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**“Leading the Fight for Public Safety”**



**ANNUAL POLICE MEMORIAL SERVICE**

Thursday May 14, 2015, 5:00 PM

Police Memorial Park

West 1<sup>st</sup> Street - next to Hopkinsville Police Department

This memorial service pays honors to Law Enforcement Officers from Christian County who gave their lives in the line of duty to preserve law and order and protect and defend our peaceful way of life. The Key Note speaker for 2015's FOP Memorial will be State Representative John Tilley.

Please come and pay tribute to the **9** brave Officers from Christian County who made the supreme sacrifice. The Service runs 30 – 45 minutes, so bring a lawn chair. Inclement weather location will be the Criminal Justice Center, We 9<sup>th</sup> St.

Sponsored by: Fraternal Order Police, Hopkinsville Lodge #12. POC: Henry Gould @ 270-484-0925 or Quentin Stone @ 270-839-2811



Hello Everyone! Welcome to the 49<sup>th</sup> Edition of our newsletter.

## **GRAND JURY:**

The March-April Grand Jury effectively and proficiently returned **101** "True Bill" Indictments, **3** "No True Bills," and there were **3** cases referred to District Court. As always, the Grand Jury was very dedicated, and we appreciate their service to our community. Their report is attached under the Grand Jury tab on our website.

## **COURT PROCEEDINGS:**

From March 1, 2015, through April 30, 2015, our office handled **134** arraignments, **90** probation revocation hearings, and **134** sentencing hearings.

## **JURY TRIALS:**



### **COMMONWEALTH VS. CHARLES DANIEL**

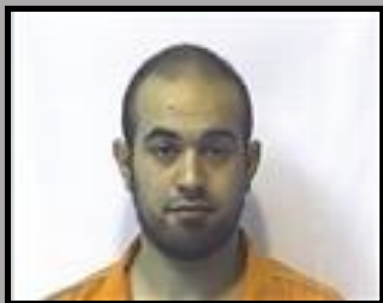
**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office and  
Hopkinsville Police Department

On March 16, 2015, Commonwealth's Attorney Lynn Pryor tried the case of Commonwealth vs. Charles Daniel. The Defendant was charged with Trafficking in Methamphetamine, Trafficking in Lortab; Trafficking in Zanax; Wanton Endangerment, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 2 Counts (Police Officer); Wanton Endangerment, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 14 Counts; Possession of Marijuana while Armed; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia while Armed Fleeing or Evading Police 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 2 counts; Possession of a Handgun by a Convicted Felon; Operating a Motor Vehicle under the Influence of Alcohol or Controlled Substances with Aggravator; Reckless Driving; Speeding; and Persistent Felony Offender, 1<sup>st</sup> degree.

In February 2014, the Defendant was riding in a truck with Christopher Saddler and James Mitchell. When the truck was pulled over for a traffic stop, and the driver, James Mitchell, exited the vehicle. He was ultimately searched and placed him under arrest. The Defendant then slid over to the driver's seat and sped off with Saddler in the backseat, leading authorities in a high speed chase across two counties before wrecking the vehicle and then fleeing on foot. Charles Daniel hid in a creek until a K-9 from the Hopkinsville Police Department located him.

The Defendant opted for a bench trial before Judge Andrew Self; therefore, a jury was not seated to hear his case. Daniel admitted that he was high when he fled from police and that the drugs were his; however, he claimed that he had no knowledge the gun was in the vehicle. Judge Self found the Defendant guilty of 1<sup>st</sup> degree Trafficking in Methamphetamine, Hydrocodone and Xanax; 10 Counts of Wanton Endangerment, 1<sup>st</sup> degree; Possession of Marijuana; Fleeing or Evading Police, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 2 Counts; Operating a Motor Vehicle under the Influence of Alcohol or Controlled Substances with Aggravator; Speeding; and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. The Judge found him not guilty on the Possession of Handgun by a Convicted Felon or the while armed enhancement charges.

The Defendant is scheduled for final sentencing on June 17, 2015, at which time the Judge will impose a sentence between 10-20 years.



## **COMMONWEALTH VS. KEVIN HUCKABEE**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department

On March 26, 2015, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Katherine Garber tried the case of Commonwealth v. Kevin Huckabee. Huckabee was charged with Sexual Abuse, Victim Under Twelve Years Old. The victim is an 11 year old girl.

