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Police Seize Revolver, Arrest 4 Men for Marijuana, Cocaine Trafficking in Central

Police have seized one firearm and a quantity of marijuana and cocaine during a drug suppression exercise in Central last night.

Four men – ages 20, 27, 28 – from the Central Division, were arrested in connection with the narcotic seizures and are assisting detectives with their investigations.

One of the 20-year-old suspects is expected to be charged with Possession of 72 grammes of Marijuana while the three others are expected to be jointly charged with Possession of 30 grammes of Cocaine with the Purpose of Trafficking.

All four suspects are expected to appear before a Chaguanas Magistrate next week.

Also, police are asking anyone who may have information on the owner of the Smith and Wesson .22 Revolver together with 17 rounds of .22 ammunition which was found along Union Village, Felicity, in the vicinity of the Cemetery to contact its anti-crime hotline at 555 or CRIME STOPPERS at 800-TIPS.

According to police reports, yesterday evening, officers attached to the Central Division Task Force Area North were conducting a drug suppression exercise where they executed four search warrants at the homes of priority offenders. The exercise also included personnel from the Canine Branch.

During the operation, they also canvassed areas known to have home invasions during which they found the firearm and arrested four suspects who were allegedly involved in the illegal drug trafficking trade.

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