



Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin

Crime statistics at a glance:

	7/1 – 7/7	7/8 – 7/14
Robberies	2	2
Residential Burglaries	1 + 1 attempt	1
Commercial Burglaries	0	0
Vehicle Burglaries	14	4
Stolen Vehicles	1 (recovered)	4 (1 recovered)

Notable Cases

On Monday, 07-08-13, Officer Keith Mattos was conducting traffic enforcement in the area of Serramonte Boulevard and Callan Boulevard when he saw a motorcyclist having mechanical difficulty with his motorcycle. Officer Mattos noted the registration expired in 2002 and stopped the driver. The driver said he purchased the motorcycle approximately 30 days prior and provided the officer with a pink slip. Officer Mattos noticed that the driver appeared extremely nervous and could not stand still, and he kept reaching his hands into his front and back pockets. The officer asked the driver if he had any weapons or drugs in his possession, and the driver admitted to having used cocaine the day before. He said he didn't have any drugs in his possession at the time; however, he said he had a couple of "throwing knives" strapped to his left leg. The driver said he was using them for protection. Officer Mattos recognized the three knives as dangerous weapons which can be used to stab and seriously injure another person. The driver, a 33-year old resident of Abilene Texas, was arrested for possession of a concealed dirk or dagger and for driving while unlicensed.

Robberies

There were two robberies during the past week.

On Tuesday, 7-09-13, a 19-year old Daly City resident reported he was the victim of a strong arm robbery by an unknown slender black male, 20-30 years old wearing blue jeans and a black hooded jacket. The victim explained he parked his car near the intersection of Oliver Street and Brunswick Street and began to walk on Oliver Street towards Brunswick Street when he noticed an older model white four door vehicle pull to the east curb line of Brunswick Street and a black male exit the vehicle. He said the male then asked him what he had and forcefully put his hands inside the victim's pants pocket and jacket pockets. The suspect was able to remove the victim's cell phone and house keys. The suspect asked the victim where his wallet was, and the victim

said he didn't have one. The suspect then punched the victim under his left eye and fled in his vehicle.

On Sunday, 07-14-13 at approximately 12:15 AM, a 27-year old cab driver from San Bruno was robbed via a knife at the intersection of Hill Street and D Street by four unknown suspects. The victim suffered minor cuts to his abdomen, arm and hand and was treated at Seton Hospital.

Residential Burglaries

There was one residential burglary during the past week.

On Wednesday, 07-11-13, Officer Wailun Shiu and Officer Kevin Summers were dispatched to the 1600 block of Bryant Street as the resident heard someone inside and outside of his house. Other officers also arrived, and they conducted a perimeter check of the residence. Officers found an open door at the rear of the house, and a female was seen hiding behind some boxes. The officers requested her to come out, and she refused. Officer Lucas Taylor sent his K-9 to assist in retrieving her. The female resisted arrest and was bit by the dog. The male resident of the house knew the female, a 48 year old San Francisco resident. She was arrested for burglary and resisting arrest.

Commercial Burglaries

There were no commercial burglaries during the past week.

Vehicle Burglaries

There were four vehicle burglaries during the past week. All of them occurred in commercial areas.

I would like to stress how important it is to NOT leave valuables in your vehicle, even if they are in the trunk. Many of the victims listed below left their valuables in plain view, but some even left them in their trunk. Our investigators are acutely aware of the ongoing burglaries that are plaguing most of the mall areas of Daly City (Westlake Shopping Center, Serramonte Shopping Center, Alto Serramonte) and are currently working several details in those areas. These thieves are savvy and very proficient. Please pass along the word to your family, friends and co-workers to NOT leave their valuables in their vehicles.

- Serramonte Shopping Center parking lot A6 (south side of JC Penney's)—a tote bag containing an iPad mini, sunglasses and an iPad mini case was taken from 2013 Dodge Caravan. The method of entry was a smash to the window. Occurred on 07-08-13 between 8:00 PM to 8:45 PM.
- 329 Gellert Boulevard parking lot—a black leather tote bag containing several gift cards and two gold necklaces was taken from the passenger seat of a 2005 Dodge Durango. The rear passenger door window was smashed. Occurred on 07-09-13 between 6:30 PM and 7:15 PM.

- Koi Palace parking lot—three suitcases containing cash, a notebook, a Chinese passport and medicine were taken from a 2012 GMC Acadia. The rear driver's side window was smashed. Occurred on 07-09-13 between 7:30 PM and 9:30 PM.
- Lake Merced Golf Club—a gym bag containing shoes, clothing and toiletries was taken from a 2011 Hyundai Tucson. The method of entry was a smash to the window. Occurred on 07-13-13 between 5:50 PM and 6:45 PM.

Stolen Vehicles

There were four stolen vehicles this past week. One was recovered.

- 300 block of Bay Ridge Drive—1999 Acura Integra. Occurred between 9:00 PM on 07-08-13 and 6:00 AM on 07-09-13. **Recovered by San Francisco P.D. on 07-12-13.
- 900 block of St. Francis Boulevard—1984 Ford Mustang. Occurred between 8:00 PM on 07-10-13 and 8:40 AM on 07-11-13.
- 1000 block of San Gabriel Circle—1993 Honda Civic. Occurred on 07-12-13 between 12:30 AM and 3:00 PM.
- 300 block of 2nd Avenue—a 1996 Honda Accord. Occurred on 07-14-13 between 1:00 AM and 5:00 AM.

Scams/Other

None to report.

Community Events

National Night Out

This year's National Night Out is on Tuesday, August 6, 2013. "National Night Out" is an event that heightens crime and drug prevention awareness, strengthens neighborhood spirit and police and community partnerships in an effort to send a message to the criminals that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back. For the third year in a row, the Daly City Police Department will be joining with the Colma Police Department who is working in partnership with the Colma Target Store to host this event. The event will run from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM and will take place in the parking lot area of the Colma Target store. There will be police cars, fire trucks, SWAT vehicles, K9 demonstrations and other booths. This event continues to grow each year.

If your neighborhood association would like the members of the Police Department to stop by at a BBQ or gathering you may be hosting in your neighborhood, please let me know, and I will coordinate this. We'd love to stop by and say hello!

Nixle is here!

"What is Nixle?" Residents can now receive important advisories, community updates, and official information from the Police Department by text message and email! There are several police agencies in San Mateo County already utilizing this service, and our Police Department just got the go-ahead to start publishing information. Please sign up on our website <http://www.dalycity.org/police> and learn more at www.nixle.com. For those of you who cannot get enough of social media, the Daly City Police Department has a Twitter account (@DalyCityPD)

and also a Facebook page. (Please “Like Us” on Facebook so you can receive updates about the Police Department!) This weekly bulletin will still remain.

iHelp

The City of Daly City launched “iHelp”, an innovative citizen’s service request and civic engagement tool allowing residents to easily interact and stay connected with their local government. *Daly City iHelp* is a free mobile device application (“app”) and is available from the Apple and Google app stores for immediate download. By utilizing this service, residents can access important City information, report issues (graffiti, garbage complaints, etc.), and track requests online and via mobile devices. Please take a moment to download the app or go to the city of Daly City website to see what requests have been already made on *iHelp*. For requests to the Police Department, please note the app is not maintained 24 hours per day, and service requests must be of a non-urgent matter.

If you have any suggestions or questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your concern for our community

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