



# Owensboro Police Department

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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Two Juveniles Charged after Breaking into Vehicles**

On Sunday, November 5, 2023, at 1:07 A.M., Officers with the Owensboro Police Department observed two male subjects dressed in all black clothing in a hotel parking lot in the 200 Block of Salem Drive. The two male subjects fled from officers on foot. Officers set up a perimeter and took one male subject into custody in the 4600 Block of Marlboro Drive in possession of a window punch and gloves. Officers continued searching for the second male subject and located him in a field in the 100 Block of Salem Drive; a backpack containing an empty handgun holster and a fully loaded magazine were found nearby.

Officers located a stolen vehicle in a parking lot in the 4600 Block of Marlboro Drive with a broken window and a handgun inside. Officers made contact with the vehicle owner who advised his vehicle had been stolen earlier in the evening and that a handgun, holster, and magazines had been inside the vehicle.

Both juveniles were transported to Warren County Regional Juvenile Detention Center on the following charges:

- Theft of a Firearm
- Possession of a Handgun by a Minor 2<sup>nd</sup> or Greater Offense
- Theft of Auto \$1,000 less than \$10,000
- Fleeing or Evading Police 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree (On Foot)
- Possession of Burglary Tools
- Criminal Mischief 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree
- Criminal Trespassing 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree

**Juvenile #1 (15 years old of Owensboro) has previously been charged with the following:**

- **Possession of a Handgun by a Minor 1<sup>st</sup> Offense (2 Counts)**
- **Fleeing or Evading Police 1<sup>st</sup> Degree (On Foot)**
- **Theft of Auto \$1,000 less than \$10,000**
- **Theft of Auto**

**Juvenile #2 (16 years old of Owensboro) has previously been charged with the following:**

- **Receiving Stolen Property \$1,000 less than \$10,000**
- **Assault 4<sup>th</sup> Degree (No Visible Injury)**

**Anyone with additional information can call OPD at 270-687-8888, or leave an anonymous tip with Crime Stoppers at 270-687-8484.**