

# Law & Order

A LOOK AT CRIME ON CAMPUS AND IN THE COMMUNITY

## Teens rob convenience store

By Jeff Zeleny  
Senior Reporter

Two boys in their late teens who robbed a convenience store late Wednesday apparently were thirsty.

Not only did the two teens take an undisclosed amount of cash, they also swiped two cases of Miller beer from the Gas N' Shop at 2142 N. Cotner Blvd., said Lincoln police Sgt. Ann Heermann.

One of the boys, who was about 5 feet 6 inches tall, was wearing a Chicago Bulls Starter jacket and black slacks. He entered the store with his face covered by a black

ski mask, pointed a black semi-automatic pistol at the store clerk and demanded money.

Meanwhile, the other boy, who also was about 5 feet 6 inches tall and stocky, grabbed the beer from the back of the store. His face was partially covered with a black-hooded sweat shirt.

No suspects had been identified Thursday afternoon, Heermann said.

### Shots fired

A Lincoln man was arrested Wednesday on suspicion of making terroristic threats and discharging a weapon in the city limits,

police said.

Police were called to 32nd and S streets Wednesday at about 8 p.m. with reports of shots being fired. Anthony Richardson, 3230 S St., told police that another man threatened him with a 12-gauge shotgun.

Two shots were fired into the air, Heermann said, but no one was injured. Peautray Green, 1416 S. 12th St., was arrested by police at First and Belmont streets.

Four men were in the car with Green, Heermann said, and one was cited for giving false information to police.

## Saturday a day to make a difference

By Sarah Danberg  
Staff Reporter

This weekend, for one day, Nebraskans and the nation will lend a hand to a community in need — its own.

The fifth annual Make a Difference Day will be held Saturday.

"This is a day where everyone makes a conscious effort to help the community," said Christine Vu, administrative assistant for the Nebraska Commission for National and Community Service.

The nationally recognized day is sponsored by USA Weekend maga-

zine and The Points of Light Foundation.

"There has been a really good response in Nebraska the past few years," Vu said. "Statewide, there will be thousands involved."

Millions are expected to participate nationally.

There are more than 20 projects planned in Nebraska this year in cities such as Scottsbluff, Ogallala, Grand Island, Lexington and Omaha. A variety of projects are planned, ranging from recycling to raking leaves.

In Lincoln, volunteers will serve

meals in homeless shelters and soup kitchens, visit new refugees and give assistance to the elderly by cleaning and delivering meals.

Many projects are coordinated by the United Way Volunteer Center and other organizations. Vu said anyone wishing to get involved should contact the Nebraska Commission for National and Community Service for more information.

Make a Difference Day originally was held on Leap Day of Leap Year.

"Leap Day is an extra day," Vu said, "the perfect day to make a difference."

## Donations

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Charlyne Berens brought the Todds' plight to the group's attention.

"The first step and the easy step is to get the information out early," Flint said. "We will put information in our newsletter on how people could make contributions to the Todds."

"We will also make live announcements at our meetings and tell people how easy it is to make donations."

Berens said donations can be made at any Cornhusker Bank.

Lynda Todd said she appreciated the help; her family is just beginning the race to earn \$250,000 by the beginning of 1996.

"The doctors want to do the surgery at the first of January because Chanel is in a phase now where her body would be more receptive to the surgery," Lynda Todd said. "We have contacted many people including the Lincoln Community Playhouse, Make-a-Wish foundation and the athletic department, so we could see Michael Jordan tomorrow night to help with donations," she said Thursday.

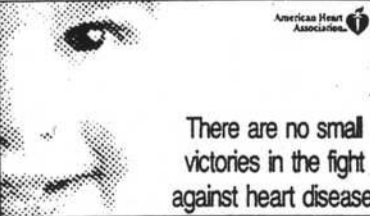
The Chicago Bulls and Michael Jordan play tonight in the Bob Devaney Sports Center at 7:30 p.m. against the Los Angeles Clippers. Lynda Todd said she was hoping Jordan or other members of the Bulls would help with either donations or a speaking engagement.

Since Chanel developed the rare disease, which affects African Americans between the ages of 11 and 30, her mother has been active telling others about the illness.

Lynda Todd said she had even talked to the Oprah Winfrey show about appearing.

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