

# T O R R A N C E

## Press Release

Police Department

March 29, 2019

### Indecent Exposure & Sexual Crimes Against a Child Under 14 Arrest



On Thursday, March 28, 2019, at about 3:30 PM, the Torrance Police Department began investigating an indecent exposure incident that occurred at Lincoln Elementary School located at 2418 166<sup>th</sup> Street in the City of Torrance. The victim, who is a student at the school, was sexually assaulted by a suspect while she was on the playground during the morning hours. The victim later reported the incident to her parent at the end of the school day. The victim's parent subsequently advised the Torrance Unified School District.



The Torrance Unified School District immediately advised the Torrance Police Department of the circumstances. The Torrance Unified School District collaborated with Torrance Police Patrol Officers and School Resource Officers by reviewing video surveillance during the preliminary investigation. It was discovered the suspect was only on campus less than (1) one minute.

Crime Analysts and Detectives assigned to the Sexual Crimes Division quickly followed with an in-depth investigation and surveillance operations.

On Friday, March 29, 2019, at about 4:50 PM, Torrance Police Investigators and Patrol Officers arrested **Dalan Johnson, 31 yrs of Los Angeles**, in the 1600 block of Torrance Boulevard (City of Los Angeles). Investigators also discovered Johnson is on parole for sexual crimes against minors.

The Torrance Police Department is thankful for another opportunity to partner with the Torrance Unified School District to ensure the safety of all of our students. This investigation is being conducted under the command of Torrance Police Captain Mark Underwood of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information regarding this case is encouraged to call the Torrance Police Department at (310) 328-3456 (DR# 190013793).



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