



## Vacaville Police Department

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## *Press Release*

**Today's Date:** 01/18/08  
**Date & Time Occurred:** 01/18/08 1:41 AM  
**Submitted By:** Sgt. Ian Schmutzler  
**Phone:** 707-449-5244  
**Type of Crime/Incident:** Pursuit, Felony Evading, Parole Violation, Possession of Controlled Substance for Sale, Resisting Arrest  
**Case Number:** 08-0564  
**Location:** 1100 block of East Monte Vista Ave.  
**Suspects:** Ronald Newhauser 45-year-old Fairfield resident

### **Narrative:**

On 01/18/08 at 1:41 AM, Vacaville Police Officer Frank Piro stopped a vehicle for a violation on E. Monte Vista Ave. at Callen Street. The driver identified himself as Ronald Newhauser and informed Officer Piro that he was on parole for felony evading police. Newhauser then proceeded to flee in his vehicle at a high rate of speed. A twelve minute vehicle pursuit ensued throughout the city of Vacaville, during which, Newhauser was observed throwing a bag containing methamphetamine from the vehicle. Newhauser then entered W/B Interstate 80 and headed toward Fairfield. While on the freeway, Newhauser was driving in excess of 115 MPH. Newhauser exited the freeway and traversed several residential streets in Fairfield before stopping in the 1400 block of West Texas Street and fleeing on foot. Aided by the Fairfield Police Department and their K-9 unit, Newhauser was located and arrested by Vacaville officers after a short struggle. Newhauser was then booked into the Solano County Jail for felony evading police, possession of controlled substance for sale, resisting arrest and violating his parole.