

# San Francisco Police Department

# **Central Station Newsletter**



## Captain Paul Yep's Message

Wednesday, May 2, 2018

Inside this issue:

Captain's Message 1-2

Weekly Crime Update 3-10

Featured Officer of the 11

Month

Press Releases/Events/ 12-23
Info

Career Opportunities 24

Resource Information 25

This past March, Central Station designated six officers to help deal with homeless related issues not only within the district, but throughout the City of San Francisco. Homeless Outreach officers Damien Fahey, Brandon Harris, Tomas Guerrero, Vincent Busalacchi, Stephen Collins, and James Lewis have been working to provide those in need such services as shelter, medical evaluations, and opportunities to reconnect with loved ones in other cities, and perhaps other states. These officers also work closely with the community to enforce sit/lie laws to ensure safe and clean streets throughout the district.

Recently, we received calls that there was a large encampment that blocked the entire sidewalk on the 100 block of Quincy Street. Our homeless outreach officers were notified of the situation and observed multiple people lodging on the block with garbage all around. Through the dedication of these officers, and help from the Department of Public Works, they were able to speak with the individuals in the encampment and advise them about the illegal lodging laws. The officers were also able to provide information regarding services the city offers to those who are homeless and looking to take the initial steps for help. Shortly thereafter, the blocklong encampment was removed and has since been free of any obstructions.

Our homeless outreach officers are hard at work, 7 days a week to not only provide services to those in need, but to connect with the community and listen to what concerns they may have regarding homeless related issues. Through this new detail, the district is striving for a better quality of living for all its citizens and for those who visit it. If you see these officers during your travels, feel free to say hello and bring up any issues or ideas you may have.

Also note that through the 311 app and/or heathlystreets@sfgov.org email, any homeless related issues can be reported. By doing this, calls for service can be documented through proper channels and engage our other City Agencies (clean-up/health and homeless).



Captain Paul Yep
Commanding Officer Central Station

Next Community
Meeting:

Thurs. May 17, 2018 5:00p.m.-6:00p.m. Saints Peter and Paul Church 666 Filbert Street

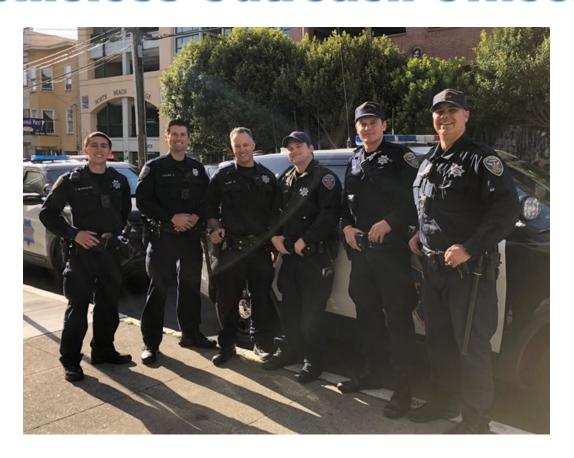
Thank you for subscribing to our Newsletter!

Please follow us on Twitter @SFPDCentral

Chief William Scott's message

http:// sanfranciscopolice.org/ chief-police Page 2 Central Police Station

# Central Station Homeless Outreach Officers



From Left to Right: Officer Vincent Busalacchi, Officer Stephen Collins, Officer Damien Fahey,
Officer Brandon Harris, Officer James Lewis and Officer Tomas Guerrero

Page 3 Central Police Station

# **Crimes of Note**

# **Burglary (Commercial and Residential)**

Burglary – The intent upon entry into a property to commit grand theft, petty theft, or any felony.

