

CRIME ALERT

February 27, 2009

STUDENT REPORTS BEING ROBBED NEAR STADIUM

An SMU student reported to police Friday afternoon that she was robbed at gunpoint by a cab driver about 3:30 a.m. Friday as she exited his cab on Airline Road at near Ford Stadium.

She said the cab driver pulled over to let her out and as she was getting ready to pay him, he pointed a gun at her and told her to leave everything in the cab. She said she complied and then walked to her residence hall.

She said she had gotten into the cab in front of the Green Elephant Bar on Yale Blvd. but did not recall the color of the cab or what the cab driver looked like.

Anyone with information about this matter is asked to contact the SMU Police Department at 214-768-3388. Information also may be reported anonymously through the Silent Witness Program by calling 214-SMU-2TIP or online at <http://www.smu.edu/2tip>

Protecting Yourself

- Be mindful of your safety at all times.
- If you are the victim of a crime or see something suspicious, call police immediately at 911. Time is of the essence in such situations.
- Avoid traveling alone late at night.
- Always be aware of your surroundings, especially in parking lots and garages. Have your keys ready as you approach your car, and always lock your doors after entering.