

Bonneville County Sheriff's Office

News Release

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Stewart Paxton Mcewen 37 of Idaho Falls has been arrested for felony Eluding and felony injury to a child.

On 08/03/2011 at 747 p.m. dispatch advised that a male was breaking into camp trailers at Eagle Rock R.V. at 1910 S. Yellowstone.

A Bonneville County Deputy was at the intersection of 17th Street and Pancheri when the call was broadcast. As the deputy pulled into Eagle Rock R.V., a gold colored Toyota Camry left Southbound on Yellowstone. The reporting party yelled pointing out the car and driver as the suspect.

The officer attempted to stop the vehicle by use of lights and siren. The car continued South on Yellowstone at a high rate of speed. Mcewen turned West into South Tourist Park. He turned North driving on the bike path that parallels the Snake River. Mcewen increased his speed to try and get away.

Mcewen drove behind Ball Packing, he stopped the car, and took off running. As the officer pulled up, He saw Mcewen and a 9 year old child running from the car.

The deputy was able to detain Mcewen until Idaho Falls Police officers arrived. The 9 year old child is a step daughter to Mcewen. The child was released to her mother.

Idaho Falls police are investigating the burglary at Eagle Rock RV.

We were very fortunate that no one was on the bike path at the time of this incident.

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