

EX ALDERMAN NEWSLETTER 325 AND CHESTERFIELD UNAPPROVED 270



April 15, 2018

DEER REPORT:

TOWN AND COUNTRY: When you kill 361 deer in 9 square mile area you hope the deer-car collision rates would go down. So far in Town and Country that has been the case for 2018. In March there was only one reported incident. That was at 11:17 PM on March 20 on WB I64 at I-270.

The one incident in March 2018 compared to six in March of 2017. Deer vs Vehicle encounters are down over 50% so far in 2018, with eight incidents compared to 17 in 2017.

Here are where all the incidents have occurred so far in 2018:



2018 Town and Country Deer Vs Vehicle report through
March 31, 2018

I-64 at I-270 1 Ward 1

Clayton Road (Mason to Bopp) 1 Wards 1 & 2

Mason Road south of Clayton Road 1 Ward 2

Mason Road North of I-64 2 Ward 4

Hwy 141 2 Wards 3 & 4

Ladue Road 1 Ward 4



Chesterfield Police Department DEER RELATED INCIDENTS



March 1st TO March 31st 2018

REPORTED INCIDENTS

SECTOR	DAY / DATE	TIME	LOCATION	DEER DISPATCHED	PROPERTY DAMAGED	REPORT NUMBER	NOTES
2	Monday 03/02/2018	1157	14500 Ladue	Y	None reported	18-968	Deer injured in backyard of residence.
2	Monday 03/12/2018	2213	Clarkson/Chesterfield Parkway	N	Moderate damage to vehicle	18-1148	Deer ran in front of vehicle. Deer ran off

TOWN AND COUNTRY RESIDENT CAUGHT STEALING AT HIS JOB AT TARGET TO SUPPORT DRUG HABIT: Andrew Wittmaier, 28, of 862 Millfield Ct in Town and Country, had quit his job as a cashier at the Town and Country Target Store. Wittmaier is a grad of Westminster Christian Academy and attended St. Louis University,

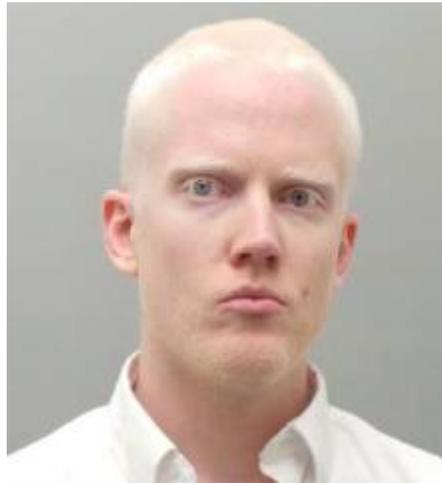
At the time he quit, Target security was investigating shortages on a cash register manned by Wittmaier. They found on seven times Wittmaier opened his registered and pocketed cash. The thefts were all captured on security video. Here are the dates and times of the thefts.

- Date: 04/15/16; Amount Short: \$37.69
- Date: 04/17/16; Amount Short: \$49.60
- Date: 04/19/16; Amount Short: \$22.00
- Date: 04/22/16; Amount Short: \$79.27
- Date: 04/23/16; Amount Short: \$58.36
- Date: 04/25/16; Amount Short: \$67.71
- Date: 04/26/16; Amount Short: \$38.07

This totaled \$352.70 stolen in 11 days.

After obtaining videos of the thefts on May 9, 2016 Town and Country detectives went to Wittmaier's house (his parent's house) and contacted him. He voluntarily went with them to the police station and gave a statement. He said he was doing the cash register thefts to come up with enough money for drugs. He said he would text his drug dealer and find out how much he needed and then would steal what he needed to add to his own money for the drug purchase.

He told officers that he quit because he knew he would keep stealing cash for drugs if he stayed at Target.



Andrew Wittmaier 2016 Mug Shot

2017 Mug Shot

Here is what he found on Wittmaier's record:

01/04/09	Moving Violation Reduced to Illegal Parking \$150 Fine	MO Hwy Patrol
04/04/14	Speeding Fined \$102	Frontenac PD
05/09/16	Stealing	Town and Country PD
07/28/17	Sued for Back Rent Cypress Village Apartments	
08/04/17	Stealing	Bridgeton PD
08/05/17	Speeding	

OUTCOME: Court records show that Wittmaier pled guilty to Stealing before Town and Country Judge Niehoff on August 4, 2017 and was fined \$226.50 which included court costs. I was surprised to read this on the court files, as I was present for court that night do don't remember seeing Wittmaier or hearing his case called. Apparently this was handled out of court or Wittmaier pled guilty at an earlier date and paid the fine on August 4th. He has had no felony arrests appearing on local court dockets.

THIS FROM RUMORVILLE : A very reliable source contacted me last week with some very interesting information concerning a developer with a proposal that has yet to reach the Town and Country city hall. The source claimed that the developer was seeking an overlay district that would allow different zoning for the area on Woods Mill Road and South Outer Forty.

