

Jean Parent

[REDACTED]

1 Barron Park Lane Apt # 35

Cell: [REDACTED]

Below is a summary of the interview statement made by Jean Parent, the resident of 1 Baron Park Lane Apt # 35.

Jean stated that she was in the bedroom of her apartment, and her husband was in the living room. She heard the bangs of the gunshots and yelled to her husband “what was that?” he responded that they were “definitely gunshots.” They both looked out their windows, she looked out her bedroom window and he looked out the living room window, and saw the commotion. She stated she could see the man on the ground, and officers and the fire fighters giving him aid. She then looked around and noticed a younger female standing directly outside of building one by herself. She described the female as a dark black female with black braided hair down to about her waist. She appeared to be approximately 14 to 16 years old, and about 5’6” tall. She was wearing jeans, a dark colored jacket, and a winter hat with a “pom pom” on it. It should be noted that her husband Donald Parent believed the age to be between 19 to 21 years old, however, he only saw her from the window. She was standing just outside the entrance to building 1 on the paved walkway approximately 8-10 feet from the front door. It appeared she was outside waiting for either a ride, or someone to come out.

Jean advised me that once she noticed the girl, she focused on getting her out of danger. She ran down to the entrance of the building and waved her in, telling her that there were just gunshots and she should not be outside. She stated the girl seemed to be completely unfazed by what had just taken place and was “extremely calm.” Jean said at one point the girl made a

comment to her stating that the girl used to live there, but does not anymore, and the police were there all the time. At this time Jean told the girl she should call her dad to tell him she was ok and that she needed to get picked up. The girl did call someone (Jean assumed it was the girl's dad). Jean stated she did not speak with any accent.

At some point the girl exited the vestibule of the building and went back outside. Jean did not see where she went. She did not see if the girl got in a vehicle or walked away from the scene.

In speaking with Officer Tristan Cochran, who was one of the first officers on scene and helping to establish the crime scene perimeter, he stated he as well noticed the girl outside of building one. Before he could retrieve her information as a possible witness of the incident, she was gone. He did not see if she got in a vehicle or if she just walked away from the scene. He did state however that he spoke with Burlington Fire Fighter Nick Menkello who also observed the girl on the scene.

I spoke with Menkello who stated he observed the girl standing on her phone outside of building one. She was on her phone and it appeared she may have been waiting for, or ordering a ride. He assumed maybe an Uber. He did not see her when she left, and did not notice if she walked away or got into a vehicle.

I also spoke with all of the other fire fighters on scene, none of which noticed the female.

There were no other reports of anyone who observed the female on scene.

Attempts to locate the female

- Detective Sage Costa contacted Uber and spoke to someone through their law enforcement portal via chat. He got an exigency order approved, and requested any pick up on MIDDLESEX TPKE EXT between the times of 12:00pm and 12:30pm. They reported there were no pick-ups at that location between those times.
- Contacted the school resource office (Officer Vito Costa) to view the school records to see if there was anyone in the Burlington school systems that lives or lived at Building 1 of Lord Barron apartments who may match the description
- Contacted the Lord Barron Facilities manager, Kevin Regan, and asked if he knew of anyone who matched the description that lives or lived in building one. He did not. He stated he contacted 14 different residents of building one who he believed may have had a visitor that day of a girl matching that description. All 14 stated they did not.
- Contacted the Citizens Bank branch located approximately one tenth of a mile north on Middlesex Tpke Ext from the entrance of Lord Barron. They do not have any exterior cameras.
- There are no residences in the area for any type of home security cameras
- Attempted to contact the owner of the Dunkin Donuts (Andrew Weiner – 978-835-8005) that is located in the same plaza as the Citizens bank to see if he could check his cameras during the time frame to see if the female had entered his restaurant at all. Left a message. He has yet to get back to me