



Media Release Cases

<u>Case Number</u>	<u>Judge - Court Room</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Agency</u>
609041-16-CR	Sheehan, Brendan J.22-C	General Felony	Cleveland Division of Police

Fortner, Caleb A. | Brown, Iasiah

Media Synopsis:

On August 5, 2016, while working as maintenance employees, the defendants used a master key to enter the apartment of a Cleveland Police detective and stole two of his personal handguns and \$800. Brown and Fortner were supposed to check and inventory recently vacated apartments for damaged items or disrepair.

The defendants were given a master key to access a list of apartments. Neither the victim's apartment nor his building were on that list. Keycard logs and surveillance video show that Brown and Fortner entered the victim's apartment.

On November 8, Fortner pled to Burglary and Grand Theft
On November 10, Brown pled to Burglary and Petty Theft

Sentencing for the defendant is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 12/12/2016

590948-14-CR	Friedland, Carolyn B. 20-D	Major Trial	Fairview Park Police Department
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Sheline, Timothy S.

Media Synopsis:

On August 29, 2007, Fairview Park Fire Department responded to a house fire on W. 220th Street, and the body of the homeowner, 67-year-old Gwendolyn Bewley, was found dead on the kitchen floor.

Sheline, 56, of Fairview Park, is accused of murdering the victim then intentionally setting the house on fire.

Sheline and Bewley began a friendship several months prior to the incident and Sheline used this connection to make unauthorized purchases with the victim's credit and PayPal accounts.

Trial is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Trial 12/12/2016

Charges:

2903.02(A): Murder	(x1)	UF
2903.02(B): Murder	(x1)	UF
2909.02(A)(1): Aggravated Arson	(x2)	F1
2903.11(A)(1): Felonious Assault	(x1)	F2
2909.02(A)(2): Aggravated Arson	(x1)	F2
2921.12(A)(1): Tampering With Evidence	(x1)	F3
2913.02(A)(1): Theft	(x1)	F4

600593-15-CR Donnelly, Michael P. 19-A

General Felony

Cleveland Division of Police

Pendleton, Terry | Ford, Jeremiah Montez

Media Synopsis:

Pendleton entered a dollar store on Cleveland's east side, put a gun to the side of a female employee, then ordered other employees to give him money from the cash registers while threatening to shoot the woman. Pendleton fled with the money and ran to a waiting vehicle which Ford was driving. The police later found the car and arrested Ford, then arrested Pendleton, who was identified by witnesses as the gunman.

Pendleton pled guilty to Robbery, Having Weapons Under Disability, Carrying Concealed Weapons and Obstructing Official Business. He was sentenced to 14 years in prison.

On November 8, Ford pled guilty to Robbery with a Forfeiture Specification.

Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 12/13/2016

604581-16-CR Burnside, Janet R.16-B

General Felony

Parma Police Department

Bailey-Burline, Robert A. | Miller, Shawn M. |
Looby, William R.**Media Synopsis:**

On February 28, the defendants set fire, by means of an accelerant and road flares, to a downstairs residence on State Road in Parma that was occupied by four people. One person was treated for second degree burns on his hand.

On November 14, Miller, 26, and Looby, 27, pled guilty to Aggravated Arson, Arson and Felonious Assault.

Bailey-Burline, 19, pled guilty to Attempted Aggravated Arson and Attempted Felonious Assault.

Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 12/13/2016

600181-15-CR Collier-Williams, Cassandra 23-A
Jackson, Mister A.

Major Trial

Cleveland Division of Police

Media Synopsis:

October 10, 2015, Mister A. Jackson, a Cleveland Police Officer, bit the victim on the right side of her chest causing a visible mark. Victim attempted to leave the scene and Mister Jackson stood in front of her driver's side door with a firearm in hand.

The victim got into her vehicle through the passenger door, but when she attempted to leave, defendant climbed into the vehicle and grabbed the steering wheel, causing the vehicle to strike a house.

Trial is scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m.

Charges:

2905.02(A)(2): Abduction	(x1)	F3
2923.02 / 2903.11(A)(1): Attempted Felonious Assault	(x1)	F3
2903.13(A): Assault	(x1)	M1
2903.21(A): Aggravated Menacing	(x1)	M1
2909.06(A)(1): Criminal Damaging Or Endangering	(x2)	M1

Future Court Action:

Trial 12/13/2016

596847-15-CR McDonnell, Nancy R. 17-B
Wilson, Dawud

General Felony

Cleveland Police Department

Media Synopsis:

Dawud Wilson wore a fake beard while robbing eleven restaurants, convenience stores and gas stations throughout Cuyahoga County between October 2014 and April 2015. In each robbery Wilson either displayed or indicated to the store clerk that he had a gun and demanded cash from the register drawer before fleeing on foot.

Wilson, 29, was apprehended on April 17, 2015, shortly after robbing a bank in Lake County while wearing a fake beard. At the time of his arrest Wilson still had beard adhesive on his face, and police found a fake beard, gloves, a BB pellet gun, the note used in the robbery and the stolen cash in his truck.

Earlier this year Wilson was sentenced to ten years in prison for the Lake County bank robbery.

On December 5, 2016, Wilson pled no contest to a 32-count indictment charging aggravated robbery, robbery and kidnapping for the Cuyahoga County incidents.

Sentencing is scheduled at 9:00 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 12/13/2016

605300-16-CR Astrab, Michael 21-C

General Felony

Shaker Heights Police Department

Brown, Antwuan

Media Synopsis:

Defendant attempted to make unauthorized access to the school on Southington Road while class was in progress. Shaker Heights Police Department was notified and the defendant fled when they arrived. During the foot chase, defendant attempted to steal an occupied vehicle, then used physical force in the theft of a marked Shaker Heights Police cruiser.

He then drove the stolen cruiser in a reckless manner, failing to comply with the law enforcement officers. Mr. Brown drove the stolen police cruiser directly into another police officer's vehicle, and fled on foot after being forced to stop by police. The police vehicle he stole had weapons ready at hand and his actions caused tens of thousands of dollars in damage.

On November 2, the defendant pled guilty to Attempted Burglary, Attempted Robbery, Felonious Assault, Vandalism and Failure to Comply with Orders/Signal of Police.

Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 12/14/2016