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FATAL CRASH ON PROGRESS ROAD-UPDATE

Update 03-26-2020

The driver of the Oldsmobile, JAMARCUS HARRIS, 28 of 11130 Cypress Drive succumbed to his injuries at a local hospital.

This investigation remains ongoing.

Original 03-26-2020

Baton Rouge Police are investigating a fatal crash that occurred last night around 9:30pm in the 1000 block of Progress Road. The crash involved a 1999 Oldsmobile Intrigue that struck a residence.

Traffic Homicide Investigators believe that the Oldsmobile was traveling westbound on Progress Road at a high rate of speed when the driver lost control of the vehicle. The vehicle then left the roadway, striking a tree and a chain link fence before colliding into a front room of the residence at 1066 Progress Road.

The front passenger of the Oldsmobile, DESTINY NELSON, 22 of 805 Central Road died at the scene.

An occupant of the residence, PATRICK DUNN, 56 of 1066 Progress Road, died at the scene.

The other passenger of the Oldsmobile, JAMARCUS, 2, (the son of JAMARCUS and DESTINY) of 805 Central Road was transported to a local hospital where he succumbed to his injuries.

The driver of the Oldsmobile was transported to a local hospital with life threatening injuries.

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