UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION January 13th 2022

ALERT: ADVISORY: NOTIFICATION:
Critical / Major Incident Important Incident General Information

Public Safety would like to notify the University of St. Thomas community about an assault on a St. Thomas student off-campus in Minneapolis. The student was struck in the head with a bottle and transported to an area hospital for treatment of a head laceration.

On 01/13/2022 at approximately 10:50 AM, Public Safety was notified and responded to the area of the incident. It was determined at that time that the Minneapolis Police Department had responded and cleared from the scene.

Investigation determined that on 01/13/2022 at approximately 10:39 AM, the student left campus through the Minneapolis skyway system next to Minneapolis Opus Hall. While in the skyway she was approached by an unknown female carrying a bottle.

While the student was trying to leave the area, the student was approached by the unknown female and struck on the head with a bottle. The unknown female fled the area through the Minneapolis Skyway system away from campus.

The suspect was described as a black female, height 5' 8", 40 to 50 years old, black hair with lighter blonde highlights, tan leather jacket, blue jeans, and might go by the first name Kayla.

The University of St. Thomas believes that descriptors alone are not a valid reason to profile or cast suspicion on any individual. They are included here because they may reasonably assist in identifying the perpetrator of this incident.

Report crime confidentially or anonymously: by e-mailing PSTIPS@stthomas.edu, or calling 96(2-TIPS).

Crime prevention tips:

- Pay attention to your surroundings. Trust your instincts.
- Do not wear headphones while walking.
- Do not take unnecessary risks. Stay in populated, well-lit areas.
- Walk-in groups of people or call Public Safety to escort you to your destination.
- Remember suspect information, including the direction of travel, vehicle information, approximate age, height, weight, and details on hair, clothing, jewelry, scars, and tattoos anything noticeable.
- Report crimes immediately to Public Safety and the St. Paul Police Department.

This Document is not considered a Timely Warning Notification under campus crime reporting requirements.

If you have any information regarding these crimes you are urged to contact Public Safety at 651-962-5100 and the police (911).

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