Campus Safety Department Crime Alert:

Aggravated Assault – Walking Path outside VanderWerp Hall: December 1, 2017

Incident Information:

On Friday, December 1, 2017, at approximately 7:45 p.m. a student reported they were shot in the leg by a device they believed to be a BB or pellet gun. The victim was on the walking path between VanderWerp Hall and the Knollcrest Dining Hall. Prior to being struck in the leg, the victim indicated they heard a sound that they said was like a “Nerf” gun being fired. The victim said the shot came from the direction of VanderWerp Hall. After checking for an injury, the victim looked for where the shot came from, but was unable to locate a source for the shot.

Suspect Information:

Currently there is no suspect information available for this incident.

Recommendation:

If you see anyone in possession of a BB, pellet or airsoft guns, use caution. These types of weapons are banned from campus per the Calvin College Weapons Policy. If you see any suspicious persons or activity on campus, especially around the residence halls, contact Campus Safety at 526-6452 for a non-emergency or 526-3333 if it is an emergency. If you wish to report suspicious activity and want to remain anonymous, you can contact Silent Observer at 616-774-2345 or by e-mail at http://www.silentobserver.org, or you can send a text message: TXT CRIMES (274637) include Keyword Tip138 in the message.