



UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO AT BOULDER
POLICE DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE

RELEASED: OCT. 17, 2008
OCCURED: LAST SEVERAL WEEKS
SUBJECT: THEFTS OCCURRING AT CU RECREATION CENTER
CASE NO.: NUMEROUS
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CU Police have taken a number of theft reports from patrons of the CU-Boulder Recreation center since the beginning of the fall semester. The number of thefts has increased over the past two weeks, with 11 reports so far in October, six for the month of September and only one in late August.

The reports indicate that personal items such as billfolds, laptop computers and such are being taken from unsecured lockers. These items are left by the owners while they are in the facility and the thefts are discovered at the time the owner returns to collect their items to leave the building.

CU police officers have provided extra patrols in and around the recreation center over the past couple of weeks, but the thefts have continued despite this extra presence.

CU police strongly recommend that patrons of the Recreation Center secure their personal items and that items not be left unsecured at anytime.

A possible suspect is shown in the security camera photo attached to this release. CU-Boulder police are asking anyone with information about this suspect or the crimes at the Recreation Center to contact police detectives at (303) 492-8168.



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