

Press Release

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LCPD: McDonald's Employee Arrested After Shooting at Co-Worker

At 7/9/24 at approximately 10:45am, the Lake City Police Department responded to a local McDonald's restaurant after receiving a complaint of a disturbance. Initial calls indicated two employees had been in a fight and one was armed with a handgun. As officers responded, more information was received that the armed employee had shot at the other.

Officers arrived on scene and quickly located the suspect, identified later as Jaden Davis, on a nearby street. Davis fled from officers, who pursued him. As officers caught up to Davis, who had the firearm in his waistband, Davis resisted but was successfully taken into custody without injury to himself or any officers.

Investigation into the incident revealed that Davis had gotten into a verbal argument with a co-worker inside the restaurant, which then turned physical. The two were separated and ended up outside where the dispute resumed. As the victim tried to leave the scene, Davis pulled and shot a firearm at the victim. He then fled the scene as police responded.

Davis was cleared by EMS on scene then transported to the Columbia County Jail.



ARRESTED:

Name: Davis, Jaden D
Age: 24
Address: 1750 SW Camellia Dr, Lake City, FL 32025

Charges:

Attempted Homicide
Possession of a Firearm During Commission of a felony
Possession of a Firearm by Convicted Felon
Discharging Firearm in Public
Criminal Mischief
Resisting Arrest



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