

Central Police Station



766 Vallejo Street, San Francisco, California 94133, 415-315-2400

Weekly Newsletter

Monday, March 31, 2008

Captain James I. Dudley

Captain's Comments

I am sorry for the newsletter interruption. I had shoulder surgery on the 12th and recovery took a bit longer than expected. So much has happened since then, I will try to relate all the pertinent items that were missed in that time.

The International Olympic Torch Run will be held in the City on April 9th, next week and Sergeant John Colla and Officer Dwight Lee have done a great deal in preparing for all possible occurrences. I will have more information on the run route and viewing times as they are released and we hope to have a safe orderly event, should it appear within our district.

The SFPD Police Commission will hold it's monthly district meeting in the Central District on April 30th at 6 PM at a the Longshoreman's Hall at Mason and Beach Streets.

Broadway Corridor

Friday March 14, 2008:

Felony arrests made	0
Misdemeanor arrests made	1
Drunk related arrests made	1
Moving citations	1
Parking citations issued	18
Towed vehicles	9

Saturday March 15, 2008:

Felony arrests	3
Misdemeanor arrests made	4
Drunk related arrests made	3
Moving citations	35
Parking citations issued	26
Towed vehicles	22

There was much more activity this **St. Patrick's Day weekend**. In addition to Central Station officers, eight additional officers were brought in from other stations to help control crowd incidents and large crowds on both evenings.

There were several physical altercations and one officer was assaulted on **3/16**, the **suspect, a 19 year old from Pacifica** was booked for assault and drunk in public. One traffic stop by **Officer Jonathan Tong** on 3/15/08 yielded an arrest and a loaded handgun was found in the vehicle. The **suspect was from Fairfield, Ca.** Another arrest occurred when a dancer was assaulted by her ex-boyfriend, **hailing from Richmond, Ca.**

Saturday 3/29/08:

1 Felony Arrest, 1 Drunk related arrest, 15 parking citations issued and 11 vehicles were towed.

Just after midnight at Broadway and Kearny Streets, Canine Officer Michelle Liddicoet, assisting with crowd control was hailed by a citizen who said that a suspect was seen brandishing a

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handgun. The suspect opened his jacket to reveal the gun in the holster and threatened the man by saying, "You want some of this?" The Officer and her k-9 partner attempted to stop the 22 year old white male suspect from Napa, when he broke and ran. **Officers Dave Frias and John Norment** chased and captured the suspect at Hotaling Alley. The loaded .45 caliber handgun, holster and two loaded magazines were recovered.

On **Tuesday April 1, 2008 at 4 PM**, the **Entertainment Commission** will hear proposed legislation by Supervisor Sophie Maxwell, calling for Club Promoters to require licensing or permits to conduct business. This is a good idea that has been a long time coming.

Crimes of Note

3/28/08- 1:38 AM, 2:27 AM and 11:30 PM, Four individuals were arrested for loitering for the purpose of prostitution near Post and Larkin Streets by Officers Charlie Ng and Martin Garay.

3/28/08 4:15 PM- 700 block of Post. Arrest of a 37 year old Asian male and a 35 year old white male for **Burglary** of a construction site were made by **Officer Norman Rice**. A number of large hand tools were recovered as well as burglar tools possessed by the suspects.

3/28/08- 0110 hours and 0200 hours. Robbery arrest. One 24 year old suspect from Vallejo, Ca was arrested for **two separate robberies** at Union Square and later at Grant and Green Ave. The suspect robbed his victims by spraying them with a pepper spray type of substance. The suspect was corralled by **Officers Talusan, Olson, Nielsen and Sullivan**. Evidence and stolen property was recovered from the suspects clothing.

On 3/29/08 at 2:15 PM, Officers Matt Fambrini, Sgt. Carl T., Eric Carracciolo and Officer Kim from Tenderloin Station responded to **Union Square** on a call of a purse snatch robbery that had just occurred. The suspects, juvenile sisters, ran up to a female victim and grabbed her purse and ran. The victim's husband and a witness chased the girls and held them for police, reclaiming the purse in the process.

On 3/29/08 at 10 PM, Officers responded to an armed Robbery at Vallejo and Hyde Streets. The female victim said she was accosted by three black males and two black females with handguns. The suspects took her purse and contents by force, while brandishing the handguns. Several Officers from **Central Station including, Lynn Pomatto, Natasha Teston, John Norment, Dave Frias, George Perez, Jesse Heredia, Martin Garay and Steve Hogan**, responded to the area and coordinated a search for the 5 suspects in a white van. Officers Garay and Hogan spotted the van and detained the several suspects at Pine and Van Ness. The suspects from Rodeo, and Oakland, Ca, were found to be carrying realistic looking bb guns and the victim's property was recovered from the van as well.

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EMERGENCY:	911		
Non-Emergency:	553-0123		
Cell phone 911:	553-8090		
Customer Service Center:	311		
Central Station:	315-2400		
Web:		www.sfgov.org/police	
Captain James I. Dudley	315-2480	james.dudley@sfgov.org	
Anonymous Tip-Line	392-2623	SAFE	553-1984
Graffiti Abatement	278-9454		
Graffiti Fax	278-9456		
Central Events:	315-2440	Sergeant John Colla	
Central Permits:	315-2423	Officer Fred Crisp	
Code Abatement:	315-2417	Sgt. Mark Hernandez	
Deputy City Attorney:	554-3820	Jill Cannon	
Dept. Parking & Traffic:	553-1943		
DPW:	695-2020	Dispatch	
Quality of Life Liaison:	315-2400	Officer Kim Koltzoff	
Homeless Issues:	315-2400	Off. Jay Shastri or Cathy Daly	
Chinatown Beat:	315-2400	Off. Leon Sorhondo & Stewart Ng- Days	
		Sam Yuen- Nights	
Union Square Beat:	315-2400	Officer Carl Payne & Tom Cunnane- Days	
		Officers Scott Korte, John Ferrando- Nights	
Wharf Beat:	315-2400	Officer Noel De Leon and Bob Merino	
North Beach	315-2400	Officer Mark Alvarez & Mike Kangrga	
Community Liaison:	421-6443 x16	Tel-Hi	

Megan's Law Website Access:

The general public can find out information on sexual predators on line by going to the DOJ website:

www.meganslaw.ca.gov or at the SFPD link at www.sfgov.org/police. You may check specific names or zip codes to locate those listed in the database.

Join the SFPD: www.sfgov.org/police

Join the SFPD Citizen's Academy: Call Lula Magellon at 415-401-4720 or check:

www.sfgov.org/police_index.asp?id=20182

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Call 3-1-1/TTY: 415-701-2323. If outside of San Francisco, call 415-701-2311/TTY: 415-701-2323 to reach any of the following: Abandoned Vehicles----DPT Dispatch -----DPW Street Cleaning-----Graffiti Hotline--Mobile Assistance Patrol (MAP)-----Pothole Repair----Street Signs (missing/damaged)---Street Lighting

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