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**Contact:** Pam Russell  
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**RE:** Internet Sex Assault Arrest – Investigators Seek Other Victims

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Jefferson County District Attorney Investigators arrested John Martin Schuler, DOB: 1-11-49, of Arvada, for attempted sexual assault of who he believed to be a 14-year old girl he met on the Internet. Investigators believe it is possible that he has contacted other young women and would like anyone, parents or children, who might have had contact with him to call DA Investigator Mike Harris at 303-271-6936. Schuler used the screen names “daddy\_to\_please\_you” and “awesome\_pics\_of\_you”. He accessed the Yahoo and AOL instant messaging system and has used an email address of [AwesomePics4U@aol.com](mailto:AwesomePics4U@aol.com). He may have also used other screen names or email addresses.

This investigation and arrest resulted from information provided to police by a mother in Longmont, who inadvertently learned of her daughter’s electronic communication with Schuler. Undercover officers, posing as a 14-year-old girl entered into an on-line conversation with Schuler, which ultimately led to him to planning a meeting with who he believed to be 14-year-old Katie. When he arrived at the Wheat Ridge Recreation Center to meet “Kate” on April 9, 2003 he was arrested without incident.

Schuler has been charged with enticement of a child (F4), attempted sexual exploitation of a child (F4) and attempted sexual assault of a child (F5). He is being held in the Jefferson County Jail on \$50,000 bond.

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