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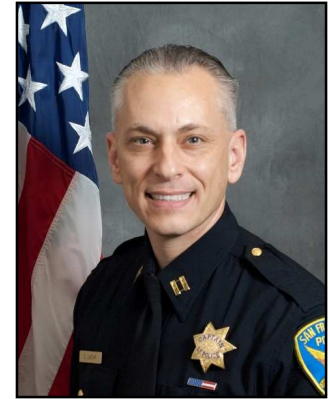
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## Captain Lazar's Message

### District Community Meetings

It was a great turn out last Thursday evening at my monthly community meeting. The meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Last week, the meeting was held at the Holiday Inn Express on Northpoint and there were about 20 people in attendance. The next meeting will be held at the Hyatt Regency, 50 Drumm Street. I encourage everyone to attend as it provides an opportunity to discuss crime and other public safety issues in the Central District.



*Commanding Officer David Lazar of Central Station*

### Walking the Beat

In the coming weeks, I will be announcing my "Community Walk." I will provide you with a date, time and location and the community can meet me to walk the neighborhood and discuss what is happening. Not only does this provide the opportunity for me to see what is going on, but it also allows the neighbors to get to meet one another.

Central Station has some of the best foot beat Officers in San Francisco. Our Officers know the importance of getting to know the residents, visitors and merchants of the Central District. They form partnerships and work to build trust. In turn, public safety issues are addressed because everyone is working with one another. One of the best foot beat Officers is **Officer Mark Alvarez**. Several months ago, I had the opportunity to walk the beat with Officer Alvarez in North Beach. I watched how he knew everyone and from the interactions, I could see that the community trusts Officer Alvarez and works closely with him in the Neighborhood.

This took me back 23 years, when right out of training, my first assignment at Tenderloin Station was to walk a beat with then **Officer Joe Garrity**. As a 21 year old Police Officer, I saw firsthand that building trust and establishing relationships with the community is the primary goal of any good Police Officer. I was amazed that everyone knew Officer Garrity as "big red" and he knew everyone that we encountered. If he didn't know their name when he saw them, the person's name was buried somewhere in his notebook.

Of course, Officer Garrity rose through the ranks, retiring as "Commander Garrity." He recently retired and his retirement celebration will be held next week.

On Tuesday, I will be walking the beat again with Officer Alvarez. I look forward to it!

## Special points of interest:

- ◆ JOIN SFPD

**New Neighborhood Watch**

I would like to conclude this week's newsletter by complimenting one of the newly formed neighborhood watch groups, the Broadway/Jones group. Irina from SF Safe and I were invited there by Valerie, a resident, who took the leadership role by forming this group. Last Sunday afternoon, we had an outdoor meeting, right on the sidewalk and there were approximately 35 people in attendance. There was a huge sense of community as we had a conversation about crime and safety for approximately 1 hour. This group has set the standard for a great neighborhood watch group.

Have a great day!

Captain David Lazar

Central Station

## Crimes of Note

### Robberies

3/19	4:39am	<b>Robbery, With Force</b> <b>100 block of Columbus</b>	Three unknown suspects approached the victim that was about to pay for food and grabbed the victim's money from the victim's hand. The victim was able to hold on to the money, but another suspect grabbed the victim's cell phone from the other side.
3/19	9:23pm	<b>Robbery, With Force</b> <b>800 block of Geary</b>	Three unknown suspects approached the victim and grabbed the victim's cell phone from the victim's hand. The victim struggled with the suspect to hold on to the cell phone, but the suspect was able to rip the cell phone from the victim's hands and another suspect punched the victim in the face.
3/20	9:35pm	<b>Robbery, Attempt,</b> <b>Commercial</b> <b>Unit block of Jefferson</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole hats. The owner grabbed onto the hats and struggled with the suspect. The owner eventually was able to get the hats back.
3/21	4:50pm	<b>Robbery, With Other</b> <b>Weapon</b> <b>300 block of Grant</b>	Three unknown suspects approached the victim and talked to the victim. One of the suspects reached into the victim's jacket pocket and took the victim's cell phone. The victim confronted the suspects and was sprayed with a substance that caused burning in the victim's eyes.
3/22	9:05pm	<b>Robbery, With Other</b> <b>Weapon</b> <b>Kearny/Post</b>	Two unknown suspects approached the victim from behind and grabbed the victim's cell phone. The victim chased after the suspects, but one of them sprayed the victim with pepper spray.
3/23	4:35pm	<b>Robbery, With Force</b> <b>800 block of Washing-</b> <b>ton</b>	An unknown suspect approached the victim from behind and ripped the necklace of the victim's neck.
3/23	5:24pm	<b>Robbery, With Force</b> <b>700 block of Post</b>	Two unknown suspects punched the victim in the jaw while the victim was talking on the cell phone. When the victim dropped the cell phone, the suspects took the cell phone and ran away.
3/24	4:45pm	<b>Robbery, With Force</b> <b>400 block of Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's cell phone from the victim's hands while texting on a bus. The victim struggled to hold on to the cell phone, but the suspect was able to rip the cell phone from the victim's hands.