If they could get rezoning they would tear down most or all of the Woods Mill Center and replace it with apartments, senior living apartments and condos.

Woods Mill Center has not been much of a retail center for 20 years. The top draw is Massa's restaurant. A lot of retail space has been converted to business or medical offices. There are also a number of vacant offices at the west end of the center.



We confirmed this with two different alderpersons. The plan would call for senior housing, town homes and apartments or condos with some retail. Nothing at city hall yet but alderpersons seem to know about and are not talking publicly about it.

I was told that a developer wanted to see if there was political support for the zoning changes before spending money and going forward.

It is interesting that a Catholic elementary and middle school was turned down by the Town and County Planning and Zoning to go into the land directly behind the Woods Mill Center after complaints from residents in the Cedar Springs gated subdivision, bitching about increase in traffic and noise. The property is currently a Catholic

Convent with only two elderly nuns living there. With both Ward-4 alderpersons, Jon Benigas and Sue Allen living in Cedar Springs you have to wonder how much support the plan would have.

Two people renting space at Woodsmill Center told us they were unaware of multi-family apartment use possible request in the future. One of the tenants did tell us that he was aware the property was for sale.

TOWN AND COUNTRY MARCH POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT: Here is the March 2018 Town and Country Police Activity Report. It does not contain specific crime information.

Mar-18				
Stats for Chief				
CATEGORY	MAR. 2018	YTD 2018	MAR. 2017	YTD 2017
Calls for Service	2591	7486	1942	5498
Reports Written	213	610	168	486
Vehicle Crashes	63	197	60	184
Criminal Reports	40	109	25	72
DWI Arrests	10	31	17	38
Misc. Arrests	44	101	21	67
Traffic Citations	348	899	425	959
Speeding	206	524	300	650
Traffic Warnings	328	900	221	821
Total Traffic Contacts	676	1799	646	1780

Felony DWI

Danielle Young WF 43 yoa (1975) residing at 2xxx Meadowtree Ln. 63026 was arrested 3/4/18 1:18 for DWI-Aggravated-Felony and Fail to Drive Single Lane-Misd. Pending warrant application at St. Louis County PA.

LACK OF CODE ENFORCEMENT: At the Monday morning April 9, 2018 Ward-2 Update get together at the Longview Farmhouse a group of 14 residents along with Ald. Tiffany Frautschi and Lindsey Butler listened and answered resident complaints about the lack of code enforcement. Among the people expressing displeasure over Public Works Director Craig Wilde and Mayor Jon Dalton not requiring city staff to enforce city codes was David Hough, the city engineer in the 1980s and a current member of the Planning and Public Works Commission.

Hough was upset over illegal clear cutting of trees by developers before property is subdivided causing storm water flooding and damage.



Lindsey Butler (left) Tiffany Frautschi (right)

One of the top comments by others was the clear cutting of trees on acres of land purchased by developers before the property is subdivided. This should result in citations being issued if the work is done without city approval. It never happened. The clear cutting has caused storm water damage to nearby properties that could have been avoided if the city was active in enforcement. Town and Country is a designated “Tree City USA” but ironically they do not enforce their tree ordinances.

Tiffany Frautschi pointed out that there was some hope when the city hired Frontenac City Administrator Bob Shelton, who had a very active code enforcement and building inspection program in Frontenac. However, she said that had not occurred. She said she has brought the matter up at aldermanic work sessions and received no support from the other alderperson other than Butler. Frautschi blamed Wilde and the city administrator who is over Wilde and Mayor Dalton who the city administrator reports to. Dalton has shown a tradition of not wanting to enforce the code against wealthy residents.

We did find it interesting that while the city code allows 300 sq ft pool houses, Frautschi voted to approve a 1055 sq ft pool house with plans that made it look like a private residence, two weeks earlier. Although current neighbors had no objections; what about 15 years from now?

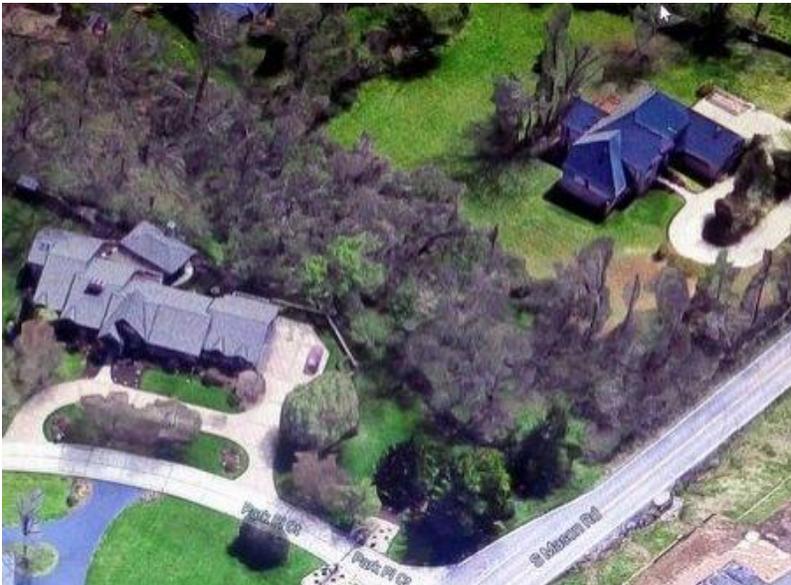
I brought up the case of car dealer Donald Suntrup who lives on the corner of Park Place (gated subdivision) and Mason Road at 13612 Park Place. Suntrup paved most of his backyard turning it into a huge patio in violation of the city’s green space code. No action was taken against him. He installed an oversized outdoor stove and range, built a covered porch both without required permits. No action was taken. He then built part of the patio and covered portico onto his next door neighbor’s property. The board

