



NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Unlawful Possession of a Handgun with an Obliterated Serial Number Arrest

Location: Petit Avenue and Henderson Road

Date/Time Occurred: 7/18/19 @ 0054 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura Police Patrol

Suspect(s): 17 year old male

Report #: 19-50982

Narrative:

On the above date and time, officers responded to several reports of shots being fired in a vacant field near the intersection of Petit Avenue and Henderson Road. As officers arrived in the area, they received additional information that the possible suspects were last seen going into a residence in the 500 block of Chesapeake Place. After a lengthy investigation, a search was conducted at the house and a handgun, with an obliterated serial number, was found. A 17 year old male was arrested for possessing the handgun. No one was injured during this incident.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at 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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