



Rick Staly, Sheriff

FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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NEWS RELEASE

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Weekend Roundup August 11th-14th

Out-of-County Fugitive Captured, Man with Narcotics Arrested, 755 Calls for Service, 6 Arrests, 190 Traffic Stops

BUNNELL, FL – Flagler County Sheriff's Office (FCSO) deputies made 6 arrests last weekend between 6 am on Friday, August 11th, 2023, and 6 am on Monday, August 14th, 2023. Over the weekend, deputies handled 755 calls for service and made 190 traffic stops.

“You can run but if you commit a crime, you can’t hide from FCSO,” said Sheriff Rick Staly. “Criminals think they can bring their poison into Flagler County, but our deputies will find them wherever they may be. If you’re on the run, Flagler County is not the place to be. We will find you, and send you to the Green Roof Inn.”

Hillsborough County Fugitive Captured by FCSO

On Friday night, Deputy Coma responded to a residence on Wood Ash Ln in reference to a male escaping hospital custody.

While on the scene, Deputy Coma encountered Frank Joseph Pille III. Upon checking Pille’s I.D., it was discovered that he had an active warrant out of Hillsborough County for Failing to Appear in reference to Petit Theft First Degree.

Pille was arrested, transported to the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility (SPHIDF), and released on a \$5,000 bond.

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Frank Pille during booking.

FCSO Arrests Man in Possession of MDMA

Early on Monday morning, while conducting a security check on the Red Roof Inn located on Kingswood Dr., Deputy Punsky observed a silver vehicle parked in the back northwest corner of the business with no lights on and two occupants inside the vehicle.

Upon approaching the vehicle, Deputy Punsky spoke with a man inside the vehicle that identified himself as Clarence Haynes, 39. As Haynes opened the driver-side door, Deputy Punsky was met with the strong odor of marijuana. Because of the smell, Deputy Punsky asked Haynes and the passenger to step out of the vehicle to conduct a probable cause search of his person and vehicle.

Inside the vehicle, Deputy Punsky located a glass jar with approximately 5g of marijuana. When Haynes was asked if he had anything illegal inside of his pockets, he admitted to carrying, "Ecstasy".

Deputies then removed a plastic baggie from Haynes's left pocket containing contained approximately 4 round-shaped multi-colored pills with a cartoon character bird imprint on the front. The pills tested presumptive positive for MDMA (Ecstasy).

Haynes was arrested for Possession of MDMA. He was taken to SPHIDF and released on a \$2,500 bond.



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