

## DRUNKS AND THIEVES 2023 PART 2

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By John Hoffmann

**CHESTERFIELD LAWYER ARRESTED FOR DRUNK DRIVING AND PLACED ON PROBATION. 1 ½ YEARS LATER WHILE ON PROBATION FOR DWI HE IS ARRESTED FOR DWI IN ELLISVILLE. HE PLEDS GUILTY AND IS PLACED ON PROBATION IN ELLISVILLE DESPITE BEING A CONVICTED DRUNK DRIVER ON PROBATION.** On Friday night October 11, 2019 Chesterfield Police Officer Matt Niemeier observed a black Acura partially in the far left turn lane and partially in the in adjoining left turn lane to the right.

When the traffic light changed the driver of the Acura swerved to the right causing the driver of the car in the other left turn lane to completely stop to avoid being hit.

Officer Neimeier followed Acura a little more watching the weaving continue and the driver disobeying a stop sign before stopping it at Old Baxter and Century Lake.

He contacted John Ford Cowling, 65, who lived just a few blocks away. It was clear the Cowling had been drinking. Cowling admitted having “a couple of beers.” Cowling is a lawyer at Armstrong-Teasdale, so surely he would know not to drive drunk. In fact he doesn't.

Officer Neimeier requested that Officer Todd Lantz assist him.



Officer Matt Niemeier    Officer Todd Lantz

When Officer Lantz arrived to assist Cowling was still behind the wheel. Cowling appeared to be drunk to Lantz, with slurred speech, bloodshot eyes, and the old BOB or Booze on Breath.

The officers observed the following on Cowling:

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	ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL:	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
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BALANCE AND WALKING	<input type="checkbox"/> UNCERTAIN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SWAYING	<input type="checkbox"/> STAGGERING	<input type="checkbox"/> STUMBLING
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SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED	<input type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED	<input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT	<input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING	

Cowling agreed to do some field sobriety tests, which he failed. He refused to take a field breath test and was arrested by DWI and Improper Lane Use.

He was transported to the Chesterfield Police Station where he refused to take an "official" breath test. He requested to call his attorney, Travis Noble, who specializes in DWI cases. He could not reach Nobel.

Officer Lantz advised him of his rights per the Miranda Ruling and Cowling agreed to be interviewed. The interview basically lasted one question, which was, "What were you doing the last three hours prior to contact with Law Enforcement?"

The answer: "I'm not going to talk to you."

Cowling was placed in a cell to sober up and have a sober person pick him up. He was issued citations for DWI, Improper Lane Use (Weaving) and Disobeying a Stop Sign.



John Ford Cowling



Cowling's eyes

02/01/22 DWI Pled Guilty 5/16/22 SIS PROBATION Ellisville PD  
Fail to Drive In Single Lane Guilty \$193 fine  
10/11/19 DWI Pled Guilty 11/08/21 SIS Probation Chesterfield PD  
Improper Lane Use Reduced to Parking Vio \$191 fine  
Disobeyed Stop Sign Dismissed

**OUTCOME:** This is where things get outrageous. Despite almost hitting another motorist while drunk, refusing to take a breath test or answer any questions. Attorney John Ford Cowling walked out of the Chesterfield courtroom with no points on his license. On 11/08/21 he pled guilty to DWI but was placed on a 2-year SIS (No-Points, No Fine, No Permanent public record) probation . His Improper Lane Use citation where he almost hit another car was reduced to a \$193 parking ticket by prosecutor Tim Engelmeyer and accepted by judge Mark Gaertner. The Stop Sign Violation citation was dropped altogether.

**Now for the rest of the story.** Dealing with the Chesterfield case, a probation violation was filed on 06/03/22 because Cowling had not finished his Alcohol Awareness program. By 07/11/22 he had complied and the violation was dropped.

#### **HOWEVER COWLING HAD COMMITTED A MORE SERIOUS PROBATION**

**VIOLATION:** On February 1, 2022 while on Probation for DWI in Chesterfield, Cowling was arrested for DWI in Ellisville. On May 16, 2022 while on probation for DWI Cowling pled guilty to another DWI, this one in Ellisville, where he again refused to take a breath test, and Judge Anderson PLACED HIM ON A SIS PROBATION. Cowling did get 2-points for Improper Lane Violation in Ellisville and a \$193 fine as the charge was not reduced to a parking violation.

Apparently being convicted of DWI while you are on probation for DWI in West St. Louis County is no big deal if you are a lawyer.

