

Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office

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On July 18, 2008 at approximately 10:45 a.m., the Old Bride police responded to the community swimming pool at the London Terrace Apartment Complex after being alerted by the lifeguard that there was a body in the swimming pool. When police arrived at the scene they observed the lifeless body of Sidra Chaudhry, (age 14, of Gorniak Drive in Old Bridge) submerged in the deep end of the swimming pool. She was pronounced dead at the scene at 11:53 a.m. She was first discovered by the lifeguard when he reported to work this morning to open up the swimming pool. Ms. Chaudhry had been reported missing by her father at 10:41 p.m. on July 17, 2008.

No obvious signs of foul play were observed at the scene. An autopsy will be performed tomorrow morning to determine the cause and manner of death.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call either Old Bridge Detective Ron Nitto at 732-721-4000 or Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office Investigator Scott Crocco at 732-745-4471.

Any questions should be addressed to Assistant Prosecutor Nicholas Sewitch at 732-331-3389