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Robbery: 1 killed, 2 injured in P-Harcourt

PORT HARCOURT— ONE
person was shot dead
yesterday and two others
sustained severe
gunshot wounds when
robbers stormed a pools
office around Education
bus stop area of Port
Harcourt.

Apparently, the underworld men acted on a tip off that the operator of the pools office, Mr Olukayode had gone to bring cash to pay winnings for last weekend. When the robbers gained entry into the pools office, they immediately shot the operator on the leg to demobilise him. Not satisfied, they further shot one of his sons also on the leg. The second son was not lucky as he was allegedly shot around his heart region, causing him to give up the ghost on the spot.

There were

speculations after the robbers had fled with the money running into several thousand naira that they probably killed his son because he recognised them.