of adjustment ruled all these additions were illegal and must be removed. The city staff took no enforcement action claiming Suntrup may be working this out with his neighbor.

Finally Suntrup brought in overhead electrical lines to provide power to his patio complex without obtaining an inspection from St. Louis County and a permit. No action was taken against him by the city or county.

If you ask Public Works Director Craig Wilde what enforcement measures the city has taken against Suntrup, he will tell you “none.” He says they are waiting for Suntrup and his neighbor to work things out.

As someone who oversaw code enforcement of one of the wealthiest cities in the Washington, DC area, I required strict enforcement because your codes are only as strong as you make them through enforcement. You protect your codes through enforcement. Last year in a city of 800 homes, Chevy Chase Village had 30 code enforcement actions. Town and Country had none. Chesterfield has a regular court docket for zoning and code violations.



Lower left is Suntrup's house and there is almost no green space in the backyard.



Part of this structure is not on Suntrup's property.

UNAPPROVED CHESTERFIELD NEWSLETTER 270



APRIL 15, 2018

JASON THE TROLL GOING AFTER COUNCILMEN KEATHLEY AND TOM

DECAMPI: I got an unusual email six days before the April 4 municipal election. I was a little delayed in reading it as I was in the hospital for three days. Once I got to it was interesting on several levels.

Here is the email:

From: Jason Llort [mailto:jason.llort@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, March 30, 2018 1:12 AM

To: johnhoffmann@charter.net

Subject: PLEASE READ: Major City Council Issue

Dear Mr. Hoffmann:

I have read your newsletter for a couple years. I am wondering if you could look into an issue that I recently became aware of. I have been told by a friend that a Chesterfield City Councilmember named Ben Kiethly is a lawyer with the law firm of Lerman & Kiethly. I was told that his law firm has been representing people in Chesterfield's court. In fact, I have been told that not only does his firm represent people in Chesterfield's court, but he even represents the son of another councilmember. He uses his partners name (Lerner) on the cases but according to Missouri rules of ethics, it is still very improper. As a resident, I believe this is unethical and inappropriate for many obvious reasons. If the mayor's company was doing business with the

same city he is mayor of, would that be ok? Of course not. How can an elected official represent another elected official's child in the same city he is a councilmember in? Are you interested in investigating this? Please respond in the next 24 hours otherwise I plan on sending it to other outlets.

Thank you.

INTERESTING: The email did not have a phone number. The name in the email address was Jason Llord. According to tax records, vehicle records, social media and court records there is no one living in Chesterfield with the last name of Llord. The closest person with that name that I could find was in Wisconsin.

HOWEVER LLORT IS TROLL SPELLED BACKWARDS. At the time the Stupid, Lying Lawyer Bill Lawson had been pulling out all the stops to cover his opponent, incumbent Tom DeCampi in mud, making up false statements about DeCampi. We will get to that connection shortly.

RESEARCH: You might find this hard to believe, but this website/newsletter has an attorney on retainer. I sent him the email and asked him for an opinion if he thought there was any conflict of interest.

Here is his response:

I don't think there is anything wrong with this the way the guy puts it. You can hire any lawyer you want, even if it's someone tied to the City. As stated before, it's all up to the judge anyhow as to what the sentence will be. Now, if the lawyer is representing a client before the City Council instead of criminal matters, that's a different story. If he's talking about municipal court, no problem. If he's talking about stuff like you're reporting on planning and zoning, that's a different matter because the lawyer would be asking his law partner to rule his way. Hope this helps

I spoke with Ben Keathley and he told me that he does not do municipal court work, but his partner does. He stated the case involved a speeding ticket one of Tom DeCampi's sons got from the Chesterfield Police.

"I don't represent him and I have never appeared in court. I think it would be wrong as I represent the citizens of Chesterfield. As long as I'm not taking part in this case I don't see a problem. I can't stand in the way and stop my partner from representing clients," said Keathley.

