



GANANOQUE POLICE SERVICE

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MEDIA RELEASE

News items for the period between March 21st and March 27th, 2011.

Officers of the Gananoque Police Service investigated 55 occurrences during the seven day period ending March 20th, 2011. This included 10 criminal occurrences, 2 motor vehicle collisions and 6 calls to 911 for assistance, 9 Provincial Offence Notices and 6 cautions were issued.

March 23rd, 2011

Officers of the Gananoque Police Service and PROJECT ISLANDER executed a Controlled Drugs and Substance Act warrant on a Victoria Ave residence in the Town of Gananoque. A 40 yr old male party found within the residence was arrested and charged with Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking in a controlled substance (cannabis marihuana). The accused was released on a Promise to Appear in court on a later date.

Officers seized 264 grams of marihuana with the street value of \$ 2 640.00, and over \$1400.00 dollars in Canadian currency from the residence.

The Gananoque Police Service actively pursues any information which could lead to the arrest of anyone distributing illicit drugs. The importance of executing warrants such as this reduces the amount of illicit drugs on the streets of Gananoque and provides for a safer community for everyone to live.

Anyone with information on illicit drug activities is asked to contact the Gananoque Police Service at 613-382-4422 or Crime Stoppers at 1 800 222 8477. You do not have to identify yourself and neither agency subscribes to caller id.

March 26th, 2011

Gananoque Police Service received information regarding a fight that was going to take place later on that day between two youths. Information received included the possibility of weapons being involved. Upon investigation, Police were able to stop the fight from occurring and no weapons were located.

March 27th, 2011

Gananoque Police Service responded to a call for assistance with an out of control 16 year old male youth at a residence in the Town of Gananoque. The young person was arrested for mischief under \$5000 dollars and later released to his parents with an agreement to participate in the Extra Judicial Measures Program under the Youth Criminal Justice Act.

The Gananoque Police Service has issued an arrest warrant for a 40 year old male as the result of an investigation into a sexual assault complaint. The male is charged with Assault, Sexual assault, Sexual Exploitation and Sexual Interference with a person under 16 years of age.

As the result of a sexual assault investigation the Gananoque Police Service have charged a 55 year old male with Sexual Assault, Sexual Exploitation, Sexual Interference and two counts of Indecent Act with persons under 16 years of age. The male has already appeared in court and was released to a family member on a Recognizance. The court has placed a publication band on the proceedings to protect the identity of the young victims and no other information can be provided at this time.

As a result of several calls for dogs running at large in the Town of Gananoque, Gananoque Police Service wants to remind dog owners that it is a Town of Gananoque Bylaw to ensure that your animal is secured and under control. As well, all dogs in the Town of Gananoque are to be registered and wearing a valid Dog Tag.

Registration is required every January for each dog. This ensures that your dog will quickly be returned to you should your dog be found. If your dog is found running at large and/or not wearing a valid dog tag pursuant to Bylaw no. 91-31, you could be charged.