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Press Release

Today's Date: September 4, 2011
Date & Time Occurred: September 3, 2011 at 9:25 p.m.
Submitted By: Sergeant Mark Donaldson
Phone: (707) 449-5200
Case Number: 11-06087
Type of Crime/Incident: Robbery
Location: 100 McClellan Street (Country High School)
Suspects: Jesus Lopez - 18 year old Vacaville resident
17 year old - Hispanic male Vacaville resident
16 year old - Hispanic male Vacaville resident

Three arrested in Vacaville street robbery

Narrative:

On September 3, 2011 at 9:25 PM, the Vacaville Police Department Communications Center received a 911 call. The caller reported their 17 year old male friend was being attacked by three Hispanic males in the area of Country High School. The witness indicated the suspects were armed with knives.

As officers arrived in the area, they located and detained three Hispanic males that matched the description of the suspects. They were later positively identified as the responsables.

An investigation revealed the 17 year old male victim, whose name is not being released for fear of retaliation, was walking in the area of Monte Vista Avenue at McClellan Street with some female friends. The victim noticed the three suspects quickly walking up behind them and feared they were going to attack him. The male victim ran onto the campus of Country High School in an effort to get away from the suspects and they gave chase. The victim was ultimately surrounded by the three males and one pulled a knife. The suspects began to beat the victim and during the attack stole the victim's cellular phone and shoes. The suspects then fled the area on foot. The victim's cell phone was located on the ground near the area where the suspects were apprehended by police.

The two juvenile suspects were booked into Juvenile Hall, while the adult was booked into Solano County Jail. All three were charged with robbery and criminal conspiracy. Police are looking into the suspect's gang affiliations and whether the incident may have been gang related.