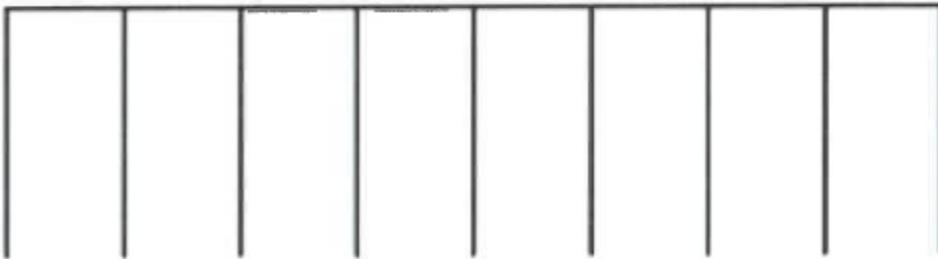
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**72-YEAR-OLD DRUNK DRIVER LEAVES SCENE OF CRASH, THEN KICKS AND BITES OFFICERS WHEN ARRESTED.** It was a long night for Officer Ashley Saffa. (Now Sgt. Saffa) It started at 11:40pm on the Midnight Shift on August 21, 2020.

Bevin Brooks of Overland Park, Kansas was driving her Dodge pickup on the right side of her lane on the back parking lot of the Sonesta Suites Hotel at 15431 Conway Road,. when a Toyota Camry driven by Margaret Danley, 72, was being driven toward her. Brooks pulled to the right and stopped, but Delany's Toyota still hit her truck.

Danley didn't stop, but continued on and then pulled over (not in a parking space) and she walked into the building. Brooks walked toward the Toyota and got a good look at the driver, old, thin with long hair.

15431 CONWAY RD





Officer Saffa found the Toyota and went to the unit rented by Danley, who would not answer knocks on the door. Officer Saffa went back to her patrol car and began writing up reports when Danley walked out of her room and to her car. The fun was about to begin.

Danley came out to her car making a grand entrance by hitting her lock pod making the lights flash and horn honk.

Officer Saffa contacted Danley who denied being in a crash claiming she had been in bed sleeping. Officer Saffa found that Delaney was highly intoxicated. Danley claimed to have been drinking Captain Morgan.



Officer Ashly Safa

Next Officer Safa told Danley that damage on her car matched the damage on the car she hit. Officer Safa tried to get Danley to give her the keys to her car. Danley refused. Here is how Officer Safa and assist officer found Danley:

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BREATH	ODOR OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> FAINT <input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STRONG <input type="checkbox"/> NONE				
	ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				
EYES	<input type="checkbox"/> WATERY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BLOODSHOT	<input type="checkbox"/> GLASSY	<input type="checkbox"/> STARING	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL EYE
PUPILS	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> SLOW REACTION TO LIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/> DILATED		
BALANCE AND WALKING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNCERTAIN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SWAYING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STAGGERING	<input type="checkbox"/> STUMBLING	<input type="checkbox"/> FALLING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER
SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED	<input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT	<input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	DESCRIBE: BLUE JEANS, BLACK SHIRT, BLACK FLATS			SOILED BY:	
UNUSUAL ACTIONS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PROFANITY	<input type="checkbox"/> HICCUPS	<input type="checkbox"/> BELCHING	<input type="checkbox"/> VOMITING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FIGHTING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER
ATTITUDE	DESCRIBE: UNCOOPERATIVE, UNREASONABLE, HOSTILE				

When Officer Safa asked for Danley's drivers' license and proof of insurance, Danley got more and more pissed off and started to walk away. Officer Safa physically grabbed Danley by the arm and then handcuffed her and placed her under arrest for Leaving the Scene of an Accident (Crash).

Next it was a tug of war to remove Danley's car keys from her hand. She eventually hit the button on the fob that set off the car alarm.

As Danley was being walked to a police car to be driven to the police station she tried to break away and run. Two Chesterfield Police Officers did not lose their grip. Next she started kicking the police car they were going to put her in. Next, she started kicking the officers.

Then she started screaming and yelling and biting Officer Tim Schumacher's arm and hand and Officer Safa's hand. This resulted in Officer Safa hitting her across the face with an open hand to get her to stop.

After being placed in the back of a police car she began striking the window glass with her head. This caused a "cage car" to respond. She resisted being placed in the "cage car" and began kicking officers again.

Once at the police station things did not improve. She was still very angry and was hitting key pads, doors, and locks. When Officer Safa attempted to restrain her she hit Officer Safa in the face, knocking the officer's glasses off. At this time she tried to run away from the officers, but fell hitting her head on the floor and briefly knocking herself out.

Monarch FPD EMS responded. Since Danley was headed to St. Luke's Hospital, she was issued citations for Leaving the Scene of an Accident (crash), DWI and 3-counts of assaulting police officers. She had refused to stand for a mugshot and was then injured and taken to the hospital. We were unable to find any other photos of Danley.

## **RECORD Margaret Danley**

05/29/11 Speeding 11-15 over limit \$55 fine MO Hwy Patrol  
08/19/20 Leaving Scene Acc, DWI, 3-cts Assault Police Officer Chesterfield PD

**OUTCOME:** On 08/24/21 Danley appeared in Chesterfield City Court and pled guilty to DWI and was placed on a SIS (No points, No fine, No-permanent public record) probation by Judge Mark Gaertner. She also pled guilty to Leaving the Scene of an Accident and was placed on another SIS No-Fine, No-Points, No permanent public record; probation. Finally two counts on assaulting a police officer were dropped. She pled guilty to one-count and was fined \$500.

