



Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin

Crime statistics at a glance:

	7/29 – 8/4	8/5 – 8/11
Robberies	0	2 + 1 attempted
Residential Burglaries	2	0
Commercial Burglaries	0	5 + 1 attempted
Vehicle Burglaries	2	14
Stolen Vehicles	2 (1 recovered)	8 (3 recovered)

Notable Cases

On Tuesday, 08-06-13, at approximately 12:59 AM, Officer Kevin Summers and Officer Don McCarthy were dispatched to the unit block of Hillcrest Drive on a report of three subjects attempting to burglarize a vehicle. The subjects had fled the area prior to the officers' arrival. About an hour later, the officers were dispatched back to the area on a report of the subjects in the area again. The subjects gave chase to the officers, but they were eventually detained. Two subjects, a 20-year old San Francisco resident and an 18-year old Daly City resident, were arrested and booked into the San Mateo County Jail, and the other subject, a 17-year old Pacifica resident, was arrested and booked into Hillcrest.

Robberies

There were two robberies and one attempted robbery during the past week.

On Monday, 08-05-13 at 11:39 PM, Officer Jay Multaoupele was dispatched to the 6900 block of Mission Street on a report of a robbery that occurred at Marchbanks Park. The victim, a 21-year old Daly City resident, said he was walking with his girlfriend up the south staircase from the baseball field to the mid-level playground when he saw two Filipino males walking towards him from the south side entrance of the park. He said one of the subjects, described as a Filipino male in his 20's, about 5'06" to 5'08", average build, wearing a black baseball cap and black hooded sweatshirt that was covering his head and cap and walking a small black dog, who said, "What up bro, what you got? Gimme whatever you got!" The victim didn't know what to do since he had nothing to defend himself with, and fearing being bitten by the dog, the victim gave the suspect his iPod Touch. Afterwards, the suspect punched the victim on the left side of his face. Both the victim and his girlfriend fled. The second suspect was described as a Filipino male in his 20's wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt. This case is currently being investigated.

On Wednesday, 08-07-13, at 5:40 PM, Officer Louis Jackson was dispatched to the area of Geneva Avenue and Schwerin Street on a report of a robbery. The 29-year old victim said he was assaulted and beaten by approximately four young black males between the ages of 18-23 years old who hit and kicked him and took his backpack containing a wallet, currency, bank card, medical marijuana card and school medical card. The victim said he was walking in the area with a subject he met two days prior in San Francisco, and they were waiting at a bus stop so that he could take a bus to the airport. The victim said all of a sudden four males came around and surrounded him and told him to give them his things. The victim said the suspects then began kicking and punching him. The victim said this lasted about 30 seconds, and then all the suspects fled the area. The victim sustained an injury to his left eye area as well as his shins and was transported to San Francisco General Hospital for medical attention. This case is also being investigated.

On Tuesday, 08-06-13 at 8:30 PM, a 37-year old Daly City resident was the victim of an attempted robbery of groceries by a 28-year old Daly City resident. The victim said he had purchased groceries at the Westlake Safeway and was walking home through the alleyway behind the banks and restaurants on Southgate Avenue near Palmcrest Drive. He said that as he was walking, the suspect was following him and saying "bizarre things" to him. When the victim put his keys in the door of his apartment building, the suspect came up behind him and said, "You're going to die" and grabbed the victim's bag of groceries. The two struggled over the bag, and the victim was able to get in the building, locking the door and preventing the suspect from entering. An officer found the suspect matching the description nearby, and the subject was arrested for attempted robbery and was taken to the San Mateo County Jail.

Residential Burglaries

There was one residential burglary during this past week.

On Thursday, 08-01-13 between 5:00 PM and 10:00 PM, a residence on the 200 block of Templeton Avenue was burglarized. Entry was gained via a kick to the front door. The suspect(s) ransacked the house and stole an Apple Macbook Pro laptop.

Commercial Burglaries

There were five commercial burglaries and one attempted commercial burglary during the past week.

On Monday, 08-05-13, at approximately 3:02 AM, the Koi Palace restaurant was burglarized by two suspects. Entry was made via a pry to the south east door. The suspects took a tip jar. This case is being investigated.

On Monday, 08-06-13, at approximately 3:16 AM, the King Wah restaurant on Southgate Avenue was burglarized by two suspects. Entry was made via a pry of the rear door. The suspects took currency. This case is referred to the investigations unit.

On Wednesday, 08-07-13 at 10:15 PM, a locker at the Planet Fitness gym was burglarized. An iPhone was taken.

On Wednesday, 08-07-13 at 10:57 PM, an employee at Tropical Gardens Hot Tub said her keys and iPhone were taken from the desk. In this case, as well as the previous case, a suspect has been identified, and the investigation is continuing.

