

Gorham Police Department

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Press Release Form

Officer / Supervisor making report: Sgt. Michael Nault

Type of Incident: Bomb Threat

Date / Time of Incident: 04-26-2013

Location of Incident: Gorham Middle School

106 Weeks Road

Gorham, Maine 04038

Narrative:

On 04-25-2013, The Gorham Police Department was advised of a bomb threat in the area of the Gorham Middle School. The students were sheltered in place during the initial investigation and eventually dismissed at normal dismissal time.

On 04-26-2012, The Gorham Police Department was advised of a more specific threat in the area of the Gorham Middle School. With the information obtained, the students were again sheltered in place and dismissed at normal dismissal time. The only change to the dismissal procedure was that no student was allowed to walk from the school. Students who typically walk were bussed to Gorham High School and dismissed from that location. All after school activities were cancelled.

The Gorham Police Department would like to thank all the students, staff and parents for their co-operation during these investigations.

Gorham Police Department along with the Gorham Middle School Administration are continuing to investigate both of these incidents. Anyone with information is asked to contact the Gorham Police Department at 839-5581.