

CRIME ALERTS 2018

TIMELY WARNING: ARMED ROBBERY

Incident Summary:

On **Thursday, December 27, 2018** at approximately **5:35:38 PM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY** at Towson Mall, Food Court Area, 800 Block of Dulaney Valley Road.

The Baltimore County Police Department reported that on 12/27/2018 at approximately 5:00 PM, the victim reported being robbed possibly at gun point by a suspect who took personal items. The suspect was last seen leaving the food court area of the Towson Mall.

Anyone having any information regarding the above reported incident should contact the Baltimore County Police Department at 410-887-2361.

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On **Wednesday, December 26, 2018** at approximately **1:10:31 PM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY** in the 800 Block of Dulaney Valley Rd.

The Baltimore County Police Department reported that on 12/26/2018 at approximately 1:10 PM, the victim reported being robbed at knife point by a suspect who demanded money and personal items. The suspect was last seen in the area of Towson Mall.

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On **Monday, December 17, 2018** at approximately **9:05 AM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY** that occurred on December 13, 2018, in the **6900 Block of Donachie Road, Towson, MD. 21239**.

On 12/13/2018 sometime between 7:10 pm and 7:45 pm a victim was robbed of personal property, inside of a residence, by three subjects displaying handguns. The three suspects fled the location in an unknown direction.

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On **Friday, December 07, 2018** at approximately **10:50:10 PM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY** at Register Ave. and Dunkirk RD.

The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department that on Friday December 7th, approximately 10:40 PM, two suspects armed with a knife robbed the victim of his property. The suspects fled the scene in an vehicle, make and model unknown. The vehicle was last seen traveling on Dunkirk Rd..

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The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department that on Sunday December 2nd, approximately 10:30 PM, an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY** occurred at the Royal Farm Store located in the 7200 block of York Road, Towson MD 21204.

The suspect fled southbound on York Rd, last seen on foot.

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The Baltimore County Police Department advised that on 10/19/2018 at approximately 11:37:59 PM at of an Armed Robbery. A silver handgun was shown. The victim reported 2 unknown suspects robbed them of their property. The suspects fled the area in a Black SUV in unknown direction of travel.

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TIMELY WARNING: ATTEMPTED UNARMED ROBBERY

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UPDATED and CORRECTED TIMELY WARNING: ATTEMPTED ARMED ROBBERY

Incident Summary:

On **Friday, October 12, 2018** at approximately **3:15:16 PM**, the Towson University Police Department was made aware of an **ON CAMPUS ATTEMPTED ARMED ROBBERY** occurring on September 30, 2018 between **7800 YORK ROAD AND STEPHENS AVENUE**.

Towson University Police Department responded to the Public Safety Building for a report of an attempted armed robbery occurring on Sunday, September 30th, 2018, sometime after midnight. Three victims reported that a tan color 4 door sedan with two suspects pulled over and the passenger displayed a small black handgun and demanded money. The suspects continued southbound on York Road past Cross Campus Drive without taking any property. No injuries were reported.

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On **Saturday, September 15, 2018** at approximately **9:01 AM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ATTEMPTED UNARMED ROBBERY** in the 7100 Block of York Rd.

An attempted unarmed robbery was reported to Baltimore County Police. The victim reported being assaulted by an unknown suspect who demanded cash sometime between 0400-0500 hours this morning. The suspect fled the area in an unknown direction.

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TIMELY WARNING: ARMED ROBBERY

Incident Summary:

On **Saturday, September 08, 2018** at approximately **5:50:09 AM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ARMED ROBBERY at Witherwood Court in Towson.**

An armed robbery was reported to Baltimore County Police. The suspect displayed a handgun and was last seen on Witherwood Court possibly entering a vehicle that left the area.

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On **Thursday, August 02, 2018** at approximately **8:50:00 PM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS UNARMED ROBBERY** at **YORK ROAD AND PENNSYLVANIA AVE.**

Baltimore County Police responded to a report of an unarmed robbery at York Road and Pennsylvania Ave. No injuries were reported. No additional information is available at this time.

