

Farmington Hills teen faces stalking charges

A 17-year-old Farmington Hills youth is charged with stalking a former girlfriend and violating a restraining order, stemming from phone calls made this spring.

Nikolas Alexandro Rajkovic, 17, is scheduled to appear Friday

in 47th District Court in Farmington Hills for his preliminary exam for two counts of aggravated stalking. He was arraigned Saturday by magistrate Joan Dudley in district court, where a not guilty plea was entered. Rajkovic faces

up to five years in prison and or a \$10,000 fine, if convicted, for each count.

Rajkovic had been convicted of harassing his former girlfriend, 16, of Farmington Hills on July

16. The girl had told police that he had made up to 60 calls a day from April 1 to May 27.

Visiting Judge Margaret Schaefer ordered Rajkovic not to have contact with the girl as part

of his sentence.

Judge Marla Parker signed an arrest warrant Aug. 4. The girl had told police that her life and her father's life had been threatened and that she was being followed.

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POLICE/FIRE CALLS

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

FIRE
A garage fire on Wildwood Trail in Farmington Hills Aug. 2 caused \$40,000 damage to the structure and \$15,000 damage to its contents. Farmington Hills firefighters from Station 3 arrived at 2:20 p.m. to find the wood-frame garage in flames. Several paint cans had been opened to let the paint harden. The resident later discovered the fire and tried to smother it with a blanket. He was able to remove his car. The fire is under investigation.

BURGLARY
A Silicon Graphics computer and keyboard valued \$1,300 were stolen in a burglary Aug. 6-8 at Silicon Graphics, Drake Road, Farmington. A component unit valued \$700 was also taken in the heist. A door window was broken with a rock the size of two softballs, according to a police report.

AUTO THEFT
Witnesses told Farmington Hills police that a 21-year-old white male dressed in dark blue jeans, a black sweat shirt and green cap tried to use a slim jim

to try to steal a white 1993 Chevy Caprice parked at the Red Roof Inn on Sincola Aug. 8.

A blue 1991 Chevy Corsica was stolen from a residence on West Meadowhill in Farmington Hills Aug. 8-9.

An attempted theft of a black 1990 Suzuki Sidekick from Bob Saks on Grand River Aug. 7-9 caused \$1,200 in damage.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY
A woman on Hillview said she was struck during an argument with a neighbor Aug. 8. The neighbor denied striking the woman, telling police he pushed her finger out of his face.

THEFT
A hood ornament valued \$50 was taken from a Cadillac parked in a driveway on Freedom Aug. 8. Also stolen were driveway reflectors valued \$20 and a planter valued \$30.

Two hub caps valued \$40 each were taken from a 1992 Geo Prizm parked by Dynamic Products on Mooney Street Aug. 6. The owner of the vehicle saw a man prying them off while pulled next to her car. She wrote down the plate number and called police, who are investigating.

A black and yellow 12-speed bike worth \$235 and prescription

eye glasses worth \$250 were stolen from the Woodbrooke Swim Club on 13 Mile in Farmington Hills Aug. 8.

A watch worth \$450, a wallet worth \$15 and a date book worth \$25 were stolen from the Franklin Hills Golf Club on Inkster in Farmington Hills Aug. 4.

Yard equipment worth \$850, including a Lawnboy lawn mower, a weed wacker, a tool set, chain saw and Black and Decker hedge trimmer, were stolen from a residence on Verdant in Farmington Hills July 1-10.

Wooden fencing worth \$3,856 was stolen from a business on Eldon in Farmington Hills Aug. 6.

A 1991 Schwinn High Planes 21-speed valued \$400 was stolen from the front of ACO on Grand River in Farmington Aug. 9. The owner said he left the bike unsecured and went inside. The bike was missing when he returned.

A cellular phone valued \$550 was taken out of the front seat of an unlocked vehicle in front of Amoco Dairy Mart on Farmington Road in Farmington. The driver pulled in to get something to drink and put a newspaper over the phone.

A diamond ring worth \$2,000 was stolen from a residence on Arlington Way Aug. 4-7.

A diamond ring worth \$1,500, an opal ring worth \$300 and a pair of diamond earrings worth \$1,000 were stolen from the bathroom of a residence on Shenandoah in Farmington Hills May 1-31.

A boy's bike worth \$300 was stolen from the Polo Club Apartments on Polo Club in Farmington Hills Aug. 5-7.

A 16-inch boys red Kara Koran GT 21-speed mountain bike worth \$735.23 was stolen from a residence on Verdant in Farmington Hills Aug. 4.

SOLICITING
Two men were ticketed Aug. 7 for soliciting without a permit in the area of Cleveland and Mayfield. The two told police they were selling memberships to the Metro Music Cafe.

VANDALISM
A rock was thrown through the front window of Leslie's Pet Supplies on Orchard Lake in Farmington Hills causing \$1,200 damage Aug. 7-8.

The rear window of a black 1991 Buick parked on Raleigh in

Farmington Hills Aug. 5-8 was smashed causing \$500 damage.

The driver's side of a blue 1993 Dodge Shadow was kicked in Aug. 8 causing \$2,000 damage.

ROBBERY
Two men who apparently planned to rob a Farmington Hills restaurant came too early and got away with only a \$250 portable telephone. A man who was cleaning at the Macaroni Grill on Northwestern Highway at 6 a.m. Aug. 8 told police he heard the delivery buzzer but didn't pay attention to it. At about 6:30 a.m., he went outside to empty garbage when two men, who hit him and then threatened him with a knife, ordered him back inside the restaurant and into the bathroom while they attempted to rob the front door. The suspects are described as a black man in his 20s, 5-foot-10, 220 pounds with a blue shirt and dark blue sweat pants and a black man in his 20s, 5-foot-10, 175 pounds wearing a bandana on his head. The robbery victim said the robbers had driven up in a newer model black Chevy pickup.

BAD CHECK
Two checks totaling \$3,110.32, written to Miami Tile and Marble on 10 Mile in Farmington Hills between July 6-11, were not backed by enough money.

Checks from a Detroit company written to an individual and cashed at the Cometica Bank on Orchard Lake in Farmington Hills were not authorized.

BREAK-INS
Car stereo equipment and other items worth \$1,050 were stolen from a yellow 1990 Chevy parked on Independence in Farmington Hills Aug. 5-6. The driver's side window was smashed causing \$100 damage.

A glass panel sustained \$300 damage during an attempted break-in of a business on Northwestern Highway in Farmington Hills Aug. 6.

A window at the Fairview Early Childhood Center on Oakcrest was broken causing \$200 damage Aug. 8-9. Nothing was taken from the building.

The dashboard of a black and gray 1982 Lincoln Continental at Bob Saks on Grand River in Farmington Hills sustained \$200 damage Aug. 7-9.

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