4/9	9:00am	Burglary, Garage 1300 BLK of Pacific	An unknown suspect kicked and damaged the residential garage door to enter the garage and stole bicycles.
4/10	3:00pm	Burglary, Commercial 500 BLK of Columbus	An unknown suspect pried away the plywood that was used to secure the front of the business. It is unknown what was stolen at the time of report.
4/10	5:45pm	Burglary, Apartment 700 BLK of Leavenworth	An unknown suspect entered the apartment building, pried open the mailboxes and stole mail.
4/11	3:00am	Burglary, Apartment 300 BLK of Chestnut	Two unknown suspects unlocked the front door of the building and two other unknown suspects entered the building. The suspects went into the garage and stole property. It is unknown how the suspects unlocked the front door.
4/11	3:14am	Burglary, Commercial Unit BLK of Grant	An unknown suspect entered the store, pried open the supply room and stole property. It is unknown how the suspect gained entry to the store.
4/12	3:56am	Burglary, Commercial Unit BLK of Francisco	An unknown suspect climbed the scaffolding, shattered the office windows and stole property.
4/13	6:00pm	Burglary, Commercial 700 BLK of Sutter	An unknown suspect climbed the scaffolding, entered the office through an unlocked window and stole property.
4/13	10:00pm	Burglary, Apartment 700 BLK of Leavenworth	An unknown suspect pried open the mailboxes that are located on the exterior of the building. No mail was stolen because one of the tenants had previously delivered the mail.
4/14	11:00am	Burglary, Commercial 200 BLK of Bush	An unknown suspect entered the office and stole property. It is unknown how the suspect gained entry to the office.
4/14	6:45pm	Burglary, Garage 1500 BLK of Taylor	An unknown suspect pried open the lobby garage door and shattered vehicle windows to steal property.
4/15	4:15pm	Burglary, Commercial 500 BLK of Sutter	An unknown suspect forced open the office with an unknown tool and stole property.
4/16	12:31am	Burglary, Commercial 600 BLK of Sutter	A witness saw the suspect climb a ladder to get over a fence into the parking lot. Officers arrived and saw the suspect exiting the building. The officer found a wrench on the ground that was used to pry off the latch of the door. Arrest made.
4/16	12:38am	Burglary, Apartment 1000 BLK of Filbert	An unknown suspect pried open the mailboxes of the building and stole mail.
4/16	1:18am	Burglary, Attempt, Commercial 100 BLK of Francisco	An unknown suspect shattered the store window. It is unknown if any items had been stolen at time of report.
4/16	6:50am	Burglary, Attempt, Commercial 300 BLK of Grant	The business owners returned to their businesses in the building and found cracks on their glass doors. However, no entry was made.
4/17	7:00pm	Burglary, Commercial Unit BLK of Gold	An unknown suspect removed the mail slot window from the front door entrance and stole property.
4/18	8:40pm	Burglary, Commercial 100 BLK of Kearny	An unknown suspect kicked and shattered the glass door. The suspect entered the store, but then fled the scene quickly. It did not appear that any items were stolen.
4/19	8:30pm	Burglary, Garage 1100 BLK of Union	An unknown suspect entered the garage through the tradesman's door and stole property.
4/19	10:26pm	Burglary, Commercial Unit BLK of Maiden	An unknown suspect pried open the rear entrance of the office and stole property.

Page 4 Central Police Station

# **Aggravated Assault**

Assault - An unlawful attempt, coupled with the present ability, to commit a violent injury on another person.

4/10	2:05pm	Aggravated Assault, With Force Unit BLK of New Montgomery	An unknown suspect was lying in the hotel restroom stall and appeared to be unresponsive. Security checked on the suspect's well-being and he began to yell at them. Security escorted the suspect out of the hotel since he was not a guest. The suspect then became physically resistant and bit one of the security in the cheek. Security was able to get the suspect out of the hotel and he then fled the scene.
4/17	12:35pm	Aggravated Assault, With Other Weapon 800 BLK of Geary	An unknown suspect entered the store and got upset that his form of payment was not accepted. The suspect was escorted out of the store when he grabbed a chair and threw it at the victim. The suspect then fled the scene.
4/18	2:19pm	Aggravated Assault, With Other Weapon Lombard/Powell	The suspect was walking on the sidewalk and stabbed two victims with a pair of scissors as she walked pass them. Arrest made.
4/18	5:00pm	Aggravated Assault, With Other Weapon Unit BLK of St. George	An unknown suspect had food scattered on the steps which blocked access to the steps and created a safety hazard. The victim asked the suspect to leave and the suspect then threw a bottle towards the victim's head.

## Robbery

Robbery - Robbery is the taking of property from another by using force or by using fear.

