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ARREST RELEASE

On Saturday January 23, 2016 at about 1:30 p.m., Rockford Police Officers responded to the area of Elmwood Street and Garfield Drive for a report of a youth armed with a black pistol in a group of four teens. The armed suspect pointed the gun at a dog in the area. When officers arrived in the area, they located four subjects matching the description walking at Kilburn Avenue and Blackstone Avenue. Officers stopped the suspects and located one in possession of a black Ruger BB pistol and a second suspect in possession of a Winchester air rifle and brass knuckles.

Lamarcus Holliman, an 18-year-old Rockford youth, was arrested for Disorderly Conduct and lodged in the Winnebago County Jail.

A 17-year-old Rockford male was an active runaway and wanted on juvenile probation warrant. He was charged with Disorderly Conduct and Unlawful Use of Weapons, and was lodged in the Winnebago County Juvenile Detention Center.

A 16-year-old Rockford male was arrested for Disorderly Conduct and released to his parents.

A 15-year-old Rockford male was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia and disorderly conduct and was released to his parents.

The charges against these suspects are merely accusations and they should be considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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