

Youth and adult charged in Shelburne

Just after midnight on Tuesday June 24th Shelburne Police located a suspect vehicle in town as a result of obtaining information that the occupants were breaching their probation conditions. The vehicle was observed operating in the town of Shelburne and investigated by police. The adult male driver of the vehicle was arrested for Driving While under Suspension and Breach of Probation. When officers approached and advised the youth female passenger that she was under arrest for breaching her probation conditions, she locked the car doors and refused to co-operate with police demands. She then moved to the driver's seat and started the car attempting to flee police. Officers forcibly obtained access to the vehicle to stop the youth from fleeing. The female was subsequently arrested and charged under the criminal code with Take Motor Vehicle without Consent, Dangerous Operation of a Motor Vehicle and two counts of Fail to Comply with Youth Criminal Justice Act Disposition. Both were released with court dates in July. Further details of the incident and the names of both accused are being withheld to prevent the identification of the youth involved. The Youth Criminal Justice Act prohibits any youth to be identified.