The victim's parents notified the Hopkinsville Police Department to report the sexual abuse on January 27, 2014. The Defendant was the named perpetrator. Detective Nichols from the Hopkinsville Police Department conducted a forensic interview of the victim at the Pennyrile Children's Advocacy Center on February 20, 2014. The victim advised Detective Nichols that the Defendant and his girlfriend, who is the victim's cousin, were at her residence during Spring Break visiting the family. She advised that she awoke from her sleep to find her panties pulled down and the Defendant touching her. She stated that the Defendant ran out of the room when she woke up. The reporting was delayed because she was scared to tell her parents.

Prior to the parents contacting the Hopkinsville Police Department, the victim's father contacted the Defendant regarding the victim's account. The Defendant went to the Bruceton Police Department in Bruceton, TN (his place of residency) to complain. It was at that time that he advised Officer Randy Kelley that he is being accused of molesting a child. The Defendant further stated that "the only way I can think her panties could have been pulled down is when I pulled the blanket, it pulled her panties down too."

At the trial, the victim testified about the sexual abuse that occurred at her house and identified the Defendant in the courtroom as her perpetrator. She gave the same account to the jury as she had to Detective Nichols and described how she was scared to let her parents know exactly what happened to her. She said that she knew her father would be angry at the Defendant and that her mother would likely lose her relationship with her cousin, Lacey, the Defendant's girlfriend. Her mother testified as to that evening as well. She told the jury that the Defendant had no reason to be in the room upstairs where her daughter was sleeping and that she had provided bedding for him to use earlier that evening. There was no reason for him to be in the bedroom removing covers from her daughter. She further testified that this has ruined her relationship with her cousin, who was also her best friend.

Next, Detective Nichols educated the jury as to the investigation of this sexual abuse case and explained the process of the forensic interview, specifically the forensic interview in this case. He added that, based on his experience and training, the victim appeared to be credible. Detective Nichols explained that he obtained an arrest warrant for the Defendant and that the Defendant was extradited to Kentucky with the help of the Bruceton Police Department. Officer Randy Kelley from the Bruceton Police Department was the last witness called for the Commonwealth. He described how the Defendant came to complain about the victim's father harassing him regarding allegations of sexual abuse. Officer Kelley informed the jury of the incriminating statement made by the Defendant that day, which placed him in the bedroom of the victim, removing covers from her sleeping body. He stated that he was very concerned upon hearing that statement and reported the incident to the Tennessee Department of Children's Services and made contact with the Hopkinsville Police Department.

For the defense, the victim's cousin took the stand and testified that she and the Defendant were still involved in a romantic relationship. She testified that the Defendant went upstairs for a few minutes prior to going to sleep on the couch downstairs. She and the Defendant went to sleep on the couch, and he never left the couch during the night. She told the jury that she did not want to see him get in trouble and that she would not want to see anyone go to jail. After less than thirty minutes of deliberation, the jury found the Defendant Not Guilty.



### **COMMONWEALTH VS. CORTEZ HAIRSTON**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department

The case of Commonwealth v. Cortez Hairston was tried by Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Michael Cotthoff on April 2, 2015. The lone charge was Trafficking in Cocaine Over 4 Grams.

The evidence established that on four separate occasions the Defendant sold a confidential informant (CI) various amounts of crack cocaine. Kentucky law allows for greater penalties if more than 4 grams of cocaine are sold by a person within a 90 day period.

There was indisputable video evidence on three of the four cocaine sales (one purchase merely contained the Defendant's voice). All of the key elements of a drug deal were captured on these three videos, to include the Defendant's face, voice, and a highly-distinctive tattoo. These three videos also unequivocally displayed a drug sale. These three sales were then combined to reach the 4 gram threshold.

The Defendant argued to the jury that the CI planted the drugs. However, the video evidence refuted this and no other plausible explanation was given for why the Defendant was giving the CI a plastic baggie with a white rock-like substance. The jury also heard a phone call recorded from the Christian County Jail in which the Defendant was asked why he was in jail. His response: "trafficking, trafficking, trafficking."

The jury deliberated for six minutes before returning a verdict of Guilty. He was sentenced to the maximum 10 years shortly thereafter. Final sentencing is set for July 7, 2015 at 1:00 in Circuit Division 2.



