



## **Vacaville Police Department**

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## *Press Release*

**Today's Date:** 04/19/10  
**Date & Time Occurred:** 04/19/10 at 9:43 a.m.  
**Submitted By:** Sgt. Rick Elm  
**Phone:** 707-449-5200  
**Case #** Case #10-2931  
**Type of Crime/Incident:** 11377 H&S - Possession of illegal drugs  
500 block of Buckeye Street  
**Location:** 100 block of Aegean Way  
**Suspect:** Richard Martinez, 21, Vacaville resident

### **SHORT CHASE RESULTS IN NARCOTICS ARREST ON AEGEAN WAY**

Vacaville police arrested a local man for possession of illegal drugs following a brief foot chase Monday morning.

At about 9:43 a.m. Monday, a woman called police to report she had been dropped off in the 500 block of Buckeye Street and that the vehicle, a red Mustang convertible, had been stolen.

An officer had spotted the car prior to dispatch receiving the call. Police then developed information that the car was at an apartment complex in the 100 block of Aegean Way. As officers approached the vehicle, the suspect, Richard Martinez, 21, of Vacaville, ran off through the apartment complex.

After a short foot pursuit, Martinez was detained. Nearby, police found the keys to the red Mustang as well as what was thought to be methamphetamine, which officers believed had been discarded by Martinez.

Martinez was taken into custody and booked for possession of illegal drugs. The vehicle was located and had not been stolen.

The Vacaville Police Department has a zero tolerance policy towards illegal drug sales and use in our community. The public is encouraged to report all suspected drug activity to our DRUG TIP LINE at 449-5243. Callers can remain anonymous and all information is welcome.

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