

Few DUIIs during long weekend

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Over the Labor Day weekend, Silverton police arrested one person for a DUII, while Mount Angel police arrested none.

According to Mount Angel Chief of Police Brent Earhart, it was a “very peaceful weekend.”

Both Silverton and Mount Angel police department claimed that the numbers from this weekend were quite typical.

From January through July 2006, Silverton cited 23 for DUII, while Mount Angel cited 14.

“It’s important with the upcoming Oktoberfest to not drink and drive,” Earhart said. “The community as a whole does a good job of acting responsible.”