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## **N e w s      R e l e a s e**

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### **Drug Arrests**

**Joseph, Karon J., 21, Male – 229 2<sup>nd</sup> St. St. Rose, LA**

Date: 11-12-15      Item #: K-00953-15  
CHGS: Poss. of Marijuana, Poss. of Cocaine

Sheriff Greg Champagne reports that the above subject was stopped for a traffic violation. Further investigation revealed the subject to be in possession of Cocaine and Marijuana. Joseph was arrested and booked accordingly.

**Ritter, Jared M., 33, Male – 17 Holster Lane St. Rose, LA**

Date: 11-15-15      Item #: K-01142-15  
CHGS: Poss. of Marijuana, Poss. of Xanax, Simple Battery, Unauthorized Use of a Movable, Simple Criminal Damage \$500 - \$5000

Sheriff Greg Champagne reports that the above subject was arrested following an altercation with a family member. During the altercation Ritter allegedly crashed his vehicle into the victim's vehicle. Further investigation revealed the subject to be in possession of illegal narcotics. Ritter was arrested and booked accordingly.

**Smothers, Janae, 21, Female – 2200 Severn Ave. S302 Metairie, LA**

Date: 11-6-15 Item #: K-00433-15  
CHGS: Poss. of Codeine, Speeding, Suspended DL, Resisting Arrest, SCSO Attachment, FUG/Kenner PD

Sheriff Greg Champagne reports that the above subject was stopped for a traffic violation. Further investigation revealed the subject to be in possession of Promethazine/Codeine. Smothers was arrested and booked accordingly.

**Jago, Kevin W., 34, Male – 4136 Georgia Ave. Kenner, LA**

Date: 11-2-15 Item #: K-00130-15  
CHGS: Poss. of Heroin, Poss. of Drug Paraphernalia

**Brooks, Rafael G., 35, Male – 1828 Tita St. New Orleans, LA**

Date: 11-2-15 Item #: K-00130-15  
CHGS: Poss. of Heroin, Poss. of Drug Paraphernalia

Sheriff Greg Champagne reports that the above subjects were stopped for suspicious activity. Further investigation revealed the subject to be in possession of illegal narcotics. Both subjects were arrested and booked accordingly.