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Male Arrested After Armed Assault in Oshawa

male is facing charges after assaulting a female while brandishing a knife during an altercation in Oshawa.

On Saturday, July 4, 2026, at approximately 10:30 a.m., members of Central East Division responded to an armed person call in the area of King Street and Simcoe Street. A male was involved in a physical altercation with another male over a cell phone. During the altercation, the suspect brandished a knife and assaulted an unrelated female when she attempted to stop the dispute. Several bystanders intervened and secured the male until police arrived and took him into custody. The victim sustained minor injuries.

At the time of this incident, the accused was on weapons prohibition conditions.

Faraz MUBASHAR, age 41 from Oshawa is charged with: Assault, Assault with a Weapon, Possess Weapon Dangerous, and Fail to Comply with Release Order.

Male Arrested After Ramming Police Cruiser with Stolen Vehicle in Ajax

A male is facing charges after ramming a police cruiser with a stolen vehicle while fleeing officers in Ajax.

On Thursday, June 11, 2026, at approximately 1:35 a.m., West Division members on proactive patrol observed a Ford pick-up truck driving dangerously in a parking lot in the area of Kingston Road and Westney Road. Officers attempted to contain the vehicle during a traffic stop, however, the suspect vehicle intentionally rammed a police cruiser and fled from officers. A short time later, it was confirmed the suspect vehicle was stolen from a residence in Ajax.

Officers later located the suspect vehicle parked in the area of Bayly Street East and Burcher Road. The suspect vehicle was contained and the driver was taken into custody. A 16-year-old male from Ajax is charged with: Impaired Operation, Impaired Operation – Exceed, Flight from Peace Officer, Dangerous Operation, Drive Motor Vehicle While Under Suspension, Possess Property Obtained by Crime Over \$5000, and Fail to Comply with Release Order x2,

Four Arrested Following Guns and Gangs Investigation in Ajax

Four males have been arrested following an investigation

by the DRPS Guns and Gangs Unit in Ajax.

In July 2026, investigators with the DRPS Guns and Gangs Unit concluded an investigation into firearm trafficking in Durham Region. As a result, members of the Guns and Gang Unit, with the assistance of the DRPS Tactical Support Unit, executed a search warrant at a residence in Ajax.

Four males were located in the residence and taken into custody. A search of the residence located two handguns with overcapacity magazines, a replica Mac10 firearm, ammunition, and Canadian currency.

At the time of their arrests, two of the accused were already on weapons prohibition conditions.

Devante BOYCE, age 21 from Ajax is charged with: Possess Restricted/Prohibited Firearm – No licence x2, Possess Prohibited/Restricted Firearm x2, Possess Loaded Restricted/Prohibited Firearm, Possess Firearm Obtained by Crime x2, and Fail to Comply with Release order x2.

Darius HAMILTON, age 21 from Ajax is charged with: Possess Restricted/Prohibited Firearm – No licence x2, Possess Prohibited/Restricted Firearm x2, Possess Loaded Restricted/Prohibited Firearm, Possess Firearm Obtained by Crime x2, Possess Proceeds Obtained by Crime Over \$5000, Breach Peace Bond, Disobey Court Order, and Fail to Comply with Release Order.

Tristan Devonte MITCHELL, age 22 from Ajax is charged with: Possess Restricted/Prohibited Firearm – No licence x2, Possess Prohibited/Restricted Firearm x2, Possess Loaded Restricted/Prohibited Firearm, Possess Prohibited Device x2, Possess Firearm Obtained by Crime x2, Possess Firearm While Prohibited, Possess Proceeds Obtained by Crime Over \$5000.

Quinton PARR, age 21 from Toronto is charged with: Possess Restricted/Prohibited Firearm – No licence x2, Possess Prohibited Device x2, Possess loaded Firearm, Possess Firearm Obtained by Crime x2, and Possess Proceeds Obtained by Crime Over \$5000.

Help Solve a Crime Leads to Arrest in Counterfeit Currency Investigation

A female is facing charges after assistance from a Help Solve a Crime led to her arrest.

On Tuesday, April 28, 2026, at approximately 2:00 p.m., a



female entered the HomeSense located at 125 Harwood Avenue North in Ajax, and purchased items using fraudulent currency. A short time later the female suspect attended the HomeSense located at 1355 Kingston Road in Pickering, where she returned the fraudulently purchased items for legitimate currency.

On Friday, July 3, 2026, the suspect was identified with assistance from a Help Solve a Crime post, and taken into custody in Oshawa.

Tanase Stela HARET, age 50 from Pickering is charged with: Fraud Under \$5000, and Utter Counterfeit Currency.

Two Youth Arrested After Fraud and Counterfeit Currency Investigation

A 15-year-old male and 17-year-old female are facing charges after using online marketplaces to fraudulently purchase cell phones with counterfeit currency.

Between January 2026 and April 2026, a 15-year-old male and 17-year-old female used fake online accounts to contact at least 15 victims through virtual buy and sell market places, including Facebook Marketplace, and Kijiji. The suspects would arrange to meet the victims at different locations across Oshawa to purchase a cell phone. During each interaction with the victims, the suspects would exchange counterfeit currency for a cell phone before fleeing the area. Further investigation identified both the male and female suspects, who had obtained more than \$6800 in cell phones fraudulently.

On Sunday, June 21, 2026, the 17-year-old female was located and arrested in relation to a separate police investigation.

On Sunday, July 5, 2026, the 15-year-old male was located and arrested in relation to a separate police investigation.

A 17-year-old female from Oshawa is charged with: Fraud Under \$5000 x2, and Utter Counterfeit Currency x2.

