

## POLICE AND FIRE CALLS

The following are police and fire incidents that occurred in Farmington and Farmington Hills during the past week.

## VANDALISM

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A drive through window was shattered and its frame bent at Arby's restaurant on Haggerty Road between 2 and 5 a.m. Feb. 10.

The driver's window was smashed on a 1996 Jeep Grand Cherokee parked on Northwestern Highway Feb. 21.

## PAINTBALL ASSAULT

**In Farmington:**  
The father of an 11-year-old Farmington Hills boy reported that a 16-year-old Farmington girl shot his son at close proximity with a paintball gun in the girl's home, located in the 35000 block of Tall Pine Drive. The boy suffered a cut, circular welt and abrasion from the blow.

The victim said the alleged attack, which took place about 5 p.m. Tuesday, was unprovoked. But the suspect told police the victim insulted her. Due to the nature of the incident and the conflicting statements, the matter was forwarded to Oakland County Probate Court.

## BREAK-INS

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A Motorola flip phone, 10 compact discs, winter jacket and leather briefcase were stolen after the passenger window was broken on a 1998 Olds Bravada parked at Extended Stay America on Stansbury between Feb. 9-10, causing \$250 damage.

A compact disc player and stereo were stolen after the driver's window was broken on a 1994 Chrysler LHS parked on

Eight Mile Feb. 12, causing more than \$100 damage.

## THEFT

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A leather bag was stolen from an unlocked 1994 Ford Thunderbird parked at Kroger on Middlebelt and 11 Mile Feb. 7.

Plumbing fixtures worth \$1,200 were stolen from a home under construction on Watercrest Court between Feb. 2-5. An aluminum beam and ladder were stolen from a construction site on Stillwater between Feb. 10-11.

A \$150 cellular phone was stolen from an unlocked 1994 Pontiac Grand Am parked on 12 Mile between Feb. 6-7.

A \$340 woman's black leather coat was stolen from Starr Cuts Company on Industrial Park Feb. 11.

A woman's purse containing a gold necklace, credit cards and \$35 cash was stolen from Gerson Counseling on Orchard Lake between 8 a.m. and noon Feb. 11.

A \$125 leather purse, cellular phone, pager and \$75 cash were stolen from a 1992 Geo Storm parked at True Green Chemical Lawn on Research Drive Feb. 10. A purse containing a wallet with \$30 inside was stolen from

a 1997 Chevy Blazer parked at Children's Place on Folsom Feb. 11.

## In Farmington:

A BMX MongOOSE bicycle, valued at \$200, was stolen from in front of a business in the 36000 block of Grand River. The bike belongs to an 11-year-old Farmington resident.

## AUTO THEFT

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A \$12,000 red 1995 Ford Probe was stolen from Cordoba Drive between Feb. 10-11.

## MEDICATED MOTORIST

**In Farmington Hills:**  
Police ticketed a Farmington Hills man, 57, after he appeared groggy and couldn't tell police where he'd come or where he was going after a traffic accident on westbound Grand River, between Drake and Halsted, around 7 p.m. Feb. 10. A witness said the 1988 GMC Jimmy was swerving and backed into her vehicle while stopped at a light. The man told police he takes antidepressant and antipsychotic medications. He did not seem intoxicated, police reports said. He was taken to Botsford Hospital where blood was drawn and sent to the Michigan State Police crime lab.

## BUSINESS BURGLARY

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A cash drawer with \$80 was stolen after entry was made through the rear - possibly using a screwdriver - at The Vines on Grand River between 5:30 p.m. Feb. 10 and 9 a.m. Feb. 11.

A heater, 10-inch color television and radio were stolen after a window was slid open on a guard house at The Summit Apartments on Northwestern Feb. 12.

## DRUNKEN DRIVING

**In Farmington Hills:**  
Police arrested a Madison Heights woman, 26, for drunken driving on Northwestern and Haggerty at 3:40 a.m. Feb. 12. Police stopped the 1991 Toyota Corolla after it crossed the double yellow median on northbound Middlebelt. The driver had a blood alcohol level of .11 percent.

## TRACTOR STOLEN

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A \$50,000 Case tractor was stolen from the construction site

of A&W on Halsted Road between Feb. 11-12.

## ASSAULT

**In Farmington Hills:**  
A Livonia man, 33, had a scratch on his face and a bloody nose after being punched five to seven times in the bar area of Drakeshire Lounge on Grand River around 1:30 a.m. Feb. 12. The victim said a man accused him of saying something to his wife and proceeded to pummel him before fleeing. The victim's wife had a bruised leg after she tried to break up the fight.

## OBSTRUCTING POLICE

**In Farmington:**  
A 21-year-old Southfield man was arrested Thursday after trying to elude police officers who wanted to question him about an outstanding warrant for his arrest.

Officers became suspicious of the man when they saw him walking westbound on Grand River, about 9:45 a.m. He had been spotted riding a pink bicycle about 10 minutes earlier.

The man was questioned outside March Tire, 33014 Grand River, about why he wasn't riding the bike and he said that it belonged to a neighbor. He claimed he was on break from his nearby job, having left the bike there, and wanted to fill out an employment application at March Tire. Because of the unusual circumstances, officers ran a background check and found the man was wanted on an Oakland County bench warrant with no bond.

On the way to the patrol car, to discuss the matter, the man retreated into the tire business, ran through the lobby and work area, dove under a sliding door and exited through the parking lot on the other side. Following a search of the area, he was spotted outside a restaurant about 11:40 a.m. A foot chase ensued and the man was finally caught in an office on the second floor of the Village Commons Building.

He was arraigned in 47th District Court and jailed, awaiting posting of a \$300 bond.

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