



Town of Wallkill Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

For Immediate Release
April 21, 2022

Incident: One Arrest – Unlawful Possession of a Weapon By A Person Under 16
Location: Monhagen Middle School, 555 County Route 78, Town of Wallkill, NY
Date/Time: April 21, 2022/ 8:39am

On Thursday, April 21, 2022 at approximately 8:39am, School Resource Officer Michael Mills was alerted by school officials of a student in possession of a BB-gun at Mohangen Middle School, 555 County Route 78. A subsequent investigation by Detective Christopher Dinapoli, discovered that a juvenile, 14 year old, male, Middletown resident entered Mohangen Middle School with a loaded BB-gun. The juvenile was arrested and charged with Unlawful Possession of a Weapon By A Person Under 16. He was released with an appearance ticket and will appear before Orange County Juvenile Probation on May 20, 2022 at 10:00am.

A criminal charge is merely an allegation by the police that a defendant has committed a violation of the criminal law, and it is not evidence of guilt. All defendants are presumed innocent and entitled to a fair trial, during which it will be the State of New York's burden to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

Robert McLymore
Lieutenant

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