### Assault/Battery/Violent Crimes

3/22	6:08pm	<b>Battery</b> <b>Grant/Jackson</b>	An unknown suspect punched the victim in the face as the victim was past the suspect.
3/24	3:45am	<b>Aggravated Assault,</b> <b>With Knife</b> <b>200 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect cut the victim on the left upper arm when the victim woke the suspect up and told to leave the area.
3/24	10:40pm	<b>Aggravated Assault,</b> <b>With Other Weapon</b> <b>Jefferson/Taylor</b>	The suspect got into a pay dispute with the parking attendant and the suspect sprayed pepper spray at the parking attendant. <b>Arrest made.</b>

### Theft/Shoplifting

3/19	2:47am	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>700 block of Green</b>	Stolen vehicle.
3/19	11:48am	<b>Theft, From Unlocked</b> <b>Vehicle</b> <b>Green/Jones</b>	An unknown suspect stole an iPad and cologne from the unlocked vehicle.
3/19	3:00pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>Greenwich/Powell</b>	An unknown suspect grabbed the victim's cell phone from the victim's hands while on a bus.

3/19	4:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>600 block of California</b>	An unknown suspect a purse and its contents from the vehicle. No signs of forced entry.
3/19	7:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>100 block of Francisco</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the rear hatch window and stole a backpack, containing a laptop, clothing, driver license and credit cards.
3/19	7:10pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Pier 9</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole suitcases, containing electronics, clothing, passport and money.
3/20	12:01am	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>3200 block of Van Ness</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver side front window and stole a purse and its contents.
3/20	2:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Front/Green</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side windows and stole backpacks, containing tablets, computers, passport and clothing.
3/20	6:30pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Polk/Beach</b>	The suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole backpacks, containing miscellaneous papers. <b>Citation issued.</b>
3/20	8:20pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>Vallejo/Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's camera that was hanging from the victim's shoulder.
3/20	8:30pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>Unit block of Claude</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's cell phone that was placed on the table.
3/20	10:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Bay/Van Ness</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear wing window and stole a backpack, containing a laptop, passport and charger.
3/21	9:00am	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>Stockton/Filbert</b>	Stolen vehicle.
3/21	12:00pm	<b>Theft, Pickpocket</b> <b>Pier 23</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's wallet from the victim's backpack while on a crowded bus.
3/21	3:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Mason/North Point</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole briefcase, containing a laptop, passport, e-reader and checkbook.
3/21	4:45pm	<b>Theft, From Building</b> <b>600 block of Commercial</b>	An unknown suspect entered the office and stole the victim's cell phone that was placed on the reception desk.
3/21	6:00pm	<b>Theft, From Unlocked Vehicle</b> <b>Green/Sasnome</b>	The suspect opened the unlocked vehicle and stole a backpack, containing a stopwatch, sunglasses, goggles and water bottle. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/21	6:30pm	<b>Theft, From Unlocked Vehicle</b> <b>Montgomery/Francisco</b>	The suspect opened the unlocked vehicle and stole shopping bags, containing clothing. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/21	7:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Polk/Beach</b>	An unknown suspect stole a laptop, jewelry and a tablet from the vehicle. No signs of forced entry.
3/21	10:35pm	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>500 block of Geary</b>	Stolen vehicle.
3/22	12:22pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>Unit block of Geary</b>	Two unknown suspects entered the store and stole sunglasses.
3/22	11:00am	<b>Theft, Bicycle</b> <b>Pier 15</b>	An unknown suspect used a bolt cutter and cut the cable lock used to lock a bicycle to a bike rack and stole the bicycle.
3/22	3:15pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>800 block of Front</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole a messenger bag, containing a laptop.
3/22	6:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>300 block of Bay</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole a backpack, containing sunglasses, headphones and goggles.