### **COMMONWEALTH VS. JOSEPH WILLIAMS**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department

On April 7, 2015, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Katherine Garber tried the case of Commonwealth v. Joseph Williams. Williams was charged with Assault 1<sup>st</sup> degree, Domestic Violence and Persistent Felony Offender.

The investigation on this case began on June 13, 2014, when the victim, called 911 to report that she had fallen and needed an ambulance sent to her residence as she was in a great amount of pain. When medics arrived, the Defendant was on the porch and the victim was laying on the floor going in and out of consciousness. Inside the ambulance, she advised the medic, Donnie Miller, that the Defendant had assaulted her. Donnie contacted dispatch and advised of a possible domestic and requested police assistance. Officers of the Hopkinsville Police Department [HPD] arrived at the residence and took photographs of the scene. Officers Rosencrance and Sibal went to Jennie Stuart Medical Center to take photographs of the victim's injuries and to attempt to speak with the victim, who unfortunately was unable to communicate at that time.

The Defendant was taken to the HPD for an interview. In his interview, the Defendant told Sergeant Meek that he had been out with his friend, driving around, looking at girls. When he got home, he found the victim moaning on the ground. He stated that the ambulance arrived about five minutes after he got home but could not say at what time he arrived home. The Defendant was released at this time during the investigation because there was not enough evidence to charge him criminally at this point.

Meanwhile, during the interview, the victim had to be placed on a ventilator and was transported to Skyline Medical Center in Nashville, TN for her extensive head injuries. Dr. Helphenstine at Jennie Stuart Medical Center diagnosed her with an epidural hematoma, which would require a craniotomy and could not be performed at Jennie Stuart. She remained on a ventilator for several days after the craniotomy and had twenty-eight staples placed in her scalp as a result of the surgery. Once she was discharged from Skyline Medical Center, she met with Detective Davis from the Hopkinsville Police Department, and she gave her account of the incident that left her with a severe head injury. She advised Detective Davis that the Defendant had assaulted her several times during the evening because she had hidden his synthetic marijuana from him. The victim advised that the last thing she clearly remembered was the Defendant stomping on her head on the front porch. Detective Davis obtained a warrant for the Defendant's arrest, and he was subsequently indicted.

At the trial, Paramedic Donnie Miller told the jury that he responded to a reported fall. Once on scene, he made contact with the Defendant, who appeared to be unconcerned about the condition of the victim. Donnie advised the jury that he immediately suspected that she had a head injury because of her intermittent loss of consciousness and her combative behavior. Donnie explained that he contacted dispatch to get police en route to the scene due to the suspected domestic disturbance.

Next, Officer Rosencrance testified about the investigation that he conducted at the residence. The photographs taken at the scene were shown to the jury as well as the photographs of Stephanie in the emergency room at Jennie Stuart. Sergeant Meek took the stand next. He told the jury about the interview that he conducted on the Defendant. He explained that the Defendant denied assaulting her, and he stated that he found her that way, like she fell down the steps. Sergeant Meek explained that he looked through the Defendant's cellphone with his permission and found several text messages, possibly incriminating in nature. In one text message on the Defendant's phone from that evening, the victim is telling him that she needs to go to the hospital.

The mother of the victim testified next, telling the jury that she went to visit her daughter at Skyline Hospital in Nashville. She explained how she had a difficult time finding her due to HIPAA regulations and that she was not able to locate her until after the craniotomy. She showed the jury the photographs that she took of her child on the ventilator, her head wrapped in a large bandage, her face swollen.

Finally, the victim took the stand and explained to the jury her relationship with the Defendant and that they have a seventeen year old son together. She said that the fight started that night when she took his synthetic marijuana and hid it in her purse so that he would not be able to smoke it. It was then that she went outside and began walking across the street to go to the neighbor's house when the first assault of the evening occurred. He punched her in her left eye, which caused her to fall into the neighbor's fence. The Defendant punched her in the back of her head, and she fell to the ground. He kicked her, took her purse, and left in his vehicle. She described that she was able to make it back to her house, and she sent him a text telling him she needed to go to the hospital.

