



# **SAN BENITO POLICE**

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE, POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA**

**MONDAY AUGUST 5, 2013**



#### **REYNALDO HERNANDEZ**

On Friday August 2, 2013 at 09:50pm Patrol Officers were patrolling on the 300 block of W. Stenger and noticed a gray in color Nissan Pickup with a defective tail light. A traffic stop was conducted and contact was made with the driver and passengers. A male sitting in the bed of the pickup was identified as 43 year old Reynaldo Hernandez. The driver had laceration to the top of his head and face. Hernandez was asked to step down from the bed of the pickup for interview. When Hernandez stepped down the Officer noticed a blue in color clear plastic baggie with a white/yellowish rock like substance under his person. The white/yellowish rock like substance was tested and the results were positive for containing cocaine. Hernandez was placed under arrest for Possession of a Controlled Substance (Cocaine) in a Drug Free Zone due to the city park being within 1,000 ft of the offense. He was arraigned by Justice of the Peace Judge David Garza and bond was set at \$10,000 dollars.



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### **DELLA GALVAN**

On Friday August 2, 2013 at 06:59pm Patrol Officers conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle at the intersection of Biddle St. and Business 77. Contact was made with the driver and passenger of the vehicle who appeared to be extremely nervous. The passenger was identified as 44 year old Della Galvan and the Officer ran a wanted and warrant check on Galvan. It was later confirmed that she had a warrant out of Cameron County Sheriff's Office. Galvan also stated she had several hydrocodone pills in her left front pocket. Approximately 10 pills were removed from her pocket. Mrs. Galvan also stated she was concealing crack cocaine in her bra. She was transported to the station for booking and while in booking she removed a clear in color blue plastic baggie containing two pieces of suspected crack cocaine. A field test of the substance resulted in a positive for the presence of cocaine. She was placed under arrest for Possession of a Controlled Substance in a Drug Free Zone (Cocaine) and Possession of a Controlled Substance in a Drug Free Zone (Hydrocodone) due to Frank Roberts Elementary being within 1,000 ft of the Offense. She was later arraigned by Justice of the Peace David Garza and Bond was set at \$15,000 dollars.

### **Tomas Lemus**

On Saturday August 03, 2013 a Patrol Officer conducted a stop on a vehicle with four males. Additional Officers arrived on scene and a Patrol Officer made contact with the rear driver side passenger who was fumbling around with an unknown object. The Officer repeatedly told the male to place his hands where they can be seen and the male would continue to try and conceal the unknown object. The male was then removed from the vehicle and patted down for any weapons or illegal substance. The male was identified as 47 year old Tomas Lemus. Lemus was asked if there was anything illegal on his person and he stated he had marijuana in his lower right side shorts pocket. The marijuana was located and Lemus was placed under arrest for Possession of Marijuana Less than 2 ounces in a Drug Free Zone due to Frank Roberts Elementary being within 1,000 ft of the Offense. He was later arraigned by Justice of the Peace Judge David Garza and Bond was set at \$5,000 dollars.

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