4/10	6:35am	Robbery, With Force 1200 BLK of Bush	The victim was walking and reading emails on her cell phone when an unknown suspect approached her from behind and grabbed her purse. The victim grabbed the purse strap and pulled back. The suspect pulled again and the victim fell to the ground, causing her to lose grasp of her purse. The suspect then pulled the purse from the victim and fled into a vehicle.
4/10	2:10pm	Robbery, Commercial, With Force 500 BLK of Grant	Two unknown suspects entered the store and grabbed handfuls of items. As the suspects attempted to leave, the victim stood in front of them and tried to recover the items. One of the suspects shoved the victim to the ground. The victim confronted the suspects again outside the store. The same suspect shoved her to the ground again and both suspects fled the scene.
4/10	8:30pm	Robbery, Commercial, With Force Unit BLK of O'Farrell	The suspect entered the store and stole merchandise. The suspect was confronted by security outside of the store. The suspect attempted to push away and as they attempted to detain him, he punched one of the security in the face. Security was able to wrestle the suspect to the ground. While trying to handcuff the suspect, the suspect bit another security on the wrist. Arrest made.
4/13	6:22pm	Robbery, With Force Vallejo/Romolo	The victim was walking and talking on her cell phone when two suspects approached her and grabbed her cell phone from her hand, scratching her face in the process. The suspects then fled the scene. Officers reviewed video footage and got a description of the suspects. The officers responded to the Tenderloin District where criminals often sell stolen goods and located the suspects. The victim positively identified the suspects as the suspects who robbed her. Arrest made.
4/13	6:57pm	Robbery, With Force 500 BLK of Kearny	The victim was walking when the suspect pushed him and grabbed his cell phone which was on a belt clip. The suspect then fled the scene. Officers arrested the suspect later for another robbery incident. The victim positively identified the suspect as the suspect who robbed him. Arrest made.
4/14	8:09pm	Robbery, With Force 400 BLK of Broadway	Officers responded to the parking lot regarding a pay dispute.  During the disagreement, an unknown suspect punched the victim in the chest while a second suspect grabbed several sets of keys from his hand. The suspects then fled the scene.

Page 5 Central Police Station

	1		
4/15	1:05am	Robbery, With Force Unit BLK of Lombard	The two victims and their friends were walking and came in contact with a group of suspects. The two groups struck up a conversation and shared alcoholic beverages. Two of the victims were then punched and kicked by the suspects while they went through their pockets and stole their property. The suspects then fled the scene. Officers located the group of suspects in the area of the incident and detained them. The victims positively identified three of the suspects. Arrests made.
4/16	12:45am	Robbery, With Gun Van Ness/Bay	The victim felt an unknown suspect tug on her purse from behind and she began to struggle with the suspect to retain her purse.  When the victim turned around, the suspect was pointing a gun at her. Fearing for her safety, she let go of the purse and the suspect fled the scene.
4/16	1:19pm	Robbery, Commercial, With Force 800 BLK of Stockton	Two unknown suspects entered the store and one of them stole a wallet. The victim chased after the suspects and retrieved the wallet. One of the suspects then jumped and kicked her in the shoulder. The suspects then fled the scene.
4/17	12:07pm	Robbery, With Force 800 BLK of Bay	The victim returned to her vehicle and found one of the window had been shattered. The victim saw an unknown suspect with her wallet in his hand. The victim confronted the suspect. The suspect punched the victim in the shoulder and fled the scene.
4/19	6:20pm	Robbery, Commercial, With Gun 900 BLK of Grant	The five suspects entered the store and stole merchandise. An employee confronted the suspects and tried to prevent them from leaving. During the dispute, one of the suspects pulled out a gun from his jacket pocket. The suspect pointed the gun at the employee and then the suspects all fled the scene. The suspects returned to the store the next day and tried to steal more items, but were detained by officers. Arrests made.
4/20	11:10am	Robbery, Commercial, With Force 1000 BLK of Stockton	A group of unknown suspects entered the store and asked to see a phone in the display case. An employee unlocked the display case and showed one of the suspects the phone. A second suspect reached over the display case and stole a phone. As the second suspect ran out of the store, the employee tried to stop the first suspect from leaving. The other suspects helped pulled the first suspect from the employee's grip and they all fled the scene.
4/20	6:36pm	Robbery, With Force 400 BLK of Battery	Four unknown suspects approached the victim and pushed him to the ground. The suspects grabbed the victim's cell phone from his hand and fled the scene.
4/21	7:55pm	Robbery, With Force Leidesdorff/Pine	An unknown suspect approached the victim and talked with him. second suspect grabbed the victim's backpack and pulled him to the ground. One of the suspects punched and kicked the victim in the face as the other went through his pockets and stole his items. The suspects then fled the scene.

