



LEWISTON POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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Burglary Arrest

On May 7, 2017 at 1204 pm, Lewiston Police officers responded to the Nez Perce County Fair Building, 1226 Burrell Avenue for a burglary in progress. A citizen who lives near the fair building, called 911, reporting a shirtless male was trying to pry open one of the doors to the building with a crow bar.

Arriving officers detained a male subject at the scene. He was identified as 50 year old Lewiston resident, Gary S Walter. Investigation and evidence left at the scene lead to Gary's arrest for attempted burglary. Gary was booked into the Nez Perce County Jail for this offense as well as a misdemeanor drug charge.

The investigation is still on-going and more charges may be forthcoming.

The Lewiston Police Department would like to thank and encourage citizens for reporting suspicious activity.

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Rank: K-9 Officer

Section: Patrol

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