



Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin

Crime statistics at a glance:

	5/24 – 5/30	5/31 – 6/6	Year to Date
Robberies	0	1	24 + 3 attempted
Residential Burglaries	0	2 + 2 attempted	25 + 6 attempted
Commercial Burglaries	0	0	29 + 6 attempted
Vehicle Burglaries	8	3	123 + 2 attempted
Stolen Vehicles	10 + 1 attempted	5	116 + 15 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 Thursday, 06-03-21 at approximately 4:20 p.m., an 18-year old Colma resident fired three .45 caliber bullets into the front window of a residence on the 500 block of **Atlanta Street**. This occurred after the subject had an argument with a 21-year old Daly City resident who was in the home with his mother, grandmother, and two young children. The subject fled in a silver Honda, and officers arrested him two hours later in Daly City. The subject was booked for attempted murder, assault with a deadly weapon, shooting into an inhabited dwelling, illegal firearm discharge with negligence, and carrying a loaded firearm in a public place.

On Friday, 06-04-21 at 9:08 a.m., **Officer Zhang** and **Officer Perdomo** were dispatched to the **Geneva Motel** on a report of a subject breaking into a black BMW. The reporting party said the subject had a hockey stick, a pair of bolt cutters and a screwdriver as he was inflicting damage to the BMW. The dispatchers updated and said the subject was igniting a green Lexus on fire. **Officer Chittenden** and **Officer Jackson-Berrios** also responded. The officers found the subject matching the description, and **Officer Perdomo's** K-9 partner assisted in apprehending the subject. Officers arrested the 44-year old transient subject for the subject for burglary, arson, vandalism, and obstructing/resisting a peace officer.

On Friday, 06-04-21 at 12:05 p.m., **Officer Ciucci** and **Officer Mellado** were dispatched to the **Ross Store** at **Serramonte Shopping Center** on a report of a male and female subject who had stolen merchandise and were on their way to the **Cost Plus World Market**. The reporting party gave a description of the subjects, and **Officer Mendiara** found the subjects at the **McDonald's** restaurant on **Serramonte Boulevard**. **Officer Mendiara** recovered two baby strollers filled with stolen merchandise. The male subject had a dagger concealed in his waistband, and crystal methamphetamine on his person. The female had burglary tools in her possession. The **Ross** employee positively identified the subjects, as well as the stolen merchandise. **Officer Mellado** arrested the male subject, a 24-year old Merced resident, for shoplifting, conspiracy to commit a crime,

disobeying a court order (to stay away from the female in this case), possession of a controlled substance, and carrying a dirk or a dagger. **Officer Mellado** arrested the female suspect, a 31-year old Merced resident, for shoplifting, conspiracy to commit a crime, possession of burglary tools, and for three warrants.

On Friday, 06-04-21 at approximately 6:39 p.m., **Officer Ciucci** and **Officer Mellado** were dispatched to parking lot A6 at the **Serramonte Shopping Center** on a report of a person who had pointed a firearm at the reporting party and fled in a silver Chevrolet Malibu. The reporting party/victim, a 39-year old Alameda resident, said he was driving with his wife and one year old son to Mod Pizza at **Serramonte Shopping Center** for dinner. The victim said another vehicle approached him from the opposite direction and then began to follow them. The victim pulled his vehicle into an unoccupied parking spot and decided to sit in the vehicle to see if the other car would leave. The victim said the female driver of the Malibu was irritated and yelled something directed at him. The victim said he got out of his vehicle to see what the woman wanted and he told her that they had a baby and to be careful. The female then said, "I don't care if you have a baby", and then opened the driver's side door and produced a silver/black handgun and pointed it at the victim. The victim said he thought he was about to get shot and slowly walked back to his vehicle. The victim said the female then drove out of the parking lot. The victim described the suspect as a light-skinned black female adult, 5'0", heavy set, with brown eyes and curly black/brown hair that was "pushed back".