IRONY: I think the whole idea of inferring that Keathley was representing anyone in municipal court is crazy. He voted to fire the city prosecutor, Tim Engelmeyer and I have to think that he isn't too impressed with city judge Rick Brunk. It would be stupid to have him represent anyone in Chesterfield Municipal Court.

The fact that the emailer tried to drag Tom DeCampi into this just points to the Stupid Lying Lawyer Bill Lawson's unsuccessful attempt to unseat DeCampi.

I have a general rule not to mention elected officials' kids if they get a ticket. However if they get multiple tickets or arrests, then we will take a look. A good example would be Town and Country Mayor Jon Dalton's son, who picked up a DWI in Ladue. We ignored that for six months when Dalton was arrested for a second time and we got both reports. (They are both on the homepage of our website.)

We then started checking social media and found numerous photos of young Dalton appearing to be drunk and one in a room of fellow Brown University students with tables full of bongos, hash pipes and booze.

No response! In this case I sent an email back to "Jason Llort" saying I could not find any record showing his existence in the State of Missouri and suggested he contact me. That never happened.



Jon Lerman



Ben Keathley



Tom DeCampi



Stupid, lying lawyer Lawson

REP. BRUCE DEGROOT HAS LEGISLATION TO HELP HIS WIFE'S BUSINESS BUT CAN'T FIND SOMEONE TO CO-SPONSORED IT: Former Chesterfield City Councilman Bruce DeGroot has a bill that would allow people without a cosmetology license to give shampoos in beauty parlors. Clearly this has been a huge issue for the citizens of Chesterfield. No?

Here is a description of DeGroot's bill from the Missouri House website:

Provides that the practices of cosmetology and barbering do not include shampooing

Well it has been a big issue for one resident of Chesterfield. That would be DeGroot's wife, Jill, who owns The Stylist Salon at 15529 Manchester Road.



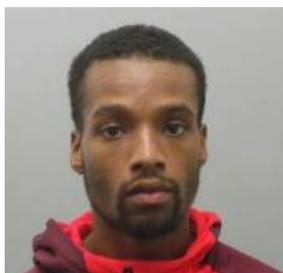
Without a co-sponsor DeGroot's bill to help out his wife is currently not on a House of Representatives' calendar.

CRIME UPDATE: In Newsletter 274 back on April 24, 2017 we wrote up the story of **Vernon Windom, 23** at the time, who back on December 12, 2013 as a Macy's employee was caught stealing clothes by manipulating the cash register he manned at the Chesterfield Macy's.

Over three years later he got the felony stealing charge reduced to misdemeanor stealing. He pled guilty in Circuit Court and was sentenced to one day in jail.

Apparently the Chesterfield felony arrest followed by one day in jail paid for by the taxpayers did not get Windom's attention. Here are his more recent arrests:

12/12/13	Felony Stealing (reduced to misd 1-day jail)	Chesterfield PD
11/18/16	Felony Stealing (case pending)	St. Louis PD
04/10/17	Felony Stealing (case pending)	Rock Hill PD



Vernon Windom

POINTING A LOADED HANDGUN AT A CHESTERFIELD BUSINESSMAN IS APPARENTLY NO BIG DEAL WITH COUNTY JUDGE KERR:

We wrote about April Daily, 48 of Eureka, back in our April 10, 2017 Newsletter #272. Daily pulled off of Chesterfield Airport Road to make some phone calls. She pulled across three parking spaces reserved for employees at the Baker Pool offices.

The office manager walked out and asked her to move. 10 minutes later when she had not moved he walked out again. This is when she pointed a fully loaded .40 caliber Glock pistol at him. He had the balls to take out his phone and snap a photo of her pointing the gun at him. He then went inside and called the police.

Daily had time to flee the area, but she drove across the street and continued making phone calls when Chesterfield Police arrived and arrested her for Flourishing a Dangerous and Deadly Weapon and seized the gun.

Her lawyer, former assistant prosecutor Tim Devereux, managed to get the felony reduced by Judge Kristine Kerr to misdemeanor Peace Disturbance. Kerr did not fine Daily or sentence her to a couple days of jail. Instead on 01/27/17 she placed Daily on a Two-Year No Permanent-Record SIS probation. Meaning if probation is completed the arrest and conviction will be removed.

Now defense attorney Devereux has requested on March 30, 2018 that the probation term be terminated nine months early. If this is granted Daily with suddenly have no record of pointing a gun at someone who asked her to move her car. Otherwise her probation would expire in 2019. I think the public has the right to be sure Daily serves the full probation period.



April Daily

CHESTERFIELD WOMAN WITH FOUR DRUG ARRESTS ON EIGHT FELONY CHARGES HAS PROBATION REVOKED AND IS OFF TO PRISON:

In Newsletter #249 on October 31, 2016 we wrote how 28-year-old Elizabeth Halinski of 1851 Cedar Mill Drive, Chesterfield, 63017 had been arrested twice by Chesterfield Police, once by

the County Police and once by the St. Louis Police on eight charges of felony drug possession.

