Impaired driving

During the late evening hours on Saturday October 25th Shelburne Police received information from a motorist that a Chevrolet Malibu was driving in a dangerous manner.

Officers located a matching motor vehicle operating in the Town of Shelburne and initiated an investigation. As a result 22 year old Glenn Newans of Shelburne was arrested and charged with Impaired Operation and Over 80 Operation of a Motor Vehicle under the Criminal Code of Canada. The accused had almost 3 times the legal limit of alcohol in his system when he provided his breath samples.

As with all impaired charges, Newans vehicle was impounded for 7 days and his drivers instantly suspended for 90 days. The consequences of an impaired conviction may include jail time, licence suspensions and prohibitions, probation and hefty fines. Newans was release on a promise to appear with a court date in early November.