



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Suspect Arrested in Shooting Investigation: 3400 Block of Custer Court

The Hampton Police Division has arrested, a **15-year-old juvenile**, in connection with a shooting that occurred on October 19, 2015.

At 3:43 p.m., Public Safety Communications received a call in reference to a shooting in the 3400 block of Custer Court. Upon arrival, officers located the victim, a 19-year-old Newport News man, suffering from a single gunshot wound. He was transported to a local hospital and treated for non-life threatening injuries.

The investigation has revealed that the victim and suspect, who were known to each other, got into a verbal altercation when the suspect displayed a firearm and shot the victim one time.

A 15-year-old Hampton male juvenile has been arrested in connection with this incident. He is charged with one count of Malicious Wounding, one count of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony, and one count of Underage Possession of a Firearm. He was arrested on October 20, 2015 without incident and remains in custody at juvenile detention.

SPO Ashley Jenrette will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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