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Joy Ride in Stolen Car Ends With Two Daytona **Beach Area Criminals in Custody** Vehicle Burglaries in "K-Section" Solved

Deputies attempted a traffic stop on a stolen Nissan Altima early Friday morning before 5 a.m. The vehicle fled from deputies at a high rate of speed. Just before 6 a.m., the vehicle was located crashed in a ditch on Panda Bear Lane in Bunnell. Two subjects were seen by witnesses fleeing from the vehicle on foot.

Deputies set up a perimeter and tracked the subjects to the 5000 block of CR 305. Both subjects were taken into custody at 9:39 a.m. and interviewed separately by detectives.

Jaylan Braswell, DOB 9/23/1999, and Keilan Johnson, DOB 5/15/2001, were arrested and will be charged with Grand Theft Auto, Burglary of a Conveyance, and Grand Theft over \$300. Johnson was also charged with Violation of Probation as he is currently on juvenile post commitment probation for a prior offense.

Within the stolen vehicle, deputies found marijuana as well as items belonging to victims of car burglaries from overnight in the Quail Hollow "K" section area of Palm Coast.

"This was great police work on the part of our deputies," Sheriff Rick Staly said. "Not only did they locate the stolen vehicle but they were able to track the suspects, arrest them and solve burglaries. This is another example of a broken juvenile justice system and why 'home confinement' of youthful offenders does not work and leads to them becoming adult offenders."

Johnson will be transported to the Department of Juvenile Justice in Daytona Beach. Braswell will be booked into the Flagler County Detention Facility.

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