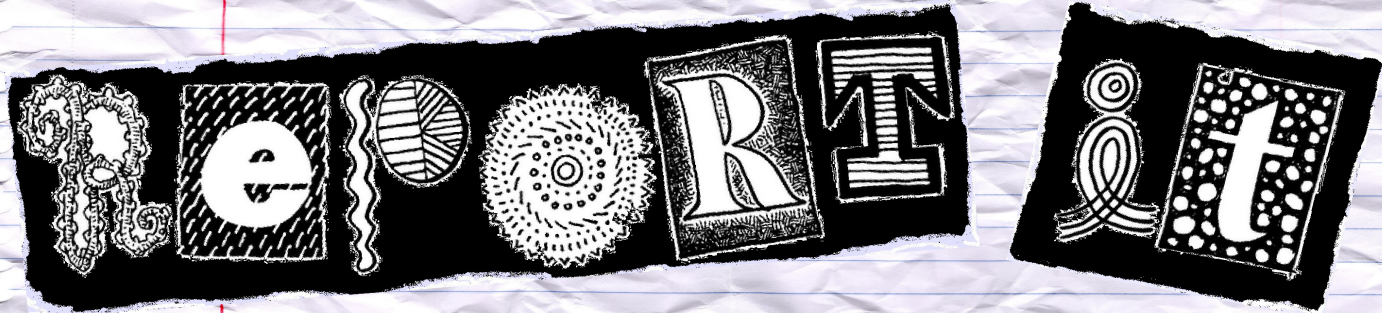


crime . drugs . fights . underage drinking . bullying  
violence . vandalism . theft . parties . threats . weapons  
gangs . drunk drivers . friends in trouble



text keyword **RICECO** + your **TIP** to **TIP411**  
(847411)



**100% Anonymous**

Tip information goes to local law enforcement after your message is stripped of identifying information.

There is no way for anyone to know it was you who reported.

**TIP411: If you see something or hear something, then say something!** Often students and parents have information about illegal activity, but don't know how to report it or aren't sure if they even should. Do your part to keep our community safe. Law enforcement agencies across Rice County are now accepting **100% ANONYMOUS** crime tips via cell phone text messages or the internet.

**For text message tips, follow these simple instructions:**

- 1. Start a new text message. Type 847411 in the phone number spot.**
- 2. Type RICECO in the message portion of the text.**
- 3. Type the crime information you have, be specific. Hit send.**

Your message will be sent to Citizen Observer, Inc. and stripped of all identifying information. A local officer will receive your message and determine if Faribault Police, Northfield Police or the Rice County Sheriff's Office will follow up. You may receive a text back, but don't worry. It's still anonymous! If you don't, be assured your tip was received. (Some cell phone carriers do not allow phones to receive automated text messages.)

**TIP411 is *not* monitored 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. Please call the non-emergency number below to report an incident in progress. Always dial 911 if it is a life threatening emergency.**

Faribault Police Department: 507-334-4305  
Northfield Police Department: 507-645-4475  
Rice County Sheriff's Office: 507-334-4391

For more information or instructions for submitting an internet tip, visit <http://ricecountyhc.com/tip411/>.