

Airdrie RCMP lay charges in Balzac Gas Station Armed Robbery

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Airdrie RCMP have laid numerous charges in relation to an Armed Robbery that occurred at the Balzac Gas Station in Balzac, Alta.

On December 29, 2018 at approximately 3:12 p.m., a lone male entered the Balzac Gas Station and produced an airsoft pistol while demanding money from the clerk. The suspect obtained an undisclosed amount of money before fleeing in a vehicle. Information provided by the public assisted Airdrie RCMP and Airdrie RCMP Police Dog Service Unit in locating the vehicle a short time later in the Luxstone neighbourhood in Airdrie. The suspect was arrested without incident.

Cody Madigan (20 yrs) of Airdrie, Alta is charged with 5 Criminal Code offences, some of which include:

- Robbery with a Firearm
- Using a Firearm while committing an offence
- Pointing a Firearm

Cody Madigan has been released with strict conditions and will appear in Airdrie Provincial Court on January 31, 2019. The Airdrie RCMP would like to thank the public for their co-operation in this investigation.

If you have information about this, or any other crime(s), and you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), by internet at www.tipsubmit.com, or by SMS (check your local Crime Stoppers [www.crimestoppers.ab.ca] for instructions on how to do it.) You do not have to reveal your identity to Crime Stoppers, and if you provide information to Crime Stoppers that leads to an arrest(s), the recovery of stolen property, and/or a seizure of illicit drugs, you may be eligible for a cash reward.