

To: Campus Community
From: Chief Jeff Newton
Date: February 24, 2016
Subject: Robbery attempt



SYNOPSIS:

The University of Toledo Police Department is investigating an incident occurring today, Wednesday, February 24 at Barnes and Noble bookstore at 8:16 a.m. A female employee of Barnes and Noble reported 2 unknown male suspects approached the cash register and passed a note to her demanding money and indicating a suspect had a gun. After a short verbal exchange the suspects ran out the door toward Dorr Street. No injuries were reported and a gun was not observed. Money was not given to the suspects.

Victim described the suspect as follows:

Suspect1: White male, approximate age late 30s to 40s, about 5'08", average build with brown scruffy facial hair wearing glasses, a dark gray hoodie and blue jeans.

Suspect2: White male, approximate age early 30s dirty blonde hair, thin build, taller at about 5'11" to 6'00" wearing a lighter gray hoodie and blue jeans

Anyone with information on this crime is encouraged to contact the University of Toledo Police Department non-emergency number at 419.530.2601 (emergencies 419.530.2600).

Be sure to sign up for the UT Alert text message and receive text messages for emergencies and class cancellations due to weather.

As a reminder, The University of Toledo Police Department has partnered with Rave mobile safety to offer the Rave Guardian smartphone safety app free to UT students and employees. Rave Guardian allows you to stay in touch with your close friends (Guardians) and notifies them, and the police if you choose, in an emergency providing your phone's GPS location. Rave Guardian also has a panic button feature allowing you to notify UTPD or 911 at the touch of a button as well as send text messages to UTPD. Download for free through your smartphone app provider.

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