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**DESPITE SEEING A POLICE CAR WITH FLASHING LIGHTS ON DRUNK DRIVER CONTINUED TO DRIVE IN TWO LANES ON I-64.** It was Friday night into Saturday morning on August 21, 2021. Town and Country Police Officer, Sgt, Chris Moore was on the side of EB I-64 before I-270 with the flashing lights of the police car still on as he took notes from a prior traffic stop.

It was 1:56AM when Sgt. Moore noticed a blue Hyundai approaching from the west. The car was straddling two lanes. Sgt. Moore at first thought the driver was merely providing space away from the police car. However, after the car passed Sgt. Moore it continued to be driven in two lanes.

Sgt. Moore then drove and caught up to the car, used the lights and siren on the police car to pull the Hyundai over, noting the driver took a long time to pull over.



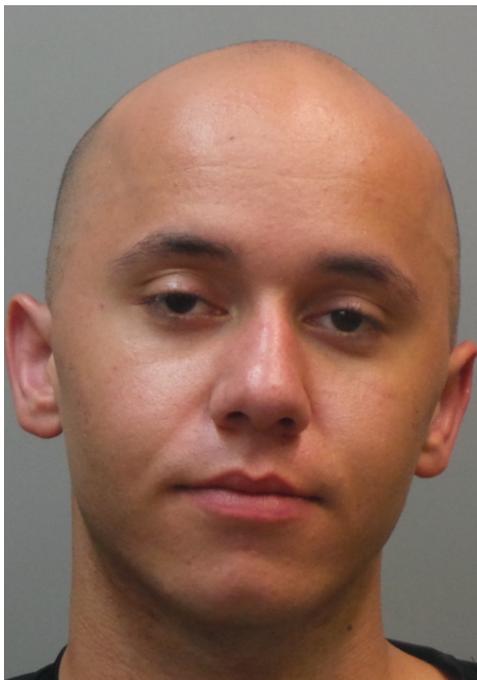
Sat. Moore

The driver of the Hyundai, Edward J. Jackson, 25, of Collinsville, IL appeared to have been drinking giving the usual clues of BOB (booze on breath), bloodshot eyes, confused speech and poor balance once outside of the car.

When asked how much he had to drink, Jackson replied, "Not a lot."

Jackson did not have a drivers' license on him and gave Sgt. Moore a Passport. It was later determined he had a valid Missouri license.

Jackson failed field sobriety tests, refused to take a field breath test and later an official breath test. Also five times he could not recite the alphabet in correct order.



Edward Jackson



Jackson's eyes

**OUTCOME:** Jackson did not have a record we could easily find. On December 16, 2121 Jackson pled guilty in Town and Country Court to Lane Weaving and was fined \$191. He also pled guilty to DWI and Judge Andrea Niehoff placed him on a 2-year SIS (No Fine, No-Point, No Permanent Public record) probation term.