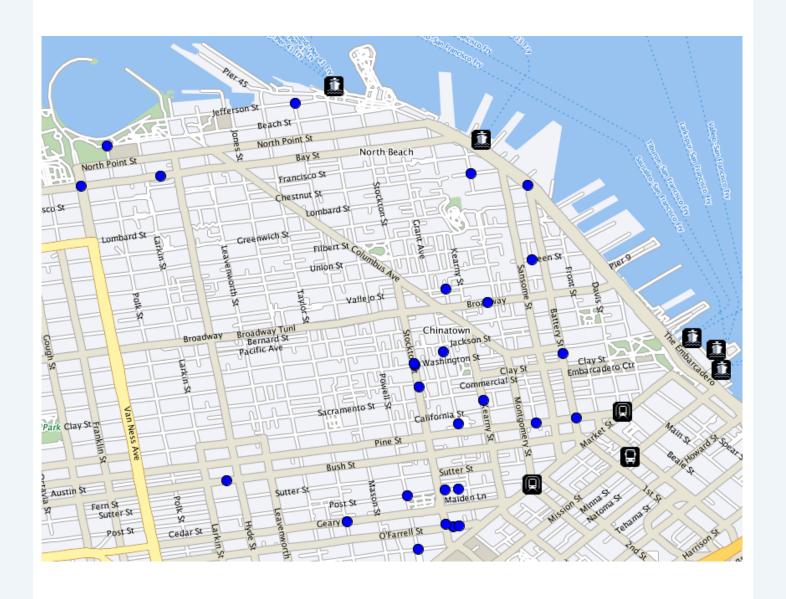
# **Vehicle Burglary**

Page 6 Central Police Station

# Robbery

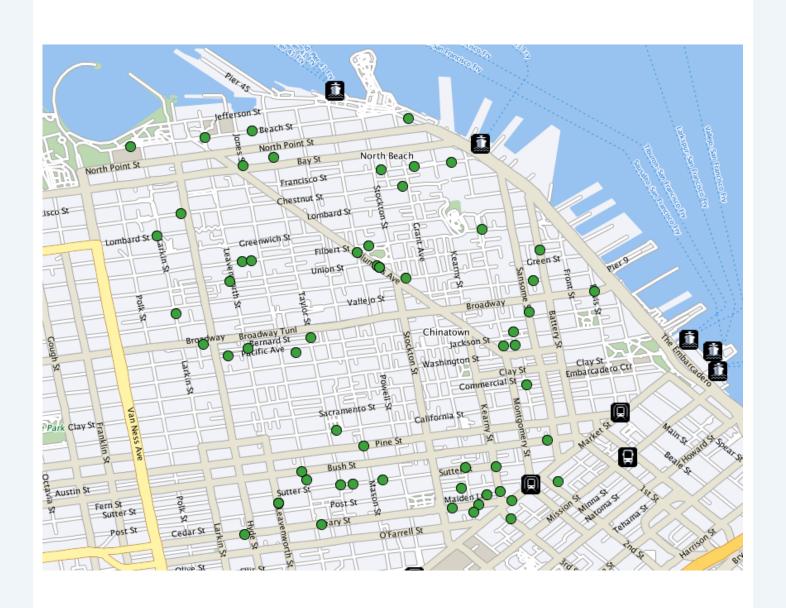
# **April 2018**

# 27 Incidents



Page 7 Central Police Station

# **Burglary April 2018**60 Incidents



Page 8 Central Police Station

# **Theft From Vehicle**

**April 2018** 

272 Incidents



Page 9 Central Police Station

# Incidents of Note

Robbery, Street or Public Place, With Force 4/13/18 1822 hrs
Vallejo/Romolo Streets

On 04/13/18, uniformed officers responded to 490 Broadway regarding a robbery. Officers met with the victim and learned that she had her cell phone taken from her hand by the suspects who also scratched her face in the process of taking her phone from her. Officers located video and observed the two suspects in the video and noted their distinctive clothing. The officers' knowledge of the area allowed them to locate the suspects two hours after the incident in an area known for the sale of stolen goods. Officers detained the suspects without further incident. The stolen property was not recovered. The victim positively identified the suspects. Both suspects were booked at the Juvenile Justice Center.

# Robbery, Street or Public Place, With Force 4/13/18 1857 hrs 500 BLK of Kearny Street

On 4/13/18, uniformed officers responded to 550 Kearny Street regarding a robbery. Officers arrived on scene, met with the victim and summoned him an ambulance to treat him for his injuries. Officers learned the suspect took the victim's cell phone from his belt clip and pushed him down to the ground in the process. Officers obtained video of the suspect after the incident occurred. While at Central Station, the officers recognized the suspect who was being detained at the station for a separate robbery. The victim positively identified the suspect. The suspect was booked at the Juvenile Justice Center.

