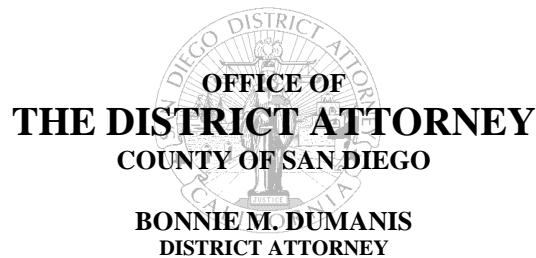


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DA Charges Former San Diego Padre in Connection with Granite Hills Assaults

San Diego County District Attorney [Bonnie M. Dumanis](#) said today that battery charges have been filed against Matthew Brian Bush, 23, in connection with an incident earlier this year at Granite Hills High School. Bush is accused of assaulting Granite Hills students during a lacrosse practice on February 4th.

The District Attorney's Office has filed four misdemeanor battery charges against Bush. If convicted, he faces up to four years in jail and a \$2,000 fine. Bush is scheduled to be arraigned on April 28 at 8:00 a.m. in Superior Court at the East County Regional Center in El Cajon.

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