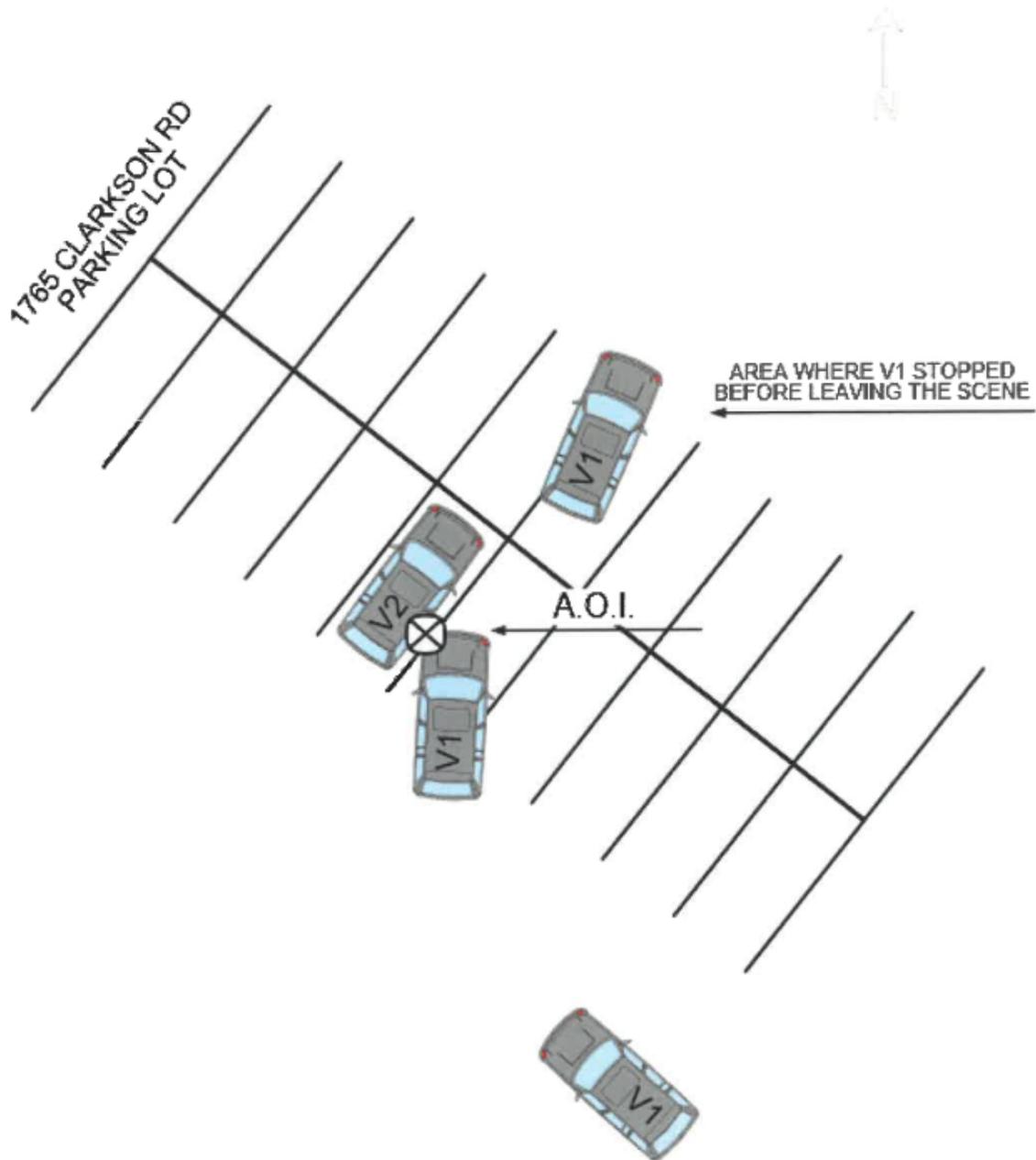
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**FRIDAY MORNING DRUNK DRIVER TRIES TO LEAVE THE SCENE.** Chesterfield Police Officer Ashley Saffa (now Sgt. Saffa) received an unusual call, only because of the time of day for a drunk driver to be leaving the scene of a crash he just caused. It was 7:37 AM, the time for all good drunk drivers to be in bed or a holdover cell. It was Friday June 5, 2020 when the incident happened on the parking lot on Clarkson and Baxter roads.



Sgt. Ashley Saffa

On arrival the woman whose car was hit pointed to a black Ford Escape that was being driven off the parking lot onto Baxter Road. Officer Saffa managed to stop the car and contact the driver, Joshua Delf, 30, of Wildwood.



Delf twice was asked if he had just been in an accident (crash) and twice he said, "No." He then said he did not "understand why she was trying to get him in trouble."

Delf clearly appeared to be drunk at the breakfast hour. He admitted he had been drinking. This is from the police report:

OFFICER'S OBSERVATION MADE PRIOR TO ARREST OR CUSTODY (Check appropriate box(es) and add as appropriate)			
BREATH	ODOR OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> FAINT <input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STRONG		
	ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		
EYES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WATERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BLOODSHOT <input type="checkbox"/> GLASSY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STARING <input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL EY		
PUPILS	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSTRICTED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOW REACTION TO LIGHT <input type="checkbox"/> DILATED		
BALANCE AND WALKING	<input type="checkbox"/> UNCERTAIN <input type="checkbox"/> SWAYING <input type="checkbox"/> STAGGERING <input type="checkbox"/> STUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> FALLING		
SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED <input type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED <input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT <input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING <input type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING		

Delf failed field sobriety tests and then refused to take a field breath test. He was arrested for DWI, Leaving the Scene of Accident, Open Container and Inattentive Driving. An empty bottle of Fireball Whiskey was found on the front floorboard.

At the police station Delf refused to take an "official" breath test or be interviewed.

Here is Delf's court record:

06/01/21	Amended charge to Parking Vio \$55 fine, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Amended Charge to Parking Vio \$100 fine	St. Louis Co PD
04/20/21	City Drug Violation, SIS probation, Criminal Offense DWI Reduced to Littering \$300 fine	St. Louis Co PD
06/05/20	DWI, Leaving the Scene, Inattentive Driver, Open Container	Chesterfield PD
02/20/20	Speeding 20-25 over limit \$193 fine	
04/17/12	Amended charge Loud Muffler \$75 fine	MO Hwy Patrol
09/06/09	Speeding Guilty \$55 fine	MO Hwy Patrol



Joshua Delf



Delf's eyes

**CHESTERFIELD OUTCOME:** On 02/05/21 Delf pled guilty to DWI and was placed on a 2-year SIS (no-fine, no-points, no-permanent public record) term. Two months later Delf was arrested for DWI and a Drug violation in Wildwood and pled guilty to amended charges. His Chesterfield probation was not revoked on the DWI in Wildwood.

He pled guilty to the Inattentive Driving charge and was fined \$320. He pled guilty to Leaving the Scene of an Accident and received another SIS, No-Points, No-Fine , probation term. Finally the Open Container charge was reduced to Health Code Violation \$170 fine.

