



Thurston County Sheriff's Office

"Creating a Safer Community Together."

Sheriff Dan Kimball

Community Alert

Date: January 19, 2010

Neighborhood/ Area: Thurston County

Nature of alert: Recent Burglaries and Vehicle Prowls

Details: This weekend Thurston County Sheriff's deputies have responded to several Auto Thefts, Vehicle Prowls, and Residential Burglaries within close proximity to each other.

Southeast Thurston County area:

A Theft at the 16000 block of Canal Rd. SE, Auto Thefts at the 8500 block of Sweet Clover Dr. SE and the 8500 block of Thuja Ave. SE, and a Residential Burglary at 16900 block of Kalmia Ct. SE Yelm WA.

Northeast Thurston County area:

A Theft at the 5400 block of Lemon Rd. NE, a Malicious Mischief at the 5800 block of Lemon Rd. NE, and a Residential Burglary at 3000 block of 46th Ave. NE Olympia.

Northwest Thurston County area:

A Residential Burglary at the 2900 block of Country Club Rd. NW, a Malicious Mischief at the 5300 block and 5200 block of Aspinwall Ct. NW, Vehicle Prowls at the 3100 block of Overhulse Rd. NW and the 6700 block of Klein St. NW Olympia WA.

At this time we have no suspect information on these crimes.

Crime Prevention Tips:

Home:

Leave blinds/curtains open

Make your residence appear as if someone is home: leave a light or television on.

(You can also use timers)

Make sure your residence is secured.

Inform a neighbor if you are going to be away for the night or longer.

If you have a monitored alarm system, make sure that the alarm company knows how to contact you. If your alarm is not monitored and is audible outside make sure your neighbors know how to contact you.

Make sure your vehicle is secure and all doors and windows are closed.

Vehicles:

Remember to ensure that all valuables are hidden and not easily visible.

Do not leave purses, wallets, electronic devices, and valuable information in your vehicle.

Keep a record all serial and model numbers of electronic devices left in the vehicle.

Often times, Sheriff's deputies locate items that they suspect may be stolen. They are however not able to confirm this because the victims had not record serial and model numbers.

Park your vehicle in a well lit area.

Photo (if necessary/ available): None

Contact info: Report all suspicious activity by calling 911 or the non-emergency dispatch number (360) 704-2740

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