

Teenager charged in 7-Eleven robberies

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Cheektowaga Police investigate a reported armed robbery at 7-Eleven on August 29th. (Jim Herr/Cheektowaga Chronicle)

CHEEKTOWAGA – Cheektowaga Police confirm an arrest has been made in the armed robberies at two 7-Eleven convenience stores this week.

A 16-year-old male was arrested Thursday morning on Alexander Avenue [minutes after knocking over the 7-Eleven store at 1055 Walden Avenue](#) for a small amount of cash.

Assistant Chief of Police Jim Speyer tells Cheektowaga Chronicle that the teen is also responsible for the [robbery Wednesday morning at the 7-Eleven store on Harlem Road](#).

He says the teen used a BB Gun in both of the robberies. The teen ditched the gun while running away Thursday, but it was later recovered.

The teen faces two counts of Robbery, two counts of Petit Larceny, two counts of Menacing, and two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon.

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