Interestingly Delf's defense attorney was Jim Whitney, who is the municipal judge in Webster Groves.

**MAN ON A BENDER IN MIDDLE OF AFTERNOON ON 7-11 PARKING LOT.** On Wednesday March 11, 2020 at about 2:36pm Chesterfield Police Officer Ty Seeger reported he arrived at the 7-11 Store on Olive Blvd to do a "business check." (Most officers, including myself back in the 1980s stopped at 7-11 for a free soft drink).

At the same time Officer Seeger was walking in the 7-11, the store clerk was on the phone with a 9-1-1 call taker reporting a highly intoxicated person behind the wheel of a car on the parking lot.

Officer Seeger went to the car where the driver was trying without success to put the car in reverse. After knocking on the window several times the driver, Olujimi Darden, 36, rolled down the window. Officer Seeger was about knocked over because of the strong odor of booze coming out of the car.

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CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	DESCRIBE: Black T-Shirt, Black Sweatpants, Tennis Shoes SOILED BY: Vomit
UNUSUAL ACTIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> PROFANITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HICCUPS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BELCHING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VOMITING <input type="checkbox"/> FIGHTING <input type="checkbox"/> OT
ATTITUDE	DESCRIBE: Calm and incoherent at times.

Prior to taking a Field Breath Test Darden was asked how high he thought his BAC level was. Darden replied, "I don't know but it is probably high as shit."

Darden did take a field breath test that showed his BAC level to be at .30%. The 7-11 clerk reported that Darden attempted to buy two bottles of Country Club Malt Liquor but the clerk would not sell it to him due to his high level of intoxication.

Darden told another officer at the scene that he was on a "bender." He was arrested for DWI and taken to the police station. Once at the police station it was determined that

Darden was so drunk he need to go to St. Luke's hospital. A Monarch FPD ambulance responded.

Once at the hospital Darden agreed to take a blood test. However before blood could be drawn Darden became to vomit. Eventually blood was drawn, but the Chesterfield Police did not provide a copy of a police report with that information.



Officer Seeger

The staff at St. Luke's felt that Darden was so intoxicated that they would admit him.

**OUTCOME:** Despite having no prior record Chesterfield's new judge Mark Gaertner gave Darden a record. On 02/22/21 Darden pled guilty to DWI. Judge Gaertner gave him a 60-day jail sentence and \$500 fine. He then suspended the fine and jail term and placed Darden on a SES probation. This probation means the conviction remains a public record.

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**SUNDAY MORNING AFTER THE USUAL TIME FOR DRUNK DRIVERS AND JUST BEFORE THE START OF 7AM MASS, IMPAIRED DRIVER DRIVES OFF I-270.** On Sunday morning April 10, 2022 at 6:45am Town and Country police officer Cpl. Ronnie Nicoletti was dispatched to the report of a vehicle (Jeep) driven off the road of SB I-270 south of Clayton Road.

On arrival Cpl. Nicoletti found the Jeep on the shoulder. The soft grass beyond the shoulder showed the Jeep was driven off the highway, down a grassy embankment. Witnesses reported the Jeep was then driven back up to the shoulder.

Cpl. Nicoletti found the Jeep was still running and Keisha Jackson, 45, of Ballwin behind the wheel. Nicoletti reported he found Jackson in an intoxicated condition. Her eyes were bloodshot, speech slurred and balance very unsure. However, he did not smell a heavy odor of intoxicants on Jackson's breath. She stated she had been drinking wine from 7am to 11am. She stated she was coming home from the Illusions dance club in East St. Louis. The Illusions is open from 8:30pm to 4am.



Jackson refused to do any field sobriety tests or take a field breath test. She was then arrested. At the police station she also refused to take an “official” breath test.

A clear plastic baggie of marijuana was found in the car along with a 9mm handgun.



Keisha Jackson



Jackson's eyes

04/10/22 DWI, Possession of Marijuana  
12/03/21 Speeding 20-25 over limit

Town & Country PD  
St. Louis Co PD

**OUTCOME:** On June 16, 2022 Jackson appeared in Town and Country Municipal Court and pled guilty to DWI. She was given a “No-Fine, No-Points” and “No Permanent Public Record SIS probation. You have to wonder why this drunk driver is being rewarded for driving off a major interstate highway and then refusing to take a breath test with a No-Fine, No-Points probation term.

The Possession of Marijuana charge was reduced to “Littering” with a \$316 fine.

**23-YEAR OLD FROM COLUMBIA HAD LET THE DRINKS FLOW AT HER NEPHEW'S BIRTHDAY PARTY DRIVING WITH A BAC LEVEL OVER, .20%.** It was a Saturday night into Sunday morning midnight shift on May 8, 2022. At 12:17 Town and Country Officer Josh Hamel was EB on I-64 approaching I-270 when he observed in his rearview mirror a vehicle rapidly approaching the rear of his police car. He turned on the rear radar and saw the car was doing 79MPH in the 60 zone.

