



Thursday, July 31, 2014



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# Central Police Station Newsletter

## CAPTAIN'S MESSAGE

I welcome all of you to National Night Out scheduled for **Tuesday, August 5, 2014 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** at the Joe DiMaggio Playground at 651 Lombard Street in North Beach. I look forward to meeting all of you there. We have a lot of great things lined up including a BBQ, Police/Youth kickball game, a jumpy house, and numerous informational tables relating to health and safety. I would like to thank Central Station's Community Police Advisory Board, SF Safe, as well as several members of the Community who have worked very hard to make this Tuesday a successful event. Please view the flyer enclosed in this week's newsletter.

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### **A Change in Central Station Management.**

I would like to thank **Lieutenants Eddie Yu and Luke Martin** for their great work at Central Station. They have done a tremendous job working to keep our Community Safe and leading the Officers on their watch. Lieutenant Yu has been selected to lead Officers from the Department's Tactical Company (SWAT Team). Lieutenant Luke Martin has been selected to lead the Investigation's Team at Mission Station. Both units will benefit greatly from their experience.

We welcome two newly promoted Lieutenants to Central Station this Saturday. **Lieutenant Brien Hoo** comes to us from the Tactical Company where he led a team of Officers on the SWAT Team. **Lieutenant Paris Deshong** comes to us from the Internal Affairs Division where he investigated allegations of police misconduct. Both are very smart and talented leaders who bring a lot of experience to Central Station. In next week's newsletter, I will provide you with their history in the Department. Lieutenant Hoo will be on the night watch and Lieutenant Deshong will be in charge of the Station's Investigation Team.

## Central Station Community Meetings

I will be hosting a monthly Community meeting in various locations throughout the district. The purpose of the meeting is to update the community about crime and various activities in the district as well as listen and respond to concerns. Periodically, I will be bringing a guest speaker to address specific topics. I have been told that the meetings have been poorly attended in the past so I am hopeful that residents and merchants are willing to attend this monthly meeting to maintain open communication. The meetings are the third Thursday of the month from **6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** This month's meeting will be held at **Pier 1 on Thursday, August 21<sup>st</sup>.**

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## Crime Prevention

Please take a moment to view the services offered by San Francisco SAFE. [www.sfsafe.org](http://www.sfsafe.org). SF Safe officers residential and business security surveys, bicycle registration, information on forming neighborhood watches and Crime Prevention. **Mason Lee** is our district's coordinator. He has done a lot to assist me in getting the message out about safety. This week we spent some time in Chinatown providing information to the residents on how to stay safe.

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## Scam Alert

When reports come across my desk about people being tricked out of money, I believe it is important I share these stories with you so that you can prevent this from happening. First was a case I briefly mentioned last week where a person posing as a plumber approached an elderly couple in North Beach. He told them that because of a neighborhood problem, the water in their home may be contaminated. The elderly couple let the plumber in the house to "check things out." The plumber got away with expensive jewelry.

The other case this week involves a person who received a check in the mail for an antique he was selling. The cost of the antique was \$9,750. The victim received a check for \$19,750 and asked that the victim to cash the check and wire back \$10,000. Fortunately, before the victim did anything, he checked on the status of the check and found out that it was fraudulent. Luckily, there was no loss in this case.

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## Great Arrest of the Week!

On **July 28, 2014 at 1:55 p.m.**, a person was robbed by three juveniles on the 100 block of Lombard Street. The Officers broadcast the information and suspect's description so that other Central Station Officers were aware of the incident. Moments later, **Plainclothes Officer Murphy** observed the suspects on Francisco Street. There was a foot chase and in the end, all three suspects were captured by **Officers Murphy, Amoroso, Dimopasoc, Richins, Huang and Morales**. This was a great arrest resulting in the capture of some violent street robbers!

## Sign up for the weekly newsletter

Please have those interested in receiving this newsletter send me an email at [david.lazar@sfgov.org](mailto:david.lazar@sfgov.org) and I will sign them up.

