School Visit—Community Service Officer Mohamed Abdi was invited to read to students in two classrooms on Thursday, May 18th at a local school. CSO Abdi read Elmo, a favorite of his children and a hit amongst these students. After reading, the kids received Junior Police Badge stickers and a tour of a police vehicle. It was a great day and lots of fun was had by all the kids!

"Too Much" to Drink and Drive—On Sunday afternoon, May 14th, officers investigated a hit and run crash at Kwik Trip off 26th Street that resulted in a drunk driver arrest. A witness reports that he observed a Nissan Pathfinder blow through the stop sign at 26th Street & St. Paul Rd. The vehicle continued to KT and hit a parked vehicle as it entered the parking stall. A second witness also saw the collision and heard a loud “crunch”. The driver repositioned the vehicle, but never got out. Instead the vehicle left the scene. OPD officers found the vehicle at 909 Greenhaven Lane and spoke to the suspect—Tammy R. Fitch at the residence. Fitch presented many signs of intoxication, such as red-bloodshot watery eyes, slurred speech and poor balance. Fitch fell over twice while speaking to the officers and admitted to drinking “too much alcohol”. During field sobriety testing, Fitch lost her balance and had to be assisted to maintain a standing position. Fitch was arrested for DWI and submitted to a breath test at the detention center. An OPD officer who is a certified breath test operator, reported her BAC as .22. Tammy Fitch, 43, was formally charged with Third Degree DWI, and failing to stop for a property damage collision.