

**Howard County Police Department
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Assault arrest update

Police have made an arrest in an Oct. 16 assault in Laurel in which a 19-year-old male victim suffered a non-life threatening stab wound.

Youssef El Ghazouani, 17, of Reisterstown, is charged with attempted first-degree murder, first- and second-degree assault, and reckless endangerment. He is being charged as an adult and is being held on no bond.

At approximately 11:23 p.m. on Oct. 16, police responded to 8400 block of Ice Crystal Drive for a report of an assault. Detectives learned that there was an altercation between the victim and several acquaintances. The victim was assaulted and transported to University of Maryland Shock Trauma Center where he was treated and released. Through investigation, police identified El Ghazouani as the suspect who stabbed the victim.

Robbery

Laurel, 20707: Dollar Plus, 9100 block of All Saints Road, Oct. 23 8:16 p.m.

A store employee reported that a male suspect with his face partially covered approached the counter, implied a weapon and stole cash from the register before fleeing. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECT: black male, no further description

Vehicle theft

Ellicott City, 21043: Leckner Nissan, 8500 block of Baltimore National Pike, Oct. 23 5:28 p.m.
2017 Nissan Murano, 2017 Nissan Rogue Sport

Opioid overdoses

Since yesterday's daily crime bulletin, police have responded to zero fatal or non-fatal opioid overdoses.

Police responses for opioid overdose deaths YTD 2017: 43

Police responses for non-fatal opioid overdoses YTD 2017: 138

If you or someone you know in Howard County needs help with an opioid issue, call 800-422-0009.
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