, was arrested for DUI-3rd offense.

First time offenders were: Alexandria Dacquisto, age 22, of Cudahy; David Prieto, age 47, of Midlothian, IL; and Milwaukee residents Damien Allen, age 27; Haley Weber Cody, age 20; and Juan Wilkinson, age 29.

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Stolen Vehicle Involved in Rollover Crash

On Friday, March 27, at about 11:00 p.m., deputies responded to a rollover crash on I-43 north of W. Capitol Drive. North Shore Fire and Glendale police responded and were on scene blocking lanes. A Toyota Scion was on its side against the median wall facing southbound, having struck a Chevy Malibu. The four teenaged occupants of the Toyota fled the scene, and were located by Glendale police at 4330 N. Port Washington Road.

Two girls, ages 14 and 15, and a boy, age 15, were taken to Children's Hospital for injuries they sustained as passengers in the rollover crash. All three will face charges of Passenger in Motor Vehicle without Owner's Consent, which carries up to 9 months confinement. One of the girls had an escape warrant for walking away from New Horizons.

The driver, a 17-year-old boy, was taken into custody for DUI-1st/Absolute Sobriety, Operating Auto without Owner's Consent, and Reckless Driving Causing Bodily Harm, which carry a term of confinement of up to 4 years and 6 months.

Deputies found that the car was stolen when the 17-year-old went to Jose's Blue Sombrero in Brookfield, where he formerly worked, and took the keys out of a jacket pocket belonging to a current employee.

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