# **Robbery, With Force**4/15/18 0105 hrs Unit BLK of Lombard Street

On 4/8/18, uniformed officers were patrolling the area of Sansome and Lombard Streets when they were flagged down by a group of males who had just been robbed. The officers recognized the suspect descriptions given to them as matching a group that had just run past them. Officers learned that the victims had befriended the suspects earlier in the night before the suspects turned on the victims and stole multiple items from them as they assaulted them. A group of suspects were detained without further incident and the suspects were positively identified by the victims. The victims believed the suspects had firearms on their persons but no firearms were recovered from the suspects. The suspects were booked at County Jail.

Page 10 Central Police Station

#### Assault, Aggravated, With Other Weapon

4/18/18 1419 hrs Lombard/Powell Streets

On 04/18/18, uniformed officers responded to Powell and Lombard Streets regarding a stabbing. Officers met with Victim #2 who had been stabbed in the arm. Officers obtained a suspect description and provided the description to units in the area. Officers detained a suspect matching the description a short distance away. While on scene, the officers were approached by Victim #1 who had also been stabbed by the same suspect with a pair of scissors on his shoulder. Both victims positively identified the suspect. Suspect was interviewed and booked into County Jail.

#### **Burglary**, Vehicle

4/20/18 1650 hrs Unit BLK of Broadway Street

On 4/20/18, uniformed officers responded to the unit block of Broadway regarding a car burglary. Dispatch provided suspect descriptions along with the license plate of the vehicle they fled in. Officer located the suspect vehicle, performed a traffic stop and took the suspects into custody without further incident. Officers made contact with multiple witnesses and they positively identified the suspects. Both suspects were booked into CJ #1.

### Robbery, Commercial Establishment, With Gun

4/19/18 1820 hrs 900 BLK of Grant Avenue 1000 BLK of Stockton Street

On 4/20/18, uniformed foot beat officers were flagged down by a merchant regarding a robbery that occurred the day prior. The officers obtained video of the incident and observed two of the suspects produce firearms from their persons and fire them at the store clerks. It was determined that the firearms used were BB guns. The suspects fled the store with stolen property. The victim's refused medical attention from the injuries they received from the BB guns the day prior. Later in the day, the officers received a phone call from the victims that the same suspects had returned and were again stealing items from the store. The officers responded back to the location and detained the suspects, who were in the same clothing, a short distance away without incident. The suspects were transported back to Central Station. At Central Station, it was determined that two of the suspects participated in another robbery on the 1000 BLK of Stockton Street on 4/20/18 at 1645 hours through video obtained in that robbery. The BB guns used in the first robbery were not recovered. Four of the suspects were booked at the Juvenile Justice Center and a fifth suspect was issued a citation and released to their parent.

Page 11 Central Police Station

# Featured Officer of the Month Officer Kimberly Ng

Each month Central Police Station features one of its officers in an effort to learn more about the men and women who police our neighborhood. This month, we interviewed Officer Kimberly Ng, a 2-year member of Central Police Station.



Officer Ng was born in San Francisco. She graduated from Terra Linda High School in Marin County and went on to attend college at San Francisco State University where she received a Bachelor's Degree in Business Management.

Officer Ng joined the San Francisco Police Department in January 2014. After graduating from the Police Academy, she was assigned to Bayview Station for field training. She was then assigned to Northern Station for her probation station. After probation, she was assigned to Central Station for her permanent station.

Officer Ng is a patrol officer on the swing shift and her beat is the Fisherman's Wharf/Pier 39 area. Officer Ng is a Field Training Officer and is Crisis Intervention Trained.

Officer Ng's favorite thing about the Central is the people and the community.

Page 12 Central Police Station



# City and County of San Francisco POLICE DEPARTMENT MEDIA RELATIONS UNIT

1245 3<sup>80</sup> Street, 6<sup>Tx</sup> Floor San Francisco, California 94158



#### NEWS RELEASE

April 20, 2018 18-058

#### SFPD Makes Several Auto Burglary Arrest Throughout the City

On Monday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 at 1:45 AM, Central District police officers were dispatched to the area of Grant Street and Filbert Street regarding subjects breaking into vehicles. Dispatch advised that the subjects had fled the area and gave a description of their vehicle. While enroute to the call, a victim contacted dispatch and said that he located the suspect vehicle at Montgomery Street and Francisco Street. Officers responded to the scene and witnessed one of the suspects burglarizing another vehicle on the 1800 block of Kearny Street. Officers determined that four suspects were involved in the burglaries and were able to take them into custody.

Tyler McKinney, a 26 year-old Berkeley resident, Christopher Wise, a 28 year-old Sacramento resident, Robert Warren a 23 year-old San Francisco resident and a 16 yearold juvenile male suspect were all booked on two counts of burglary and one count of conspiracy each.

