

State Police Detectives Investigating Robbery in Newark



The Delaware State Police are investigating a robbery that occurred at Arby's in Newark last night.

On August 24, 2024, at approximately 9:50 p.m., troopers responded to a robbery at Arby's, located at 13 Possum Park Mall in Newark. The investigation revealed that an unknown black male suspect entered the business, went behind the counter, and sprayed a chemical agent on an employee. The suspect continued to spray the chemical agent, forced a second employee to another part of the business, and took an undisclosed amount of money from a safe. The suspect fled on foot; troopers searched the area but were unable to locate him. The employees sustained minor injuries.

The suspect is described as an unknown black male, last seen wearing a black hoodie and a ski mask.



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 Heavy police presence at Possum Park Mall in Newark due to an ongoing investigation. Please avoid the area and allow officers to work safely. 

Delaware State Police Troop 2 continues to investigate this robbery. Troopers are asking anyone with information about this case to contact Det. D. Armstrong by calling (302) 365-8440. Information may also be provided by sending a

private Facebook message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of a crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and need assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit / [Delaware Victim Center](#) is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll-free hotline at 1-800-VICTIM-1 (1-800-842-8461). You may also email the Victim Services Unit at DSP_VictimServicesMail@delaware.gov.