



## NEWS RELEASE

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**VENTURA POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**Incident:** Commercial Burglary with Arrest

**Location:** 4060 Main St (Trek)

**Date/Time Occurred:** 06/10/17 @ 0455 hours

**Officer(s) Involved:** Ventura PD Patrol, Ventura Police CSI

**Suspect(s):** Scott Heckmaster 26 yr Ventura vagrant.

**Report #:** 17-07516

**Narrative:**

At the above date and time, Ventura Police responded to an alarm call for service at Trek Bicycles. Officers arrived on scene to find the window had been smashed and a rack of bikes inside the store had been knocked over. The security video showed a suspect entering the store. Ventura Patrol officers began searching the area for the suspect. Ventura Police CSI was called to the scene to collect additional evidence.

At about 0530 hours officers located a suspect, Scott Heckmaster, in the area who matched the description. Based on evidence from the scene and statements from Heckmaster, he was taken into custody. Heckmaster was transported and booked at VCJ for Commercial Burglary.

Heckmaster caused several thousand dollars in damages to the window and merchandise inside the store.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at [www.venturapd.org](http://www.venturapd.org)

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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