## LANE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

### NEWS RELEASE



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CASE NUMBER: Marion County Case #: 16-18872

Lane County Case #: 16-6657

**DATE/TIME OF RELEASE:** 9/16/2016 4:00 pm

NATURE OF STORY: Missing High School Student from Sublimity Found Deceased

LOCATION: Separation Lake Trailhead near the Three Sisters Wilderness

DECEASED: Trevor Mitchell, 18 years old, Sublimity, Oregon

#### **DETAILS:**

Trevor Mitchell, the missing 18 year old high school student from Sublimity, was located deceased by hikers last night (September 15, 2016) near Separation Lake. The Lane County Sheriff's Office will be investigating the death with the Lane County Medical Examiner's Office, but initial investigation indicates apparent suicide.

The Lane County Sheriff's Office would like to thank Trevor's family and friends, community members, and volunteers who assisted in the search efforts. Our thoughts are with the family and friends of Trevor.

#### 9/15/2016 News Release

Trevor Mitchell, an 18 year old high school student from Sublimity, Oregon, was reported missing to the Marion County Sheriff's Office on the evening of September 11, 2016. He was last seen by his family around noon that day wearing a navy polo shirt, blue jeans, and black Vans shoes. Trevor is described as being 5'11" tall and weighing approximately 135 pounds with sandy blond hair and blue eyes.

On September 13, 2016, Mitchell's vehicle was located at the Separation Lake trailhead near the Three Sisters Wilderness Area. Lane County Search and Rescue responded and searched the area that evening, then returned with additional resources the morning of September 14, 2016. Lane County Search and Rescue K9 teams, ground search teams, and riders from Lane County Sheriff's Mounted Posse have all participated in the search for Trevor. Search efforts continue today in the area of Separation Lake and the surrounding wilderness. At this time, no new information has been located to indicate Trevor's whereabouts.

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The Marion County Sheriff's Office and Lane County Sheriff's Office are asking for your assistance locating Trevor Mitchell. We are asking anyone who has seen Trevor since September 11, 2016 to call the Lane County Sheriff's Office at 541-682-4141.



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