



Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin

Crime statistics at a glance:

	10/22 – 10/28	10/29 – 11/4	Year to Date
Robberies	1	0	65 + 8 attempted
Residential Burglaries	2 + 1 attempted	4	65 + 8 attempted
Commercial Burglaries	0	0	69 + 7 attempted
Vehicle Burglaries	8	4	229 + 11 attempted
Stolen Vehicles	3	3	123 + 2 attempted

When I mention “the unit block” of a street, this means the incident occurred at an address anywhere between 1 and 99 of the street.

Notable Cases

On Tuesday, 10-30-18 at 3:35 a.m., a 41-year old San Francisco resident was arrested for driving under the influence after she collided with two parked cars on the 400 block of **88th Street**.

On Wednesday, 10-31-18 at 7:00 a.m., a 41-year old Pittsburg resident was the victim of battery with serious bodily injury after he got into a fight with his co-worker, a 24-year old Concord resident. The two were working for a painting company, and the fight occurred at **Skyline Plaza**. The victim was punched and kicked in the face. Later our crime suppression unit arrested the suspect.

On Thursday, 11-01-18 at approximately 3:18 a.m., Officer Bermudez was patrolling the area of **Marbly Avenue** and **Surrey Court**, an area which there have been several recent reports of a prowler with a flashlight who was seeing walking between houses and parked cars. The prowler’s image was captured on several neighbor’s cameras. Officer Bermudez saw a subject that closely resembled the prowler who was driving in the area. The officer conducted a traffic stop, approached the driver and engaged him in a conversation. After obtaining the subject’s identification, the officer learned the subject, a 28-year old Daly City resident, had a suspended driver’s license and was on court probation. After the officer conducted a search of the suspect’s vehicle, the officer placed the subject under arrest for possession of marijuana for sales, possession of a controlled substance, possession of ketamine and for driving with a suspended driver’s license.

On Thursday, 11-01-18 at approximately 5:25 p.m., a 38-year old Daly City resident was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol following a vehicle collision at **Highway 35 and Westridge Avenue**.

On Saturday, 11-03-18 at 9:00 p.m., Officer Hightower and Sgt. Moala were dispatched to the 600 block of **Lake Merced Boulevard** on a report of an unconscious driver. The reporting party said the subject was parked in the middle of the roadway. Officer Hightower contacted the driver who was

blocking oncoming traffic and was unconscious. The subject, a 55-year old South San Francisco resident, was subsequently arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol.

On Sunday, 11-04-18 at 2:42 a.m., Officer Covarrubias was dispatched to the **Seton Hospital** Emergency room on a report of a patient who was refusing to leave. The reporting party said the suspect had been discharged but was ignoring requests to leave the hospital. Officer Cain arrived to assist, and the officers found the subject sleeping. The officers escorted the subject, along with his multiple backpacks and bags, out of the hospital and offered to give him a ride to the BART station. The subject consented to a search, and Officer Covarrubias found a plastic bottle containing a reddish liquid. The subject told the officer it was Methadone. The 51-year old transient subject did not have a prescription for the methadone, and the officer cited him for possession of a controlled substance without a valid prescription.

On Sunday, 11-04-18 at 9:45 a.m., Officer Gill was dispatched to the **Valero Gas** station on **Junipero Serra Boulevard** on a report of a subject who was panhandling and who had activated the emergency shut off system to the gas pumps when he was denied money. The 34-year old transient subject was booked for trespassing.

On Sunday, 11-04-18 at 6:24 p.m., a loss prevention officer for **Nordstrom Rack** was the victim of an assault after she attempted to stop two subjects for stealing items. The loss prevention officer said she saw two suspects remove security tags from merchandise and place them into a backpack. The loss prevention officer said one of the subjects pointed a hand-held "taser" at her and activated it and then exited the store when she called 911. While making the call, the loss prevention officer said the male suspect returned and tried to hit her in the face but missed. The same subject took the phone out of the victim's hands and threw it on the ground. The subjects were last seen getting into a U-Haul truck. The victim described the female suspect as being Hispanic, approximately 25-years old, heavy set, black hair, blonde highlights and wearing all black. The male suspect was described as Hispanic, 25-years old, slim build, buzz-cut hair and wearing a gray hoodie. This investigation is continuing.

Robberies

There were no robberies during the past week.

Residential Burglaries

There were four residential burglaries burglary during the past week.

On Monday, 10-29-18 between 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., an unknown suspect(s) forced the front door open to a home on the unit block of **Perita Drive** and took U.S. currency, jewelry, purses and two firearms.

On Friday, 11-02-18 between 10:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., an unknown suspect(s) forced open the front door of a residence on the 1000 block of **Brunswick Street** and stole \$3,000 that was stashed in two different places of the house.

On Sunday, 11-04-18 at approximately 9:15 a.m., an unknown suspect pried the front door of a residence on the 300 block of **Otillia Street** and stole approximately \$2,000 in miscellaneous jewelry and three passports. An image of the suspect vehicle was captured on a neighbor's video camera, and this case is being further investigated.

On Sunday, 11-04-18 between 9:50 a.m. and 12:50 p.m., an unknown suspect(s) forced open the front door of a residence on the 300 block of **Rio Verde Street**. The victim has not reported what, if anything, was stolen.

Commercial Burglaries

There were no commercial burglaries during the past week.

Vehicle Burglaries

There were four vehicle burglaries during the past week.

- **Koi Palace** parking lot—Two backpacks containing two laptops, a tablet, clothing and toiletries were taken from a 2001 Ford Taurus. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 10-29-18 between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
- **Planet Fitness** parking lot—a wallet was taken from the glove compartment of a 2004 Acura TI. The method of entry is unknown. Occurred on 10-30-18 between 7:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. **On-line report made.
- **Mission Street/Vista Grande Avenue**—an iPad and a HP laptop were taken from a 2018 Toyota RAV4. The right front window was smashed. Occurred on 11-01-18 between 12:30 p.m. and 12:45 p.m.
- 100 block of **Oriente Street**—a 40" TV which was still in the box was taken from the back of a 2006 Chevrolet HHR. The victim covered the television with a blanket. The right rear window was smashed. Occurred between 10:00 p.m. on 11-03-18 and 7:00 a.m. on 11-04-18.

Stolen Vehicles

There were three stolen vehicles during the past week. One was recovered.

- 6000 block of **Mission Street**—a 2017 Mazda 3. Occurred on 10-31-18 between 7:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. **Recovered by San Francisco P.D. on 11-06-18.
- 100 block of **Peoria Street**—a 2016 Nissan Altima. Occurred between 12:10 p.m. on 11-01-18 and 6:00 a.m. on 11-02-18
- 100 block of **Oakridge Drive**—a 2015 Chevrolet Cruze. Occurred on 11-02-18 between 6:25 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. **The victim left the vehicle running to warm it up before driving.

Miscellaneous

- We responded to 7 domestic disturbance cases
- There was one shoplifting incident reported
- There were 10 cases involving an involuntary psychiatric hold
- There were 6 vandalism cases reported
- There were 6 hit and run collisions reported
- Our Police Assistants put "boots" on 10 vehicles

Scams/Other

Nothing to report

Community Events/Information

Public Safety Dispatch Centers in San Mateo County Now Able to Receive Text to 911 Emergency Calls for Service: “Call if you Can—Text if you Can’t”

Effective immediately, all San Mateo County Law Enforcement and Fire Agencies' 911 Dispatch Centers are equipped to receive and respond to mobile phone SMS Text to 911 messages. All phones or devices must include a text or data plan, be text capable, and have their location services enabled to send a text message to 911.

Callers who cannot communicate verbally are now able to use the text to 911 service to request help directly from local public safety agencies. This technology directly benefits members of our deaf, hard of hearing and speech-impaired communities as they will now have a more efficient and effective way to request emergency services in times of need. Additionally, those who find themselves in a situation where it may be too dangerous to dial 911 will have another option to call for help during an emergency.

For the deaf, hard of hearing and speech-impaired communities, texting to 911 is always an acceptable way to contact 911 for help. Others should only use the text to 911 feature when speaking to a 911 Dispatcher is not possible or may place an individual at risk. Examples include a domestic abuse situation, an active shooter incident, or an incident that has caused injury resulting in an inability to speak. Otherwise, it is always best to dial 911 and speak with a dispatcher directly.

Here are some helpful tips when using the Text to 911 service:

- Always provide the exact location of the emergency
- Text messages should be brief and easy to understand
- Do not use abbreviations, emojis or slang
- Remember that the ability to send/receive images and videos is limited and often dependent on the cellular provider
- Texts can only be received in English at this time - this service will be available in additional languages in the near future
- Do not include others when texting to 9-1-1 (no group texting)

*****REMEMBER***** Please only call 911 in the event of an emergency and only text to 911 when calling is absolutely not an option. For more information on text to 911 visit the San Mateo County Communications Manager's Association website at www.CMASMC.com

San Mateo County Alert System (SMC)

This alert is a free digital communication system used by emergency management agencies and first responders to send emergency alerts, notifications and updates to portable digital devices. In an emergency situation, an alert will be sent by San Mateo County authorized personnel and you will receive messages on your cell phone or mobile device. Most carriers activate the service automatically. To receive emergency alerts, sign up by visiting www.smcalert.info. According to County records, Daly City has the lowest number of registered users in the county. Please sign up today!

Nextdoor.com

Nextdoor.com is a free private social networking website for your neighborhood. This private network ensures that only those who live in your neighborhood can join; users must go through a verification process. Neighbors ask each other for business recommendations; help in locating missing pets; discuss relevant local government issues; or connect for other reasons. It is very easy to sign up, and I

like the fact that the site verifies users by addresses, and it won't allow people to access to a neighborhood if they don't actually live there. Please note: The City of Daly City and/or the Police Department cannot see what residents post—we are only allowed to post information. There is also a mobile application, or you can have it sent to your e-mail. Give it a try! www.nextdoor.com

Digital/Social Media

Please “like” us on Facebook if you would like to see updates and photos about the Police Department. Our handle on Twitter is @DalyCityPD, and on Instagram we are DalyCityPD, if you would like to follow us.

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If you have any suggestions or questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your concern for our community. I appreciate you taking the time to read my bulletins. Your comments are always welcome!

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