

Man is charged with taking deputy's vehicle

On An Estill County man was arrested Sunday, May 25 after taking an Estill County Deputy Sheriff's vehicle to avoid the arrest.

Deputy Phillip Sturgill was looking for a vehicle that Jeffery Scott Henry, 42, of S. Front Street, Irvine, had reportedly taken around 12:24 a.m. on Friday, May 24 with unauthorized use.

The citation states the deputy located the vehicle was located in the 1800 block of Wagersville Road. One male was at the front of the vehicle, and another male was a passenger in the front driver seat.

Deputy Sturgill said Henry walked to the back of the truck. The deputy said he told the other male to step back and talk to him, but he ran off into the field.

The citation states that as Sturgill was talking to Henry, he started to walk off. He told Henry to stop, but he refused.

It adds that Deputy Sturgill and IPD Officer Tanner Chaney struggled with Henry in an attempt to detain him. Henry was handcuffed and placed in the back of the deputy's assigned vehicle.

While the officers were conducting a brief search for the other male, who had run away, Deputy Sturgill said he heard a loud noise and heard the siren being activated for a second. The officers observed Sturgill's vehicle being driven away from the scene.

Deputies Sturgill and Jason Conrad and IPD Officer Chaney went after the vehicle and located it on a gravel road. Sturgill stated the front door was open, but Henry had fled in an unknown direction.

The citation states that while Henry was operating the vehicle, there was damage to a front tire and the passenger side front wheel well.

Sturgill said that while Henry was in possession of his cruiser, he was also in possession of Sturgill's service issued rifle which was in

the vehicle.

According to the citation, Henry put the officers on the scene at considerable risk for injury due to his actions.

The deputy said it was determined that Henry manipulated the slide section of the officer/offender compartment. He was able to crawl through this

section to take the deputy's vehicle.

An inventory was taken of the police truck, and officers said they located what appeared to be marijuana with an estimated weight was 4.5 pounds.

Deputy Conrad received information that Henry was at 800 Witt Ridge Road and went

there to locate him.

Deputy Conrad and IPD officers located Henry in a bedroom and took him into custody, without incident.

Henry was charged with resisting arrest, two counts of theft by unlawful taking or disposition auto \$10,000 < \$1,000,000, fleeing or evading police, 1st

degree (motor vehicle), possession of firearm by a convicted felon, criminal mischief 2nd degree, three counts wanton endangerment, 2nd degree of a police officer, and trafficking in marijuana (8 oz. to <5 lbs.), 1st offense.

Henry was incarcerated at Three Forks Regional Jail.

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On May 19 and 20, he was tried in Estill Circuit Court for trafficking in a controlled substance, second offense (carfentanil or fentanyl derivatives) and being a persistent felony offender.

On the second day if the trial, the jury returned a guilty verdict on Harrison.

Circuit Judge Michael Dean revoked his bond and set a sentencing date of July 8th.

The judge also recommended that Harrison be remanded to custody. Harrison was transported to Three Forks Regional Jail immediately following the jury trial.

Three Forks Regional Jail houses state prisoners.

The court workers stated that Harrison's brother is James Robert "Jim Bob" Harrison, who was scheduled to

be released from jail on Friday.

Anyone who may have information about the location of Jeffrey Harrison is asked to call their local law enforcement or KSP Post 7 at 859.623.2404.

The ongoing investigation is being conducted by KSP Trooper Douglas Holt.


Sturniolo is retired

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Sturniolo performed CPR on the baby until EMS arrived.

He got to meet the mother and that surviving child some years later.

Sturniolo was honored on his retirement on Saturday at historic Estill Springs, across from the elementary school.




The Garden Bug

Located in Louisiana, this tree is the largest certified southern live oak tree. Measuring almost 39 feet around the trunk, it may be as old as 1,500 years. It survived a nearly direct hit from Hurricane Katrina in 2005. It is the National Champion on the National Register of Big Trees and the Champion Oak of Louisiana, according to the Louisiana Forestry Association. It also has its own Facebook page.

- Brenda Weaver

Source: wikipedia





Americanisms

“I’ve never lost a game.
I just ran out of time.”
— Michael Jordan

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Child Find for Children with Disabilities in Need of Special Education or 504 Services

Child Find

The Estill County School *District* keeps educational records in a secure location in each school and Board office.