A 15-year-old male from Oshawa is charged with: Fraud Over \$5000, Fraud Under \$5000, and Utter Counterfeit Currency x14.

The 17-year-old female was released on an Undertaking. The 15-year-old male was held for a bail hearing.

Male Arrested After \$22,000 Electronics Theft in Pickering

An ex-employee of a financial business in Pickering is facing charges after breaking into the office and stealing over \$22,000 in electronics on multiple occasions.

In June 2026, members of West Division responded to a break-and-enter call at a financial business in the area of Liverpool Road and Pickering Parkway. Staff at the business received notifications that an ex-employee was using a stolen key fob to access the business office.

Further investigation revealed that between April 2026 and May 2026, the suspect had used the stolen key fob to access the office multiple times to steal over \$22,000 in electronics.

On Friday, July 3, 2026, investigators from the West Crime Team, with the assistance of the Community Resource Unit, executed a search warrant at a residence in Oshawa. The suspect was located near the residence and taken into custody without incident.

Oluwaloseyitan Jermaine KENTEBE, age 35 from Oshawa is charged with: Break-and-Enter, and Possession of Property Obtained by Crime Over \$5000.

Female Arrested for Sexual Assault at Group Home in Oshawa

A female staff member is facing charges following an investigation into sexual assaults that occurred at a group home in Oshawa.

In February 2026, investigators with the DRPS Special Victims Unit began an investigation into a female staff member who reportedly sexually assaulted a 13-year-old male several times at a group home in Oshawa.

Further investigation revealed that between September 2025 and January 2026 the suspect engaged the victim in a sexual relationship.

On Wednesday, June 24, 2026, investigators concluded their investigation and took the suspect into custody without incident.

Police have concerns there may be further victims.

Shari Shoshana MCGREGOR, age 30 from Clarington is charged with: Sexual Assault, Sexual Interference, and Invitation to Sexual Touching.

Male Arrested After Pointing Firearm During Road Rage Incident in Oshawa

A male is facing charges after pointing a firearm at another male during a verbal road rage altercation in Oshawa.

On Wednesday, June 17, 2026, at approximately 5:05 p.m., members of Central East Division responded to an armed person call in the area of Ritson Road North and Taunton Road East. The suspect and victim were involved in a verbal road rage altercation when the suspect pointed a firearm toward the victim and made threats, before leaving the area. Officers arrived on scene and quickly located and arrested the suspect without incident. The firearm was later confirmed to be an imitation pistol.

The victim did not suffer any physical injuries.

Bhaviya Jiteshkumar PATEL, age 26 from Clarington is charged with: Point Firearm, Assault with a Weapon, and Weapons Dangerous.

Male Arrested for Failing to Comply with Release Order

A 43-year-old male has been charged with failing to comply with his court-imposed release order after being convicted of sexual offences against a child.

On Monday, June 22, 2026, members from East Division received information that a male was breaching his conditions. Through investigation, officers confirmed that the male is bound by a court-imposed order, which prohibits him from being in the company of or communicating with anyone under 16-years-of-age. Officers were able to confirm the male violated this order and he was arrested without incident.

Alexander BROOKING, age 46, of Oshawa is charged with Fail to Comply with Release Order.

Male Arrested for Bank Fraud in Oshawa

A male is facing charges after attempting to fraudulently open bank accounts at multiple banks in Oshawa.

On Friday, June 19, 2026, at approximately 1:25 p.m., members of Central West Division responded to a fraud call at the Scotiabank located at 2630 Simcoe Street North. A male attended the bank and attempted to open an account using fraudulent identification. Officers arrived on scene and took the male into custody without incident.

Kyle Ryan CABRAL, age 39 from East Gwillimbury is charged with: Fraud Under \$5000, Possess Identity

Document of Another x3, Utter Forged Document, Fail to Comply with Probation Order x2, Personation to Gain Advantage x2, and Obtain Identity Information for Fraudulent Offence.

Two Arrested after Armed Home Invasion in Ajax

Two males are in custody following an armed home invasion and drug trafficking investigation in Ajax.

On Tuesday, February 3, 2026, at approximately 3:30 a.m., members of West Division responded to an armed person call at a residence in the area of Kingston Road West and Westney Road North. Residents of the home contacted police after two suspects broke into their residence armed with handguns. The suspects fled in a vehicle prior to police arrival. Investigators identified two suspects and on Thursday, June 18, 2026, the West Division Crime Team, with the assistance of the DRPS Tactical Response Unit, Community Response Unit, East Division Crime Team and Intelligence Unit, executed search warrants at five locations in Durham and Toronto.

During the search warrants, officers seized a firearm with two over capacity magazines, several rounds of ammunition, a quantity of drugs, including cocaine, fentanyl and methamphetamine, and various Schedule I pills. They also seized a large quantity of Canadian currency.

Two males have been arrested and are facing multiple charges.

Wazir FOFILZEH, age 29 from Mississauga is charged with: Possess Restricted Firearm Knowing Possession Unauthorized; Point Firearmx2; Occupy Motor Vehicle with Firearm; Robbery with Firearm; Possess Firearm while Prohibited; Possess Ammunition Contrary to Order; Possession Methamphetamine for the Purpose of Trafficking; Possession Cocaine for the Purpose of Trafficking; and Possess Other Sched I for the Purpose of Trafficking; Possess Property Obtained by Crime.

At the time of his arrest, FOFILZEH was on a weapons prohibition and an order not to possess any ammunition.

Ahmed ALI, age 30 from Oshawa is charged with: Possess Restricted Firearm Knowing Possession Unauthorized; Possession of a Prohibited Device or Weapon x3; and Possess Cocaine for the Purpose of Trafficking.