07/18/15	Felony Drug Possession	Chesterfield PD
10/21/15	Felony Drug Possession	Chesterfield PD
10/25/15	DWI (\$1000 fine-suspended to \$500 and 60 days jail; jail time suspended 2-yrs probation	Chesterfield PD
03/09/16	3-counts Felony Drug Possession	St. Louis County PD
03/28/16	3-counts Felony Drug Possession	St. Louis PD
04/23/16	Felony Drug Possession	St, Ann PD
04/27/17	Assault	
11/29/17	Domestic Assault (pending)	Chesterfield PD
01/04/18	Probation Violation	St. Louis County

On 02/23/18 she was found to be in violation of her probation and was sentenced to a shock prison term of 120 days and then continued the 5-year probation term. Her report to prison date was March 28, 2018.



CHESTERFIELD POLICE BLOTTER: Here is what the Chesterfield Police Dealt with last week.

CHESTERFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT Media Report April 4, 2018 - April 10, 2018

<u>Time of Occurrence</u>	<u>Generic Address</u>	<u>Business/Location Name</u>	<u>Incident Type</u>
04/10/2018, 0931 04/10/2018, 0931	15XXX ISLEVIEW DR		Larceny Over \$750 From Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took lawn equipment from back of truck.			
04/09/2018, 2100 04/10/2018, 0600	6XX SPIRIT VALLEY EAST DR	Chesterfield Fence and Deck	Larceny under \$750 from Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took extension cords and wheelbarrow from parked work vehicles in business parking lot.			

01/01/2018, 1341 04/10/2018, 1341	8XX LONDON LN		Fraud Credit Card
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's credit card to make purchases.			
04/10/2018, 1555 04/10/2018, 1605	1XX THF BLVD	Walmart	Larceny Over \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subjects took electronics and ran out of store without paying.			
04/10/2018, 1946 04/10/2018, 2200	I64 HWY E & TIMBERLAKE MANOR		Drugs Possession - Felony
Brief Narrative Description: 43 yo female in possession of methamphetamines and narcotic paraphernalia after being stopped for a traffic violation.			
01/21/2018, 1403 01/21/2018, 1403	6XX W CHESTERFIELD PKY	Chesterfield City Hall	False Declaration
Brief Narrative Description: 20 yo female used victim's information during traffic stop.			
04/10/2018, 2010 04/10/2018, 2020	1XX THF BLVD	Walmart	Trespassing Private Property
Brief Narrative Description: 22 yo female trespassed on private property after being banned for previous theft incidents.			
04/10/2018, 2206 04/10/2018, 2206	15XXX NOONING TREE CT		Assault Common - Actual Assault
Brief Narrative Description: 21 yo male pushed victim after argument causing no injuries. Subject also damaged property inside house.			
04/09/2018, 1406 04/09/2018, 1406	17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD	Taubmann Outlet Mall	Drugs Possession - Misdemeanor
Brief Narrative Description: 27 yo male in possession of marijuana after suspicious vehicle check.			
04/09/2018, 0645 04/09/2018, 0700	22XX VILLAGE GREEN PKY	KinderCare	Larceny Over \$750 From Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject entered victim's unlocked vehicle and took a purse.			
04/08/2018, 1600 04/08/2018, 2300	17XXX CHESTERFIELD AIRPORT RD	Steak N Shake	Larceny under \$750 Employer
Brief Narrative Description: 20 yo male took cash while working for employer.			
04/09/2018, 1239 04/09/2018, 1239	1XX THF BLVD	Sam's	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed food items and left store without paying.			
04/09/2018, 1610 04/09/2018, 1610	HAYBARN LN & SCHOETTLER RD		Trespassing Private Property
Brief Narrative Description: Two 15 yo males and one 16 yo male trespassing in abandoned house.			
03/21/2018, 1830 03/21/2018, 1830	18XXX OUTLET BLVD	Sunglass Hut	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: 44 yo male concealed sunglasses and left store without paying.			
04/09/2018, 2003 04/09/2018, 2003	PINE BEND DR & WILD HORSE CREEK RD		Drugs Paraphernalia
Brief Narrative Description: 35 yo male in possession of marijuana paraphernalia after being stopped for a traffic violation.			
04/07/2018, 1300 04/09/2018, 2125	18XX GRAYSON RIDGE CT		Fraud Credit Card
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's debit card information to make purchase.			
04/08/2018, 1109 04/08/2018, 1109	DORESAY LN & GRIMSTONE DR		Assault Common - Actual Assault
Brief Narrative Description: 48 yo male struck victim after argument causing minor injuries.			

