



Central Police Station

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Weekly Newsletter

Tuesday, November 28, 2006

Happy Thanksgiving! (Part II)

On Thanksgiving Day 40 or so mostly off duty SFPD Officers gathered at the Self Help for the Elderly to deliver and serve approximately 2,000 meals to shut in seniors across the City. **Chinatown Beat Officers Leon Sorhondo and Jonathan Tong** helped coordinate with the Self Help Director Annie Chung in the operation. Former Central Station Captains Heather Fong, John Goldberg and Kevin Dillon participated with Officers across the City in the annual event.

Thanks too, to **Perry Miller from the Fairmont Hotel and Christine Iannelli from Campton Place** for the thoughtful and generous delivery of holiday meals for our troops working Thanksgiving Day at Central Station.

Join The San Francisco Citizen's Police Academy

The Citizens' Police Academy is a 15-week program that meets once a week and is designed to inform and teach interested citizens various aspects of municipal policing, including patrol and investigations procedures, vehicle operations, arrest and control techniques, firearm procedures and communications/911.

The Academy's goals are to develop community awareness through education and to develop a closer understanding and working relationship between the San Francisco Police Department and the communities it serves. Members of the community are encouraged to join and learn about the San Francisco Police Department. Participants can ask questions and offer comments.

Citizens' Police Academy participants are selected by the program coordinator after an application process.

Enrollment is limited to twenty-five students per class.

For more information, including application process, please call Ms. Lula Magallon at (415) 401-4720, or Officer Maria Oropeza at (415) 401-4701. You can also email us at sfpd_citizenpoliceacademy@yahoo.com or visit our website:

http://www.sfgov.org/site/police_index.asp?id=20182.

Broadway Corridor:

Friday November 24, 2006:

0 Felony arrests made
2 Misdemeanor arrests made
6 Drunk related arrests made
33 moving cites issued
16 parking citations issued
16 towed vehicles

Saturday November 25, 2006:

1 Felony arrests made
1 Misdemeanor arrests made
4 Drunk related arrests made
42 moving cites issued
49 parking citations issued
14 towed vehicles

Crimes of Note:

Prostitution complaints continue on our west border with Northern Station. Officers from both stations and plainclothes



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details from the Vice Section continue to make arrests of prostitutes, 'Johns' and 'pimps'. In a week period, **Central Station officers Jared Lovrin and Christina Pena, Mike Costello, Chris Anderson, Martin Garay and William Toomey made arrests of teenage prostitutes at Larkin and Post, Larkin and Pine, Larkin and California and Polk and Sacramento Streets.** Often, these women are already on the "Public Nuisance" list that shows they have been arrested for the same offense repeatedly.

On **11/24/06 at 9:50 PM Officers William Toomey and Martin Garay** responded to the MUNI bus yard at **2301 Stockton** where an employee told them he surprised a Hispanic male, 18-20 years old 5'8 150 pounds wearing a brown jacket and black pants carrying a marker. The suspect dropped the marker and ran onto Northpoint where he escaped. Eighteen busses were found marked with graffiti with an estimate of damage at \$6300.00.

On **11/25/06 at 11:35 AM Officer David On** responded to a store on the **1400 block of California Street** where a coordinated pair of a black male and black female robbed the proprietor of \$700 worth of cigarettes. The pair entered the store and while the male physically held the owner, the female went behind the register and loaded several cartons of cigarettes into a duffle bag. The two fled in a vehicle that was registered in the Bayview District. Bayview Station Officers observed the male suspect in the vehicle and detained him until a witness could identify him. The suspect was arrested and the vehicle was towed for Robbery.

Also on **11/25/06 at 7:12 PM**, a pair of women were walking on the **300 block of Jackson Street** when a white cargo van pulled up and a black male suspect 20-25 years old exited and grabbed one woman by the arms. The suspect pushed the woman to the ground, grabbed her purse, and fled in the van with 2 other suspects. A short while later, plainclothes **Officers Nico Discenza and Paul Doherty** observed a 2007 GMC van with a black male driver near 2nd and Bryant where they anticipated the escape. The officers followed the van onto the Bay Bridge until they could get support from a marked unit. The suspects fled into the East Bay where they eventually escaped in a residential neighborhood of San Pablo, discarding a handgun and items from the earlier purse snatch. The Robbery Detail is conducting a follow up investigation of the van and suspects.

On **11/26/06 at 11:22 AM at Jefferson and Mason**, a woman exited her car to get change for meters. As she returned she saw a black male suspect inside her car taking her two laptop computers. The woman and a witness attempted to stop the suspect as he got into his own vehicle described as a silver Toyota sedan with a partial plate of ---D100. The victim held on as the suspect drove away, causing the woman to fall from the moving vehicle across the street, causing pain and a bump to her head. The Robbery Detail will conduct a follow up investigation.

On **11/27/06 at 2:15 PM, Chinatown Beat Officer Jonathan Tong** cited 3 adult males for gambling inside Portsmouth Square.

On **11/27/06 at 6:25 PM** 6-7 black male suspects entered a retail store off Union Square and distracted employees while one of the suspects grabbed several sweaters totaling \$2300.00 and fled the store. **Southern Station Officers** detained one individual at 5th and Stevenson Streets still carrying the merchandise. **Foot Beat Officers Steven Haskell and W. Morales** were alert in detaining the suspect for suspicious activity without realizing that the theft had occurred.

Central Station Resource List

EMERGENCY: 911
Non-Emergency: 553-0123
Cell phone 911: 553-8090



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Web: www.sfgov.org/police
(For Crime Stats, Internet reports, etc.)

Captain James I. Dudley	315-2480	james.dudley@sfgov.org	
Anonymous Tip-Line	392-2623	SF 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:	298-0903	Officer Kim Koltzoff
Homeless Issues:	850-6416	Off. Jay Shastri, Off. Bob Cebalo, Off. Cathy Daly and Vic Silveira
Chinatown Beat:	315-2400	Off. Leon Sorhondo & Jonathan Tong
Union Square Beat:	315-2400	Officer Carl Payne & Dan Gallagher
Wharf Beat:	315-2400	Officer Pete McLaughlin & Dan Wynn
North Beach	315-2400	Officer Mark Alvarez
Community Liaison:	421-6443 x37	Jessica Look (Tel-Hi)

The Police Community Meeting is held on the third Thursday of Each month at Tel-Hi Community Room at 660 Lombard Street from 6-7 PM. There will be no December meeting. See you in January!

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.