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AUBURN POLICE ARREST FATHER AND SON FOR DRUG TRAFFICKING

On May 30, 2013, Officers Nick Gagnon and Justin Richardson arrested Christopher Moser 06/30/90 for Aggravated Trafficking in Scheduled Drugs. The officers discovered Moser in the parking lot of Roopers Beverage, 545 Minot Avenue with two ounces of Psilocybin Mushrooms packaged for sale. The charge was aggravated for being within 1000 feet of Fairview School.

After the arrest, the officers and an agent from the Maine Drug Enforcement Agency executed a search warrant on Moser's residence, 13 Samantha Lane. The officers discovered that Moser's father, Phillip Moser 09-17-71 was operating an extensive mushroom growing operation in the residence.

Officers seized 14.2 ounces of Psilocybin Mushrooms and a loaded .357 handgun located within the growing operation. Phillip Moser was charged with Aggravated Trafficking in Scheduled Drugs.

Christopher Moser is currently being held at the Androscoggin County Jail on \$5,000 cash bail. Phillip Mosher is currently being held at the Androscoggin County Jail on \$3,500 cash bail.

The street value of the seized mushrooms is \$700.



Christopher Moser

Phillip Moser

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