

MEMBERS OF THE Gangs of Town and Country: February 20, 2017

MURDER/MANSLAUGHTER: **William Lynn Gunter, 59**, of 1515 Mason Hill Court in the Mason Valley subdivision was charged with Murder 1st Degree in the March 18, 2013 death of his wife Suzy Gunter, 55, at their house. Gunter claimed to police and paramedics that his wife slipped and fell down the stairs. An autopsy showed otherwise. (Ward 2)



Gunter pled guilty to a reduced charge of Second Degree Murder and was sentenced to 30 years in the Department of Corrections on October 20, 2014.

INVESTMENT FRAUD PONZI SCHEME S&K Investment **Ponzi Scheme Federal and State Fraud Convictions:** **Richard Neiswonger** (Ward 1) **Carl Kossmeyer** (Ward 4). In 2011 Neiswonger after serving time and moving to Nevada was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for mail fraud, wire fraud and conspiracy in a fraud scheme that included actor Robert Wagner as a spokesman. Neiswonger pled guilty to those new offenses in June of 2012.

INVESTMENT FRAUD PONZI SCHEME: On July 19, 2012 61-year-old **Grahame Rhodes** of 13301 Thornhill Drive (Ward 2) was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for a \$2.5 million investment Fraud/Ponzi scheme. Victims included friends, relatives and neighbors. He pled guilty to the offense a few days before Christmas. He is scheduled to be released from prison on 10/09/2017.

THEFT OF EMPLOYEES' 401k RETIREMENTS FUNDS: **Thomas R. Ruzicka** moved into a rental house at 12951 Thornhill Drive in 2013. In 2010 Ruzicka pled guilty in Federal Court to stealing the 401K funds of employees of his electrical company, Ruzicka and Sons. He was given probation. In 2010 he was indicted for Stealing Employee's tax withholding money by a St. Louis County Grand Jury. He pled to two counts of felony theft in 2014 and was given probation.

In May of 2014 he was badly beaten in the house at 12951 Thornhill. Electronics were stolen as was his 2005 Ford Explorer. He never returned to the house, which was later torn down for a new home. The suspects from North County had randomly picked his house.

Embezzler of church bulletin payments convicted: **John Gehm** (Ward 3)

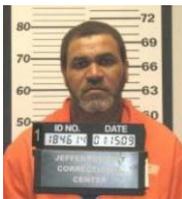
Investment Embezzler convicted: **Don Weir** (Ward 3)

Embezzled \$25,000 from Homeowners Association convicted: **Richard Burbott** (Ward 2)

Mortgage Fraud: **John Mineo, Jr.** general manager of Mineo's Restaurant, convicted (Ward 2)



Serial Child Molester: Convicted **Eric Tolen** (Ward 1) Post Oak Drive. 65 years in prison for statutory sodomy. The evidence in a Circuit Court trial showed the lawyer, Tolen, was a serial pedophile. He was convicted on 35 counts of sodomy of juveniles, mostly at his Town and Country home and one count of Tampering with a Witness. If Tolen makes it out of prison alive and can find work despite his age and background, there is a \$30,000,000 court judgment on behalf of his victims waiting to be paid.



Drug Dealer: **Brian Marchant-Calsyn** convicted and served time in the federal Prison in Lewisburg, PA. Marchant-Calsyn later joined Neiswonger and Kossmeyer as a salesman for the S&K Investment Ponzi Scheme. He then created numerous internet sales companies that resulted in complaints to the Attorney



General by the dozen and lawsuits alleging fraud. Numerous judgments were issued against him and his companies. He moved out of his home on 1776 Topping Road in May of 2012 due to foreclosure (Ward 2) and now lives at 8169 Stratford Drive in Clayton. He got hit with a \$7,575 back taxes judgment on July 8, 2016.

