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Multiple Suspects Arrested in 1900 block of East Pembroke Avenue

On September 1, 2013, the Hampton Police Division responded to three separate incidents in the 1900 block of East Pembroke Avenue that occurred between 9:00 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. which resulted in multiple suspects being arrested.

At 9:04 p.m., officers' were on routine patrol in the 1900 block of East Pembroke Avenue when they observed multiple fights in the parking lot of the Plaza Roller Rink. Officers' attempted to intervene when a large group gathered and became disorderly. Officers' on scene immediately requested additional assistance and all available officers' throughout the City responded to disperse the crowd of approximately 250 individuals.

The following individuals were arrested:

- * **George Antonio Bunch:** 18-year-old Hampton male who resides in the 1st block of Westminister Drive. He was charged with one count of Obstruction of Law Enforcement
- * **Ammittay Yetuwr Mabrey:** 20-year-old Newport News Resident. He was charged with one count of Fighting in Public
- * **Dashawn Bradshaw:** 18-year-old Newport News resident. He was charged with one count of Fighting in Public
- * 15-year-old Hampton male juvenile who was charged with one count of Disorderly Conduct
- * 15-year-old Newport News female juvenile who was charged with one count of Disorderly Conduct

At 10:00 p.m., officers' relayed to communications that they heard shots fired in the 1900 block of East Pembroke Avenue and observed three suspects fleeing the area across the street from the Plaza Roller Rink. One suspect, who is identified as **Antonio Louis Pittman**, an 18-year-old Hampton man, whom resides in the 2000 block of Rawood Drive, appeared to be concealing items in his waistband. Officers' observed the suspect running towards a wooded area at which time he was given repeated commands to stop to which he did not comply. Fearing that the suspect was armed with a weapon, a police K-9 was deployed and the suspect was taken into custody. A loaded firearm and suspected marijuana were recovered in the direct path where the suspect had been running. He was subsequently charged with one count of a

Possession of a Concealed Weapon and one count of Possession of Suspected Marijuana. He was transported to a local hospital with minor injuries that he received to his buttocks region. Further investigation revealed that Mr. Pittman had been escorted from the Plaza Roller Rink by staff earlier in the evening. The two additional suspects who were seen fleeing were apprehended and the investigation is on-going to ascertain any participation they may have had. There were no injuries in reference to the shots being fired but it was discovered that a 1998 Acura which had been unoccupied had been struck several times.

As the investigation of the first two incidents continued, officers' were dispatched to the 1800 block of East Pembroke Avenue in reference to a robbery from person complaint. The investigation revealed that the victim, a 14-year-old Hampton juvenile had just left the Plaza Roller Rink when multiple unknown suspects repeatedly assaulted him and removed his personal effects. He was transported to a local hospital with non-life threatening injuries. The investigation is on-going in reference to this incident.



Antonio Louis Pittman

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George Antonio Bunch

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Ammittay Yetuwr Mabrey

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Dashawn Bradshaw

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The Hampton Police Division is currently working with other City departments to explore all available options to curtail this type of activity in the future. Additionally, the Division will continue to show an increased presence and vigilance in the area in which these incidents occurred.

Anyone with information that will assist police in investigating this robbery is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at 727-6111 or Crime Line at 1-888-LOCK-U-UP. Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00. You can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Hampton Police Division by texting the keyword **757HPD** and your tip to **847411 (tip411)**. (Please be advised that the anonymous texting is not affiliated with Crime Line).

Sergeant Jason Price will receive questions about this release at 757-751-7909.

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