



Warren County Drug Task Force

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- Information received through the Clearcreek Township Police Department indicating drug trafficking activities involving several students attending Springboro High School and the Warren County Career Center.
- Joint investigation with assistance from the following agencies:
 - Warren County Drug Task Force
 - Warren County Sheriff's Office
 - Clearcreek Township Police Department
 - Springboro Police Department
 - Lebanon Police Department
- Investigation of approximately 3 months resulted in the identification of 9 individuals involved in trafficking marijuana:
 - Total of 7 individuals currently indicted/charged (See attachment.)
 - 3 defendants charged through Warren County Juvenile Court.
 - 4 defendants indicted through the Warren County Grand Jury.
 - 6 arrested at this time and one wanted with active Warrant on Indictment (David Singleton.)
 - Two individuals have been identified with charges expected in the near future.
 - Charged are 2 Springboro High School students & 4 Warren County Career Center students.
 - 3 search warrants served during investigation (Springboro & Waynesville areas.)
 - Approximately 4 pounds of marijuana recovered (buys, search warrants and during arrests.)
 - Digital scales and drug ledgers recovered during search warrants/arrests.
 - Approximately \$7,000 cash seized (combined.)
 - 1 vehicle seized.
- **None of the trafficking of drugs occurred on any of the school grounds. In addition, the traffickers indicated they would not possess or sell on school grounds due to the aggressive preventative action by the school, their School Resource Officers (SRO), and the unannounced narcotic canine sniffs that are conducted periodically at both schools. In addition, none of the arrests occurred on school grounds, and significant indication in many of the cases was that the parents of those involved in these offenses were being less than diligent when it came to supervising their offspring.**

#	Name:	Age/DOB:	Charges:	Address:	High School:	Court
1	Michael Huff (Arrested)	18 - 10/14/91	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Contributing (M1)	100 Teakwood Lane - Springboro, OH	Springboro High School	CPC
2	Darin Snyder (Arrested)	17 - 04/08/93	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4)	9907 Scotch Pines Drive - Springboro, OH	Springboro High School	Juvenile
3	Justin Combs (Arrested)	18 - 04/27/92	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Hash Oil (F4)	45 Edgebrook Drive #2 - Springboro, OH	Warren Co. Career Center	Juvenile
4	Florentino Plata (Arrested)	18 - 5/14/91	Trafficking in Marijauna (F5) Trafficking in Marijauna (F5) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Contributing (M1) Trafficking in Marijuana (F3) Possession of Marijuana (F4) Contributing (M1)	5434 N. Waynesville Rd #48 Waynesville Pending Pending Pending	Warren Co. Career Center	CPC
5	Steven Rice (Arrested)	18 - 02/17/92	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F5)	315 Adams Moor Drive - Waynesville, OH	Warren Co. Career Center	CPC
6	Michael Linblad (Arrested)	17 - 06/17/92	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F3) Possession of Marijuana (F4)	12 N. East Street Lebanon, OH Pending Pending	Warren Co. Career Center	Juvenile
7	David Singleton (Wanted)	21 - 12/06/88	Trafficking in Marijuana (F4) Trafficking in Marijuana (F4)	7884 Bunnell Hill Road Springboro, OH AT LARGE - Wanted Person	N/A	CPC