



Vacaville Police Department

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Press Release

Today's Date: October 28, 2007
Date & Time Occurred: October 28, 2007, approximately 3 am
Submitted By: Sergeant Bob Denton
Phone: 707-449-5416
Type of Crime/Incident: Battery resulting in a serious bodily injury.
Case Number: 07-9745
Location: 500 Block of Ridgewood Drive, Vacaville
Suspects: 17 year old Vacaville resident

Narrative:

On Sunday morning, October 28, 2007, at approximately 3 am the Vacaville Police Department began receiving reports of an altercation in the 500 block of Ridgewood Drive. Upon arrival Patrol Officers located a victim lying in the roadway suffering from a head injury.

Vacaville Fire Department staff treated the victim on scene and transported him to a local city park, where the victim was flown to the U.C. Davis Medical Center via air ambulance. As of the writing of this press release the victim remains in the U. C Davis Medical Center listed as being in stable condition. The victim is a 27 year old Vacaville resident.

The initial investigation into this incident revealed that the victim was attending a party at a home in the 500 Block of Ridgewood Drive. During that party several uninvited guests attempted to join the gathering but were turned away at the front door. A verbal altercation ensued in front of the house as these guests were leaving. This altercation turned physical in the roadway in front of the residence. During this physical altercation the victim was struck several times in the head and he suffered a serious head injury as a result.

A 17 year Vacaville resident was interviewed by detectives and was then lodged in the Solano County Juvenile Hall on a criminal charge of 243 (d) PC, Battery causing serious bodily injury.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Vacaville Police Department at 707-449-5200 or Detective Chris Polen at 707-469-4724.

Criminal activity can be reported at www.cityofvacaville.com/departments/police, or you can call "Crime Stoppers" and leave an anonymous tip at 707-644-STOP.7867). Crime Stoppers may pay up to \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest.