We know this subject is a little uncomfortable but I think it is important to share this report in order to show that you don’t have to be a “teen” to be put into a bad situation by snapping a compromising picture of yourself and sending it to someone. This is not the first report we have taken regarding this type of incident; unfortunately, it happens more than you may suspect.

**ORIGINAL OFFICER NARRATIVE**
Dispatched for a fraud report. I arrived and spoke to the victim regarding fraud or a possible blackmail situation. The victim said he was surfing the dating site plentyoffish.com for single girls. He came across a girl “Akiesha” who was interested in him and they started chatting online through Facebook messenger. She sent him a link which brought him to a different site and they exchanged a couple photos. “Akiesha” sent a compromising photo and coaxed the victim to sending one of himself.

A short time later, the victim received a phone call from a male. The male told the victim that he would post his compromising picture on his Facebook page for all his friends to see if the victim did not send iTunes gift cards. The victim went to the store and bought several iTunes gift cards. He went back home and sent the male the numbers on the back of the iTunes gift cards and photos of the back of the cards. A total of $250.00 worth of gift cards were sent.

You get the gest…..it happens.

**Andover**
**Thefts & Damage to Property**
- 03.08 15xx 154 Ave NW - vandalism to a vehicle; windows smashed and hood dented by rocks
- 03.03 138xx Round Lake Blvd NW - vehicle window smashed; wallet

**Arrests**
- 03.05 6xx Andover Blvd NW - 2nd Degree DWI; deputies responded to a report of a single vehicle property damage crash. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .19

**Bethel**
**Thefts & Damage to Property**
- 03.08 238xx Dewey St NE - vandalism to a building; many windows smashed out

**Columbus**
**Arrests**
- 03.09 6000 Block of Broadway Ave NE - DAC-IPS; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver’s license. The male was arrested.
**East Bethel**

**Thefts & Damage to Property**
- 03.09  233xx Gopher Dr NE – heaters stolen from an unoccupied home
- 03.08  6xx 207 Ave NE – vandalism to a vehicle; spray painted
- 03.05  6xx 238 Ln NE – unsecure vehicle; electronics

**Arrests/ Incidents**
- 03.08  29xx 183 Ave NE – 5th Degree Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a mother/son domestic. The son was arrested.
- 03.06  Gopher Dr NE/237 Ave NE – 5th Degree Possession of a Controlled Substance; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. A K9 was requested to perform a sniff on the vehicle. Narcotics were located and the male was arrested.
- 03.05  3xx Aspen Rd NE – Coon Lake - Water Rescue; deputies responded to a report of two individuals in the water at the location. The deputies donned mustang suits and retrieved both individuals.

**Ham Lake**

**Burglaries**
- 03.08  134xx Hwy 65 NE – business; front window smashed - laptop

**Thefts & Damage to Property**
- 03.08  22xx 144 Ln NE – vandalism to a pool; cover slashed
- 03.08  213xx Old Lake George Blvd NW – damage to a mailbox
- 03.06  143xx Waconia St NE – unsecure vehicle; gift card, gloves
- 03.05  135xx Hwy 65 NE – stolen vehicle; taken for a test drive not returned
- 03.03  142xx Lincoln St NE – vehicle window smashed; nothing of value was stolen

**Arrests/ Incidents**
- 03.07  11xx Andover Blvd NE – Grass and Structure Fire; deputies responded to a grass fire that spread quickly to a garage and house. The fire was extinguished by Ham Lake Fire Department and the surrounding agencies. No one was injured.
- 03.06  Hwy 65 NE/Andover Blvd NE – DAC-IPS, Warrant Arrest; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The driver had an active warrant and did not have a valid driver’s license. The male was arrested.
- 03.05  40xx Heather Dr NE – 5th Degree Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a girlfriend/boyfriend domestic. The male was arrested.

**Linwood**

**Burglaries**
- 03.06  74xx Fawn Lake Dr NE – interrupted burglary; bedroom gone through

**Nowthen**

**Thefts & Damage to Property**
- 03.06  197xx Tiger St NW – traffic cones stolen from the property
Oak Grove
Thefts & Damage to Property
03.08 214xx Old Lake George Blvd NW – damage to a mailbox
03.08 214xx Lake George Blvd NW – damage to a mailbox
03.08 214xx Old Lake George Blvd NW – vehicle window smashed; nothing of value was stolen
03.04 220xx Cottonwood St NW – unsecure vehicle; tools

Arrests
03.09 300xx 208 Ave NW – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a son/mother domestic. The mother was arrested.

03.09 10xx Sims Rd NW – 3rd Degree Possession of Narcotics; a deputy stopped a driver for having an object suspended from the rear view mirror. The deputy learned there was no insurance on the vehicle. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The female was arrested.

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*Information shared in this report covers crimes that may affect you - things like burglaries, thefts, damage to property, identity theft, etc. We only include a fraction of the calls that deputies regularly respond to.

If you want to see data about what types of calls and how many we respond to log on to www.anokacounty.us/crimewatch and click on Crime Statistics on the left side. Stats are updated monthly.