

# Coeur d'Alene Police Dept Downtown Bar Report

June 9<sup>th</sup> – 18th, 2011



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## INTRODUCTION

This report was compiled on June 24, 2011 at the request of Captain Childers.

The types of information used to create this report include calls for service, crime reports and field interviews extracted from our Summit database.

Database records were reviewed and compiled based upon both how the record is related to a specific bar or bar activity in general in the downtown Coeur d'Alene area. The following is a table of the establishments and addresses associated with them.

BAR	LOCATION
BAJA BARGARITA	115 N 2ND
SHORE LOUNGE	115 S 2ND ST
CDA BREWING COMP	209 E LAKESIDE AVE
EAGLES LODGE #48	209 E SHERMAN AVE
TORCH LOUNGE (RENDEZVOUS)	216 E COEUR D ALENE AVE
WINE CELLAR	313 E SHERMAN AVE
ICON	317 E SHERMAN AVE
THE BEACON	325 E SHERMAN AVE
THE MOOSE MARKET	401 E SHERMAN AVE
MIK & MACS (9 BELOW)	406 N 4TH ST
IRON HORSE	407 E SHERMAN AVE
LAKERS INN	407 N 2ND ST
CRICKETS	424 E SHERMAN AVE

Notably, it is not always possible to obtain information about where a suspect may have been drinking (e.g. too inebriated) or if a particular crime is directly related to a specific establishment. In that context, the **purpose of this report is to provide a general overview of downtown activities in an effort to increase communication between bar establishments and local law enforcement with the final goal of improving public safety.**

**Information on BAC (Blood Alcohol Content) as referenced in this report:**

**State of Idaho BAC DUI Laws:**

- **All drivers** with a **BAC .08** or higher (enhanced if **BAC .20** or more)
- **Under 21 years of age** with a **BAC of .02** or higher
- **Commercial Drivers** with a **BAC of .04** or more

**Thursday, June 9, 2011: 0301 hours**  
**210 E Sherman Ave – Theft - #11C16047**

Officers responded to a **grand theft** call regarding a purse that had been stolen from the **Splash**. It appears the victim left her purse by the DJ stand, a male picked up the purse and walked out with it telling people it was his girlfriend's purse and had vomit on it. People at the bar remembered the suspect, and he was later tracked down and confessed to taking the purse.

**Friday, June 10, 2011: 2257 hours**  
**N 3<sup>rd</sup> St & E Lakeside Ave – Disorderly - #CD1457905**

Officers responded to a **fight** call and warned three males who had knocked over a news stand. Even though one male was overly aggressive (threw his wallet to the ground and told officers he was a multiple felon and had been arrested in three countries), the officers gave them a warning and sent them on their way.

**Friday, June 10, 2011: 2319 hours**  
**401 E Sherman Ave – Disorderly - #CD1457911**

Officers responded to a **fight** call and warned a 24 year old male who was trying to start fights.

**Saturday, June 11, 2011: 0122 hours**  
**300 E Sherman Ave– Disturbance - #CD1457931**

Officers responded to a **fight** about to start call involving four males and two females where one female was getting into a male's face. The group was highly intoxicated and all parties were coming from **Splash**.

**Saturday, June 11, 2011: 0159 hours**  
**317 E Sherman Ave – Fight - #CD1457933**

Officers responded to a **fight** call where a male reported he had been pushed while inside the **Beacon**. Apparently he was upset and wanted to go back into the bar but was escorted out by security.

**Saturday, June 11, 2011: 0208 hours**  
**317 E Sherman Ave – Fight - #CD1457935**

Officers responded to a **fight** call at the **Icon** where one male pushed another. The suspect was lost in the crowd.

**Saturday, June 11, 2011: 0220 hours**  
**317 E Sherman Ave – Battery - #11C16318**

Officers responded to a **battery** call at the **Icon** reference a 24 year male who walked up to a 43 year old male and punched him in the face for no reason. Upon further investigation; however, it was revealed the "victim" (who was very intoxicated and had been annoying people all evening) had hit the suspect first. In addition, the "victim" called Dispatch while he was standing with the police officer (who told him to hang up the phone). The "victim" was charged with **Battery, False 911 Call and Impersonating an Officer** (told Dispatch he was Sgt. T---- and needed backup).

**Saturday, June 11, 2011: 0301 hours**  
**320 E Sherman Ave – Fight - #CD1457947**

Officers responded to a **fight** call. No further information available.

**Sunday, June 12, 2011: 0003 hours**

**317 E Sherman Ave – Fight - #11C16435**

Officers responded to a **fight** call involving a 22 year bouncer from **Icon** who had allegedly punched a 41 year old male.

**Sunday, June 12, 2011: 0102 hours**

**317 E Sherman Ave – Battery - #11C16438 & 11C16444**

Officers responded to a **fight** call at the **Icon** where an intoxicated 24 year old male claims the bartender threw a bottle at him and chipped his tooth. Other accounts indicate the “victim” was disrespectful and detained so security could escort him out of the bar.

