OPERATION BROKEN HEART

Operation Broken Heart was a joint law enforcement sweep to fight cybercrime and protect Florida’s children, initiated and led by the Attorney General’s Tampa CyberCrime Task Force. The operation included 15 different agencies, all working together to put internet child predators behind bars.

**THREAT ASSESSMENT:** Research showed that a high volume of individuals distributing child pornography in the State of Florida were located in Tampa and surrounding cities.

**OPERATION DATES:** Operation Broken Heart was launched February 8, 2010 and concluded March 30, 2010.

**SEARCH WARRANTS EXECUTED:** 45

**ARRESTS:** 29

**CHILDREN RESCUED:** 2

**PENDING INVESTIGATIONS:** 9

**OPERATION HIGHLIGHTS:** One registered sex offender arrested; one defendant has already pled guilty.

**PARTNER AGENCIES:** U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE), the Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office, the Citrus County Sheriff’s Office, the Sumter County Sheriff’s Office, the Pasco County Sheriff’s Office, the Pinellas County Sheriff’s Office, the Sarasota County Sheriff’s Office, the New Port Richey Police Department, the Clearwater Police Department, the Plant City Police Department, the St. Petersburg Police Department, the Kenneth City Police Department, the Bradenton Police Department, and the Sarasota Police Department.
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Name: Milton Adams  
DOB: 4/5/1946  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 3/18/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 6 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Socrates Ardid  
DOB: 9/2/1982  
Location: Pinellas County  
Arrest Date: 2/25/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Clearwater Police Department  
Charges: 5 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Darren Banks  
DOB: 3/5/1968  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 2/17/2010; Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 7 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Glenn Beasley, Jr.  
DOB: 7/17/1964  
Location: Citrus County  
Arrest Date: 1/22/2010; Citrus County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 15 counts of possession of obscene material
Name: Joseph Ciancio  
DOB: 4/7/1963  
Location: Pinellas County  
Arrest Date: 2/12/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Clearwater Police Department, Largo Police Department  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Justin Collins  
Location: Pasco County  
Arrest Date: 2/8/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, ICE, Tampa Police Department, New Port Richey Police Department, Pasco County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: James Douglas Billings  
DOB: 04/25/1959  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 03/26/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Hillsborough Sheriff’s Office, ICE  
Charges: 7 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Raymond Scott Barrett  
DOB: 08/02/1963  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 03/26/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 5 counts of possession of obscene material
Name: Jared Coombs  
DOB: 1/26/1980  
Location: Pinellas County  
Arrest Date: 3/9/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, U.S. Coast Guard Investigative Services, ICE, Pinellas County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Jonathan Crotty  
DOB: 10/30/1990  
Location: Manatee County  
Arrest Date: 2/18/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, ICE, Bradenton Police Department  
Charges: 15 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Rodney Dillon  
DOB: 8/27/1944  
Location: Osceola County  
Arrest Date: 1/7/2010; Florida Department of Law Enforcement  
Charges: 75 counts of possession of obscene material, 1 count of promoting the sexual performance of a child

Name: Christian Gayheart  
DOB: 1/10/1992  
Location: Manatee County  
Arrest Date: 3/10/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit Bradenton Police Department, ICE  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Joseph Heard  
DOB: 5/17/1992  
Location: Sarasota County  
Arrest Date: 3/12/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Sarasota Sheriff’s Office, Sarasota Police Department  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material, 1 count of promoting the sexual performance of a child
Name: Roger N. Hebert  
DOB: 11/01/1949  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 03/24/2010; Attorney General’s Cybercrime Unit, Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 10 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Michael Kelley  
DOB: 4/29/1951  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 01/29/2010; Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 60 counts of possession of obscene material, 2 counts of sexual battery

Name: Douglas Laviano  
DOB: 6/27/1979  
Location: Sumter County  
Arrest Date: 2/11/2010- Sumter County Sheriff’s Office  
Sumter, Citrus County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 6 counts of possession of child pornography

Name: Michael Lowery  
DOB: 12/25/1967  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 2/3/2010; Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 35 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Bradley Mathews  
DOB: 9/13/1976  
Location: Citrus County  
Arrest Date: 1/6/2010; Citrus County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 19 counts of possession of obscene material
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Charges:
- Michael Moats: 20 counts of possession of obscene material
- Ernesto Nieves: 2 counts of possession of obscene material
- Adam Schulman: 1 count of lewd and lascivious exhibition, 2 counts of use of internet to lure a child
- Michael Seagraves: 1 count of solicitation of a child
- Thomas F. Richardson: 15 counts possession of obscene material
- James Smith: 2 counts of possession of obscene material
Name: Scott Stuckey  
DOB: 4/28/1967  
Location: Pinellas County  
Arrest Date: 1/16/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Boynton Beach Police Department, St. Petersburg Police Department, ICE  
Charges: 1 count of promoting the sexual performance of a child, 11 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Christopher Vanegeren  
DOB: 7/26/1984  
Location: Pinellas County  
Arrest Date: 3/17/2010- St. Petersburg Police Department, Attorney General’s Office CyberCrime Unit  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Jeffery Wasik  
DOB: 6/9/1982  
Location: Manatee County  
Arrest Date: 3/4/2010; Citrus County Sheriff’s Office, Manatee County Sheriff’s Department  
Charges: 5 counts lewd & lascivious conduct, 6 counts use of internet to lure a child, 1 count of transmitting harmful materials to a minor

Name: David Borres  
DOB: 4/3/1976  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 3/30/2010; Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office, ICE  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material

Name: Joshua Newell  
DOB: 2/9/1988  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 3/22/2010; Citrus County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 9 counts of using the internet to solicit a child, 2 counts of promoting the sexual performance of a child
Name: Scott Griffin  
DOB: 5/7/1986  
Location: Hillsborough County  
Arrest Date: 3/30/2010; Attorney General’s CyberCrime Unit, Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office  
Charges: 20 counts of possession of obscene material