The vehicle then began following Hamel's patrol car too closely, less than a car length. Officer Hamel changed lanes and so did the 2012 Subaru. Officer Hamel turned on the patrol car's flashing lights and the driver passed him only to have him immediately pull her over.



Officer Josh Hamel

Officer Hamel approached on the passenger side of the car and knocked on the window only to have the woman driver keep looking out the driver's window. He finally got her to lower the front passenger window and he was met with a heavy odor of intoxicants. He also noticed several empty cans of White Claw hard seltzer on the front floorboard.

The driver was identified as Adrianna Jordan, 23, of Columbia, Missouri. Jordan said she just had one drink that evening however her body said otherwise. This is from the police report:

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BREATH	ODOR OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> FAINT <input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STRONG			
	ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO			
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Jordan was unable to properly recite the alphabet and failed a counting test. She then failed physical field sobriety tests. She agreed to take a field breath test, that showed her BAC level to be .23%.

She was then arrested. At the police station she agreed to take an “official” breath test. That one showed her BAC level was .21%. In an interview Jordan said she was coming from a birthday party for her nephew. She also stated that despite being almost three times over the legal limit she did not consider herself intoxicated.



Adrianna Jordan



Jordan's eyes

Jordan's record:

05/08/22	DWI, Speeding, Following too Close	Town & Country PD
05/19/19	Moving Vio reduced to Parking Vio \$167 fine	St. Charles Co PD
10/09/16	Speeding 16-19 mph over limit \$80 fine	MO Hwy Patrol

**OUTCOME:** On 07/28/22 Jordan appeared in Town and Country Court. The Following too Closely charge was dropped. She pled guilty to DWI and was placed on a 2-year SIS, No-Fine, No-Points, No-Permanent Public Record, probation. She also pled guilty to Speeding and was fined \$316.

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**DRIVER OF WEAVING VW DENIED HAVING ANYTHING TO DRINK. HE LATER SAID TWO BEERS, BREATH TEST SAID MORE THAN TWO:** On Saturday night January 18, 2020 Town and Country Police Officer Cpl. Steven Doll was EB on I-64 just east of I-270 when he observed a black VW Passat weaving badly from lane to lane. Cpl. Doll caught up to the car and stopped it after Ballas Road.

The driver was identified as Odell Keen, 37, of Valley Park. As soon as Cpl. Doll contacted Keen he could tell BOB (booze on breath) was present. He asked Keen how much he had to drink and Keed lied. He denied having anything to drink.

A short time later Keen changed the story to “2 beers.” After failing a number of field sobriety tests he agreed to take a field breath test. The results were 0.22% BAC.

This is from the police report:

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SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED <input type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED <input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT <input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING <input type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	DESCRIBE: SWEATPANTS, SWEATSHIRT, TENNIS SHOES SOILED BY:
UNUSUAL ACTIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> PROFANITY <input type="checkbox"/> HICCUPS <input type="checkbox"/> BELCHING <input type="checkbox"/> VOMITING <input type="checkbox"/> FIGHTING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: 0.22



Cpl. Doll

Keen was arrested and his car was towed.

At the police station Keen agreed to take an “official” breath test. However as Cpl. Doll prepared the breath instrument Keen declined. A few minutes later he agreed to take a breath test and then for the second time changed his mind and refused.

He did agree to an interview. Despite having tested at .22% he stated he did not think he was intoxicated. The Budweiser beers he consumed were while he was at the Hollywood Casino.

He did answer one question that made me laugh...from the police report:

WHAT WERE YOU DOING DURING THE LAST THREE HOURS PRIOR TO CONTACT WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT?	
Sitting in jail	Getting interrogated

Keen was booked for DWI, Driving While Revoked, Lane Weaving and Fugitive University City PD and Woodson Terrace PD on arrest warrants.



Odell Keen



Keen's eyes

09/23/21	Passing on Right, Exp Lic Plates, No Veh Ins, Driving While Revoked	Berkeley PD
06/03/21	Driving While Revoked FTA Warrant	Manchester PD
01/18/20	DWI, Driving While Revoked, Weaving	Town & Country PD
12/09/18	DWI Guilty SES Probation	St. Louis Co PD
09/04/18	Destruction of Property	Valley Park
02/27/18	Driving While Revoked Warrant	Valley Park PD
10/19/17	DWID Warrant	St. Louis City PD
06/15/16	No Auto Insurance Guilty 2-days Jail Driving While Revoked 2-days Jail	MO Hwy Patrol
02/10/16	Leaving Scene of Acc, Drive W/Revoked, No Veh Ins	University City PD
07/05/13	No Auto Insurance Guilty 2-days jail Driving While Revoked Guilty 2-days jail	St. Louis Co PD
02/17/13	Unreg Veh, Drive W/Revoked, No Auto Ins Warrant	Woodson Terrance PD
10/31/11	Felony Drug Possession Guilty SES Probation	St. Louis City PD
11/19/10	Driving While Revoked 330 days jail	St. Louis City PD
01/10/07	Fel Tampering with Auto, Fel Drug Violation Probation suspended 120-days shock prison	St. Louis City PD
07/08/06	Driving While Revoked SES Probation	St. Louis City PD
03/25/05	Unreg Veh. Disobey Red Elec Sig Guilty 1-day jail	St. Louis Co PD
06/07/02	Driving While Revoked Guilty 2-days jail	St. Louis City PD

