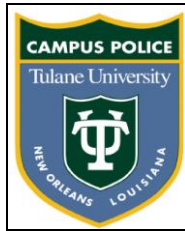


TULANE UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT



CRIME ALERT

Tulane University Police Department is providing this notice of a criminal incident (s) that occurred in our community in order to provide information that may help in avoiding a similar crime or provide information to solve this crime. This notice is also intended to meet the requirements of the "Timely Report" provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act of 1998, amended 2008, effective August 14, 2008.

OFF CAMPUS AGGRAVATED BATTERY

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE:

March 20, 2012, about 11:38 PM

LOCATION:

Area of St. Charles and Burdette

REPORTED OFFENSE:

A Tulane student was riding his bicycle westbound on St. Charles near Burdette when he observed an unknown subject holding a baseball bat. The subject told the victim to pull over, and as he tried to go around the subject, the victim was struck in the back of the head with the baseball bat. He dropped his bicycle and fled to his residence. The victim sustained a laceration.

SUSPECT'S DESCRIPTION:

Black male, 20 – 25 yoa, 5'9,"wearing a black baseball cap, black shirt, and black shorts. Direction of flight was unknown.

If you have any information about these crimes, call the Police Department at 504-865-5381 or NOPD at 504-821-2222.

TAKE A STAND AGAINST CRIME

1. BE AWARE of your surroundings at all times.
2. CROSS THE STREET to avoid unknown persons.
3. DO NOT resist an armed aggressor.
4. TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS. If it does not feel right, call for help.
5. BE AWARE that risk increases in secluded areas.
6. BE A GOOD WITNESS. Describe exactly what you observe with as many details as possible. Give complete descriptions such as sex, race, height, weight, hair color, clothing, etc.

TUPD

**Emergency: 504-865-5911
Non-Emergency: 504-865-5381**

NOPD

**Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency: 504-821-2222**

HELPFUL NUMBERS

**Safe Rides: 504-314-SAFE
Escort: 504-865-5381**