On Saturday, 06-05-21 at 12:00 a.m., **Officer Leyson** and **Officer Arguelles** were dispatched to the unit block of **Martin Court** on a report of a family disturbance. The reporting party said the father of her daughter was intoxicated inside the house and did not want to leave. The 36-year old reporting party said the subject did not live with her, and she did not want him in her house. The officers contacted the subject and told him that the reporting party did not want him in the house anymore. Officers escorted the subject, a 31-year old Oakland resident, out of the residence, and they advised him to call a rideshare so that he could go home. The subject said he wasn't leaving until he got all of his belongings. **Officer Arguelles** agreed to retrieve the belongings, and **Officer Leyson** stood outside with the subject at the residence. During this time, the subject was pacing back and forth and threatening to "f-up" the officers. **Officer Hightower** arrived to assist, and the subject threw the bag of belongings **Officer Arguelles** had retrieved for him at **Officer Hightower**. The subject then took on a combative stance and continued to threaten them to fight. The officers arrested the subject for resisting a peace officer.

On Saturday, 06-05-21 at 3:55 p.m., **Officer Perdomo** and **Officer Zhang** were dispatched to the unit block of **Park Plaza Drive** on a report of a subject who threatened to kill the reporting party, a U.S. Postal Worker. The reporting party/victim said he was on his route when a subject had threatened to kill him because he was Asian. The 48-year old victim gave the officers a description of the subject, and **Officer Castillo** found the subject at the intersection of **South Mayfair Avenue** and **Fairway Drive**. The subject, a 26-year old San Francisco resident, was subsequently arrested for criminal threats and possession of methamphetamine.

On Saturday, 06-05-21 at 7:17 p.m., **Officer Greene** and **Officer Grogan** dispatched to the **Home Depot** store on a report of a subject who was removing security tags from a power tool. **Officer Grogan** contacted a subject matching the description given by the Home Depot Loss Prevention Officer. The Loss Prevention Officer told **Officer Greene** that he saw the subject select a power tool, pull the wires off of the box, and put the tool in an empty plastic bag. The male then put a hand drill under his jacket to conceal the item, walked past all points of sale out of the store and walked out of the store without paying for the items. **Officer Greene** said that while **Officer Grogan** was speaking with the subject, he saw that the male subject dropped a hand tool and kicked it under the patrol vehicle. **Officer Greene** subsequently arrested the subject, a 41-year old transient, for shoplifting. In addition, the subject had failed to register as a sex-registrant, and he was also booked for that charge.

Robberies

There was one robbery during the past week.

On Wednesday, 06-02-21 at 9:59 a.m., a reporting party called to say he had witnessed an altercation as he was driving in the area of **Junipero Serra Boulevard** and **Citrus Avenue**. The reporting party said he saw an Asian male in his early 20's who pushed an elderly Asian male in his chest. The elderly victim was holding two plastic bags containing recyclables, and the subject stole the subject's bags. The victim, an 83-year old Daly City resident, positively identified the subject. Officers arrested the subject, a 52-year old San Francisco resident, for robbery.

Residential Burglaries

There were two residential burglaries and two attempted residential burglaries during the past week.

On Monday, 05-31-21 at 6:30 p.m., a 48-year old Daly City resident said she walked into the garage of her apartment complex on the 300 block of **Price Street** and interrupted someone who was cutting a lock off of a bicycle. The subject entered the garage via an unknown means and fled without the bicycle. This investigation is continuing.

Between Saturday, 06-05-21 at 10:00 p.m. and Sunday, 06-06-21 at 1:30 a.m., an unknown suspect burglarized the lower unit of a residence on the 900 block of **Southgate Avenue**. The suspect(s) cut the screen of a partially opened window and stole \$4,000 worth of electronics and travel equipment.

On Friday, 06-04-21 at 2:45 p.m., a 63-year old reporting party was in his home on the 200 block of **Polaris Way** when he heard a lot of knocking on his front door. The victim then heard the subject trying to force open the door. The victim yelled at the subject to stop, and the subject fled in a gray Honda Accord.

On Sunday, 06-06-21 at approximately 12:30 p.m., an unknown suspect attempted to burglarize a residence on the 1200 block of **Southgate Avenue** by smashing the garage glass window. No entry was made.

Commercial Burglaries

There were no commercial burglaries during the past week.

Vehicle Burglaries

There were three vehicle burglaries reported during the past week.

