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Re: Three Juveniles Arrested After Kicking, Damaging Front Door of Two Spring

Hill Homes – 2024-00200088

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On 07-12-2024 at approximately 2:15 a.m., a resident living on Bayshore Court in Spring Hill called 9-1-1 in reference to unknown individuals attempting to force entry into her home.

The victim advised she heard someone kicking her front door. She was unable to determine if they had made entry into her home.

As deputies were enroute, a second resident on Sunrise Court called 9-1-1 to report three or four unknown individuals had just attempted to force entry into his home by kicking the front door repeatedly.

When deputies arrived on scene, they noted the front door of both residences were damaged by the kicks.

Within minutes deputies located three juveniles in front of a home on Bayshore Drive who matched the descriptions of the suspects.

Those three suspects were identified as Xavier Rosario DOB/11-23-2010, Ayden Chandler DOB/03-17-2007, and Natalee Libenson DOB/12-08-2009.

Post Miranda, all three suspects admitted to playing a game called "Ding, Dong, Ditch" that escalated to them kicking doors due to being bored.

All three suspects were arrested on two counts of Burglary of a Dwelling.

They were transported to the Hernando County Detention Center, where after processing at the jail, they were returned to the custody of their parents as instructed by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

Hernando County Crime Stoppers / Anonymous Tips

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