Sex assault: No charges filed but a T&C police investigation led to the resignation of the president of Maryville University in 2006 (Ward 4)

Bank Fraud, weapons violation, drug dealing, assault and spousal abuse FBI informant that led to the downfall and conviction of State Senator Jeff Smith; Milton **Ohlsen III**, (Ward 1), Ohlsen was later convicted of using a bomb to try and blow up his wife's divorce attorney in a Clayton parking garage. But he picked the wrong car and blew up the wrong lawyer.



Medicaid Fraud: Dr. Abdul Naushad and his wife Wajiha Naushad civil award (Ward 4)

Felony Sexual Assault Second Degree convicted: **Stanley Williams, AKA Tommy Williams AKA Stanley Carter**. 13224 Thornhill Drive Thornhill Estates Subdivision (Ward 2)

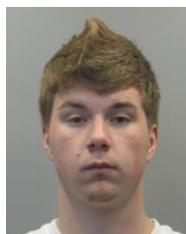
Federal Income Tax Evasion: Convicted **William Bialczak** Ward 1, skimmed \$1,000,000 from his businesses S&H Parking and Metropolitan Towing, at the center of the St. Louis Police Tow Scandal. Feds seized \$874,978 in cash during searches of his businesses.



Burglary: Graham Redington formerly of the 1600 block of Foxleigh Ct. (Ward 2) was arrested on March 24, 2011 after burglarizing a house on Horton Lane and then carrying a large flat screen TV and computer through the woods to a waiting car on Kent Manor Lane. Redington and two other suspects could not get the large screen TV to fit in the getaway car. He pled guilty in August of 2012 and was sentenced to a 15-day SHOCK jail term and placed on probation for five-years.

On March 27, 2013 Redington was arrested by Town and Country Police for DWID (Drugs), Improper Lane Use, Reckless Driving, Possession of a Fictitious Drivers License and Minor in Possession of Alcohol. On 02/28/14 he was arrested for Driving on a Revoked License by Clayton PD. On 06/03/14 he was arrested for speeding and driving with a revoked license in Webster Groves. He pled guilty on 08/27/15 and was placed on probation for the Revoked License and fined \$150 for speeding.

In November of 2015 Redington was arrested with three others from Town and Country and Chesterfield for the armed robbery and beating of the victim in Kirkwood. This arrest revoked his probation for the Horton Lane Burglary. On February 10, 2017 Redington (case was file under a misspelling of Reddington) pled guilty and was sentenced to 10 years in prison, but was placed on a 5-year probation term. He was ordered to serve 1-year in jail for Felonious Restraint and was given time served for his jail time prior to his plea. The two-Armed Criminal Action charges were dismissed.



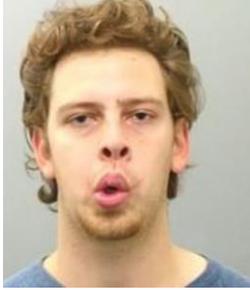
Graham Redington in 2011



Redington in 2015

BURGLARY Involved in the same Kirkwood Burglary, Armed Robbery, Assault was Alexander Frost of Middlebury Lane in Ward 3 Town and Country. Frost pled guilty to an amended charge from Felony Assault to Misdemeanor Assault and was sentenced to nine months in jail, but given credit for time served while unable to make bond. He also pled guilty to Felony Restraint and was placed on a 5-Years SIS probation term.

Frost had a felony drug charge from 09/22/15 in St. Louis. He pled guilty to that charge on 11/16/16 and was placed on a 3-year SIS probation term. Frost had \$2,320 cash seized and later forfeited in connection with the drug arrest.



Burglary: Alexander LeGrand of 1628 Mason Knoll (Ward 2) in same Mason Valley subdivision where Graham Redington grew up, was charged with three burglary and stealing offenses over three days in May of 2015 in unincorporated St. Louis County and a felony stealing in Kirkwood. He was also charged with breaking into his parents' home where he grew up and stealing jewelry. His parents later dropped those charges.

On March 3, 2016, he pled guilty to 7-felonies and was sentenced to a 5-year probation term.