The girlfriend of Joseph Williams told the jury that he finally came home and refused to get her help. He told her to call the ambulance herself. When she went outside on the porch, the Defendant followed her. He punched her in back of her head, and she fell to her knees. As she was trying to pull herself up on the railing, the Defendant stomped on her head, and that was the last thing that she clearly remembers. The jury heard the 911 call, the the victim advised the jury that she does not remember calling 911, seeing the medics, or going to the hospital. She reluctantly told the jury that she still loved the Defendant, but she had to testify against him to prevent him from doing this to someone else.

The last witness for the Commonwealth was Doctor Helphenstine from Jennie Stuart Medical Center, who treated the victim on the night of the assault. He described her condition when she arrived and the array of tests that were performed for him to reach the diagnosis of epidural hematoma. He explained that she was placed on a ventilator and given many medications. Dr. Helphenstine went on to describe the urgency of having her transported to Nashville for a craniotomy, and he was concerned about whether or not she would survive the transport. He described how a craniotomy is performed and the risks associated with that type of surgery. He was shown a photograph of the steps leading to the front porch of Stephanie's residence, and he testified that he does not believe that a fall from those steps would cause this severe of a head injury. The type of head injury that she suffered, he opined, was one of the most deadly types of head injuries that a person can suffer, others being decapitation and a gunshot wound to the head.

After an hour and thirty-nine minutes of deliberation, the jury found the Defendant Guilty of Assault 1<sup>st</sup> degree. The jury then heard from Probation and Parole in the penalty phase regarding types of felonies and the associated penalty ranges, inmates meeting the parole board, and the amount of time one has to serve before meeting the parole board. In regards to the charge of Persistent Felony Offender, the clerk testified about the Defendant's past felony convictions and the dates of those prior felony indictments. After deliberation, the jury found the Defendant Guilty of being a Persistent Felony Offender. His final sentencing is scheduled for June 9, 2015.



### **COMMONWEALTH VS. WILLIAM STOKES**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department

On April 20, 2015, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Katherine Garber tried the case of Commonwealth v. William Stokes. Stokes was charged with Possession of Cocaine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

This case began on August 9, 2014, when a female arrived at the Hopkinsville Police Department with obvious injuries stating that she had been involved in an assault at the Little River Motel on North Main Street in Hopkinsville. The female advised officers that she was assaulted, because she smoked the last of the crack cocaine but was not interested in prosecuting. Officers went to the motel to make contact with the perpetrators. It was at this time that they made contact with the Defendant, who gave officers consent to search his room. During the search, Officers Brent and Sierra located a ceramic plate that contained remnants of crack cocaine, a razor blade, metal pipes and push rods used to ingest the cocaine. The officers approached the Defendant with the evidence, and he admitted that it was his. The Defendant was arrested and charged.

At the trial, Officer Sierra testified about the evening of August 9, 2014 and that he made contact with the Defendant at the motel. Officer Sierra stated that he obtained consent to search the Defendant's room and showed the jury the Consent to Search form that contained the Defendant's signature. He told the jury about the search that was conducted and the findings. The jury was shown photographs of the scene as well as the actual evidence seized from the motel room.

Next, Josh Turner, who handles the evidence for the Hopkinsville Police Department, explained the chain of custody process for evidence collected at the scene and how it is logged into evidence at the department. He explained how drug evidence is sent to the Kentucky State Police laboratory for testing. Neil Vowels from the Kentucky State Police testified that he was the one who analyzed the cocaine that was collected in this case. He verified that the substance was cocaine, a controlled substance. After less than twenty-five minutes of deliberation, the jury found the Defendant Guilty. His final sentencing hearing is scheduled for July 7, 2015.

## **GUILTY PLEAS/SENTENCINGS:**

This section of our Newsletter includes a brief description of sentencing hearings that took place during the previous two-month period. While many consider “plea-bargains” as a negative way to resolve cases, defendants typically plead guilty to the same charges they are indicted for. When the defendant is sentenced following a guilty plea, they stand convicted of the charges just as if a jury had found them guilty. Therefore, the only thing they bargain away is their right to a jury trial and right to appeal. You will also see the jail-intake photos of these Defendants, when available.

Once the Commonwealth makes an offer and the Defendant enters a guilty plea, it is up to the Circuit Judge to determine if the Defendant will be probated or sentenced to prison. Another option that the judge has is one that must be agreed upon by the Defendant and by the Commonwealth – Pretrial Diversion. A “Pretrial Diversion” is only available to those defendants that are pleading guilty to Class D felonies [1-5 years] [DUIs shall be ineligible] and they are only allowed one diversion in any five (5) year period.