On Tuesday April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 at 11:05 PM, Mission Station officers were patrolling the area of Church Street and 20<sup>th</sup> Street when they observed a vehicle driving with dealer plates only. When the officers attempted to make a traffic stop, the vehicle sped off. Officers did not pursue the vehicle but the suspect's car was involved in a traffic collision at the corner of 25<sup>th</sup> Street and Church Street. Officers searched for the suspect and spoke to a witness who said that he heard someone jump over his backyard fence on the 3800 block of 25<sup>th</sup> Street. Officers responded to the backyard and arrested Dominic Spears, an 18 year-old transient.

Spears was booked at the San Francisco County Jail on one count of theft of vehicle, one count of possession of stolen property, one count reckless evading, one count failing to stop and exchange information at an accident, one count of failure to have a valid driving license while driving, one count of resisting arrest and one count of driving without a license plate.

#### Continued:

Tel. 1-415-837-7395

Fax 1-415-837-7249

E-mail: sfpdmediarelations@sfgov.org



Page 13 Central Police Station



# City and County of San Francisco POLICE DEPARTMENT MEDIA RELATIONS UNIT

1245 3<sup>82</sup> Street, 6<sup>™</sup> Floor San Francisco, California 94158



#### NEWS RELEASE

#### 18-058 Page 2 of 4

On Wednesday April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at approximately 8:24 PM, Southern District plainclothes officers were conducting surveillance on the area of the 1700 block of Alameda Street. The officers witnessed a car double park near another vehicle. A male who was later identified as Troy Savoy, a 20 year-old San Francisco resident, exited the car and began casing another vehicle. Savoy then returned to the driver's seat of his car and left the scene. Moments later Savoy returned in the vehicle, exited and approached the vehicle that he was casing. Savoy broke the window and grabbed a backpack from inside the victim's vehicle. Officers moved in to arrest Savoy. Savoy attempted to flee and crashed his vehicle into a parked car. Savoy and another passenger, who was later identified as Earl Jihad, an 18 year-old Pleasant Hill resident attempted to flee on foot but were quickly taken into custody.

Savoy was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of 2<sup>nd</sup> degree burglary, two counts of possession of stolen property, one count of conspiracy, one count of resisting arrest, as well as several vehicle code violations.

Jihad was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of 2<sup>nd</sup> degree burglary, one count of conspiracy, two counts of possession of stolen property and resisting arrest.

On Thursday April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 9:32 PM, plainclothes officers observed a suspect who was later identified as Manuel Mills, a 30 year-old Richmond resident, casing vehicles near the corner of 10<sup>th</sup> Street and Harrison Street. The suspect entered the front passenger seat of a car and drove away. Mills exited the vehicle again and changed seats with the driver who was later identified as Taj Williams, a 41 year-old Alameda resident. Mills drove the car to Division Street just west of King Street. Williams exited the vehicle and broke the rear window of a parked car. Officers attempted to arrest both subjects but Williams entered the vehicle and Mills reversed his car and crashed into a vehicle that was stopped in traffic. Officers placed both men under arrest and located another subject in the backseat, Savannah Jacobs, a 25 year-old female Richmond resident who was also placed under arrest. Officers located and seized burglary tools from the vehicle.

#### Continued:

Tel. 1-415-837-7395

Fax 1-415-837-7249

E-mail: sfpdmediarelations@sfgov.org



Page 14 Central Police Station



# City and County of San Francisco POLICE DEPARTMENT MEDIA RELATIONS UNIT

1245 3<sup>80</sup> Street, 6<sup>™</sup> Floor San Francisco, California 94158



#### NEWS RELEASE

#### 18-058 Page 3 of 4

Taj Williams was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of burglary, one count of conspiracy, one count of possession of stolen property and one count of possession of burglary tools.

Manuel Mills was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of burglary, one count of conspiracy, one count of possession of stolen property.

Savannah Jacobs was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of burglary, one count of conspiracy and one count of possession of burglary tools.

On Saturday April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at approximately 3:30 PM, officers were dispatched to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Townsend Street regarding a bicycle being stolen out of a vehicle. Upon their arrival, officers were able to speak with the witness on scene and review surveillance footage of the incident. Officers were able to identify the suspect as Troy Hawthorne, a 34 year-old transient. The police were able to locate Hawthorne at 4<sup>th</sup> Street and Harrison Street in a tent. The stolen bike was recovered and Hawthorne was placed under arrest.

Hawthorne was booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of burglary, one count of conspiracy, one count of possession of stolen property and possession of burglary tools.

Booking photos accompany this news release, except for the one juvenile male that was arrested.