Thank you and have a great weekend,

**Captain David Lazar**

**Central Station**

## CRIMES OF NOTE

### Robberies

7/25	11:38am	<b>Robbery, W/Force Leavenworth/Geary</b>	An unknown suspect grabbed the camera hanging on the victim's shoulder. The victim struggled to hold on to the camera, but the suspect was able to rip the camera out of the victim's hands.
7/28	12:01am	<b>Robbery, Street Geary/Leavenworth</b>	An unknown suspect punched the victim in the face and when the victim fell to the ground, the suspect took the victim's cell phone, wallet and its contents.

### Assault/Battery/Violent Crimes

7/23	7:00pm	<b>Battery Jackson/Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect spat at the victim and pushed the victim to the ground when the victim confronted the suspect of pinching another victim in the buttocks.
7/24	5:31am	<b>Battery 400 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect punched the victim in the mouth when the victim was not able to move the truck for the suspect to leave.
7/24	8:00am	<b>Battery Stockton/Bush</b>	An unknown suspect kicked the victim on the arm as the victim walked pass the suspect.
7/26	3:43pm	<b>Battery 1100 block of Columbus</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole items and when apprehended by employees, the suspect punched the employees.
7/29	3:20pm	<b>Assault, Aggravated 900 block of Pine</b>	An unknown suspect swung a piece of wood at the victim after a confrontation.

### Narcotics Related

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### Theft/Shoplifting

7/23	1:00am	<b>Theft, Vehicle Jones/Glover</b>	Stolen vehicle.
7/23	9:40am	<b>Theft, Shoplifting Beach/Stockton</b>	Two suspects entered the store and stole 16 t-shirts. The suspects were stopped by security. <b>Citations issued.</b>
7/23	12:35pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting 200 block of Grant</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole six pairs of jeans.
7/23	1:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle Unit block of Broadway</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver's side rear window and stole a backpack containing electronics, books, clothing, jewelry and medication.
7/23	4:53pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting 200 block of Post</b>	The suspect entered the store and stole a pair of sunglasses. The suspect was stopped by security. <b>Citation issued.</b>
7/24	4:30am	<b>Theft, Vehicle 800 block of Geary</b>	Stolen vehicle.
7/24	11:00am	<b>Theft, Pickpocket Powell/Jefferson</b>	An unknown suspect stole a wallet from the victim's purse and made fraudulent charges to the victim's credit cards.
7/24	1:30pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle Filbert/Hyde</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side rear window and stole a purse containing a cell phone and credit cards.
7/24	4:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle 300 block of Bay</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side window and stole a backpack containing clothing, jewelry and keys.

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7/24	8:20pm	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>800 block of Pacific</b>	Stolen vehicle.
7/24	10:00pm	<b>Theft, From Unlocked Vehicle</b> <b>Geary/Jones</b>	An unknown suspect opened the unlocked vehicle and stole a cell phone.
7/26	3:00am	<b>Theft, From Building</b> <b>400 block of Geary</b>	The victim met the unknown suspect at a bar and invited the suspect to the victim's hotel room. The suspect stole the victim's laptop, cell phone and passport while the victim was sleeping.
7/26	1:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Francisco/Powell</b>	An unknown suspect stole a backpack containing electronics, glasses and credit cards. No signs of forced entry.
7/26	1:05pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>400 block of Clay</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the rear window and stole a suitcase containing clothing and a backpack containing a wallet and its contents.
7/26	2:00pm	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>1300 block of Broadway</b>	Stolen vehicle.
7/26	6:00pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>Unit block of Beach</b>	The suspect entered the store and stole snacks. The suspect was stopped by security. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/26	7:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>700 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver's side wing window and stole a cooler and tools.
7/27	9:45am	<b>Theft, Other Property</b> <b>600 block of Columbus</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's unattended bag containing keys, money and ID that were placed on a bench.
7/27	12:30pm	<b>Theft, From Person</b> <b>Pier 39</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's cell phone from the victim's backpack that was on the victim's back.
7/27	1:39pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>300 block of Beach</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the rear hatch window and stole a cell phone, passports, credit cards, and clothing.
7/27	4:15pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>500 block of Montgomery</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger window and stole backpacks containing electronics and checkbooks.
7/28	12:40pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>200 block of Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole a pair of sunglasses.
7/28	2:07pm	<b>Theft, Bicycle</b> <b>100 block of Sutter</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's secured bicycle.
7/28	4:00pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Van Ness/North Point</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver's side and passenger side rear windows and stole a backpack containing electronics, passport, jewelry and money.
7/28	4:05pm	<b>Theft, Shoplifting</b> <b>1000 block of Grant</b>	An unknown suspect entered the store and stole watches from behind a counter.
7/29	3:42am	<b>Theft, From Unlocked Vehicle</b> <b>1400 block of Jackson</b>	An unknown suspect opened the unlocked vehicle and stole money and glasses.
7/29	10:00am	<b>Theft, From Building</b> <b>500 block of Broadway</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's cell phone that was left on the counter.
7/29	12:45pm	<b>Theft, Other Property</b> <b>Unit block of Telegraph Hill</b>	An unknown suspect stole the victim's wallet and its content from the victim's backpack that was left unattended.
7/29	2:10pm	<b>Theft, From Locked Vehicle</b> <b>Mason/North Point</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the passenger side front window and stole electronics and passports.
7/29	4:45pm	<b>Theft, Vehicle</b> <b>Pacific/Montgomery</b>	Stolen vehicle.