- **Big 5 Sporting Goods** parking lot—a college textbook, Raybans reading glasses and four pairs of Raybans sunglasses were taken from a 2014 **Jeep Wrangler**. The left rear window was smashed. Occurred on 06-03-21 at 6:41 p.m.
- In front of the **Geneva Motel**—unknown what was taken from a 2004 **BMW 325i**. Several windows were smashed. Occurred on 06-04-21 at 9:21 a.m. **A subject was arrested. See "Notable Reports" for more information.
- 100 block of **Lincoln Avenue**—clothing was taken from a 1996 **GMC 3500**. The windows were smashed, and the ignition was punched. Occurred on 06-06-21 between 11:15 a.m. and 8:45 a.m. **On-line report.

Stolen Vehicles

There were five vehicles stolen during the past week. Two were recovered.

- 900 block of **St. Francis Boulevard**—a 2007 **Toyota Prius**. Occurred between 6:30 p.m. on 06-02-21 and 1:00 p.m. on 06-03-21.
- **MacDonald Avenue/Schwerin Street**—a 1999 **Honda Civic**. Occurred between 8:00 p.m. on 06-04-21 and 11:00 a.m. on 06-05-21. **Recovered by Brisbane P.D. on 06-05-21.
- Parking garage of 399 **Imperial Way**—a 1997 **Acura Integra**. Occurred between 6:00 p.m. on 06-04-21 and 11:00 a.m. on 06-05-21. **Recovered by San Francisco P.D. on 06-07-21.
- **7/Eleven** parking lot on **Gellert Boulevard**—a 2009 **VW CC3300**. Occurred on 06-06-21 at 7:33 a.m. The victim left the vehicle running unattended when it was stolen.
- Parking lot on 3 **Bepler Street**—a 1999 **Honda Civic**. Occurred on 06-05-21 between 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Miscellaneous

- There were 111 cases taken.
- There were 2 domestic disturbance cases reported.
- There were 8 cases involving an involuntary psychiatric hold.
- There were 3 malicious mischief/vandalism cases reported.
- There was 1 arrest for public intoxication.
- There were 3 hit and run collisions reported.
- There were 5 narcotics-related cases taken

Scams/Other

Amazon Scam

On Tuesday, 06-01-21 at approximately 7:00 a.m., a 58-year old Daly City resident (victim) received a phone call from a person who identified himself as “Eric Wilson” who worked for Amazon. “Wilson” told the victim that he was the victim of theft via his Amazon account, and that an unknown suspect ordered \$3,000-\$5,000 worth of Apple iPhones and MacBooks under his account. “Wilson” advised the victim that he could help him by having him download two different applications on his phone. The victim said he downloaded “anydesk” and “cashapp” to his phone. The victim said at that point, “Wilson” had complete control over his phone and was going through each application on his phone. The victim said “Wilson” told him he needed to purchase vouchers in order to even out his Amazon account and directed him to use “Zelle” to transfer money to him. The victim made two different transfers of over \$2,000. The victim said the suspect then told him he gave too much money to him and that he needed to purchase more vouchers. At this point, the victim believed he was a victim of a scam. The victim said he was on the phone with “Wilson” for approximately three hours.

Community Events/Information

Free Household Hazardous Waste Disposal—Saturday, June 12th

Do you have any household cleaning products, propane tanks, garden chemicals, paints, paint thinners, batteries, fertilizers, pesticides you need to dispose? These products are often labeled as toxic, poisonous, combustible, corrosive, flammable or irritant. Daly City residents can safely dispose of these items free of charge at a special drop-off collection event on Saturday, June 12th, between 8:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. To participate, residents **must** schedule an appointment at San Mateo County’s Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) program: www.smchealth.org/hhw or by calling (650) 372-6200. The exact location and directions will be provided after you make an appointment. There is

a restriction of 10 gallons or 50 pounds per appointment based on transportation regulations. NO business waste. It is unlawful to dispose many types of common household waste into landfill-bound residential and commercial garbage receptacles.

San Mateo County Alert System (SMC)

Have you signed up to receive these alerts? 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. 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 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

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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 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!

Thank you,

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