

POLICE AND FIRE NEWS

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

ASSAULT & BATTERY
In Farmington
A 25-year-old Farmington Hills man turned violent when his 25-year-old Farmington girlfriend refused to get him some cookies Saturday night and backhanded her to the floor of her apartment, which is at the funeral home where she works. She sustained a bloody nose and scraped knee.

The woman said the boyfriend then went into the bathroom, curled into a fetal position and

cried, blaming the Ritalin he said he is taking.

Police said that although the woman said she later learned through a relative that he had "punched out" his former girlfriend several times, she declined to press charges or seek a personal protection order.

DRUNKEN DRIVING

In Farmington
A 32-year-old Rochester Hills man who apparently lost his way home after a party in Southfield was ticketed Saturday night by Farmington police for driving under the influence of alcohol.

The man, who was stopped after he went through a red light

at Eight Mile and Farmington roads around 2:40 a.m., said he was trying to find his way home. He admitted drinking eight beers and had a Breathalyzer reading of .19. Police said he had a 1992 conviction in Jackson County for driving while impaired.

THEFT

In Farmington Hills:
A Livingston Circle resident reported a \$2,000 set of golf clubs were stolen from his 1997 Grand Cherokee Oct. 1.

A Rutledge Crossing resident said a set of golf clubs, laptop computer, humidifier and Ralph Lauren jacket were stolen from his unlocked 1996 Pontiac Bon-

neville Oct. 1.

DRUNKEN DRIVING

In Farmington Hills:
Police arrested a Columbus, Ohio, man, 41, for drunken driving on northbound Farmington Road near Nine Mile around 5:30 p.m. Oct. 1. Police stopped the 1978 Ford truck after it was weaving in its lane and nearly struck eastbound traffic. The driver had a blood alcohol level of .30 percent - three times the legal limit - during a preliminary breath test but refused to take a follow-up test at the station. Police took the man to Botaford Hospital where blood was drawn.

Police arrested a Farmington man, 28, for drunken driving on Farmington and Nine Mile Road around 9 p.m. Oct. 1. He had a blood alcohol level of .16 percent.

A Novi man, 31, was arrested after driving his 1998 Ford Ranger with a blood alcohol level of .16 percent on westbound Grand River at 1:17 a.m. Oct. 3.

ASSAULT

In Farmington Hills:
Police arrested a 31-year-old Farmington Hills woman after she went after her boyfriend with a broken beer bottle at Sunset Trailer Park on Grand River Oct. 1. There were no reports of injuries.

A Detroit woman, 19, fled from her ex-boyfriend's truck and ran to a home in the 13 Mile and Haggerty area seeking help around 2 a.m. Oct. 2. The man punched her in the face several times and threatened to kill her after he forced her into his truck at a Detroit night club. Novi police saw the man flee from the truck and tried to question the driver, who refused to state what had happened. Police arrested the man, a 33-year-old Farmington Hills resident, for domestic assault. He was also ticketed for interfering with a police officer after he refused to give booking information.

URINATING IN PUBLIC

In Farmington Hills:
Police ticketed an 18-year-old male for urinating in public and his 19-year-old cohort for having open intoxicants inside the 1989 Chevy Corvair parked at the Mobil gas station on Grand River and 10 Mile around 2:45 a.m. Oct. 2. Police also ticketed a West Bloomfield man, 55, after he was seen urinating outside The Alibi restaurant on Grand River and Tuck around 10:30 p.m. Oct. 3.

THREATS

In Farmington Hills:
The William Grace Elementary principal told police a 10-year-old boy threatened to murder her after being sent to her office for disruptive behavior Oct. 2.

PURSE STOLEN

In Farmington Hills:
A Farmington Hills woman had her wallet stolen after another shopper asked the victim to read the label on two items because she'd forgotten her glasses Oct. 2. The incident took place at Kroger on 12 Mile and Halsted. The victim realized her wallet was stolen when she went to the checkout area. When she phoned her credit card company, she was told someone tried to make a \$3,000 cash advance.