12/07/01 Driving While Revoked Guilty 2-days jail St. Louis City PD  
 10/17/01 Driving While Suspended Guilty 2-days jail St. Louis City PD  
 10/16/01 Driving While Suspended Guilty 2-days jail St. Louis City PD  
 09/04/01 Driving While Suspended Guilty 2-days jail St. Louis City PD  
 02/10/01 Felony Drug Poss Probation Revoked 2-yrs prison St. Louis City PD  
 07/20/00 Fel Tampering with Veh Probation revoked 2-yrs prison St. Louis City PD

**OUTCOME:** On 06/15/22 Keen appeared before Town and Country Judge Andrea Niehoff. He Pled Guilty to DWI and was fined \$466 and sentenced to 90 days jail, that was under a SES probation term, he pled guilty to Driving While Revoked and fined \$166. The Lane Weaving charge was reduced to a Parking Violation with a \$191 fine.

**WHEN YOU HAVE PRIOR DWI CONVICTIONS, YOU ARE DRUNK, MAYBE YOU DON'T WANT TO PASS A POLICE CAR AT 82 MPH.** It was Wednesday night into Thursday morning at 1:42am July 23, 2020. Town and Country Cpl. Dan Duddleston was on duty and driving west on I-64 approaching I-270 when he noticed a car approaching him from the rear at a high rate of speed. Radar show it was doing 82.

When he contacted the driver, Molly Jean Kindrick, 28, of Maryland Heights, he immediately noticed the strong smell of BOB (Booze on Breath), slurred speech and bloodshot glassy eyes. Kindrick handed Cpl. Duddleston a State ID instead of a driver's license because her license was revoked due to prior DWIs. This is from his report.

<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	2011	TOYOTA	CAMRY	GOLD	[REDACTED]
<b>OFFICER'S OBSERVATION MADE PRIOR TO ARREST OR CUSTODY. (Check appropriate boxes) and add any pertinent remarks.</b>					
BREATH	ODOR OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> FAINT <input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STRONG <input type="checkbox"/> NONE ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				
EYES	<input type="checkbox"/> WATERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BLOODSHOT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLASSY <input type="checkbox"/> STARING <input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL EYE				
PUPILS	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSTRICTED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOW REACTION TO LIGHT <input type="checkbox"/> DILATED				
BALANCE AND WALKING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNCERTAIN <input type="checkbox"/> SWAYING <input type="checkbox"/> STAGGERING <input type="checkbox"/> STUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> FALLING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:				
SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED <input type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED <input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT <input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING <input type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:				
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	DESCRIBE: TANK TOP, JEAN SHORTS, TENNIS SHOES SOILED BY: NA				
UNUSUAL ACTIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> PROFANITY <input type="checkbox"/> HICCUPS <input type="checkbox"/> BELCHING <input type="checkbox"/> VOMITING <input type="checkbox"/> FIGHTING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <i>Crying</i>				
ATTITUDE	DESCRIBE: UNCOOPERATIVE, REFUSED PBT.				

Kindrick admitted she had been drinking vodka. She passed two verbal field tests while sitting in the car but did not do so well once out of the car on her feet. She failed the rest of the tests, began to cry and refused to take a field breath test.

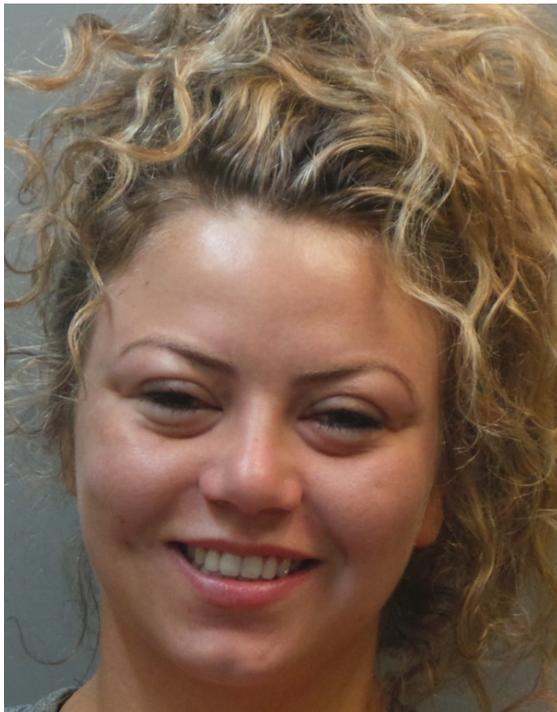
She was arrested for DWI and her car was towed.

