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Durham Man Arrested on Robbery and Weapons Charges

A Durham man was arrested on robbery and weapons charges following an armed home invasion on Courtney Creek Boulevard Thursday afternoon.

Durham police officers responded to a break-in in progress call at an apartment complex on Courtney Creek Boulevard at 12:07 p.m. Thursday. A female told them she was in her apartment when three men armed with guns kicked in the door. The female escaped by jumping off a balcony.

Officers were told that the suspects fled in a gold Dodge Durango. A few minutes later, Durham Police Master Officer M.W. Long spotted the vehicle and stopped it at the intersection of University Drive and Dixon Road.



Officers arrested one man, Eushun O'Neal Jackson, 20, of Abercromby Drive, but the other occupants of the Durango jumped out and fled on foot. Officers searched the area for more than an hour, but the other suspects escaped. Hope Valley Elementary School was placed on lockdown during the search.

Jackson was charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon, breaking and entering, assault by pointing a gun and possession of a firearm by a felon. He was placed in Durham County Jail under a \$150,000 bond.

Anyone with information about the home invasion or the other suspects is asked to call CrimeStoppers at 683-1200. CrimeStoppers pays cash rewards for information leading to arrests in felony cases and callers never have to identify themselves.