These arrest are an example of the department's commitment to combat auto burglaries through the strategic deployment of resources, increased responsiveness and expanded deployment of both patrol and undercover officers.

#### Continued:

18-058

Tel. 1-415-837-7395

Fax 1-415-837-7249

E-mail: sfpdmediarelations@sfgov.org



Page 15 Central Police Station



# City and County of San Francisco POLICE DEPARTMENT MEDIA RELATIONS UNIT

1245 3<sup>80</sup> Street, 6<sup>TH</sup> Floor San Francisco, California 94158



## **NEWS RELEASE**

#### Page 4 of 4

Although arrest have been made, investigators are asking anyone with information on these cases to contact the San Francisco Police at 415-575-4444 or text-a-tip to TIP411 with SFPD at the start of the message.

###

Tel. 1-415-837-7395

Fax 1-415-837-7249

E-mail: sfpdmediarelations@sfgov.org



Page 16 Central Police Station

# Yick Wo Elementary School Bike to School Day April 18, 2018



Page 17 Central Police Station



On April 14, 2018, Central Station
Sergeant Brent Bradford (far right)
received an award from the Lion's Club
for Police Officer of the Year.

Page 18 Central Police Station

# **Sutter Stockton Garage Press Conference**





On April 24, 2018, Mayor Mark Farrell, Chief William Scott and the SFMTA held a press conference regarding crime reduction at the Sutter Stockton Garage.

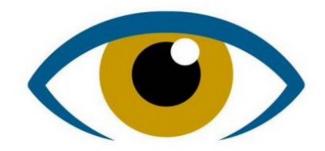
Page 19 Central Police Station

# **Definition of Suspicious Activity**

Suspicious activity is any observed behavior that could indicate a crime-related incident has been committed, or about to be committed. Unusual items or situations: A vehicle is parked in an odd location, a package/luggage is unattended, a window/door is open that is usually closed, or other out-of-the-ordinary situations occur.

Examples of Suspicious Activity:

- An individual peering into vehicles to locate any valuables left unattended.
- An individual trying door handles to vehicles, and/or residences to gain access to the vehicle and/ or residence.
- An individual checking front doors of residences to locate any unattended packages, or individuals following delivery trucks to see where the truck is dropping off packages.



# See something. Say something.

Page 20 Central Police Station

# **Definition of Community Policing**

Community policing, or community-oriented policing, is a strategy of policing that focuses on police building ties and working closely with members of the communities.

- Homeless Outreach and Outreach to Drug Users: Central Station officers coordinate with city
  agencies to provide outreach and assistance to rehabilitate those who are dependent on
  illegal drugs and outreach to homeless individuals to connect them with resources and
  support.
- <u>Foot Patrols</u>: Central Station have beat officers assigned to Union Square, Fisherman's Wharf, Chinatown, North Beach and Market/Drumm area.
- <u>Monthly Police Community Relations Meetings</u>: Community Meetings are held continuously. Officers also attend meetings with merchants groups, business groups, development authorities and others. Concerns are voiced and addressed through problem solving.
- <u>Email Updates</u>: Central Station sends out newsletter updates to residents in the District that alerts residents of crime trends, upcoming community events, crime prevention tips, and information on how to contact officers at the District Station.











Page 21 Central Police Station

# PARK SMART!

Take ALL of your valuables with you.











# Purses Backpacks Wallets Passports Personal IDs Cellphones Cameras Computers Laptops Tablets



# **PARQUÉ INTELIGENTE**

Saque todas sus cosas de valor.

# **GAREZ VOUS MALIN**

Ne laissez pas vos objets de valeur dans votre voiture.

# **財不可露眼!** 離開汽車時, 請把貴重物品隨身.

Let's kick auto break-ins to the curb!

Page 22 Central Police Station

# SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT



Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team

(ALERT)



Are you someone who is interested in disaster preparedness and wants to help out your community while working hand in hand with Law Enforcement? If so, then the ALERT program is for you!



# What is the ALERT Program?

The San Francisco Police Department Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team (ALERT) is a volunteer citizen disaster preparedness program. The ALERT program trains members of the public to assist Law Enforcement in essential tasks after a major disaster, and in other identified non-disaster activities. Such tasks may include: traffic control, foot patrols of business and residential areas, reporting criminal activity etc. Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age and must live, work, or attend school in San Francisco.

The ALERT program is modeled after, and works in partnership with, the San Francisco Fire Department Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT) program.

