

Shoplifters nabbed at Premium Outlets

In a proactive response to increased criminal activity at the Toronto Premium Outlets mall at Steeles Ave. and Trafalgar Rd. in Halton Hills, Halton Regional Police partnered with loss prevention experts from Mexx, Banana Republic and The Gap stores in a combined operation that was conducted over a two-day period.

Police and retail crime specialists have been liaising for some time on how to deal with the gangs of roving shoplifters that plague GTA malls. Uniform officers have been increasing their presence with foot patrols, as well as building relationships on all levels with the mall management and staff since it opened in 2013.

A plan to embed corporate loss prevention into police arrest teams was drafted by detectives from the Halton Regional Police 1 District Strategic Support Team.

On June 10 and 11, officers from the District Response Unit and uniform patrol changed into street clothes and took full advantage of the operational learning opportunity pre-

sented by working in the mall with these loss prevention experts.

Over the two-day period, four females were arrested from various stores in the mall and charged with a variety of criminal offences.

- Tamesha Nicola Duncan, 35, from Stayner, charged with theft under \$5000.

- Qiana Gillespie, 32, from Brampton, charged with theft under \$5000 and possession of stolen property.

- Dawn Williams, 46, from Brampton, charged with theft under \$5000 and possession of stolen property.

One other 43-year-old female arrested but revealed an outstanding immigrant warrant, and was released unconditionally to immigration officers.

Halton Regional Police say a good template for further cooperative police operations in the mall has been a by-product of the two days and further joint operations are planned.

Police add they will continue to have a visible and proactive presence at the Toronto Premium Outlets mall.

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Date	Location
Saturday, June 21, 2014 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.	Acton Public Works Yard 1 Commerce Crescent, Acton

Halton residents may drop off the following household materials free of charge:

Household Hazardous Waste

Electronic waste



✓ Acceptable materials

- acids (rust remover)
- aerosol cans (full or partially full)
- automotive liquids (antifreeze, motor oil and filters)
- batteries (household & car)
- bleach
- cosmetics & pharmaceuticals
- fluorescent lights (compact bulbs & tubes)
- fertilizers
- fuels (must leave container)
- garden chemicals
- household cleaners
- medications
- mercury containing devices
- paint (full or partially full)
- pesticides
- pool chemicals
- propane tanks & other pressurized containers
- solvents
- stains
- varsol
- computers
- stereos
- phones
- TVs
- VCRs
- DVD players
- computer monitors
- printers
- cell phones
- cameras
- computer batteries

✗ Unacceptable materials

- needles, syringes and lancets
- commercial and industrial hazardous waste
- asbestos
- PCBs
- radioactive waste
- explosives and ammunition
- bio-medical waste
- appliances
- vacuums
- scrap metal

✗ Other Unacceptable materials

- Commercial waste, tires, reuse materials (clothing, etc.), and scrap metal. If you are unsure whether an item will be accepted at a Special Waste Drop-off Day, contact Halton Region by dialing 311.

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