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### **COMMONWEALTH V. DEMARCO POINDEXTER**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Resisting Arrest; Attempted Assault on Service Animal, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree; Disorderly Conduct, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree; Assault 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
**Disposition:** 12 Months – Probated



### **COMMONWEALTH V. MICHAEL KOROLEVICH**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff’s Office  
**Bench Trial Date:** December 4, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Manslaughter 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. ANTONIO MUMFORD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 10, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Deception over \$500; Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, 14 Counts; Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon; Possession of Cocaine; Tampering with a Prisoner Monitoring Device  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. CHARLIE TAYLOR**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner



**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** September 24, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, 2 Counts; Assault 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 15 Years – Prison

**COMMONWEALTH V. MATTHEW MCGUIRE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 10, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary 3<sup>rd</sup> degree; Theft by Unlawful Taking  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. MICHAEL D. THOMAS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 12, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Charges:** Engaging In Organized Crime; Trafficking In Cocaine over 4 Grams; Witness Tampering; Possession of Cocaine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense; Possession of Marijuana; Persistent Felony Offender, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 15 Years - Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. DORRENCE HILL**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Jury Trial Date:** November 12, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Assault under Extreme Emotional Disturbance  
**Disposition:** 4 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. MICHAEL THOMAS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 12, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine, Subsequent Offense; Possession of Marijuana; Tampering with a Witness; Complicity to Trafficking in Cocaine; Engaging in Organized Crime; Trafficking in Cocaine; Persistent Felony Offender, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 2 Counts  
**Disposition:** 15 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. MICHAEL CARDWELL**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Private Complaint  
**Guilty Plea Date:** April 23, 2014





**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property over \$500.00  
**Disposition:** 1 Year - Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. VANESSA CARDWELL**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Private Complaint  
**Guilty Plea Date:** April 23, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property over \$500.00  
**Disposition:** 1 Year - Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. SARAH KING**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 25, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine  
**Disposition:** 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. MARIO SHARP**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Private Complaint  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 26, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property over \$500.00  
**Disposition:** 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. TERRANCE CHAMBERS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 5, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking in Marijuana, 8 ounces to 5 pounds; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia  
**Disposition:** 2 years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. RAYMOND CHILDRESS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Office of Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** August 19, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** False Statement/Misrepresentation to Receive Benefits over \$100  
**Disposition:** 3 years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. LARRY DEASON**

**Judge:** John Atkins



**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 12, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Methamphetamine; Controlled Substance Prescription Not in Original Container; Operate Motor Vehicle under the Influence of Alcohol/Drugs 1<sup>st</sup> offense; Failure to or Improper Signal  
**Disposition:** 5 years – Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. MARVIN GEE**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Pennyriple Narcotics Task Force  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 17, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument  
**Disposition:** 2 years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. ZACHERY KING**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 12, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Sexual Abuse 1<sup>st</sup> degree victim under 12 years of age  
**Disposition:** 8 years - Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. MELISSA CLARK**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 21, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2014  
**Charges:** Tampering with Physical Evidence; Falsely Reporting an Incident  
**Disposition:** 1 year – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. GBEAUYADAU J. DUO**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** October 23, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Matter Portraying a Sexual Performance by a Minor; Possession of Cocaine; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Firearm; Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500; Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500, 6 counts  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison. Twenty year Sex Offender Registry



**COMMONWEALTH V. LOUIS WOODARD**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department



**Guilty Plea Date:** November 26, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Cocaine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense, 2 counts  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Prison

**COMMONWEALTH V. BENZARIUS WATKINS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 19, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 10, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Cocaine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense; Tampering with Physical Evidence; Fleeing/Evading Police, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Unapproved or No Eye Protective Device, Motorcycle  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. BRAJUN WILLIAMS**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 17, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine; Tampering with Physical Evidence, 2 counts; Controlled Substance Prescription Not in Original Container; Reckless Driving  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. DARRYL DOBSON**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Carrying Concealed Deadly Weapon  
**Disposition:** 12 Months – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. JAMES WHITE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Kentucky State Police  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 12, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine; Possession of Opiates; Promoting Contraband, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, 2 counts; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Controlled Substance Prescription not in Original Container  
**Disposition:** 3 years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. ANTHONY P'POOL**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Kentucky State Police  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 12, 2014



