



2025 CF 002732

PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT

Sarasota County



ARR Agt: Sarasota County Sheriff's Office

ARR Type: Adult Arrest w/o Warrant

Rpt Type: ORIGINAL

SSO Case #: 202500026138	Bkg #: 25-2711	OBTS #: 5801327978	UTC #:
Agy Inc #: 25-26138	SAO #:	FDLE #:	

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Defendant: PAGNOTTA, DYLAN W				Alias:			
DOB: 08-04-1994	Age: 30	Sex: M	Race: W	Hgt: 511	Wgt: 220	Hair: BROWN	Eyes: BROWN
Street: 1400 LAKEFRONT DR			Apt: 720		City: SARASOTA	State: FL	Zip: 34240
Phone: (703) 231-9233		Scars/Tattoos:					
DL #: P253179942840	State: FL	SS #:		Place of Birth: UNKNOWN		VA	
Occupation: REFUSED			Employer: REFUSED				
Emp Address:						Phone:	
Citizenship	Immigration Status	Residence Type	Residence Status	Under the Influence			
USA		COUNTY	FULL YEAR	Drugs: UNK Alcohol: UNK			

CRIME EVENT

Crime Date/Time: 03-23-2025 18:44:00	Loc Type: RESIDENCE/SINGLE	Zone: 011	Grid: 108
Crime Location: 7442 N LEEWYNN DR	Apt: SARASOTA		
FS/Ord #: 784.021(1a)	AGGRAV ASSLT - WEAPON: W DEADLY WEAPON WITHOUT INTENT TO KILL	Level: F	Bond: 0
FS/Ord #: 790.19	WEAPON OFFENSE: MISSILE INTO DWELLING VEH BUILDING OR AIRCRAFT	Level: F	Bond: 0
FS/Ord #: 806.13(1b3)	DAMAGE PROP-CRIM.MISCH: 1000 DOLS OR MORE	Level: F	Bond: 2500
FS/Ord #: 806.13(1b3)	DAMAGE PROP-CRIM.MISCH: 1000 DOLS OR MORE	Level: F	Bond: 2500
Investigating Officer:		ID #:	
Drug Unit:	Drug Type:	Drug Activity:	
Weapon Type: HANDGUN	Weapon Finish:	Caliber:	Seized? YES

ARREST EVENT

Arrest Date/Time: 03-23-2025 00:00:00	Arrest L.E.O/ID #: SILER, JOSEPH	3593
	Assist L.E.O/ID #: MCCOMAS, BRENT	3010
Arrest Location: 6010 CATTLERIDGE BL	Apt:	Zone: 008 Grid: 128
Capias/Warrant #:	County/State of Warrant #:	
Bkg Date/Time: 3/24/2025 12:19:03 AM	Returnable Date: 04-25-2025	Booking Ofcr/ID #: LASSO, LUISA 3803
Released by:	Released to:	Released Date/Time:

VICTIM INFORMATION

Name: BEAR, JAMES DUSTIN	Phone:
Address:	Apt: City/St: Wk Phone:
DOB: Age: Sex: M Race: W	Release Notification Date/Time:

VICTIM INFORMATION

Name: SHERIFFS, SARASOTA OFFICE	Phone:
Address: 6010 CATTLERIDGE BL	Apt: City/St: SARASOTA FL Wk Phone: (941) 861-5800
DOB: 11-15-1989 Age: 35 Sex: N Race: N	Release Notification Date/Time:

VICTIM INFORMATION

Name: BEAR, BRONSON	Phone:
Address:	Apt: City/St: Wk Phone:
DOB: Age: Sex: M Race: W	Release Notification Date/Time:

CO-DEFENDANT

Co-Def Name: POLUBINSKY, TAYLOR	Home Phone: (941) 315-0464
Address: 4270 LUAWANA DR	Apt: City/St: SARASOTA FL Other Phone:
DOB: 06-09-1993 Age: 31 Sex: F Race: W	

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NARRATIVE

Report Date: 03-23-2025 23:56:19

Officer Name/ID #: SILER, JOSEPH

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On March 23, 2025, at about 1844 hours deputies responded to [REDACTED] for a family disturbance. Deputies made contact with James Bear, the victim, at his residence who stated he was shot at multiple times by Dylan Pagnotta. The victim stated Pagnotta left the area with Taylor Polubinsky in a white Ford F250 eastbound on Leewynn Dr. One spent shell casing was located in the road in front of the victim's residence.

The white Ford F250 was found abandoned about 1/4 mile away from the crime scene. Deputies then located both Pagnotta and Polubinsky on foot close to the truck where they were detained.

Deputies secured the truck and transported Polubinsky and Pagnotta to Sarasota County Sheriff's Office (SCSO) Headquarters for interviews.

The victim stated Polubinsky and Pagnotta showed up at his residence. Polubinsky attempted to get into the victim's home and Pagnotta stayed in his truck parked on the roadway. The victim stated the home was locked and Taylor began kicking the front door. Polubinsky then went to the back of the home and broke through a dog door to gain entry into the home. Once in the home Polubinsky started a physical altercation with the victim. The victim stated Polubinsky grabbed him by the beard and ripped off his necklace.

The victim went outside to tell Pagnotta to get Polubinsky out of his home. The victim stated he saw Pagnotta point a firearm at him while sitting in his truck. The victim heard at least 5 gunshots, and he ran back into the home. The victim stated he was not hit with any bullets during the shooting, but one round struck the ground near his foot and several others impacted the front of his residence. The victim stated his son was inside the home during the shooting and was unharmed.

Witnesses stated while Polubinsky and Bear were inside the residence, Pagnotta exited his vehicle, with a possible knife, and began damaging Bear's truck parked in the driveway. Detectives noticed several long deep scratches on the tailgate of the truck and several dents. The damage to Bear's truck was documented by SCSO Forensics.

The white Ford F250 was secured and towed to SCSO garage where a search warrant was secured. Located inside the Ford F250 were 6 spent casings, the firearm used in the crime (with an empty 7 round magazine), folding knife with white paint transfer, and other evidentiary items such as the firearm Polubinsky removed from victims' residence during this incident, and the victim's necklace.

While Pagnotta was in SCSO custody in an interview room he caused substantial damage to an interview room wall. Pagnotta kicked the interview room wall several times, going all the way through wall creating an extensive hole. When asked about the damage Pagnotta stated he was hot. Pagnotta was moved to a second interview room and caused additional damage to this interview room by breaking a chair.

Based on witness statements, victim statements, collected evidence, and the facts gathered during this investigation I find probable cause to charge Dylan Pagnotta with the following: Aggravated Assault w/deadly weapon FSS 784.021 (1 Felony Count), Shooting deadly missile into occupied dwelling FSS 790.19 (1 Felony Count), Criminal Mischief \$1000 or greater (2 Felony Counts) to wit: by shooting at the victim with a firearm, shooting into/toward the house with

Signature of L.E.O./Affiant

ID# 3593

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me

by reliable electronic means

this 24th day of March 2025

By: SILER, JOSEPH

(Name of Affiant)

Who is personally known to me: YES

Or who has produced identification:

Witness signature

Printed name

STROUD, JACKSON

ID# 3087

Supervisor signature

ID# 2488

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known occupants, causing damage to the victims vehicle parked in the driveway and causing damage to an interview room wall located at the SCSO Headquarters while handcuffed/ causing damage to a chair within an interview room while handcuffed.

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