

Coeur d'Alene Police Department

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Coeur d'Alene Police officers and detectives investigated several auto burglaries that occurred in the early morning hours of today's date (12/10/14). Patrol officers were notified at approximately 2:00am by an alert citizen on Hawk Owl St. in the Landings subdivision who saw male suspects entering parked cars. The citizen attempted to contact the males and they fled on foot. Officers observed a purple Camaro with front end damage parked in the area. Neighbors did not recognize the car as belonging to anyone in the neighborhood.

Later this morning at approximately 7:00am a citizen that lives in the Landings drove to the Silver Lake Mall and saw the same Camaro parked in front of a store. He alerted police, and patrol officers were able to make contact with a male juvenile who owned the car.

The 17 year-old juvenile admitted to his role in the auto burglaries and identified two other males involved. The suspect admitted he and the other suspects had been in several neighborhoods that night including Fairway Forest, Cedarwood Estates and the Kroc parking lot.

Detectives recovered cash, sunglasses, and headphones from his vehicle that was determined to be stolen property. A victim that lives in Fairway Forest reported missing \$5500 in cash.

Detectives drove the suspect around the neighborhoods that he admitted to committing the burglaries in. They were able to determine what cars the suspects entered, and return the stolen property and cash to the victims. The two other males were arrested for their roles in the burglaries. 18 year-old Jordan Andrew Spooner of Coeur d'Alene was arrested at his residence, and a 15 year-old male was arrested at school. The names of the juveniles will not be released.

All suspects were charged with eight counts of auto burglary, and are currently incarcerated at the jail and the Juvenile Detention Center.

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