Howard County Police Department
Office of Public Affairs
Daily Crime Bulletin
Monday, July 25, 2016

Street robbery
Columbia, 21045: 9600 block of Whiteacre Road, July 24, 10:51 p.m.
Two adult male victims were walking when they were approached by two suspects, one of whom threatened them with a handgun and demanded their wallets and phones. The suspects also stole jewelry and fled. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECTS: two black males, one wearing a white shirt and black shorts; one wearing a black shirt and white shorts

Residential burglary
Columbia, 21045: 8900 block of Mallard Court, July 22, 2:25-3:17 p.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to two residences by kicking in the front doors. A witness reported a group of teenage black males exited one residence.

West Friendship, 21794: 13900 block of Frederick Road, July 22, 4:54 p.m.
A resident reported an acquaintance forced entry to the garage and took a vehicle.

Columbia, 21045: 5800 block of Stevens Forest Road, July 24, 11:56 a.m.
A maintenance employee reported unknown suspect(s) broke a window to the vacant apartment and caused damage. Nothing was stolen.

Laurel, 20723: 9100 block of Blues Alley, July 25, 1:52 a.m.
Officers responded to a vacant residence for a report of a burglary and located two suspects inside the apartment. Charges are pending.

Theft
Columbia, 21045: Wegmans, 8800 block of Mcgaw Road, July 24, 9:58 p.m.
Police responded to the store for a report of theft after three juvenile suspects left with unpaid merchandise. Arriving officers saw the suspects enter a vehicle nearby and detained the occupants. The adult driver, who had not entered the store, was charged with driving on a revoked license (charges pending), the three juveniles were charged with theft and a fourth suspect, who joined the group after walking from Wegmans, was charged with theft after using counterfeit bills in the store.
CHARGED: Three juvenile females, ages 16, 12 and nine, of Baltimore, charged with theft and released to the custody of a parent; Andrea Dudley, 18, of Greenmount Avenue in Baltimore, charged with possession of forged currency and theft.

Vehicle Theft, attempts
Columbia, 21045: 9000 block of Flamepool Way, July 22, 7:17 a.m.
Gold Toyota Camry

Ellicott City, 21043: 3400 block of Courthouse Drive, July 22, 9:38 a.m.
11 Mercedes MD 2BM4367
Columbia, 21044: 10400 block of Swift Stream Place, July 23, 11:18 a.m.
07 Suzuki GSXR Black/Red/White

Jessup, 20794: 8300 Ari Court, July 23, 8:09 p.m.
09 Nissan Murano Brown

**Drug/illegal gun charges:**
Four Howard County men were arrested over the weekend after police served a search warrant at a residence in the 5400 block of Hildebrand Court and found drugs, guns and ammunition. During the search, police seized an illegal handgun with a destroyed serial number; two replica guns; handgun ammunition; a small quantity of heroin; approximately a half-pound of marijuana; drug paraphernalia; seven cell phones; and cash. The following suspects were present at the time of the warrant and charged:

Gabriel Fields, 25, Kelan Drive, Ellicott City: drug possession with intent to distribute, possession of drug paraphernalia, illegal possession of ammunition

Jeremy Myrick, 25, Hildebrand Court, Columbia: illegal possession of a firearm, altering a firearm ID number, illegal possession of ammunition

Jared Myrick, 28, Hildebrand Court, Columbia: drug possession, possession of drug paraphernalia, illegal possession ammunition

Jerome Thomas, 24, Stevens Forest Road, Columbia: drug possession with intent to distribute, possession of drug paraphernalia, illegal possession of ammunition

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