04/07/2018, 1700 04/07/2018, 2010	1161 POMPEII APT I		Assault Common - Actual Assault
Brief Narrative Description: 28 yo male struck female in face after argument causing minor injuries.			
04/07/2018, 1425 04/07/2018, 1430	18XXX OUTLET BLVD	Calvin Klein	Possession of Stolen Property Clothing
Brief Narrative Description: 14 yo female in possession of stolen clothing after shoplifting investigation.			
03/26/2018, 1200 03/30/2018, 1200	1XX CHESTERFIELD INDUSTRIAL BLVD	Regions Bank	Fraud Credit Card
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's debit card information to make ATM withdrawals.			
04/07/2018, 1643 04/07/2018, 1643	1XX THF BLVD	Walmart	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: 28 yo female returned stolen items to customer service to receive in store credit. Also charged with trespassing due to previous thefts.			
04/06/2018, 2300 04/06/2018, 2330	16XXX MEADOW OAK DR		Property Damage to House
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject egged victim's residence.			
04/07/2018, 1858 04/07/2018, 1858	18XXX OUTLET BLVD	Saks Off 5th Avenue	Property Damage Clothing
Brief Narrative Description: 43 yo male damaged clothing in an attempt to remove the security sensors.			
04/07/2018, 1820 04/07/2018, 1820	17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD	Polo	Larceny under \$750 Person
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took money and credit cards out of victim's purse after it was left unattended in fitting room.			
04/07/2018, 2302 04/07/2018, 2302	15XXX OLIVE BLVD	Shell	Drugs Possession - Felony
Brief Narrative Description: 22 yo male in possession of heroin and paraphernalia after suspicious vehicle check.			
03/31/2018, 2037 03/31/2018, 2037	17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD	Gap	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed clothing and left store without paying.			
04/05/2018, 1535 04/05/2018, 1545	17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD	Gap	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed clothing and left store without paying.			
04/01/2016, 0600 04/02/2018, 1800	11XX N WOODS MILL RD		Fraud Identity Theft
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's information to open up credit accounts.			
03/12/2018, 0830	14XXX E VALLEY MEADOW CT		Larceny Over \$750 Residence
04/05/2018, 1800			
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subjects took clothing and purses during move between two houses.			
04/06/2018, 1300 04/06/2018, 1600	16XXX BURKHARDT PL	YMCA	Property Damage to Vehicle
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject broke out window on victim's vehicle but did not take anything from inside.			
04/06/2018, 1545 04/06/2018, 1645	16XXX BAXTER RD	YMCA	Larceny under \$750 from Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject broke out window on victim's vehicle and took a purse.			
04/06/2018, 1655 04/06/2018, 1730	17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD	Chesterfield Athletic Complex	Larceny under \$750 from Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject broke out window on victim's vehicle and took a wallet.			

04/05/2018, 0937 04/05/2018, 0937	18XXX CONVENIENCE WAY	BP	Drugs Possession - Felony
Brief Narrative Description: 24 yo male in possession of heroin after suspicious vehicle check.			
04/05/2018, 1610 04/05/2018, 1610	1XX THF BLVD	Walmart	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: 39 yo female filled cart full of merchandise and attempted to leave store without paying. Also in possession of narcotic paraphernalia.			
09/04/2017, 1200 04/03/2018, 1900	22XX WHITNEY POINTE DR	Clarkson Valley	Fraud Identity Theft
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's information to open up loan account.			
04/04/2018, 1800 04/04/2018, 1900	24XX CLAYTON POINTE CT		Larceny under \$750 from Auto
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took leaf blower from rear of work truck.			
04/04/2018, 2300 04/05/2018, 1230	13XXX COLISEUM DR		Stolen Vehicle Automobile
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took victim's vehicle from apartment building common garage.			
04/04/2018, 1437 04/04/2018, 1437	14XXX OLIVE BLVD		Assault Common - Actual Assault
Brief Narrative Description: 45 yo female slapped victim in the face after argument causing no injuries.			
04/04/2018, 1500 04/04/2018, 1530	1XX THF BLVD	Walmart	Larceny under \$750 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: 19 and 16 yo females concealed merchandise and left store without paying.			
04/04/2018, 1345 04/04/2018, 1345	23XX CLARKSON RD	Marquette High School	Drugs Possession - Misdemeanor
Brief Narrative Description: 17 yo male in possession of marijuana while on school property.			

JAMIE ALLMAN'S FALL: I can't say I was unhappy. Shortly after the Riverfront Times named me the Newspaper Columnist of the year in 2012 for my writing in Patch.com and this website, the Allman in the morning talk radio show wanted me to appear on a weekly basis. It became quickly clear that Allman was a Type-A "Me-Me-Me" character.

BEST OF ST. LOUIS 2012

— ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT —

Best Newspaper Columnist

John Hoffmann

Here is the email I got from Allman asking me to be on his show. It was very nice and flattering.