Weapons found

In Farmington Hills:
Police are seeking a warrant for a 17-year-old after finding two hammers, a folding knife and a golf club sawed off to a foot before the wooden head in a 1991 Eagle Summit parked on Old Timber and High Valley Oct. 2. Officers were called to the area on a report of teens fighting. When police arrived, a group of kids scattered. Two teens, though, said they were "paged" to the area and that they were told a fight was going to happen on Forestbrook. The 17-year-old admitted to police he had a knife "for defense" in his vehicle. A subsequent search turned up the knife and other items.

BUSINESS BURGLARY

In Farmington Hills:
A thief stole a laptop computer after removing a door from a suite at Symbol Technologies on 12 Mile the night of Oct. 2-3.

Hills Fire Department hosts Sunday open house

You are invited to the 21st Annual Farmington Hills Fire Department Fire Prevention Open House noon-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11.

The special day will be celebrated at fire headquarters, also known as Station No. 5, on the southwest corner of 11 Mile and Orchard Lake Road - next to city hall.

The theme of this year's Fire Prevention Week is "Fire Drills: The Great Escape."

This year's open house will provide you with lots of opportunities to learn and practice your escape drill.

The main stage will feature the "Red and Fred Fire Safety Show," a humorous and insightful look at many key fire safety topics.

You will also have a chance to meet firefighters, climb aboard fire trucks and squirt water using a real fire hose.

Parents will have plenty of photo opportunities with their kids and Horbie the Fire Hydrant, Sparky the Fire Dog and the famous fire clowns.

In a recent survey conducted by the National Fire Protection Association, only half of the people indicated that their family had a home escape plan. Even worse, only 16 percent said that they practiced it.

COLUMBUS DAY SALE

20-65% STOREWIDE SAVINGS

COLUMBUS DAY SALE STARTS TODAY!

49.99 Knit pant sets from Karen Lesly. Reg. 70.00. IN MEN'S SPORTSWEAR, DOES NOT INCLUDE AT INTERMEDIATE GALLERIA, PLYMOUTH PLAZA, THE SUNWAY, KENWOOD TOWNE CENTER AND NORTH POINT MALL.

SAVE 25% On a large selection of related knits. Reg. 30.00-44.00, sale 22.50-33.00. IN MEN'S SPORTSWEAR, DOES NOT INCLUDE AT INTERMEDIATE GALLERIA, PLYMOUTH PLAZA, THE SUNWAY, KENWOOD TOWNE CENTER AND NORTH POINT MALL.

SAVE 25-30% On selected famous-maker suits for misses, petites and Parisian Woman. Reg. 210.00-220.00, sale 149.99-154.00. IN ACCESSORIES

SAVE 25-50% On selected dresses for misses, petites and Parisian Woman. Reg. 69.99-160.00, sale 49.99-79.99. IN ACCESSORIES

SAVE 25-50% On casual collections and separates from Hot Cotton, Kiko, Marcware and more. Tops, skirts, pants and jumpers. Reg. 28.00-110.00, sale 14.00-82.50. IN MEN'S SPORTSWEAR, DOES NOT INCLUDE AT ALL STORES.

SAVE 40-65% On famous-maker related separates. Reg. 28.00-200.00, sale 9.80-120.00. IN MEN'S SPORTSWEAR, DOES NOT INCLUDE AT ALL STORES.

