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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Felony Assault/Knife

Date: 6/16/08

From: Officer Parfitt

Case or Incident # 080616-013

Summary:

On 6/16/08, at approximately 7:30 pm, the Juneau Police Department received a report from a resident reporting her 13-year-old son had been assaulted by two other juvenile males along Mendenhall Loop Road near Kodzoff Acres Trailer Court. The mother reported that one of the males displayed and threatened her son with a knife during the incident.

Officers met with the mother and victim. The victim suffered minor injuries to his face from the assault. The injuries were not life-threatening and did not require immediate hospitalization.

Officers began following leads and were later able to determine the suspects as being a 15-year-old male and a 13-year-old male, both Juneau residents. Both juveniles were located at a different location, interviewed, and arrested. They were both lodged at the Johnson Youth Center.

The 15-year-old male was charged with Assault 3rd degree (Class C Felony). The 13-year-old male was charged with Assault 4th degree (Class A Misdemeanor).

Any charges reported in this press release are merely accusations and the defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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