At the police station Kindrick refused to take the “official” breath test or be interviewed.



Cpl. Duddleston

07/23/20	DWI (BA TEST Refused), Speeding (82MPH), Driving While Revoked	Town and Country PD
Jan 2020	DWI Refused Breath Test	St. Charles Co Ct
12/31/19	DWI Guilty SES Probation	MO Hwy Patrol
12/30/15	DWI Refused Breath Test	St. Louis Co
11/27/13	Moving Vio reduced to Parking Vio \$133 fine	St. Ann PD
06/11/11	Peace Disturbance Guilty \$300 fine	St. Ann PD
03/26/11	Moving Vio reduced to Parking Vio \$195 fine	St. Charles Co SO
09/05/10	Moving Vio reduced to Parking Vio \$230 fine	MO Hwy Patrol
Oct 2009	DWI breath test refused	St. Louis Co Ct



Kindrick



Kindrick's eyes

**OUTCOME:** On 10/01/20 the County Prosecutor issued warrants for Driving While Revoked, Speeding and DWI.

On April 21, 2022 Kinder appeared before Judge John Newsome. The speeding and driving while revoked charges had ben dropped. Kindrick pled guilty to DWI. Despite have 4 prior DWIs, passed a police car doing 82 MPH while her license was revoked plus refusing to take a breath test, Judge Newsome placed her on a SIS (No points, No Fine, No Permanent Public Record) probation.

**57-YEAR-OLD WOMAN DRIVING A CAR ASSOCIATED WITH 28-YEAR-OLD GUYS, DOES 100 MPH IN FRONT OF A TOWN AND COUNTRY POLICE OFFICER.** It was just passed midnight (12:36AM) on Friday night into Saturday morning February 19, 2022. Town and Country Police Sgt. Freddie Yaakub was on WB I-64 approaching I-270.

The car in front of him, a white 2020 muscle-car, a Dodge Challenger was being driven under the speed limit and constantly weaving. Sgt, Yaakub followed the car as the driver entered the ramp for SB I-270. It was then that the driver floored it and the Dodge sped up to a high rate of speed.

Sgt. Yaakub's front radar clocked the Challenger at 100MPH. The car was stopped at SB I-270 and Manchester. It was there that Sgt. Yaakub contacted the surprise. The driver was not a 28-year-old but 57-year-old Cherri Kraenzle, who clearly had been drinking. This is from the police report:

OFFICER'S OBSERVATION MADE PRIOR TO ARREST OR CUSTODY (Check appropriate boxes) and add any	
BREATH	ODOR OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> FAINT <input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STRONG <input type="checkbox"/> ODOR OF MARIJUANA OR CHEMICAL: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
EYES PUPILS	<input type="checkbox"/> WATERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BLOODSHOT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLASSY <input type="checkbox"/> STARING <input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL EYE <input type="checkbox"/> CONSTRICTED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOW REACTION TO LIGHT <input type="checkbox"/> DILATED
BALANCE AND WALKING	<input type="checkbox"/> UNCERTAIN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SWAYING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STAGGERING <input type="checkbox"/> STUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/> FALLING <input type="checkbox"/>
SPEECH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLURRED <input type="checkbox"/> CONFUSED <input type="checkbox"/> INCOHERENT <input type="checkbox"/> STUTTERING <input type="checkbox"/> MUMBLING <input type="checkbox"/>
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	DESCRIBE: PINK BLOUSE/JEANS/HEELS SOILED BY: NA

She said she was coming home to Kirkwood from a Birthday Party at a restaurant in Clayton.

Kraenzle agreed to do field sobriety tests, which she promptly failed. Sgt. Yaakub was so worried about her falling that he stopped one test and was close by the highway in case he had to catch her.



Sgt. Yaakub

She agreed take a field breath test. That showed her BAC level to be .153% or DRUNK. She was arrested and her Dodge was towed.

PRELIMINARY BREATH TEST (PBT) POSITIVE FOR ALCOHOL? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> REFUSED RESULT <u>.153</u> %
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At the police station Kraenzle agreed to take an “official breath test.” The results of that test showed she was still drunk. The test showed her BAC level was at .148%.

<b>BLOOD ALCOHOL CONCENTRATION BY WEIGHT</b>  <b>.148</b>
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In an interview Kraenzle slightly increase the amount of wine she had to drink to 3 glasses to 3 or 4. Despite having just taken two breath tests that showed she was almost double the legal level, Kraenzle said she did not consider herself intoxicated.



Cherri Kraenzle



Cherri's eyes

Kraenzle did not have a public traffic or criminal record.

**OUTCOME:** On June 29, 2022 Kraenzle appeared in Town and Country court. She pled guilty to Speeding 100 mph and was fined \$466. The Improper Lane Use (weaving) charged was reduced to a Parking Violation with a \$191 fine. She pled guilty to DWI and was placed on a 2-year SIS (no fine, no points, no-permanent public record) probation.