

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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SYNOPSIS:

On Thursday, May 3, 2018, at approximately 1:06 pm, Mar Vista High School received multiple telephone threats from what sounded like juveniles. School officials could not identify the caller(s). Statements of shooting the school were made; however, there was no specific target, specific person named, or time given by the callers. Laughing was heard in the background during the phone calls. The phone number used to call the school was verified as not being a real number.

Mar Vista High School went into secure campus mode while deputies conducted a security sweep of the school. Deputies remained on scene and provided extra security in and around the school until the students were released from campus as normally scheduled.

The Sheriff's Department takes every threat seriously and will conduct a thorough investigation of the incident.

Call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477 with information and you will remain anonymous. You may be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to a felony arrest.