# Three Ways To Become An ALERT volunteer:

After clearing a basic background check you will be eligible to register for one of our triannual ALERT training classes as follows:

- 1. Complete two 8 hour classes with ALERT, or,
- If you are already NERT Certified, complete one 8 hour class with ALERT, or,
- If you are an SFPD Community Police Academy graduate, complete one 8 hour class with ALERT.

# San Francisco Police Department ALERT Program Community Engagement Division

Commander David Lazar, Commanding Mark Hernandez, Program Coordinator Phone: 415-558-5545

E-mail: sfpdalert@sfgov.org





Web: www.sf-police.org/alert Facebook: www.facebook.com/sfpdalert

Page 23 Central Police Station



#### The SFPD wants to hear from YOU.

We are committed to excellence in law enforcement and are dedicated to the people, traditions and diversity of our City. Our mission is to provide service with understanding, response with compassion, performance with integrity and law enforcement with vision.

We welcome your comments. Let us know how we're doing, what we could be doing better and your thoughts on how your police department can work more closely with the community we proudly serve.

Visit us at <a href="mailto:sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback">sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback</a>. Your feedback will help SFPD better serve our City. Comments will be reviewed by our Community Engagement Unit and forwarded to the relevant unit, department office or neighborhood station for review and follow up, if appropriate.

(If this is an emergency, please call 911. For non-emergencies, call 415-553-0123. You may also visit <a href="http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint">http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint</a> for more information on providing input on SFPD policies and practices.)

Page 24 Central Police Station



# Career Opportunities



Join The S.F.P.D. - San Francisco's Finest

The San Francisco Police Department welcomes dedicated men and women to join us in serving our City. I encourage you to apply to become one of San Francisco's finest.

The City and County of San Francisco invites you to join a highly respected police department and serve the citizens of one of the most beautiful cities in the country. San Francisco Police Officers perform a wide variety of duties to promote public safety and security, prevent crime and enforce the law. Police officers perform a number of essential functions. For example, they patrol districts to prevent and detect crime; respond to calls for assistance; conduct criminal investigations; interact

with the community to build cooperation and support; pursue and arrest suspects; enforce traffic and parking laws; write reports and maintain records; work with superiors, peers, and others as a team; prepare for and participate in planned events; prepare for court and give testimony; and fulfill other administrative duties when required. This is much more than a job; it is an opportunity to build a career of which you can be proud.

# **Applying is Easy!**

- Apply with the City and County of San Francisco at <u>www.jobaps.com/sf</u> (Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer)
- 2. Go to <a href="www.nationaltestingnetwork.com">www.nationaltestingnetwork.com</a>, choose law enforcement, and register to take the San Francisco exam (\$45). Financial assistance is available.
- 3. Choose an available exam date that's convenient for you.
- 4. Schedule your exam.
- 5. You will receive an email confirming your exam date, time and location.

# Have Questions? Contact the San Francisco Police Department Recruitment Unit

1245 3rd Street, 5th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94158

Phone: 415-837-7245 Fax: 415-575-6095



joinsfpd@sfgov.org 🖥



twitter.com/SFPDRecruitment



facebook.com/\$FPDRecruitment

The San Francisco Police Department values diversity in its workforce, and is committed to fair and equal treatment of all applicants for employment. Discrimination on the basis of sex, race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, disability, medical condition, marital status, sexual orientation, or other protected categories is prohibited and unlawful.

Page 25 Central Police Station

EMERGENCY: 911

Non-Emergency: 553-0123

**Cell Phone 911: 911** 

**Customer Service Center: 311** 

Central Station: 315-2400

Captain Paul Yep 315-2480 Paul.Yep@sfgov.org

Patrol Lieutenants 315-2400

Anonymous Tip-Line 392-2623

S.A.F.E. 553-1984

Website: <u>www.centralpolicestation.org</u>

**SFPD Tip Line:** 575-4444

Chinese Tip Line: 315-2435

Text a Tip: 847411 (Tip 411)

Blessing Scam Hotline: 553-9219

Graffiti Abatement: 850-6951

Central Events: 315-2446 - Sgt. Jeff Ferreira

Central Permits/ 315-2423 - Officer Steve Matthias

**Code Abatement:** 

Deputy City Attorney: 554-3820 - Jill Cannon

**Dept. of Parking & 553-1943** 

Traffic:

DPW Dispatch 695-2020



e, the members of the San
Francisco Police Department, are
committed to excellence in law
enforcement and are dedicated to the
people, traditions and diversity of our
City. In order to protect life and
property, prevent crime and reduce the
fear of crime, we will provide service
with understanding, response with
compassion, performance with
integrity and law enforcement with
vision.



