



Ukiah Police Department

Safety, Professionalism, Community Service

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Press Release: Report of indecent exposure in the downtown area leads to arrest Ukiah Police Department case # 17-2745

On September 23rd at about 7:13 pm, UPD officers were dispatched to the 200 block of South School Street, to investigate a report of a subject masturbating inside his vehicle. Upon arrival officers located the reporting party, but the suspect had left the area in his vehicle. The witness reported that he was walking in the 200 block of South School Street, when he noticed an adult male subject sitting in a parked vehicle, located in front of Psara's Outrageous Play Land. The witness said that the male subject looked as if he was angry and was staring directly at a group of young girls inside the play center. Curious, the witness walked to the male subject's vehicle and noticed that he was masturbating. The witness called police and as the male subject drove off, was able to record the vehicle's license plate number and description. Utilizing this information, officers located the vehicle and suspect at an apartment in the 700 block of Waugh Lane. The suspect was identified as Douglas Foote age 58, out of Ukiah. While speaking with Foote about the incident, officers noticed that he displayed the objective signs of being under the influence of a controlled substance. Foote was placed under arrest for indecent exposure and for being under the influence of a controlled substance. Foote was booked into county jail. The case was turned over to the UPD's Detective Division and is being followed up on.

As always, our mission at UPD is simple: to make Ukiah as safe as possible. If you would like to know more about crime in your neighborhood, you can sign up for telephone, cell phone and email notifications by clicking the Nixle button on our website: www.ukiahpolice.com.