

Robbery

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10/08/2014

Incident: Robbery

Contact: Watch Commander, 805-339-4416

Location: 1739 S. Victoria Ave.(Walmart)

Date/Time Occurred: 10/08/14 @ 1613 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol

Victim(s): Walmart Loss Prevention Officers

Suspect(s): Juan Olmos, 23 yrs, Oxnard Resident

Report #: 14-12867

Narrative:

On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received a 911 call from loss prevention officers at Walmart, 1739 S. Victoria Ave., reporting that they had a shoplifter in custody behind the store.

During the investigation officers learned that the suspect, later identified as Juan Olmos, was suspected of stealing items from inside the store. When the loss prevention officers went to contact Olmos regarding the possible shoplifting, he produced a handgun from his waistband and threatened them. Fearing for their safety, the loss prevention officers backed away and allowed Olmos to leave the store. Although not known at the time, the handgun Olmos was in possession of was actually an airsoft gun he had just stolen from the store. As he was walking through the parking lot, Olmos noticed the loss prevention officers were still following him. Olmos pointed the handgun at the loss prevention officers and began firing at them with the airsoft gun. Realizing now that the handgun was not real, the loss prevention officers chased after him and were able to detain him behind the store. Officers arrived and took custody of Olmos.

Olmos was arrested and later booked into the Ventura County Jail for Robbery.

No one was injured as a result of this crime.