Alexander LeGrand

SON PLEADS GUILTY TO STEALING OVER \$700,000 FROM HIS PARENTS. 28-year-old Patrick Capps Ahlering who over the course of a year stole at least \$750,000 from his parents, Dr. George Ahlering and Julie Ahlering. He stole the money through unauthorized credit card use, theft of his mother's jewelry and breaking into their house at 13020 Mason View Ct. after he was kicked out.



family home at 13020 Mason View Ct.



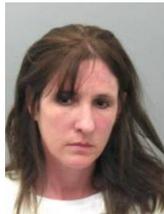
Patrick Ahlering

The money from the stolen items all went toward Patrick's gambling habit at area casinos. While the official amount of stolen property was \$743,000 it could be much higher due to other thefts before the parents decided to call the police.

On December 1, 2016 Patrick Ahlering pled guilty to the thefts (receiving stolen property) and felony Credit Card Identity Theft before Judge Nancy Watkins. He was sentenced to seven years in prison. HOWEVER, that sentence was immediately stayed and Patrick was placed on a 5-year SES probation term. This means he has a record that will not disappear at the end of a successful probation.

Bank Fraud: Doug Morgan, 65, who lived in the Thornhill Estates subdivision (Ward 2), died on the day (Nov 9, 2011) of a scheduled hearing before a Federal judge. Morgan had been charged with Bank Fraud after allegedly making fraudulent loan applications for \$1.5 million. He is alleged to have also solicited close to \$2 million from two persons claiming to be a secret partner for a new casino in North County. Morgan was also the former head of the St. Louis County Planning Commission.

ATTEMPTED MURDER OF TEENAGE CHILDREN: Kara Koriath wasn't a resident of Town and Country when the offense occurred on November 20, 2013, but she moved into a rental house in Thornhill Estates with a relative after the event. She was a resident when she was arrested on February 26 then released on bond on March 10. She then killed herself with a handgun on March 11 in the house at 1941 Karlin. This is the same rental house where Doug Morgan died 28 months earlier.



Koriath had used lighter fluid and fireworks to turn her GMC SUV into a firebomb on wheels. At 6:30 on November 20, 2013 with her teenage sons in the car she ignited the interior and then crashed on NB I-270 at Clayton Road. The Highway Patrol determined she wanted to kill herself and her sons to get back at a former boyfriend who drove by that location every day. Koriath who lived on Barrett Station Road in West County when her crime was committed, but joined the gangs of Town and Country by committing the crime in T&C and then moving into town.

Drunk Driver Manslaughter: Edward T. Snodgrass Foxleigh Court Convicted (Ward-2) As a drunk driver, Snodgrass hit and killed a worker in a construction zone on Highway 40. He was sentenced to 10 years in prison, then served a 90-day shock jail sentence before being released and placed on supervised probation for five whole years.

Serial Drunk Driver #1: Dan McLaughlin, residing in Ward 1 off Ballas Road. McLaughlin refused to take a breath test in August of 2010 after Chesterfield Police responded to calls from motorists on Highway 40/I-64 about McLaughlin's SUV weaving. The police report indicates that it appeared that McLaughlin urinated in his pants, was falling-down drunk, asked to be let go since he was only a few



blocks from home (several miles, actually) and offered the officer a bribe. In September of 2011 McLaughlin had multiple accidents on Baxter Road. He was so drunk that he could not figure out how to open his door, could not dial a phone, was falling-down drunk and again refused to take a breath test.

Serial Drunk Driver #2: Jonathan (Jay) Forrest Dalton, Jr., 22, of Tundra Court (Ward 1) was arrested for DWI on January 1, 2012 at 3:35AM driving down Clayton Road in Ladue with no lights on his 2011 Audi. He then ran a stop sign in front of a Ladue police officer. He appeared to be drunk and refused to take a breath test. Police found three bottles of booze in the car. Less than six months later while his first arrest was pending in court on June 23, at 2:48AM he was clocked speeding by the Ladue Police on I-64. He again appeared intoxicated, was arrested and refused to take a breath test. He represented 9% of all of Ladue PD's DWI arrests in 2012.