3/23	12:10am	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>Leavenworth/</b> <b>Sacramento</b>	Stolen vehicle.
3/23	10:00am	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Lombard/Hyde</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the trunk window and stole backpacks, containing electronics, clothing and money.
3/23	10:30am	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Jones/North Point</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole a backpack, containing a laptop and a tablet.
3/23	2:45pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>900 block of Chestnut</b>	An unknown suspect approached the victim from behind and stole the victim's camera that was hanging from the victim's shoulder.
3/23	3:20pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>Pacific/Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect snatched the victim's purse from the victim's hand.
3/23	8:45pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Hyde/Bay</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole a handbag, containing a wallet and its contents.
3/24	11:05am	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>300 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole clothing.
3/22	2:00pm	<b>Theft From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>300 block of Post</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver side rear window and stole a computer bag, containing computer equipment, money and credit card.
3/24	4:55pm	<b>Theft, From Building</b> <b>Unit block of Drumm</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's backpack that was placed on a chair next to the victim.
3/24	7:05pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>100 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole a watch on display.
3/24	8:53pm	<b>Theft, From Building</b> <b>300 block of Jefferson</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's purse that was placed on the bench next to the victim.
3/24	9:35pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>1000 block of Hyde</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole ground coffee and a bottle of alcohol.

#### Miscellaneous

3/19	7:40am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>1100 block of Bush</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/19	10:12am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>600 block of Bush</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/19	11:31am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>400 block of Stockton</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/19	4:05pm	<b>Traffic Violation</b> <b>California/Montgomery</b>	The driver was stopped for a broken brake light and a computer check shows the driver was an unlicensed driver. <b>Citation issued.</b>
3/19	7:20pm	<b>Traffic Violation</b> <b>Powell/Sutter</b>	The driver was stopped for making an illegal left turn and a computer check shows the driver was an unlicensed driver. <b>Citation issued.</b>
3/19	10:55pm	<b>Vandalism, Other Property</b> <b>600 block of Pacific</b>	The suspect used paint and wrote on a trash can on the sidewalk. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/20	7:30am	<b>Burglary, Hot Prowl</b> <b>1300 block of Pine</b>	An unknown suspect entered through the front door while the victims were in the room and stole a purse.
3/20	12:11pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>2800 block of Taylor</b>	The suspect was panhandling aggressively and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/20	3:01pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>Sacramento/Joice</b>	The suspect had an open of alcohol in public and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/20	6:00pm	<b>Burglary, Hot Prowl</b> <b>1100 block of Taylor</b>	An unknown suspect entered the residence through an unlocked door and stole a purse while the victims were upstairs.

3/20	8:00pm	<b>Burglary, Residence 2600 block of Hyde</b>	An unknown suspect used the garage opener in the unlocked vehicle and opened the garage door and stole sports equipment.
3/21	12:45am	<b>Burglary, Commercial 2800 block of Leavenworth</b>	An unknown suspect forced open the front door and stole a cash register.
3/21	8:27pm	<b>Warrant Arrest Unit block of Kearny</b>	The suspect was yelling at passerbys and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/22	12:10am	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle 600 block of Pacific</b>	An unknown suspect stated that the victim stole the suspect's parking spot and kicked the victim's vehicle.
3/22	3:15am	<b>Vandalism, Building 200 block of North Point</b>	An unknown suspect kicked and shattered the front glass door.
3/22	5:10am	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle 800 block of California</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window.
3/22	12:25pm	<b>Traffic Violation Montgomery/Pine</b>	The driver was stopped for not stopping on a flashing red light and a computer check shows the driver was an unlicensed driver. <b>Citation issued.</b>
3/22	3:22pm	<b>Warrant Arrest 500 block of Francisco</b>	The suspect was smoking in the park and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/22	3:52pm	<b>Warrant Arrest Sansome/Green</b>	The suspect was riding a bicycle on the sidewalk and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
3/22	11:00pm	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle 1500 block of Powell</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side front window.
3/23	11:05am	<b>Recovered Vehicle 1100 block of Jackson</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/23	12:14pm	<b>Recovered Vehicle 1100 block of Vallejo</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/24	11:30am	<b>Recovered Vehicle Pine/Stockton</b>	Recovered vehicle.
3/24	11:26am	<b>Warrant Arrest Stockton/Vallejo</b>	The suspect was stopped for running a red light while riding a skateboard and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>