**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Cultivating Marijuana 5 or more Plants while Armed; Possession of a Handgun by a Convicted Felon; Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon, 5 Counts; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia while Armed; Possession of Marijuana while Armed; Failure to Notify Address Change to Dept. of Transportation;  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison

**COMMONWEALTH V. CHRISTOPHER SADDLER**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 11, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Fleeing or Evading Police, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 12 Months – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. CHRISTOPHER DILLER**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 11, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500, Criminal Trespass 1st  
**Disposition:** 12 Months - Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. DAVID MACK**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 12, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 12, 2015  
**Charges:** Disorderly Conduct, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 90 Days – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. DEMARCUS GEORGE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 17, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 17, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking in Marijuana; Possession of a Handgun by a Convicted Felon  
**Disposition:** 14 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. JAMIE NICK**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 17, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Methamphetamine; Complicity to Theft; PDP; Possession of Marijuana  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. TROY S. LYONS**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Kentucky State Police  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Charges:** Escape, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Persistent Felony Offender, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. STEPHEN LAMB**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Kentucky State Police  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 17, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Methamphetamine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. REGINA EDWARDS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Office of the Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** July 16, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Charges:** Fraudulently Obtaining CCAP Benefits under \$100  
**Disposition:** 1 Year – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. GINGER GILFORD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Pennyryle Narcotics Task Force  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 23, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 18, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking in a Controlled Substance, Hydromorphone, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. ASHLEY WELBORN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Office of the Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 30, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** March 25, 2015  
**Charges:** Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. JONATHON MCGUIRE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 26, 2014



**Sentencing Date:** March 25, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft of Prescription Blank, 10 counts  
**Disposition:** 5 Years - Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. KIZZY DUMAN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** US Army Criminal Investigations Division  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 30, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Methylone; Trafficking In Lortab; Trafficking In Marijuana under 8 Oz.  
**Disposition:** 1½ Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. CHARLES HANSEN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department/Kentucky State Police  
**Trial Date:** January 12, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Reckless Homicide, 2 counts  
**Verdict/Disposition:** 1 year – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. DONNIE MANNAHAN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** May 28, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500, 4 counts  
**Disposition:** 2 Years - Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. JANNA GREEN (EZELL)**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Attempting or Obtaining a Controlled Substance by Fraud, False Statement, or Forgery; Criminal Possession of a Forged Prescription, First Offense  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. JEFFREY AVERITT**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Manufacturing Methamphetamine, 2 Counts; Possession of Handgun by a Convicted Felon; Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon; Possession of Marijuana; Trafficking in Methamphetamine; Tampering with Physical Evidence



**Disposition:** 15 Years – Prison

**COMMONWEALTH V. JOSH DAVIS**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Lynn Pryor  
**Police Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 30, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Sexual Abuse, 1<sup>st</sup> degree, victim under 12 years of Age  
**Disposition:** 7 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. ANTONIO PERSON**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 1, 2015  
**Charges:** Assault, 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree; Resisting Arrest; Menacing  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



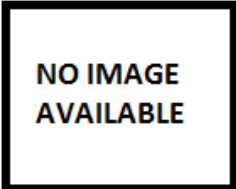
**COMMONWEALTH V. RONALD LIVINGSTON**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 21, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Opiates; Promoting Contraband, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Theft by Unlawful Taking of a Controlled Substance under \$10,000; Possession of Suboxone; Possession of Klonopin; Controlled Substance Prescription Not in Original Container  
**Disposition:** 4 Years – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. DANIELLE MILAN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Office of the Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100; Fraudulently Obtaining Medicaid Benefits over \$100  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. GLEN SMITH**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 21, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, 2 Counts; Burglary, 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 7 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. ELIZABETH GREENWELL**



**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Pennyriple Narcotics Task Force  
**Guilty Plea Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Facilitation to Trafficking in Buprenorphine  
**Disposition:** 12 Months – Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. JASMINE COLEMAN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 18, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Wanton Endangerment, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Operating a Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Drugs or Alcohol with Aggravator; Failure to Use Child Restraint  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted (DUI Not Diverted)