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TIMELY WARNING: OFF-CAMPUS ATTEMPTED UNARMED ROBBERY – July 21, 2018

Incident Summary:

On **Monday, July 23, 2018** at approximately **7:00:00 AM**, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an **OFF CAMPUS ATTEMPTED UNARMED ROBBERY** at 7000 block of Lachlan Circle.

On July 23, 2018 at approximately 7:00 a.m., Baltimore County Police Department notified Towson University Police Department of an off campus Attempted Unarmed Robbery in the 7000 Block of Lachlan Circle in the Rosemont Apartment Complex, Towson, MD, 21239.

On July 21, 2018 at approximately 9:13 p.m. the victim was walking in the 7000 block of Lachlan Circle when approached from behind by an unknown subject who grabbed the victim and demanded personal property. The victim pushed the suspect away and ran from the area. Suspect fled the area towards Colbury Road.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Attempted Carjacking– July 16, 2018

Incident Summary:

On July 16, 2018 at approximately 1325 hours, Baltimore County Police Department notified Towson University Police Department of an off campus Attempted Carjacking (armed) in the 400 Block of Schwartz Ave.. Towson, MD. 21204.

Two individuals, one armed with a handgun attempted to carjack a vehicle. Both individuals were last seen running towards Pinehurst Rd., southbound towards Baltimore City.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery – June 09, 2018

Incident Summary: On June 09, 2018 at approximately 04:07 am, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an off campus Armed Robbery at the Exxon in the unit block of 201 East Joppa Road, Towson, MD. 21204. A weapon was displayed.

The suspects fled the scene on foot towards the Towson Movie Theater.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Unarmed Robbery of a Person– June 5, 2018

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The suspects left the scene in an unknown direction.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery – May 28, 2018

Incident Summary: On May 28, 2018 at approximately 9:40 pm, the Towson University Police Department became aware of an off campus Armed Robbery in the unit block of Oberlin Ct., Towson, MD. 21204. A weapon was implied but not seen.

The suspects fled the scene on foot further into the Colony Apartments. .

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery - May 10, 2018

Incident Summary: On May 10, 2018 at approximately 0016 hrs. The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off-campus armed robbery occurring near the 100 block of East Joppa Rd. The victim reported that personal property was taken in the incident. The suspects fled the area in the direction towards Dulaney Valley Rd.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery - April 22, 2018

Incident Summary: On April 22, 2018 at approximately 6:12 am, The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off campus Armed Robbery of The Royal Farms Store located in the 7200 block of York Road. Towson, MD. 21204

The suspect fled the scene going southbound on York Rd. possibly on foot.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery - April 17, 2018

Incident Summary: On April 17, 2018 at approximately 0015 hrs. The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off-campus armed robbery occurring near the rear of the 500 block of York Rd. The victim reported that personal property was taken in the incident. The suspects fled the area in an unknown direction.

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TIMELY WARNING UPDATE: Off-Campus Double Homicide - April 9, 2018

Incident Update: On Tuesday, April 10, 2018 we learned from the Baltimore County Police Department that they believe the two victims of the off-campus double homicide at 20 Lambourne Road were targeted and the Baltimore County Police Department does not believe that there is a threat to the general public. No additional details are available at this time.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Double Homicide - April 9, 2018

Incident Summary: On Monday, April 9, 2018 we learned that the Baltimore County Police Department is investigating an off-campus double homicide at 20 Lambourne Road in the 20 Lambourne Apartments.

Homicide: 20 Lambourne Road: Discovered on April 9, 2018. The Baltimore County police are investigating two killings of unidentified males at 20 Lambourne Road in Towson, MD. No additional details are available at this time.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Armed Robbery - March 30, 2018

Incident Summary: On April 9, 2018 The Baltimore County Police notified Towson University Police Department of an off-campus armed robbery occurring near the intersection of West Susquehanna Avenue & Washington Avenue.

Armed Robbery: West Susquehanna Avenue & Washington Avenue: Occurred March 30, 2018 at 2:13 a.m. Victim reported being approached by two unknown suspects. One of the suspects produced a blue-steel handgun and demanded personal items and clothing from the victim. The suspects fled the area in an unknown direction.