# CENTRAL COMMUNITY CALENDER

## April 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16 Community Meeting	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

### Community Meeting Location:

**Hyatt Regency**

**50 Drumm Street**

**San Francisco, CA 94111**

**6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.**

## Central Police District Map

Central Station is centrally located in the northeastern part of San Francisco. The center of tourism, commerce, entertainment and civic events. The district is comprised of Chinatown, North Beach, Fisherman's Wharf, the Financial District and three famous hills: Telegraph Hill, Nob Hill and Russian Hill. Seven of the ten major tourist attractions in San Francisco are located in the Central District. The officers of Central Station take great pride in working in one of the most diverse districts in the City.





<b>EMERGENCY:</b>	<b>911</b>
<b>Non-Emergency:</b>	<b>553-0123</b>
<b>Cell Phone 911:</b>	<b>911</b>
<b>Customer Service Center:</b>	<b>311</b>
<b>Central Station:</b>	<b>315-2400</b>
<b>Captain David Lazar</b>	<b>315-2480 <a href="mailto:David.Lazar@sfgov.org">David.Lazar@sfgov.org</a></b>
<b>Lt. Paris Deshong – Investigations</b>	<b>315-2400 <a href="mailto:Paris.Deshong@sfgov.org">Paris.Deshong@sfgov.org</a></b>
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<b>Lt. Edward Del Carlo (Days)</b>	<b>315-2400 <a href="mailto:Ed.Delcarlo@sfgov.org">Ed.Delcarlo@sfgov.org</a></b>
<b>Lt. Brien Hoo (Nights)</b>	<b>315-2400 <a href="mailto:Brien.Hoo@sfgov.org">Brien.Hoo@sfgov.org</a></b>
<b>Lt. Hector Jusino (Nights)</b>	<b>315-2400 <a href="mailto:Hector.Jusino@sfgov.org">Hector.Jusino@sfgov.org</a></b>
<b>Anonymous Tip-Line</b>	<b>575-4444</b>
<b>S.A.F.E.</b>	<b>553-1984</b>
<b>Website:</b>	<b><a href="http://www.centralpolicestation.org">www.centralpolicestation.org</a></b>
<b>SFPD Tip Line:</b>	<b>575-4444</b>
<b>Text a Tip:</b>	<b>847411 (Tip 411)</b>
<b>Blessing Scam Hotline:</b>	<b>553-9219</b>
<b>Graffiti Abatement:</b>	<b>278-9456</b>
<b>Central Events:</b>	<b>315-2440 – Sergeant Patrick Tobin</b>
<b>Central Permits:</b>	<b>315-2423 – Officer Steve Matthias</b>
<b>Code Abatement:</b>	<b>315-2417 – Sergeant Alex Takaoka</b>
<b>Deputy City Attorney:</b>	<b>554-3820 – Jill Cannon</b>
<b>Dept. of Parking &amp; Traffic:</b>	<b>553-1943</b>
<b>DPW Dispatch</b>	<b>695-2020</b>
<b>Homeless Issues:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers Joseph Siragusa &amp; Eric Caracciolo</b>
<b>Chinatown Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers Howard Chu, Sam Yuen, David On &amp; Dennis Hoang</b>
<b>Union Square Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers Tom Cunnane &amp; Darla McBride</b>
<b>Fisherman’s Wharf Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers John Van Koll, Kevin Worrell, Kurt Macaulay and James Johnson</b>
<b>North Beach Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers Mark Alvarez, John Torrise &amp; Pete Schlegle</b>
<b>Ping Yuen:</b>	<b>315-2400 – Officers Tina To, Mark Milligan, Anthony Nguyen &amp; Steven Uang</b>



**W**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.**

