



ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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ACCPD Investigating Two Weekend Shootings.

On 03/10/2018 at just after 9:00 pm, officers were dispatched to the intersection of Johnson Drive and Indiana Avenue in reference to a vehicle being shot. The victim told officers that he was driving down Johnson Drive and was turning onto Indiana Avenue when he heard several popping sounds and heard his rear windshield break. Officers noticed a bullet hole on the lift gate of the vehicle and the rear windshield was shattered. The victim told officers that he believed the shooting came from a black Honda, which he noticed driving behind him on Johnson Drive. The victim was unaware of anyone who may have done this. No one was injured during this incident and this is an active investigation. Anyone with any information is asked to contact Detective Conner at 706-613-3330 ext. 337.

On 03/10/2018 at just after 11:00 pm officers were dispatched to Coleridge Court (Athens Gardens Apartments) in reference to several shots being fired in the area. Officers were given information that the suspects may be teenagers when officers arrived on scene, they noticed a white mustang convertible with the top down leaving the complex. The car was occupied by several young males. When officers initiated a traffic stop of the vehicle, a passenger fled on foot. At this time, no charges have been filed and no victims have come forward. Anyone with any information on this case is asked to contact Sgt. David Norris at 706-613-3330 ext. 556



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