From: James Allman [mailto:JAllman@stl.emmis.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2012 10:55 PM
To: johnhoffmann@charter.net
Subject: Hi Mr. Hoffman

Hello Sir..Jamie Allman here from 97.1 and Allman In The Morning. Congrats on your RFT accolades! I have been following your for some time and you are extremely entertaining and insightful. Would love you on the air sometime if you feel like joining me on occasion I know a lot of my listeners appreciate you and we are number one in key demos.
Either way, best of luck to you and I am wishing you continued success in proving all politics is local.
Let me know about whether or not you'd want to be a guest on the show. You do great work.
all the best,
Jamie

Things were pleasant at first, despite the fact I was getting up about two or three hours earlier than I normally would. But there were times Allman could be a jerk when I was on the air with him,

One time he took me to task over my coverage of the corrupt Municipal Court system and how dangerous drivers were never identified if they hired lawyers who turned multiple moving violations into \$300 "Parking Tickets." Allman said he does that all the time. That should have been a warning. But instead we had a banner on the website about my appearances on Allman's show.

I had never listened to Allman's radio show, as I don't like political talk radio where someone gives out one-sided opinions in the style of rants. My kind of early morning radio shows were Grant Horton on KSD with the kangaroo "Hedda the Hopper" delivering the 7:15 weather forecast every day or Bob Hardy and Rex Davis on KMOX giving us the facts. The only time I listened to Allman's show was when I was on hold waiting to go on the air.



Grant Horton



Rex Davis



Bob Hardy

However, the show certainly had listeners. Several times shoppers and employees at Dierbergs would hear my voice and mentioned that they heard me on the show. Once I even had a customer at Schiller's Photo in Rock Hill say the same thing.

The one time I really got pissed off was in 2014. I didn't want to miss an appearance, but was on vacation in Halifax, Nova Scotia sitting in a rental car while my wife signed the rental agreement. I had a strong signal on the cell phone, had notes of topics to talk about and had been on hold for 5 minutes waiting to go on the air, when the producer came on and said "Jamie isn't going to need you this week."

The next year his attitude got to be so rude I was about to quit appearing, but my ego got the best of me, plus the three years back in the early 1970s when I was a radio DJ that I kept doing the show. At about that time in 2015 Jane Cunningham, in her third year as a Director at the Monarch Fire Protection District told me that Allman dropped her as a guest due to her position on reining in the firefighter's union.

I was going out of town for two weeks and had the banner about appearing on the Allman show removed from the website. When I returned I was contacted by the show and told that I had been dropped as a guest.

I watched his talk show on Channel 30 a couple of times and was always amused how a balding middle aged guy always wore tight suits that you would expect to see on a 20-something.



THE DOWNFALL: Instead of keeping his snarky comments on the radio, Allman like many others felt the need to tweet. He tweeted how Parkland, Florida student David Hogg, who took a strong anti-gun stance after the killings at his school, should have a "hot poker shoved up his ass." In fact he wrote he was going to do it.

I think that the expression about another member of the media, a politician or an actor might not draw much heat or be taken seriously, but about an 17-year-old high school senior who just lived through a massacre was totally unacceptable regardless of your position on the second amendment.

I remember when I worked at KDNA radio as a DJ and I thought I was a wild liberal. I might have been for a liberal kid in Webster Groves, but the radio station in a PR release claimed I was their “resident conservative.” In other words when you are 18 or 19 you take positions that are likely to be different to different people.

It was originally reported that Allman was fired and his TV show was cancelled. Then some reports claimed he resigned. He was absent from his radio show also as advertisers bailed from a sinking ship on Monday and Tuesday April 9 & 10. The night of April 10th his top rated radio show was also cancelled.

The one thing he did was get a LOT OF BAD NATIONAL PRESS. Articles and newscasts about Allman being fired appeared in the New York Times, New York Post, Washington Post, Washington Times, USA Today, Newsweek and The Huffington Post plus local papers across the country. The story appeared on NBC, CBS, KTLA, CNN, PBS, The BBC, NPR so far with more to follow I’m sure.

I think the old axiom of “There is no such thing as bad publicity” probably isn’t true in this case.

WHEN NOT ON PATROL WEBSITE/NEWSLETTER SECURITY AGENT IS ON POST:



FOOD: Now signs in the window! We have written about the Classic Red Hots and Catering, that is located in the Chesterfield Home Depot and the Woods Mill Center in Town and Country. The Town and Country location was more for a large kitchen to handle catering orders (like 2,000 red hots for Cardinal's opening day.) However the location is open from 11am to 2pm for lunch.

The first weeks they were open in Town and Country they had no signage. They still don't have an exterior mounted sign, but the window now fully identifies the restaurant where all the hot dogs and brats are shipped in from Chicago.



MUSIC: It was another fun night at the One-19-North in Kirkwood as Dean Christopher put on another great show and Chesterfield resident Joe Mancuso stopped by and sang a couple of songs. In response to my request Dean include one verse in his closing number in the voice of Elmer Fudd. I got to leave laughing.



MEDIA: POST-DISPATCH WRONG AGAIN!

Once again the Post-Dispatch has failed its readers. Business writer David Nicklaus wrote a story claiming that Des Peres is one of the wealthiest cities in the area and in the country. He based that on zip codes, with Ladue's 63124, Clayton's 63105 and Des Peres' 63131 having the richest people in the area.

