

Crime Report

Feb. 28

Theft: Beam Engineering Hall
Small portable television was taken from office.

Theft: Bike Parking MSU
Bike taken from bike rack.

Theft: Bike Parking Humanities
Locked bike taken from bike rack.

Theft: Bike Parking Inner Campus
Bike seat and post were taken from bike near Student Services Bldg.

Mar. 4

Assist: Tropicana Ave
Armed robbery. Four suspects possible in area. Metro was notified and responded, taking victims report. However, no suspects were located.

Peace: Student Health
Female student receiving threats to life by male non-student. Female doesn't wish to press charges.

Sexofs: T&M

Outside area of T&M Bldg. Persons saw a male urinate. PTL arrested and booked subject into CCDC for indecent exposure.

Mar. 1

Warrant: University Rd
One male subject arrested on Metro warrant.

Traffic: Harmon Ave
In front of MPE. No injuries.

Theft: Museum of N. Hist
Collection box containing between \$10.00-\$20.00 taken last night between 7:30-8 p.m.

Theft: T&M

Possibility of stolen property. Suspect found, arrested and transported to UMC.

Theft: McDermott Physical Education Center
Cellular telephone taken from North Gym. Occurred last Friday night.

Incident: Pkg Lot W
Gun retrieved from vehicle.

Burglary: Ham Fine Arts
Stereo equipment taken from locked room.

Mar. 6

Other: Public Safety
Subjects came to file a stolen bike report and found to be UICS, released with warning to family member.

Vandalism: T&M
Damage to motor vehicle. Occurred in July '94.

Burglary: Geoscience
Unknown person(s) tried to gain entry to locked drawer.

Vandalism: William D. Carlson Education
Tampering with vending machine. Unknown suspect removed money from machine.

Theft: Classroom Bldg Complex (New)
Over the past weekend unknown person(s) entered office and removed small recorder from top of desk.

Mar. 2

Other: McDermott Physical Education Center
Male subject was battered. Refused to press charges and receive medical transport.

Traffic: Pkg Lot E
Two vehicles, no injuries, no tows.

Trespass: Dining Commons
One subject trespassed.

Burglary: Classroom Bldg Complex (New)
Unknown person(s) broke into room and took stereo equipment.

Traffic: Brussels Rd
Unoccupied vehicle blocking the west bound travel lane, customer towed vehicle.

Theft: Pkg Lot A
Vehicle taken by unknown suspect(s).

Incident: Library
Money found by library entrance.

Theft: Humanities
Computer scanner taken by unknown suspect(s).

Theft: Pkg Lot D
All four hubcaps taken off vehicle.

Theft: T&M
Rear license plate taken by unknown suspect(s).

Traffic: Tropicana Ave
Two vehicles. No tows. No injuries.

Theft: Classroom Bldg Complex (New)
Book bag with purse was taken by unknown suspect(s).

Mar. 3

Other: Res. Life South Bldg B
Dorm resident complaining of water balloon fights.

Traffic: Pkg Lot L
Subject arrested for NHP warrants. NHP transported. Vehicle was towed by customer.

Smokey the Bear Turns 50

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Smokey the Bear, who has been reminding Americans that "only you can prevent forest fires," is turning 50.

To celebrate the occasion, UNLV's Marjorie Barrick Museum of Natural History is housing a display entitled "Happy Birthday Smokey" from March 17 to April 29.

The "Happy Birthday Smokey" exhibit will feature 50 years of Smokey the Bear memorabilia, including comic books dating back to Smokey the Bear's creation in 1944. In addition the exhibit will have information about the importance of forests in today's world and how accidental forest fires put us all in danger.

Toward the end of World War II, shells launched by a Japanese submarine landed near a forest in Southern California. The fire that ensued brought national attention to the impact of forest fires on both people and wildlife.

Because nine out of 10 forest fires were caused by people the U.S. Forest Service worked with the Wartime Advertising Council to develop a public message warning about the danger of forest fires. It was at this point that Smokey the Bear was created.

Thanks to Smokey, accidental wildfires caused by human have



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children at schools and clubs, has starred in his own Saturday morning cartoon show.

Woodsy the Owl, Smokey the Bear's sometime sidekick will also be featured in the UNLV exhibit touting his environment message of "Give a hoot, Don't pollute."

The "Happy Birthday Smokey" exhibit was organized and is circulated by International Cultural Communication through a cooperative agreement with the Forest Service. It was designed by the Fernbank Museum of Natural History in Atlanta. The "Happy Birthday Smokey" display at UNLV is being sponsored in cooperation

with the Spring Mountains National Recreation Area Toiyabe National Forest.

The Marjorie Barrick Museum of Natural History is open 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday. Admission is free. For additional information on the exhibit call 895-3381.

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For the record

Patricia Garzia was also honored at the EPSCOR and WISE banquet Feb. 28. We regret for the omission.

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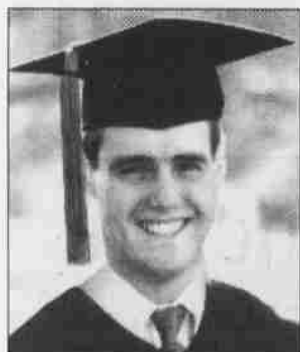
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