



**Rick Staly, Sheriff**

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# **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **WEEKEND ROUNDUP: Fugitive Friday Bingo Winner Caught in Bunnell with Drugs**

*Two Domestic Violence Suspects Also Among 16 Arrested During Weekend*

**BUNNELL, FL** – A Palm Coast man featured recently on [Flagler County Sheriff Rick Staly's Fugitive Friday Bingo](#) is among 16 people taken to the Green Roof Inn during a busy Veterans Day weekend for the Flagler County Sheriff's Office (FCSO).

686 calls for service were handled between 6:00 a.m. Friday (November 11, 2022) and 6:00 a.m. Monday (November 14, 2022) along with 139 traffic stops according to Sheriff Staly.

"This weekend featured a lot of good proactive policing from our deputies and community tips which led to arrests," Sheriff Staly added. "That is the kind of guardianship policing that keeps our community safe and puts criminals in jail."

Below is a summary of the more notable incidents from the weekend.

### **Palm Coast Man Arrested for Shoving Elderly Family Member**

A 62-year-old Palm Coast man is locked up at the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility for shoving an elderly family member during an argument.

David J. Zimmerman is held without bond on a felony charge of battery on a person over the age of 65 and for resisting law enforcement following Sunday morning's (November 13, 2022) incident at a home on Pontiac Lane in Palm Coast.

A witness told Deputy Sheriffs that she saw Zimmerman screaming obscenities at an elderly family member around 9:20 am as the victim was walking toward her vehicle parked on the driveway and then used his right hand to shove her in the back. The victim then got into her vehicle and drove away but returned to the scene to talk to deputies about what happened.

"I thank the witness for having the courage to see something and say something," Sheriff Staly noted. "It's not

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an easy thing to do but that is the best way to protect victims from the person abusing them.”

Zimmerman was in the home when Deputies arrived but refused to come outside when Deputies asked him to. When Deputies saw him through an open garage door, he retreated into his bedroom and locked the door. Deputies eventually went into the home when they couldn't contact him through telephone or a public address system and had to forcefully open the bedroom door when he refused to. He was then taken into custody.

This is Zimmerman's third booking at the Green Roof Inn. He was arrested in 2008 on a felony probation violation and again in 2009 for simple assault in another domestic violence case.



*David J. Zimmerman (Flagler County Jail mugshot)*

### **Fugitive Friday Bingo Winner, Passenger Found with Drugs After Fleeing Traffic Stop**

A 29-year-old Palm Coast man featured in a recent edition of Fugitive Friday Bingo and a 21-year-old Bunnell woman were placed in handcuffs after a Deputy Sheriff found them inside a vehicle with an obscured tag.

Jimmie Lee Belle III is held at the Green Roof Inn on \$86,500 bond following his arrest at a home on North Anderson Street in Bunnell, while Maurionna Nevaeh Heard has since left the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility after posting \$5,500 bond.

“This was great work by all deputies involved,” Sheriff Staly added. “An obscured tag may not seem like a big deal, but that’s the kind of detail that can help us catch dirtbags with warrants.”

It all started around 11:00 p.m. Saturday (November 12, 2022) when a Deputy Sheriff found Belle driving a gray Nissan Sentra west on State Road 100 with an obscured temporary tag. Heard - the registered owner of the vehicle – was sitting in the right front passenger seat.

The Deputy pulled the Nissan over on County Road 205 and was walking towards the stopped vehicle when Belle quickly made a U-turn and fled the traffic stop heading toward Bunnell.

Another Deputy Sheriff found the Nissan heading back into Bunnell and turned on his emergency lights and sirens but Belle fled again. No other deputies involved attempted a traffic stop but they were able to keep an

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eye on the Nissan as it went into Bunnell and set up a perimeter with the assistance of K-9 units and the Volusia Sheriff's Office helicopter.

Belle eventually bailed from the Nissan near East Holden Avenue and North Chapel Street and fled on foot. He was caught after a resident on North Anderson Street spotted him in their back yard and called the FCSO dispatch center. Heard stayed with her vehicle after Belle fled on foot.

