

**Howard County Police Department
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ARREST: Robbery update

Police have charged two suspects in a Sept. 12 robbery at the Safeway in the 5400 block of Harpers Farm Road in Columbia. Two store employees reported that they confronted a male suspect who was attempting to steal merchandise. The suspect then pepper sprayed both employees before fleeing with the merchandise. A female suspect who was with the male suspect also stole merchandise. No serious injuries were reported. Through investigation, police identified two charged both suspects. Troy Linell Washington, 57, of Harlem Avenue in Baltimore, is charged with armed robbery, robbery, assault, and theft. Danielle McCorry, 30, of Harlem Avenue in Baltimore, is charged with theft.

Robbery

Ellicott City, 21043: Bob Evans, 4900 block of Beaver Run Court, Dec. 15 8:52 p.m.

Store employees reported that three male suspects with their faces partially covered entered the restaurant and displayed handguns. The suspects demanded cash and the employees complied. The suspects also stole one employee's vehicle, which was recovered nearby. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECTS: two black males, one approximately 20 years old, 5'7" with a thin build wearing all dark clothing, the other wearing all dark clothing, and a white male, approximately 35 years old, 5'7" with an average build wearing all dark clothing

Columbia, 21045: 7300 block of Hickory Log Circle, Dec. 13 2:25 p.m.

A teenage male victim reported that he was approached by several male acquaintances and other male suspects who assaulted him and stole his cell phone and sneakers before fleeing. The victim was later transported to the hospital by a relative for minor injuries. The investigation is ongoing.

Columbia, 21045: 6000 block of Majors Lane, Dec. 13 10:40 p.m.

A teenage male victim reported that he was making a pizza delivery to the above location when he was approached by two male suspects who assaulted him and stole his wallet and a sunglasses case before fleeing. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECTS: two black males with thin builds, one wearing all black clothing, the other wearing a beige hoodie and blue jeans

Columbia, 21044: 5400 block of Woodenhawk Circle, Dec. 14 10:17 p.m.

An adult male victim reported that he was approached on the footpath near the above location by three male suspects and a female suspect who assaulted him and stole his wallet, cell phone, and earbuds before fleeing. The victim was transported to the hospital for minor injuries. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECTS: three possibly juvenile black males and black female, no further description

Residential burglary

Columbia, 21046: 7000 block of Gentle Shade, Dec. 9-12

Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to a vacant apartment by breaking the front door lock on several occasions. Nothing was reported stolen.

Columbia, 21044: 10300 block of Hickory Ridge Road, Dec. 10-13
Unknown suspect(s) attempted to gain entry to the residence by prying open a bedroom window. No entry was gained.

Jessup, 20794: 8300 block of Gatewood Drive, Dec. 12-13 overnight
Unknown suspect(s) attempted to gain entry to the residence by prying open the front door. No entry was gained.

Jessup, 20794: 8900 block of Good Harvest Court, Dec. 13 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the residence by prying open a window and stole cash and jewelry.

Theft from vehicle/vehicle break-in

Laurel, 20723: 9500 block of Earl Levy Court, Dec. 13-14 overnight, two vehicles: airbags
9700 block of Country Meadows Lane, Dec. 13-14 overnight, two vehicles: airbags
9500 block of Baroness Court, Dec. 13-14 overnight, airbag

Savage, 20763: 8500 block of Foxborough Drive, Dec. 13-14 overnight, tires

Ellicott City, 21043: 7800 block of Old Hollow Lane, Dec. 14-15 overnight
Police responded for a report of a cell phone stolen out of a vehicle. Through investigation, police located the suspect and arrested him.

ARRESTED: Cristian Butcher, 18, of Mayfair Circle in Ellicott City, charged with theft and rogue and vagabond

4300 block of Ilchester Road, Dec. 15 3:30-4:23 p.m., purse, cell phone

Columbia, 21045: 6100 block of Old Dobbin Lane, Dec. 15 11 a.m., various items

Vehicle theft

Columbia, 21044: 11300 block of Little Patuxent Parkway, Dec. 12-13
2008 gold Kia Optima, tags MD/3CJ4131

Elkridge, 21075: 6800 block of Ducketts Lane, Dec. 13 11 a.m.-7 p.m.
2015 gray Chrysler 200, tags MD/2EPE08

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