



Press Release

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Man Arrested for 2nd Offense OWI Causing Injury after Striking a Child on a Bike

A 32 year old man from Appleton, who was staying with relatives in Menasha, was arrested Saturday, September 16, 2017 after striking a child on a bicycle in the area of Geneva and London Street and leaving the scene around 4:50 pm. Based upon physical evidence at the scene, witness information, and an anonymous tip, the driver and the vehicle were located a short time after the crash. The man was found to be passed out in an apartment in the 900 Blk of Sixth Street. He was taken into custody and transported to the Winnebago County Jail where he is awaiting charges. The Police Department is recommending charges of:

- Hit and Run Causing Injury
- Causing Injury when Operating a Motor Vehicle while Intoxicated (2nd Offense)
- Operating after Revocation
- Possession of Marijuana (2nd Offense)

The injured child is a 10 year old boy from Menasha who lived in the area of the incident. He was transported to a local hospital with head injuries. The child received 17 stitches as a result of his injuries and has been released from the hospital.

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