



SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MEDIA RELEASE

DATE/TIME: May 9, 2019

TOPIC: Subject Identified & Arrested

LOCATION: Santa Cruz Police Department

CASE NUMBER: 19S-02873

INVOLVED SUBJECTS:

1. **Name:** Justin Schreiber

Arrested: Yes

DOB: 38yrs old

Charges: 243 PC Felony Battery.

VICTIM(S): Female Adult.

INFORMATION:

****UPDATE****

On May 9, 2019, shortly after the initial press release, a Santa Cruz Police Officer observed Mr. Schreiber in the area of Locust St and Cedar St. He was contacted by uniformed officers, and a Detective re contacted the victim. During the investigation, the victim positively identified Mr. Schreiber as the person who struck her.

Mr. Schreiber was arrested for felony battery and being under the influence.

ORIGINAL PRESS RELEASE:

The Santa Cruz Police Department is requesting the community's help in identifying a subject accused of striking a female near the intersection of Pacific Ave and Birch Lane. The crime occurred on April /27/2019 at 2:45pm.

The suspect captured in the attached video walked up behind the victim and tapped her shoulder. As the victim turned towards the suspect, he struck her in the face, while calling her a derogatory name. The suspect fled the area and was last seen running down Birch Ave. The victim sustained an injury to her nose and forehead. She was transported to the hospital by family members.

The suspect is described as a white male, short/buzzed style hair, wearing a black shirt, and shorts.

If anyone knows this person, or his location, the Santa Cruz Police Department requests you contact them. The Santa Cruz Police Department urges anyone who witnessed the incident or has any information, to call our Investigations Section @ 831.420.5820.

If you want to make an anonymous call regarding the incident, please call 831.420.5995

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