

Phoenix Police Department

Public Affairs Bureau
620 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85003



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: November 16, 2024, at about 3:08 a.m.

Incident: 2024-1692718

Location: 3800 East Lakewood Parkway

Victim: Jaylen Reeves, 15-year-old, deceased

Update: November 20, 2024

Detectives have identified the teen involved in the stabbing that resulted in the death of 15-year-old Jaylen Reeves. The teen provided a statement to investigators. Detectives are actively working this investigation and to this point have interviewed multiple witnesses, served search warrants, and impounded many items of evidence. No arrest has been made at this time.

Investigators encourage anyone with information regarding this case to call the Phoenix Police

Department or if you would like to remain anonymous contact Silent Witness at 480-WITNESS, 480
TESTIGO or silentwitness.org.

Young Teen Dies After Stabbing Attack

(November 17, 2024) Early Saturday morning, officers responded to an emergency call which resulted in the death of a young teenaged boy stabbed to death. Detectives are still seeking information about the outstanding suspect(s).

In the area of 3800 East Lakewood Parkway in the Ahwatukee neighborhood of Phoenix, officers were called to a stabbing scene that developed from a verbal altercation between two groups of juveniles. Just after 3:00 a.m., officers found a juvenile male identified as 15-year-old Jaylen Reeves suffering from a critical stab wound. Reeves was rushed to a local hospital where he was treated for life threatening injuries. Later that night, not able to overcome his injuries, Reeves passed away.

Detectives responded and took over the investigation and began to collect evidence in the area. It was learned that Reeves was with a group of friends hanging out when a fight started between Reeves and the unknown suspect(s) which resulted in the stabbing. This homicide investigation is still active and further information will be provided as it becomes available. If anyone has information on the identity of the suspect, or surveillance video showing suspicious activity in the area at the time of this incident, they are encouraged to call into Silent Witness at 480-WITNESS or 480-TESTIGO.