Nicklaus did not mention in his story that the Des Peres Post Office (63131) served all of the super wealthy town of Frontenac and half of the very wealthy city of Town and Country. I'm guessing he didn't write it because he didn't know it! Here is his very incorrect article.

Where the wealthy live: Ladue, Clayton and Des Peres



David Nicklaus

David Nicklaus is a business columnist for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



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To no one's surprise, Ladue remains the St. Louis area's highest-income zip code. Clayton is in second place, and third-place Des Peres is rising rapidly.

A new [analysis by Bloomberg](#), based on **Internal Revenue Service** data from 2015 income-tax returns, helps put our wealthy suburbs in perspective.

Ladue's 63124 has the nation's 48th-highest average income and ranks fifth in the Midwest, behind four Chicago-area zip codes. Clayton's 63105 is No. 102 nationally and 10th in the Midwest, while Des Peres' 63131 is No. 125 nationally and 12th in the Midwest.

Highest-income St. Louis zip codes

Average adjusted gross income



SOURCE: Bloomberg

DATA SHARE

Just how rich are residents of those tony suburbs? The average tax return showed adjusted gross income of \$512,200 in Ladue, \$365,000 in Clayton and \$335,200 in Des Peres.

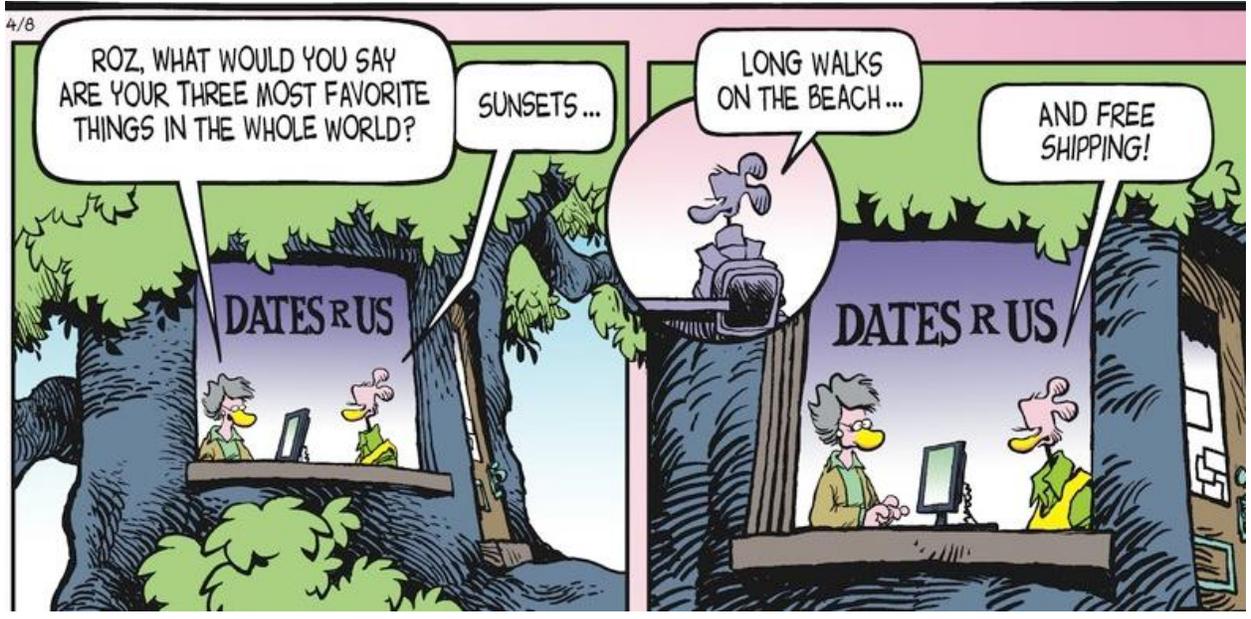
Des Peres looks like the up-and-comer, though. Incomes in 63131 grew 43.2 percent between 2010 and 2015, compared with 18.2 percent growth in Clayton and 29.1 percent growth in Ladue.

For another point of comparison among the wealthy zip codes, Bloomberg also pulled recent home values from **Zillow**. Those show the median house being worth \$800,000 in Ladue, \$580,000 in Clayton and \$550,000 in Des Peres.

And where do the richest of the U.S. rich live? That would be Fisher Island, Fla., an island off the coast of Miami, where incomes averaged \$2.5 million in 2015.

Des Peres itself is not all that wealthy. It has lots of modest housing. There is some wealth between Ballas and Topping and in the southwest corner of Des Peres, but nothing that would make it an area or national leader in rich people. However if you throw in Frontenac and Town & Country you are taking some big money. Nicklaus failed to mention that and the lack of seasoned editors at the Post-Dispatch continues to show. (the paper usually forces the ones with long term institutional knowledge to retire to save costs.)

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