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Sheriff Brian Burnett reports on August 30, 2014 deputies responded to the report of a passenger car in Lake Chelan near the 300 block of SR 150. Rescue swimmers from Chelan County Fire District 7 checked the passenger car and found no occupants inside. Nearby residents reported hearing a loud noise the previous night at approximately 1:30 a.m. The registered owner who lives in Chelan was contacted and reported his vehicle missing from a party. The vehicle was removed from the lake. We are continuing to investigate this incident. Anyone with information regarding the driver is encouraged to call the Chelan County Sheriff's Office.

Sheriff Brian Burnett reports on August 31, 2014 deputies responded to Chelan Falls for an ATV accident involving a 32 year old female driver from Redmond and a 38 year old male passenger from Bothell. The ATV reportedly drove through the intersection of Oregon Street and 2nd Street impacting a large stack of railroad ties. The male passenger had minor injuries. The female driver was transported to Central Washington Hospital with possible head injuries. Neither occupant was wearing a helmet and alcohol is suspected of being a contributing factor in the collision.

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