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Press Release

Today's Date: July 31, 2014
Date & Time
Occurred: July 31, 2014 at 7:09 p.m.
Submitted By: Lieutenant Matt Lydon
Phone: (707)449-5200
Case Number: 14-05679
Type of
Crime/Incident: Homicide
Location: Markham Avenue North of Vineyard Valley Way – Vacaville
Victim: 22 year old male; Vacaville resident

Update: August 27th, 2014

During the course of this investigation detectives were able to identify Samuel Nodine as a suspect and an arrest warrant for murder was obtained.

On August 27, 2014 Vacaville Police received information that S-Nodine was driving a dark blue Audi in the city of Vacaville. Detectives and officers began to search for the vehicle and a dark blue 2004 Audi A4 was located in the area of Mason Street and Depot Street. The vehicle was reported stolen in the city of Napa on August 23, 2014.

A traffic stop was attempted and the Audi fled onto Westbound I-80. Officers engaged in a pursuit of the Audi as the Audi traveled at approximately 90 MPH. The officers lost sight of the vehicle on westbound I-80 near Waterman Boulevard. Within minutes, the California Highway Patrol (CHP) received a report of a solo vehicle crash on the Travis Boulevard off ramp from westbound I-80. The Audi was located on its side on the North side of the off ramp. The driver fled on foot from the Audi. CHP Officers and Fairfield Police Officers chased the driver on foot to the rear of the Motel 6 on Holiday Lane. The driver was detained at the motel and was identified as Samuel Nodine (20 years old). At the time of S-Nodine's arrest, he had an active murder warrant reference this case. S-Nodine was brought to a local hospital for medical treatment.

Anyone with information related to this case is asked to contact Detective Mark Ferreira at (707) 449-5258.

Criminal activity can be reported at www.cityofvacaville.com/departments/police, or you can call "Crime Stoppers" and leave an anonymous tip at 707-644-STOP (7867). Crime Stoppers may pay up to \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest.



Narrative:

On July 31, 2014 at 7:09 p.m., the Vacaville Police Department received a call from the Northbay VacaValley Hospital Emergency Department. The hospital staff reported a male with a wound to the chest was transported to the hospital by an acquaintance. On arrival at the hospital, the victim was unresponsive. Life saving efforts were unsuccessful and the victim was pronounced deceased at the hospital.

Vacaville Police responded to the hospital and learned the location where the crime occurred. Detectives from the Vacaville Police Department Investigative Services Section (ISS) are following up with interviews and the scene is being processed for evidence.

The victim's identity is being withheld at this time, pending notification of next of kin.

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