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POLICE AND FIRE CALLS

Listed below are some of the Farmington-area police incidents, fire calls and court cases reported during the past week.

WEAPONS FOUND

In Farmington Hills:
A 20-gauge shotgun and ammunition were found in a dumpster around the Orchard Lake-14 Mile area July 22. Police were helping Warren police with an investigation on an abduction and turned the scene over to evidence technicians.

HOME BURGLARY

In Farmington Hills:
A 27-inch color television, chainsaw, 20 cassette tapes, an answering machine and drill were stolen during a burglary of a Inkster residence between July 19-20.

THEFT

In Farmington Hills:
A convertible top cover worth \$500 was stolen from a 1997 Chrysler Sebring parked at Krogers on Middlebelt July 22.

A 1993 Electra girls bike was stolen from a garage on Autumn Ridge between July 4-6.

A \$200 Freespirit Catapult boys bicycle was stolen from a 9-year-old boy in the Diamond Forest Apartments parking area July 23. A boy said he was forced off the bike by an older boy, who rode off with it.

A purse with \$150 cash was stolen from a Muirwood Apartments residence between July 23-24.

A \$2,000 fax machine was stolen from the office of Smith Barney on 12 Mile July 23.

DRUNKEN DRIVING

In Farmington Hills:
Police made four drunken driving arrests July 23-25, including a Walled Lake man, 23, who was driving while intoxicated on westbound M-5 and Grand River at 1:10 July 23. Police stopped the 1985 Chevy Camaro after it squealed its tires. The driver had a blood alcohol level of .13 percent, which is above the legal limit of .10 percent. The driver was also ticketed for giving officers a false identification and for receiving and concealing stolen property after finding out the

vehicle's license plate was stolen. The driver has 10 suspensions and had been convicted four times for driving with a suspended license.

AUTO THEFT

In Farmington Hills:
A \$7,000 blue 1990 Lincoln Continental was stolen from Gateway Apartments between July 22-23.

A white 1996 GMC Yukon was stolen from Orchard Lake and 10 Mile July 23.

KNIFE PULLED

In Farmington Hills:
A pair of Farmington Hills boys, ages 15 and 14, were arrested for vandalism and felonious assault with a knife after a man told police the window was broken out after he parked it on Parker July 23, causing \$125 damage. Another teen pulled a knife on the man as he went to call police, reports said. A knife with a 10-inch blade was found at the scene.

UNDERCOVER ARREST

In Farmington Hills:
Police arrested a Farmington Hills man, 19, and a Livonia man, 22, after a surveillance unit caught them stealing a stereo from a van parked at Clarence Used Car Center on Middlebelt and Grand River around 11:20 p.m. July 23. Police found stereo speakers, cellular phone and a screwdriver in the vehicle was in.

ASSAULT & BATTERY

In Farmington:
A 19-year-old Farmington man told police he was assaulted about 5 p.m. Monday in an apartment in the 31000 block of Shawwassee.

The man said he was awakened by someone putting lipstick on his face, took a glass of water and threw it at the suspect, also a man in his late teens. The suspect wheeled and punched the victim in the face, resulting in a facial cut and loosened tooth. The victim sought medical attention for the injuries.

ATTEMPTED CAR THEFT

In Farmington:
Someone, between 9:40 a.m. and 5 p.m. Wednesday, attempted to steal a 58-year-old woman's

vehicle while she was working in the 22000 block of Farmington.

According to police reports, the front seat passenger door lock was punched out. Damage inside the car included a smashed steering column and broken rear-view mirror. A electronic compass, valued at an estimated \$50, was also stolen. The amount of damage to the car was estimated at \$2,950.

MINOR WITH BEER

In Farmington:
An 18-year-old Farmington Hills resident was cited for being in possession of alcohol in the parking lot of Longacre Elementary School, 34850 Arundel, in Farmington.

Police Cmdr. Maria Putt, who was patrolling the lot about 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, saw three teenage females push a cooler into a car trunk as she approached them.

Putt questioned the three, who said they were about to play some tennis. Inside the cooler was an unopened, 6-ounce bottle of Colt 45 Malt Liquor. The beer was confiscated and one of the girls was issued a citation.

CUSTOMERS HARASSED

In Farmington:
Seven teenage boys Thursday night walked into the Grand Cafe, shortly before it closed at 11 p.m., and harassed customers, an employee told police.

Apparently, the teens made rude comments and then threw a paper bag containing dog waste at customers seated on a couch.

They were spotted driving away from the Grand River Farmington area restaurant in a blue Lumina van, according to police reports.

VANDALISM

In Farmington Hills:
Rocks were thrown through three windows at Grant, Newman and Johnson between July 23-24, causing \$600 damage.

A brick was thrown through the front passenger window of a 1995 Olds Aurora parked on Grand River and Waldron July 24, causing \$200 damage. A cellular phone and pager were also missing.

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