

Crime Watch Notice: June 14, 2013

Posted at 7:33 p.m.

On 06/14/2013 at approximately 6:30 pm a female subject reported that she was walking in the Botanical Gardens when she encountered a male subject standing on one of the trails. She reported that the male subject asked if he could pet her dog. After squatting to pet the dog, the male subject rose to a standing position and displayed what was described as a pocket knife and began speaking. The female reported that she could not understand what the male subject was saying. She stated that she and her dog immediately ran from the area. She advised that the male subject did not pursue her. She was not injured in the incident and the male subject did not attempt to take any of her belongings.

The suspect is described as a white male, approximately 6'0 tall with a brown beard wearing a white Winston Salem State University T-shirt.

Police are looking for the male subject. If you see a subject matching this description or you have information on this incident, contact University Police immediately at 251-6710.

Police encourage you to use caution when walking in wooded areas. You should not walk alone and if you see suspicious activities or people, contact the police immediately.