Deputies found several types of drugs in the vehicle and in the back yard where Belle was hiding, including bath salts and marijuana. A bong with marijuana residue and marijuana shake were also found in the vehicle. Deputies also found small amounts of cocaine and bath salts inside Heard's bra and pants during a search of her person.

Belle was arrested on his warrant for fleeing and eluding, driving with a suspended license (habitual) and reckless driving. He was also charged with another count of fleeing and eluding and driving with a suspended license (habitual) as well as possession of bath salts, evidence tampering and resisting law enforcement for Saturday night's incident.

This is the 13th time Belle has been booked at the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility since 2012. He's been arrested previously for failure to appear in court, burglary, grand theft, violation of probation, dealing in stolen property, domestic strangulation, battery on law enforcement, credit card fraud, grand theft auto and fleeing a crash scene with injury or damage.

Heard is charged with possession of bath salts, possession of cocaine, possession of drug paraphernalia and evidence tampering. This is the fourth time she's been booked at the Green Roof Inn since 2019, with the three prior bookings all drug related.



*Jimmie Lee Belle III (Flagler County Jail mugshot)*

*Maurionna Nevaeh Heard (Flagler County Jail mugshot)*

### **Orlando Man Resists Law Enforcement while Arrested for Attacking Woman**

A 25-year-old Orlando man ends up at the Green Roof Inn for attacking a woman and violently resisting the Deputy Sheriffs who took him into custody.

Alpatchino Alexandria Jeune is held on \$6,000 bond following his arrest just after 1:00 p.m. Saturday (November

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12, 2022) at a home on Crabtree Court in Palm Coast.

The victim told the responding Deputies that Jeune physically attacked her during an argument in her vehicle and knocked her phone out of her hand when she attempted to call a family member for help. She then pulled over and got out of her vehicle, at which point Jeune got into the driver's seat and left her standing on the side of the road as he drove away. Jeune told deputies a different story, saying that he never attacked the victim physically and that he and the victim had arrived together at the Crabtree Court home.

While being transported to the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility in handcuffs, Jeune screamed and yelled at the Deputy and struck the passenger side door with his head and feet causing the Deputy to pull over at a gas station and additional Deputies responded to physically secure Jeune so that he could not harm himself or Deputies.

"Hopefully, this guy learns to control his temper while cooling off at the Green Roof Inn," Sheriff Staly stated.

This is Jeune's first arrest in Flagler County.



*Alpatchino Alexandria Jeune (Flagler County Jail mugshot)*

### **Bunnell Man Found with Fentanyl, Meth & Gabapentin**

A 30-year-old Bunnell man with a lengthy arrest record is back behind bars for drug possession after a patrol Deputy spotted suspicious behavior near a convenience store at the corner of U.S. 1 and Moody Boulevard.

Tyler Nicholas Bridewell was arrested for the third time this year by deputy's around 3:30 a.m. Saturday (November 12, 2022) when the deputy saw him and another man walking away from a vehicle parked at the Jiffy food store following what appeared to be a drug transaction.

When two Deputies approached Bridewell, he advised he had a heroin pipe in his pocket. A search of Tyler's person turned up a plastic bag hidden in his shorts which contained more plastic bags containing small amounts of drugs, including fentanyl, methamphetamine and gabapentin pills which he did not have a prescription for.

Bridewell is held on \$6,500 bond at the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility on charges of possession of

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fentanyl, possession of methamphetamine, possession of a legend drug without a prescription, evidence tampering and possession of drug paraphernalia.

This is the 10<sup>th</sup> time Bridewell has been booked at the Green Roof Inn since 2013, including in April 2022 for felony battery and in January 2022 for driving with a suspended license. He's been arrested in the past with burglary, petit theft, dealing in stolen property, false verification of ownership, domestic strangulation, selling cocaine, possession of cocaine, violation of probation, trespassing, credit card fraud, grand theft, possession of hashish and possession of marijuana.



*Tyler Nicholas Bridewell (Flagler County Jail mugshot)*

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