The Estill County School District obtains written consent from a parent or eligible student (age 18 or who is attending a postsecondary institution), before disclosing personally identifiable information to an entity or individual not authorized to receive it under FERPA.

For students who have been determined eligible for Special Education, educational records will be destroyed at the request of the parents when they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. The Estill County School *District* may destroy the educational records of a child without parent request 20 years after they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. Parents are advised that data contained in the records may later be needed for Social Security benefits or other purposes. The Estill County *School District* may retain, for an indefinite period of time, a record of the student's name, address, telephone number, grades, attendance records, classes attended, grade level completed, and year completed.

Children eligible for Special Education include those children with disabilities who have autism, deaf-blindness, developmental delay, emotional-behavior disability, hearing impairment, mental disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairment, specific learning disability, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, or visual impairment and who because of such an impairment need Special Education services.

Children eligible for 504 services include those children in a public elementary and secondary education program who have a current physical or mental impairment that currently substantially limits some major life activity which causes the student's ability to access the school environment or school activities to be substantially limited.

Children eligible for the State-Funded Preschool program include three- and four-year old children identified with disabilities and four-year-old children who are at-risk, as defined by federal poverty levels up to 150%. Preschool children eligible for special education must have an Individual Education Plan (IEP) instead of a 504 plan to receive State-Funded Preschool program services.

The Estill *School District* has an ongoing “*Child Find*” system, which is designed to locate, identify and evaluate any child residing in a home, facility, or residence within its geographical boundaries, age three (3) to twenty-one (21) years, who may have a disability and be in need of Special Education or 504 services. This includes children who are not in school; those who are in public, private, or home school; those who are highly mobile such as children who are migrant or homeless; and those who are advancing from grade to grade, who may need but are not receiving Special Education or 504 services.

The district's “*Child Find*” system includes children with disabilities attending private or home schools within the school district boundaries who may need special education services.

The Estill County *School District* will make sure any child enrolled in its district who qualifies for Special Education or 504 services, regardless of how severe the disability, is provided appropriate Special Education or 504 services at no cost to the parents of the child.

Parents, relatives, public and private agency employees, and concerned citizens are urged to help the Estill County *School District* find any child who may have a disability and need Special Education or 504 services. The District needs to know the name and age, or date of birth of the child; the name, address, and phone number(s) of the parents or guardian; the possible disability; and other information to determine if Special Education or 504 services are needed.

Letters and phone calls are some of the ways the Estill County *School District* collects the information needed. The information the school District collects will be used to contact the parents of the child and find out if the child needs to be evaluated or referred for Special Education or 504 services.

If you know of a child who lives within the boundaries of the Estill County School District, who may have a disability, and may need but is not receiving Special Education or 504 services, please call 606-723-2181 or send the information to:

Director of Special Education
Section 504 Coordinator
253 Main Street
Irvine, KY 40336
606-723-2181 (extension 2223)

If you know of a child who attends a private or home school within the boundaries of the Estill County School District, who may have a disability, and may need but is not receiving Special Education services, please call 606-723-2181 or send the information to:

Amanda Bryant
Director of Special Education
253 Main Street
Irvine, KY 40336
606-723-2181 (extension 2223)

“*Child Find*” activities continue throughout the school year. As part of these efforts the Estill County *School District* will use screening information, student records, and basic assessment information it collects on all children in the District to help locate those children who have a disability and need Special Education or 504 services. Any information the District collects through “*Child Find*” is maintained confidentially.

Written *Policies and Procedures* have been developed which describe the District's requirements regarding the confidentiality of personally identifiable information and “*Child Find*” activities. There are copies in the Principal's office of each school, and in the Board of Education office. Copies of these *Policies and Procedures* may be obtained by contacting:

Donald Norton
Director of Pupil Personnel
Estill County Schools
606-723-2181

The District office is open Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Estill School District provides a public notice in the native language or other mode of communication of the various populations in the geographical boundaries of the District to the extent feasible. If you know of someone who may need this notice translated to another language, given orally, or delivered in some other manner or mode of communication, please contact the *Director of Pupil Personnel*, the *Director of Special Education* or the *Section 504 Coordinator* at the address or phone number listed above for the Estill County Schools.