



## MEDIA RELEASE

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**Incident:** Brandishing a Knife and Threats Arrest

**Location:** River Haven, 3750 Harbor Blvd

**Date/Time Occurred:** 4/30/18 @ 1246 hours

**Officer(s) Involved:** Ventura Patrol Officer

**Suspect(s):** Brian Fayard, 55 years from Simi Valley

**Report #:** 18-05932

**Narrative:**

On the above date and time the Ventura Police Command Center received a call of a resident brandishing a knife and making death threats at River Haven. The suspect, who is a Post Release Offender, had been involved in an argument with another resident. During the argument he brandished a knife and made death threats. Prior to the officers' arrival, the altercation ended; however when the officers arrived, they were able to locate the suspect at River Haven. The investigation confirmed the suspect had brandished a knife during the argument and threatened to kill the victim.

At the conclusion of the investigation, the suspect was booked into Ventura County Jail on the misdemeanor charge of brandishing a knife and the felony charge of making criminal threats.

*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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