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TRUMBULL STUDENT ARRESTED FOR INTERNET THREAT

Trumbull Police arrested a local youth for posting comments and a photo of himself on social media holding a handgun. The posting occurred yesterday, February 17, 2018, while he was in a group text with other students.

Trumbull Police were notified after a parent of one of the other students in the group found the post on their child's cell phone. The gun in the photo was found to be a replica BB gun. The youth purposely cropped out the guns red tip designating it as such when he took the photo. It was later determined that this was an isolated incident, and that there was no apparent threat to the general public.

The 13 year old was charged with Disorderly Conduct and is scheduled to appear in court March 3, 2018.

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