In most of his Facebook photos Jay seems to have a drink in his hand. In the last photo, you also have the large smoking device on the table along with the hard liquor. Dalton is second left to right in all the photos.

Serial Drunk Driver #3: In March 2013 the County Prosecutor finally got around to charging 33-year-old **Danielle Derouin** of 19 Brookwood (Ward 2) as a Felony Persistent Drunk Driver. Derouin had two prior drunk driving related convictions in Des Peres and Kirkwood when in July of 2012 she was arrested for DWI on I-270 by Town and Country Police. Her BAC level was .21%. She pled guilty one-and-half years later on January 30, 2014 and was placed in a court approved treatment program



SERIAL DRUNK DRIVER #4 Gary Siegfried of 12817 Topping Woods Estates had four prior DWI arrests when he was stopped for lane weaving at 1:41 am on October 13, 2012 on I-270 in Town and Country. Here is what happened when the officer asked him to step out of the car direct from the police report:

I asked the driver to step out and to the rear of his vehicle. The driver walked to the rear of his vehicle, he turned to face me, and he began doing the Walk and Turn Test before I gave him any instructions. I asked the driver what he was doing. The driver said what you want me to do.

Siegfried's BAC level was .109%.



2 1/2 years after his arrest, Siegfried's lawyers could not continue the case any longer and he pled guilty on January 30, 2015. He was sentenced to one year in jail but given a SES probation term, meaning the conviction is on his record. He has not had a valid driver's license for a number of years.

On 02/26/16 Siegfried was arrested for DWI for the sixth time when he was stopped for Speeding and Driving with Revoke License on Topping Road after leaving his house at 9:30 AM. He was convicted of Driving While Revoked and sentenced to six months in jail.

On 04/25/16 Siegfried was involved in a one-car accident ending up in a residential yard in the County outside of Kirkwood. He tried to tell the police that he was not driving, but it was his son who he came to pick up. Witnesses said otherwise. He was arrested for DWI and Driving While Revoked. He pled guilty to Driving While Revoked and was sentenced to six months in jail.

Siegfried also has 16 judgments against him in Circuit Court in the last seven years ranging from a low of \$269 to a high of \$20,817. Siegfried was also sued by the Metropolitan Sewer District for non-payment of his monthly bills. There is currently a judgment against him from the Sewer District.

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING VIOLATIONS: Former Alderman Tim Welby (Ward-2) was fined and placed on two years' probation by the Missouri Ethics Commission for failing to file required campaign contributor and expense reports for over three years. Prior to the action, Welby had received a written warning for violations and refused to obey the law.



Welby

MORE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING VIOLATIONS: Not be out done by a mere alderman, Mayor Jon Dalton in February of 2014 signed a stipulation agreement with the Missouri Ethics Commission admitting to committing 27 violations of Missouri ethics laws concerning campaign contribution reporting. Apparently for local politicians it is easier to be a lawmaker than a law follower. On May 1, 2015 Dalton forgot he was mayor and filed paperwork for an Assisted Living Facility with the Missouri Department of Health in Jefferson City that was to be located on Woods Mill Road in Town and Country.



Dalton

Open Meeting Violation: On February 13, 2017 Dalton presided over a special Board of Aldermen meeting where all eight alderpersons were present along with the entire staff. Three roll call votes were taken. The meeting was illegal as it had not been posted 24 hours in advance and there was no agenda.

Criminal-Illegal Importation of Prescription Drugs...Civil-Medicaid & Medicare Fraud: In February of 2012 Dr. Abid Nisar of the 13300 Thornhill Drive (Ward 2) pled guilty to importing misbranded and mislabeled cancer drugs from the Middle East and then billing Medicare for American drugs. He was ordered to reimburse the United States \$1,000,336 for the fraudulent billing and fined \$25,000. He was later sued by a patient treated by the unapproved drugs and was hit with a total judgment of \$486,473 on November 9. Trial Judge Tom DePriest wrote in his judgment that Nisar's credibility was "suspect" as it conflicted with earlier sworn testimony by Nisar.