SAVE 25% On a large selection of junior collections from Ecu, XOXO, Byer, To The Max and more. Reg. 18.00-50.00, sale 13.50-40.50. IN APPAREL

SAVE 25% On junior knits, wovens and sweaters from Absolutely by Creative Cotton, Knitworks, Jalate and more. Reg. 18.00-38.00, sale 13.50-28.50. IN APPAREL

SAVE 25-50% On casual sportswear for petites. Reg. 28.00-94.00, sale 20.99-46.99. IN PETITES

SAVE 40% On our entire stock of Olga bras, panties, shapewear and daywear. Reg. 9.00-27.00, sale 5.40-16.20. IN INTIMATE APPAREL, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

SAVE 30% On our entire stock of bras from Bali, Playtex, Maidenform and Vanity Fair. Reg. 19.00-28.00, sale 13.30-18.20. IN INTIMATE APPAREL, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

SAVE 40% On our large selection of handbags from Nine West, Esprit and more. Reg. 38.00-118.00, sale 22.80-70.80. IN ACCESSORIES

69.99 Large selection of women's shoes and boots from Nickels, Enzo, Easy Spirit, Nine West and more. Reg. 90.00-118.00. IN SHOES

39.99 Large selection of women's shoes and boots from Unisa, Calico, Candie's, Esprit and more. Reg. 49.00-65.00. IN SHOES

29.99 Large selection of women's shoes and boots from Candie's, Calico, Prima Royale, Unlisted and more. Reg. 42.00-52.00. IN SHOES

SAVE AN EXTRA 10% On fine jewelry already reduced by 40-50%. Reg. 80.00-5000.00, sale 49.00-2500.00, now 39.00-2250.00. IN FINE JEWELRY, SALE EXCLUDES DIAMOND, EMERALD, GREAT BEYER AND CLEARWATER. FINE JEWELRY AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM, FIVE POINTS WEST, PRECENCY SQUARE MALL, EASTGATE MALL, WYDE GRASS COMMONS, GORDON MALL, TALKAWASH MALL, INCHLAND MALL, BAYHAM MALL, NORTHSHORE MALL AND THE MALL AT DAYTON CROSSING.

SAVE 50% On our entire stock of 18K gold-oversterling silver jewelry. Reg. 20.00-120.00, sale 10.00-60.00. IN ACCESSORIES

SAVE 50% On our entire stock of sterling silver jewelry. Reg. 20.00-200.00, sale 10.00-100.00. IN ACCESSORIES, EXCLUDES DESIGNER STERLING.

SAVE 40% On selected cotton/ rayon sweaters from Woods & Gray. Reg. 65.00, sale 39.00. IN MEN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM ALABAMA.

SAVE 25% On selected men's fall collection sportswear. Reg. 25.00-250.00, sale 18.75-187.50. IN MEN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

31.99 Preswick & Moore cotton twill pants. Reg. 42.00. IN MEN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

29.99 Preswick & Moore solid-color pinpoint oxford dress shirts. Reg. 45.00. IN MEN'S

29.99 Preswick & Moore patterned dress shirts. Reg. 55.00. IN MEN'S

SAVE 25% On Calvin Klein underwear, loungewear and socks. Reg. 9.00-29.00, sale 6.75-21.75. IN MEN'S, SELECTION VARIES BY STORE, SALE ENDS OCTOBER 11.

249.99 Bill Blass patterned camel hair sportcoats. Reg. 345.00. IN MEN'S

SAVE 30% On Bill Blass all-wool dress trousers. Reg. 75.00, sale 62.50. IN MEN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES.

69.99 Large selection of men's shoes and boots from Bostonian, Bass, Timberland and more. Reg. 90.00-135.00. IN SHOES, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

19.99-29.99 Large selection of children's boots from Stride Rite, Hush Puppies, Candie's, Jumping Jacks and more. Reg. 36.00-46.00. IN SHOES, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

SAVE 30% On playwear and dresswear for infants, toddlers, girls and boys from Architect, URIT, Goodie and more. Reg. 16.00-70.00, sale 11.20-49.00. IN CHILDREN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

SAVE 40% On kids' denim from Levi's, Joe Boxer, Santa Fe, PK Blues and Duckhead. Reg. 14.00-34.00, sale 8.40-20.40. IN CHILDREN'S, AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES EXCEPT DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM.

Sale ends Monday, October 12



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