**COMMONWEALTH V. LATISHA FORTE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 21, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 8, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Opiates; Controlled Substance Prescription Not in Original Container  
**Disposition:** 3 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. THOMAS NUNEZ**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 22, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 9, 2014  
**Charges:** Tampering with Physical Evidence; Trafficking in Marijuana, Less than 8 Ounces; Disregarding Traffic Control Device  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. QUANTA BURSE**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Dept.  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500  
**Disposition:** 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. GIOVANNI HASKINS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Dept.  
**Guilty Plea Date:** October 8, 2014





**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500, Unlawful Transaction with a Minor, 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 3 Years - Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. BRITTANY HABY**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Kentucky State Police  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking in Hydrocodone  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. HARVEY BLAIR**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** September 18, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking of a Controlled Substance under \$10,000  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. LISA CHILTON**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Agency:** Rent-a-Center Direct Submission  
**Guilty Plea Date:** October 16, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property over \$500  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. JENNIFER HADDEN**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 15, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Facilitation to Manufacturing Methamphetamine, 1<sup>st</sup> Offense; Trafficking in Methamphetamine Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property under \$500; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Public Intoxication; Unauthorized Parking in a Handicapped Zone  
**Disposition:** 10 Years – Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. JAMES HARDY**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 11, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, Third Degree; Theft by Deception under \$500, Two Counts, Reckless Driving  
**Disposition:** 3 Years – Prison



### COMMONWEALTH V. SAWANDA HILL

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Office of the Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100; Fraudulently Obtaining Medicaid Benefits over \$100  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



### COMMONWEALTH V. WILLIAM JOHNSTON

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Using Restricted Ammunition during a Felony (Shots Fired/No Injury); Wanton Endangerment, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Tampering with Physical Evidence; Trafficking in Marijuana, Less than 8 Ounces, While Armed  
**Disposition:** 6 Years – Prison



### COMMONWEALTH V. DIANA QUARLES

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Office of the Inspector General  
**Guilty Plea Date:** July 16, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100  
**Disposition:** 3 Years – Probated & Diverted



### COMMONWEALTH V. BEN TAYLOR

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** November 19, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated



### COMMONWEALTH V. RANDY CHEVALIER

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 14, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Assault under Extreme Emotional Disturbance  
**Disposition:** 3 years – Probated



### COMMONWEALTH V. SHAWN ELLIS

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber



**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** September 10, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Unlawful Transaction with a Minor 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
**Disposition:** 5 years – Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. MARIO THOMAS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 21, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property over \$500; Fleeing or Evading Police, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Fleeing or Evading Police, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Resisting Arrest; Driving on a Revoked License  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. GABRIELL LEAVELL**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 20, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Marijuana under 8 Ounces, While Armed; Carrying Concealed Deadly Weapon; Possession of Xanax, while Armed; PDP, while Armed  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. DEANTON GREENWADE**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Trial Date:** January 5, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Persistent Felony Offender, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree  
**Verdict/Disposition:** 12½ years – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. KAREEM GONZALES**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 5, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree (Complicity)  
**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated



**COMMONWEALTH V. SIDNEY FALKNER, III**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department, Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 20, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 14, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Methamphetamine, While Armed; Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Trafficking in



Methamphetamine; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property o/\$500, 2 counts; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Firearm, 2 counts; Tampering with Physical Evidence; PDP, while Armed; Possession of a Handgun By Felon, 2 counts; Manufacturing Methamphetamine; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property over \$10,000; Possession of Marijuana; Bail Jumping, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Persistent Felony Offender, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree

**Disposition:** 10 Years – Prison

### **COMMONWEALTH V. SHAWN BAIRD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Bail Jumping, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree; Theft by Deception over \$500; Theft by Deception under \$500, 19 counts

**Disposition:** 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



### **COMMONWEALTH V. JOSEPH SISK**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Facilitation to Manufacturing Methamphetamine; Controlled Substance Endangerment, 4<sup>th</sup> Degree; PDP; Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property

**Disposition:** 5 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. JENNIFER SCOTT**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Manufacturing Methamphetamine; Controlled Substance Endangerment, 4<sup>th</sup> Degree; PDP