\$100,000 IN MEDICAID FRAUD AND \$80,000 IN TAX FRAUD: Alfred Mason Brown, 63 of 13224 Thornhill Drive (Ward 2) was sentenced to four years in prison in 2003 for \$100,000 in Medicaid Fraud but was placed on a 5-year probation. In May of 2015 he pled guilty to \$80,000 in IRS Tax Fraud and was sentenced to a year and a day in Federal Prison. Brown was a pastor at the Church of Jesus Christ on Potomac Avenue in St. Louis. Brown lives next door to Abid Nisar and convicted Michigan sex offender Tommy Williams had also lived with Brown and his wife.



Pastor Brown's home at 13224 Thornhill Drive. Rear of The Church of Jesus Christ.

On September 2, 2015 Brown's wife Gwendolyn pled guilty to the same charge. On November 13, 2015, she was placed on a 5-year probation term.



Gwendolyn Brown and Alfred Brown.

More Illegal Importation of Prescription Drugs and Medicare Fraud: Dr. Mel Lucas pled guilty in May of 2015 for Making False Statements for medical services that he never actually provided. He also pled guilty to Distributing Non-FDA Approved Drugs from Italy and Turkey.



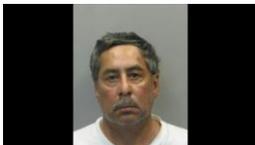
On September 2, 2015 Lucas was placed a 3-year probation and has paid back \$185,799 to Medicare and Tricare for false billings.

Lucas lives at 953 Kingscove Ct. (Ward 3) off Old Woods Mill Road east of Highway 141 and practices in Florissant.

POSSESSION OF HEROIN AND DWI PRIOR OFFENDER: Andrew Baird of 11 Bellerive Country Club Grounds arrested Possession of Heroin and DWI by Prior Offender in the Pebble Acres subdivision at 3:40am on 3/25/12. He died February 13, 2013.



Serial Sex Offender: Marco Castaneda, 63, of 582 Pinebrook Court (Ward 4) was arrested exposing himself to a young woman in the office building at 763 South New Ballas. With that case pending Castaneda was arrested again on August 16 for exposing himself to a girl in the next-door yard.



SEC VIOLATIONS: Charles Russell Williams, II of 1473 Mason Valley Road (Ward 2) was fined \$10,000 and the company in his name was fined \$10,000. Williams was stripped of his SEC standing as an investment advisor and prohibited for working as an investment advisor due to repeat violations of SEC rules and regulations.

Wire Fraud and Mail Fraud: Charles Russell Williams, II of 1473 Mason Valley Road was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury on April 11, 2013 for two counts of wire fraud and one count of mail fraud for allegedly stealing \$700,000 from investors. He ran the fraud from 2007 to 2013 despite being stripped from being a stock broker or investment advisor. He and his wife last lived in the house on Mason Valley Road in 2013, when it was foreclosed on. Williams, 76, pled guilty to the Federal Charges on February 23, 2015.

\$250,000 Embezzlement results in three Federal charges of wire fraud to go with a charge of Felony Bad Check in Circuit Court: Richard T. Saddler of 1616 Featherstone in the Mason Valley subdivision was indicted on July 17, 2013 for embezzling \$250,000 from five customers in a commercial loan “refinance” scheme. Saddler already had a pending felony passing bad check charge that was filed by the Town and County Police on May 18, 2012. Saddler also has judgments of \$62,543 and \$71,749 against him by the Missouri Department of Revenue for back taxes. He has another judgment against him in 2012 filed by a credit union where the court has ordered him to pay \$6,839. The biggest outstanding judgment against him is for \$163,237 by investors.



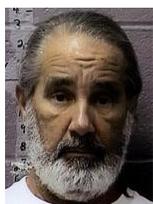
Richard T, Saddler's Town and Country Mug shot for felony bad checks.

On March 4, 2014 Saddler was charged with two felony counts of Passing Account Closed Checks by the Clayton PD.

