

June 16, 2026

TO: Campus Community
FR: Nader Oweis, Chief of Police
RE: TIMELY WARNING: Burglary Arrest (Case SS26-90)

This Timely Warning is being issued in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Act. The purpose is to provide preventative information to the campus community to aid members from becoming victims of a similar crime.

REPORTED CRIME: On June 15, 2026, at approximately 4 a.m., Sonoma State Police Department officers observed two individuals in the act of burglarizing a shed in Zinfandel Village. The individuals, David Gilliam, 44, of Petaluma, and Nicole Arrabit, 42, of Petaluma, are not affiliated with the campus.

David Gilliam was booked into the Sonoma County main jail on charges of burglary, theft with prior charges, possession of burglary tools, giving false information to a police officer, and possession of a replica firearm.

Nicole Arrabit was booked into the Sonoma County main jail on charges of burglary.

If you know something: Anyone with information that might assist with these investigations is urged to call the Sonoma State University Police Department at 707-664-4444.

The Sonoma State University Police Department reminds the campus community of the following safety tips:

- Immediately and promptly report any suspected crime, suspicious persons, or activities on campus to University Police by calling 911 or the non-emergency line at 707-664-4444.
- If you believe that you or someone else is in an unsafe situation, please do not delay calling 911 or seeking assistance from others.
- Be alert to your surroundings. Your actions as an active bystander can help prevent crimes from occurring within our campus community.

You are not at fault for any harm done to you. The above safety tips are not intended to imply otherwise.

SUPPORT RESOURCES: [Counseling and Psychological Services \(CAPS\)](#) is available for any student seeking support at 707-664-2153. Our [Employee Assistance Program](#), LifeMatters by Empathia, is available for any staff and faculty seeking support. A [Confidential Advocate](#) is also available at 707-664-2698. Another resource is the [Office for the Prevention of Harassment and Discrimination \(OPHD\)](#) which can provide supportive measures and receive complaints related to sexual misconduct, harassment, and discrimination on behalf of the university. OPHD can be reached at 707-664-4140.

Physical descriptions of a suspect or subject, including race or gender, are included in timely warnings only when they provide several details that might help distinguish the suspect's or subject's appearance from the general population.

Crimes reportable under the Clery Act are defined on the [Clery Compliance website](#).