**Disposition:** 10 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. ELLERY POOLE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Office  
**Guilty Plea Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine; PDP; Operating a Motor Vehicle Under the Influence of Alcohol or Controlled Substance; Failure to us Turn Signal

**Disposition:** Deferred Prosecution on Possession charge. 12 Months – probated on others



### **COMMONWEALTH V. CALVIN HEAD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner



**Police Agency:** Oak Grove Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 28, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Knowingly Receiving a Stolen Firearm; Possession of a Handgun by a Convicted Felon; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, while Armed; Possession of Marijuana, while Armed; Communication Device Violation, 1<sup>st</sup> Offense  
**Disposition:** 8 Years – Prison

### **COMMONWEALTH V. RYAN GRAVES**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** December 30, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 15, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Methamphetamine; Tampering with Physical Evidence; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Operating a Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Drugs or Alcohol; Second Offense; Operating on a Suspended/Revoked Operators License; Failure to Illuminate Head Lamps  
**Disposition:** 3 Years – Probated



### **COMMONWEALTH V. TRAVIS MERRITT**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** June 18, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 17, 2015  
**Charges:** Robbery 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
**Disposition:** 10 years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. JUSTIN THOMAS**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 23, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 21, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Possession of Handgun by Felon; Forgery, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Possession of Firearm by Felon, 3 counts; Criminal Possession Forged Instrument, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree  
**Disposition:** 10 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. NIGEL SANDERS**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 30, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 22, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Cocaine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense; Disorderly Conduct, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree; Possession of Handgun by Felon; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Firearm; Restricted Ammo during Commission of Felony (No Shots Fired)  
**Disposition:** 6 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. WILLIAM JOHNSON**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Pennyriple Narcotics Task Force  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 22, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Lortab; Alcohol Intoxication  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. MARK DILLARD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** January 16, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 22, 2015  
**Charges:** Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500, Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500  
**Disposition:** 5 Years - Probated & Diverted



### **COMMONWEALTH V. RICKY WALLACE**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Adam Turner  
**Police Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 22, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Methamphetamine; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Operating a Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Drugs or Alcohol; Reckless Driving  
**Disposition:** 2 Years – Probated



### **COMMONWEALTH V. JAMES SOWELL**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** March 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 23, 2015  
**Charges:** Burglary 2<sup>nd</sup> degree; Unlawful Transaction 2<sup>nd</sup> degree, 4 counts  
**Disposition:** 8 years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. EDWARD SETTLES**

**Judge:** John Atkins  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** October 1, 2014  
**Sentencing Date:** April 27, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking in Marijuana 8oz to < 5lbs, 1<sup>st</sup> offense; Convicted Felon in Possession of Firearm; Persistent Felony Offender 1<sup>st</sup> degree; Possession of Controlled Substance  
**Disposition:** 10 years – Prison



### **COMMONWEALTH V. VENTRELL WHEELER**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department



**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 29, 2015  
**Charges:** Trafficking In Cocaine, 3 counts  
**Disposition:** 4 Years -- Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. JASON LASTER**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Michael Cotthoff  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 25, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 29, 2015  
**Charges:** Manufacturing Methamphetamine; Controlled Substance Endangerment, 4<sup>th</sup> Degree; PDP  
**Disposition:** 10 Years -- Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. SUNSHINE AUSTIN**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Duncan Cavanah  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 29, 2015  
**Charges:** Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500; Carrying Concealed Deadly Weapon; Possession of Controlled Substance not in Original Container, 2 counts; Trafficking in Controlled Substance, 3 counts, While Armed  
**Disposition:** 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



**COMMONWEALTH V. RAYMOND FLOYD**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Hopkinsville Police Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 30, 2015  
**Charges:** Failure to Comply with Sex Offender Registry 1<sup>st</sup> offense; Alcohol Intoxication in a Public Place; Harassing Communications  
**Disposition:** 1 Year – Prison



**COMMONWEALTH V. NATHAN RAY**

**Judge:** Andrew Self  
**Prosecutor:** Katherine Garber  
**Agency:** Christian County Sheriff's Department  
**Guilty Plea Date:** February 4, 2015  
**Sentencing Date:** April 30, 2015  
**Charges:** Unlawful Transaction with a Minor 2<sup>nd</sup> degree, 4 counts; Unlawful Transaction with a Minor 3<sup>rd</sup> degree  
**Disposition:** 3 Years – Probated



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