On Friday, 08-09-13 at approximately 7:31 PM, Officer Matt Ciucci was dispatched to the former Serra Bowling Alley on a report of possible trespassers on the property. The owner said there was a broken window on the property and saw movement of subjects inside the building. Officer Ciucci, along with three other officers entered the building and discovered a male subject inside. The subject, a 45-year old San Mateo resident had a pair of wire cutters in his pocket. The subject said he was only in the building to see if there were any old "beer tap heads" he could take. Near to where the subject was, the officer found a duffel bag containing a pair of bolt cutters and a baseball bat. A backpack was also found, and it contained gloves and screwdrivers. One more bag was found, and it contained a scale, glass pipe and a few clear baggies containing suspected crystal methamphetamine. The subject was arrested for commercial burglary, possession of burglary tools, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia and for committing a felony while out on felony bail and was taken to the San Mateo County Jail.

Between 6:00 PM on Wednesday, 08-07-13 and 7:30 AM on Thursday, 08-08-13, Serramonte Dental on Southgate Avenue was the victim of an attempted burglary. An unknown subject attempted to enter the business by prying the front double doors. There was no entry.

Vehicle Burglaries

There were fourteen vehicle burglaries during the past week.

- Macy's parking lot—nothing taken from a 2013 Mercedes GL450. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 08-05-13 between 6:20 PM and 6:40 PM.
- 50 Hillcrest Drive parking lot—nothing taken from a 1998 Chevrolet Astrovan. The method of entry is unknown. Occurred on 08-06-13. (An arrest was made in this case.)
- 50 Hillcrest Drive parking lot—nothing taken from a 1998 Honda Civic. The method of entry is unknown. Occurred on 08-06-13. (An arrest was made in this case.)
- 50 Hillcrest Drive parking lot—nothing taken from a 2002 Mercury Sable. The method of entry is unknown. Occurred on 08-06-13. (An arrest was made in this case.)
- Carport on the 400 block of Palmcrest Drive—a GPS unit and iPhone was taken from a 2009 Ford Escape. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred between 11:00 PM on 08-05-13 and 5:05 AM on 08-06-13.
- 100 block of Alexander Avenue—a Bluetooth speaker was taken from a 2002 Mercury Mountaineer. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred between 4:00 PM on 08-05-13 and 6:55 AM on 08-06-13.
- 100 block of Alexander Avenue—unknown if any property was taken from a 2001 Nissan Pathfinder. A window was smashed. Occurred from an unknown time to 08-06-13 at 6:55 AM.
- 100 block of Alexander Avenue—a GPS unit was taken from a 2000 Honda Accord. A window was smashed. Occurred from an unknown time to 08-06-13 at 6:55 AM.
- 800 block of Templeton Avenue--\$5 in coins was taken from a 2000 Ford Windstar. The method of entry is unknown. Occurred between 11:45 PM on 08-05-13 and 9:00 AM on 08-06-13.
- Parking garage of 1440 Southgate Avenue—a gym bag containing clothing was taken from a 2005 Toyota 4Runner. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 08-06-13 between 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM.
- 600 block of Evergreen Avenue—a box containing refrigerator parts, a tool box with tools and a wallet was taken from a 2004 Toyota Tacoma. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 08-07-13 from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM.

- 500 block of Winchester Street—golf clubs, golf shoes and sunglasses were taken from a 2003 BMW X5. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 08-06-13 from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. **On-line report.
- Wyandotte Avenue/East Moltke Street—a GPS unit and stereo was taken from a 2003 Nissan Altima. The right rear window was smashed. Occurred between 8:00 PM on 08-10-13 and 9:30 AM on 08-11-13.
- South Hill Boulevard/Cloister Way—power tools and a GPS unit were taken from a 1991 Ford Econoline. The driver's side door lock was punched. Occurred between 4:00 PM on 08-09-13 and 8:00 PM on 08-11-13.

Stolen Vehicles

There were eight stolen vehicles this past week. Three of them were recovered.

- Planet Fitness parking lot—a 2012 Honda Accord. Occurred on 08-05-13 between 9:40 PM and 11:30 PM.
- Wilson Street/San Jose Avenue—a 1992 Saturn SC2. Occurred between 5:30 PM on 08-05-13 and 7:30 AM on 08-06-13.
- 100 block of Thiers Street—a 2009 Toyota Camry. Occurred between 2:00 PM on 08-06-13 and 4:46 AM on 08-07-13. **Recovered by San Francisco Police Department on 08-07-13.
- Unit block of Bismark Street—a 1994 Saturn SL. Occurred between 5:00 PM on 08-06-13 and 1:00 PM on 08-09-13.
- Oliver Street/Frankfort Street—a 1998 Honda Civic. Occurred on 08-10-13 between 12:00 AM and 5:30 AM. **Recovered by San Francisco Police Department on 08-12-13.
- 100 block of Santa Barbara Avenue—a 2001 Ford Ranger. Occurred between 10:30 PM on 08-09-13 and 9:00 AM on 08-10-13. **Recovered by San Francisco Police Department on 08-12-13.
- Target parking lot—a 1998 Nissan Maxima. Occurred on 08-10-13 at 11:15 AM.
- 24 Hour Fitness parking lot—a 2010 Toyota RAV4. Occurred on 08-11-13 between 7:15 PM and 7:20 PM.

Scams/Other

None to report.

Community Events

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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