**Sunday, June 12, 2011: 0236 hours**

**216 E Sherman Ave – Disorderly - #CD1458272**

Officers responded to a **disorderly** call at the **Rendezvous** where several people were yelling and screaming. No further information available.

**Sunday, June 12, 2011: 2204 hours**

**216 E Sherman Ave – False ID - #CD1458480**

Officers responded to a possible **false identification** call at the **Rendezvous**. No further information available.

**Thursday, June 16, 2011: 2240 hours**

**N 4<sup>th</sup> St & E Sherman Ave – Disorderly - #11C16968**

Officers arrested a 26 year old California male for being **intoxicated in the roadway** after observing him standing in the middle of Sherman, blocking traffic and pretending to be a bull (hunched forward and holding his hands up to simulate a bull’s horns).

**Car d’Lane Statistics, Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011 through June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011:** Between 1800 and 2130 hours, officers issued **68 Open Container** warnings. The majority of the warnings were given to **Iron Horse** customers who were not aware they could not have alcohol outside of the chained area in front of the bar. Nine of the warnings were given to **Moose Market** customers and three to **Icon/Beacon** customers. The remaining warnings (approximately 30) occurred in the general cruise area and were not particularly isolated to any specific bar.

Officers responded to **18 Disturbances/Fights**) which occurred primarily after the **Car Cruise** between 2130 and 0230 hours. A majority of these were arguments or some minor pushing/shoving observed by officers and immediate intervention prevented them from becoming worse. Of these, four disturbances occurred at the **Iron Horse**; one at the **Lakers**; three at the **Beacon**. **Additional information about these and other incidents is as follows:**

**Friday, June 17, 2011: 0030 hours**

**E Sherman Ave & N 3<sup>rd</sup> St – Disorderly - #CD1459662**

Officers responded to a call of a male lying in the street on Sherman Ave and later stumbling around. Officer located the male and found him a ride home.

**Friday, June 17, 2011: 2040 hours**

**300 Block E Sherman Ave – DUI - #11C17144**

Officers arrested a 55 year old male for **DUI (BAC = .138)** after observing him “burning out” with his vehicle down Sherman. Upon contact, officer noticed a can of beer between the male’s legs. He was also charged with **open container**.

**Friday, June 17, 2011: 2202 hours**

**407 E Sherman Ave – Domestic Battery - #11C17164**

Officers observed and responded to a **domestic battery** call after noticing a male yelling at a female and grab her by the elbow to keep her from moving away from him. When confronted by the officer, the 29 year old became confrontational and told the officer to mind his own business. By then a crowd of approximately 75 -100 people could see what was going on. The officer attempted to have the male move to a more isolated area to discuss the matter, but the male told the officer to “fuck off.” The male was very intoxicated and became upset when his girlfriend wanted to leave the **Iron Horse** before he was done with his drink, she attempted to leave the bar, and he grabbed her by her shirt and yanked her back. He was arrested for **domestic battery**.

**Saturday, June 18, 2011: 0148 hours**

**300 Block E Sherman Ave – Disorderly - #11C17221**

Officers observed an altercation in front of the **Icon** involving numerous people and bouncers. While approaching the group, officers noticed a bouncer with a male in a choke hold and another male behind the bouncer who “hay maker” punched the bouncer with a closed fist in the back of the head. As officers questioned the suspect, the 29 year old male kept repeating that he thought someone was being choked. The victim (bouncer) declined to pursue charges, but the suspect (who was very intoxicated) was cited anyway for **fighting in public**.

**Saturday, June 18, 2011: 0200hours**

**300 Block E Sherman Ave – Battery - #11C17225**

Officers observed an injured female who had hurt her ankle and was sitting on the ground crying. The female had two friends with her. The female and her friends were very intoxicated and not very cooperative with officers (telling them to keep their “man hands” off of them). The officers were able to ascertain the female had been hurt while exiting the **Icon** when one female had accidentally bumped into the other and was pushed in retaliation, falling to the ground and injuring her ankle. The offending female was arrested for **battery** and she resisted arrest (yelling and screaming, blocking the car door with her feet so it could not be closed, etc).

**Saturday, June 18, 2011: 0239 hours**

**407 N 2<sup>nd</sup> St – Fight - #11C17228**

Officers responded to a **fight** call at the **Lakers** involving several males, but no one wanted to pursue charges. According to various accounts: one male was walking and a group jumped him; the guy with no shirt started it (later it was determined the guy with no shirt was not involved); one of the males had started talking trash about some girls and wanted to fight. Most were intoxicated.

**Saturday, June 18, 2011: 2135 hours**

**317 E Sherman Ave – Battery - #11C17337**

Officers responded to a **fight** call at the **Icon** involving five males versus one and a large crowd. Upon arrival, one of the males was out of control and taken to the ground yelling and kicking. He was arrested for **obstructing and battery**. Apparently the bouncers had attempted to evict the male from the bar and he had resisted.