## Bandits hit Kaduna again, kill 3, abduct 10

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BANDITS on Thursday evening attacked the Sabo GRA area of Kaduna, Kaduna State, killing three people and abducting 10 others.

A community leader in the area who pleaded for anonymity told *Saturday Tribune* on Friday that the bandits came into the community in large numbers around 8.30 p.m.

He said: "We are in deep trouble in this community.

This is about the fourth time our community has been invaded by these bandits.

"They came around 8.30 p.m. and started shooting. Some people were able to run to Sabo for safety. They killed three people and injured six others.

"I don't know how many people they kidnapped but I can confirm that I know of 10 people that were taken.

"Many people who escaped from their homes are yet to

come back, so it is difficult to determine the exact number of people that were kidnapped.

"Throughout last night, residents did not sleep as they were afraid.

"We were helpless, everybody was scared and agitated. We were at the mercy of the bandits because they were many and they were carrying sophisticated weapons."

The police and the state government had yet to react on the incident as of press time.

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