On March 7, 2014 Saddler pled guilty to three felony counts of Wire Fraud in Federal Court. On July 1 Saddler was sentence to 33 months in Federal Prison...his second trip to the Federal Bureau of Prisons (He did 14 months beginning in 2006 for a similar fraud.)

Saddler pled guilty on October 16, 2015 for writing a bad check for \$4,781 to a tradesman for concrete work at his house in 2012. Saddler got out of prison long enough to plead guilty and be given a one-year sentence and then returned to federal prison. The check charges in Clayton were then dropped.

Child Pornography: Mark Alan Shklar, a lawyer from Chesterfield pled guilty in 2010 for a 2008 Missouri Child Pornography charge. He served two years along with Federal Time he got on the same charge. He had moved into a brick one story home at the far back of the property at 13332 Clayton Road, belonging to the Wirth family estate. (Ward 2) But he moved again. By the start of 2014 Shklar had moved to 1402 S. Elm in Webster Groves.



Mark Alan Shklar



who is now living in the above house in Webster Groves.

INSURANCE FRAUD AND EMBEZZLEMENT: **Anthony Calandro**, a chiropractor, who lived at 740 Hampton Way (**WARD 4**) was convicted in November of 2012 after a federal jury trial of Insurance Fraud in connection with his business, Chiropractic Accident Center of Crestwood. He was sentenced to six years in prison. But before the April sentencing, in March of 2013 a trustee of the Hamptons homeowner's association reported that Calandro as a trustee apparently stole \$40,000 in subdivision funds. A Town and Country Police investigation showed some of the stolen money was used at casinos.



WIRE AND MAIL FRAUD: **Ronald Lee Roberts** of 12931 N. Topping Estates (Ward 2) was charged with three counts of wire fraud and one count of mail fraud in Federal Court just prior to Christmas in 2013. Roberts bilked investors out of \$2,800,000 claiming property he was acquiring was going to be a Wal-Mart super store. Instead he used much of the money for gambling. He and his wife Sonya already had hundreds of thousands of dollars in judgments and tax liens piled up against them.

The U.S. Attorney had asked that Roberts be sentenced in the high range of the sentencing guidelines claiming Roberts had defrauded 29 lenders of \$2.8 million.

On July 23, 2014 Roberts pled guilty in Federal Court.



The Roberts Estate on North Topping Estates Drive.

A month before his July guilty pleas to the federal charges Roberts was also hit with \$70,643 in new tax liens from the State of Missouri.

On March 13, 2015 Roberts was sentenced to 5-years and 8-months in a Federal Prison. This was three years less than what the U.S. Attorney's Office sentencing recommendation was.

PODIATRIST WINS "WANT TO BE A MILLIONAIRE" BY STEALING \$1,000,000 FROM MEDICARE: Lawrence Iken, 65, of 14331 Manderleigh Woods Drive pled guilty in Federal Court on January 13, 2015 to stealing \$999,170 from Medicare for billing for patient care that was never done. He was ordered to pay the money back. At sentencing on April 16, 2015 Iken was sentenced to a year and a day in Federal Prison and ordered to pay back \$1.75 million to the government in restitution and fines.



Iken's home in the Manderleigh subdivision. Iken with his wife Elaine.

Honorary Member:

Murder: **Mary A. Mullenix**, 69, was charged with murdering her husband Ivan Mullenix with a knife on July 18, 2013. The police were called to the Mullenix home about 11pm on Wednesday July 17 by someone other than Mrs. Mullenix. Mary Ann Mullenix is on the Honorary Member list because she lived at 14 Country Life Acres Street in the Village of Country Life Acres. The 30 homes of Country Life Acres and 74 residents are surrounded by the City of Town and Country. Town and Country also provides police service to Country Life Acres for \$10,000 a year. In 2011 the median price for a house in Country Life Acres was \$1,035,000.



Mullenix plead guilty to a reduced charge of second degree manslaughter on December 4, 2014. She was sentenced to four years in prison, but was then given 5-years probation after serving a 90-day jail term.