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TIMELY WARNING: Indecent Exposure, April 06, 2018

Incident Summary:

On April 6, 2018 at approximately 1511 hrs. Towson University Police Department responded to a call for a white male, about 30 years of age, with a brown buzz cut wearing a neon yellow shirt operating a silver older model minivan possibly a Honda Odyssey, exposing himself while in his vehicle near the bus stop by the Administration Building.

The male suspect left the location in the vehicle on Cross Campus Dr.

Anyone having any information regarding the above reported incident should contact Towson University Police Department at 410 704-4444. Please follow the precautions listed below and immediately report any suspicious activity to the Towson University Police Department.

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Timely Warning: Armed Robbery-March 30, 2018

Incident Summary:

On March 30, 2018 at approximately 1315 hours, The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off campus Armed Robbery at 700 Block of Camberley Circle, Towson, MD 21204.

Suspect robbed victim and fled the scene. Direction of travel and type of handgun used is unknown at this time.

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Timely Warning: Off-Campus Strongarm Robbery March 10, 2018

Incident Summary:

The Towson University Police Department have been notified that the Baltimore County Police are investigating a late reported **Off-Campus Strongarm Robbery**.

The Baltimore County Police are investigating a report of an **Off-Campus Strongarm Robbery** that occurred on Saturday, March 10, 2018 between approximately 12:30 am - 1:00 am. near the intersection of Lyric Ct. and Galliton Lane, Towson, MD 21204.

6 or 7 suspects reportedly approached 2 victims and forcibly removed their personal property. The suspects left in an unknown direction.

Anyone who witnessed the above listed crimes or has any information regarding the crimes is asked to contact the Baltimore County Police Department at (410) 887-2361.

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TIMELY WARNING: Off-Campus Unarmed Robbery, February 16, 2018

Incident Summary: On February 20, 2018 The Baltimore County Police notified Towson University Police Department that the Baltimore County Police Department is investigating an off-campus unarmed robbery occurring in the 7000 block of Lachlan Circle, in the Fairways at Towson apartment complex.

Unarmed Robbery: 7000 block of Lachlan Circle: Occurred on February 16, 2018 between 4:00 and 4:11 p.m. Victim, a United States Postal Service (USPS) employee, was punched by an unknown suspect before the unknown suspect took a package from inside the USPS van. The unknown suspect fled the scene and was not located. It is believed that the suspect got in to a 2000 Nissan Maxima, gold 4-dr, MD-8CW3376 and fled the scene.

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Timely Warning: Peeping Tom, Feb, 02, 2018

Incident Summary:

On February 01, 2018 at approximately 9:15 pm, The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off campus Peeping Tom in the area of Dunvale Rd, Towson Md 21204.

The (1) male suspect was last seen in the area of Skidmore Ct. and Radcliffe Rd.

Anyone having any information regarding the above reported incidents should contact the Baltimore County Police Department at 410-307-2020, or the Crimes Against Children Unit, at 410-853-3650.

Towson University is committed to preventing sexual assault and sexual misconduct, and supporting victims/survivors of sexual assault. Victims/survivors of crimes are never at fault for crimes that happen to them. While nothing is failsafe, here are some suggestions everyone should consider.

Be active in supporting a safe and respectful community. If you see others engaging in disrespectful or inappropriate actions, speak up and get involved, or contact someone else to assist.

If anything suspicious occurs or you are the victim/survivor of a crime, contact the Towson University Police Department by dialing 410-704-4444 or by pushing the red emergency button on any blue light emergency phone. You can also notify TUPD via the SaferMobility app.

Program the Towson University Police Department phone number into your cell phone so you can be prepared in an emergency – 410-704-4444.

To report sexual violence, contact the Title IX Coordinator at titleix@towson.edu, 410-704-0203, or www.towson.edu/xoutsexualviolence.

To speak to a counselor, contact the Towson University Counseling Center at 410-704-2512.

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Incident Summary:

On January 09, 2018 at approximately 3:35 am, The Baltimore County Police Department notified the Towson University Police Department of an off campus Armed Robbery of The Royal Farms Store located in the 7200 block of York Road. Towson, MD. 21204

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