

VILLAGE OF MARSHALL

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PRESS RELEASE

CONCESSION STAND BURGLARY

Marshall, WI. March 18, 2013 – The Marshall Concession Stand at Converse Park was burglarized during the evening hours of Thursday, June 14, 2012. The Marshall Police Department referred two (2) subjects in connection with the June 14, 2012, burglary for charges.

The Village of Marshall's Recreation Department incurred a loss of over \$2100.00 for damages and loss of product in the 400 blk of Best Built Parkway. The suspects had gained entry by force through the access door of the Converse Park concession stand.

On August 29, 2012, Richard Bates, 18, and Derek Hedtke, 18, both of Marshall, had charges referred to the Dane County District Attorney's Office in connection to this crime. Bates was charged with Burglary of a Building – Party to a Crime and Criminal Damage to Property - Party to a Crime. Hedtke was charged with Burglary of a Building – Party to a Crime.

On February 27, 2013, Hedtke plead Guilty to the charge of Burglary of a Building – Party to a Crime and was placed in a Deferred Prosecution Program.

On March 18, 2013, Bates plead Guilty to the charge of Burglary of a Building – Party to a Crime and was placed in a Deferred Prosecution Program. The charge of Criminal Damage to Property – Party to a Crime was dismissed as a part of the plea.

Burglary of a Building is a Class F Felony and holds a penalty of a fine up to \$25,000; Up to 12.5 years of incarceration and up to 5 years of extended supervision.

Criminal Damage to Property is a Class A Misdemeanor and holds a penalty of a fine up to \$10,000 and holds a penalty of up to 9 months of incarceration.

The Marshall Police Department reminds residents to be aware of the activities in their neighborhood and to report anything suspicious to authorities immediately at the non-emergency Dispatch number, 608-255-2345. Anyone with information relating to this case is encouraged to contact Madison Area Crime Stoppers at 608-266-6014 or the Marshall Police Department at 655-3533.

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