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## Miscellaneous

7/2 3	1:33am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>500 block of Broadway</b>	The suspect was drinking in public and a computer check shows the suspect has an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	4:15am	<b>Burglary, Commercial</b> <b>600 block of Columbus</b>	An unknown suspect forced opened the front window and stole ice bars and money.
7/2 3	8:00am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>Drumm/Washington</b>	The suspect was sleeping in the park and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	8:15am	<b>Trespassing</b> <b>400 block of Kearny</b>	The suspect was trespassing after being told several times to stay away and had been cited in the past. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	8:23am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>800 block of Jones</b>	Recovered vehicle.
7/2 3	11:09am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>200 block of Geary</b>	The suspect was sitting on the sidewalk with a panhandling sign and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	6:00pm	<b>Defrauding Innkeeper</b> <b>500 block of Sutter</b>	The suspect ordered food and consumed the food and had no money to pay for the food consumed. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	7:10pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>Sutter/Powell</b>	The suspect was being aggressive and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 3	7:40pm	<b>Trespassing</b> <b>200 block of Post</b>	The suspect entered the store and stole a backpack. The suspect was stopped by employees. <b>Citation issued.</b>
7/2 3	11:00pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>North Point/Taylor</b>	The suspect was crossing the street illegally and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 4	1:31am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>1500 block of Clay</b>	The suspect was trespassing and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 4	8:02am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>1200 block of Hyde</b>	Recovered vehicle.
7/2 4	1:05pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>900 block of Columbus</b>	The suspect was blocking a doorway and under the influence of alcohol and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 4	1:13pm	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>700 block of Geary</b>	The suspect was holding an open can of alcohol and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 4	3:49pm	<b>Traffic Violation</b> <b>Robert Levy Tunnel</b>	The driver was speeding and a computer check shows the driver is an unlicensed driver. <b>Citation issued.</b>
7/2 5	1:17am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>300 block of Sacramento</b>	The suspect was sleeping in a doorway and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 5	6:00pm	<b>Burglary, Residence</b> <b>Unit block of Truett</b>	An unknown suspect forced open a window of the garage and stole a bicycle.
7/2 6	1:59am	<b>Vandalism, Building</b> <b>400 block of Stockton</b>	An unknown suspect damaged the mechanical gate arm of the parking lot.
7/2 6	8:25am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>Hyde/Jackson</b>	The suspect was replicated a gun with his hand and pointed at a passerby and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/2 6	5:00pm	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle</b> <b>Sansome/Filbert</b>	An unknown suspect dented the roof of the vehicle.
7/2 6	7:03pm	<b>Traffic Violation</b> <b>Filbert/Hyde</b>	The driver was involved in an accident and a computer check shows the driver is an unlicensed driver and the driver had no proof of insurance. <b>Citation issued.</b>

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7/27	12:50am	<b>Warrant Arrest</b> <b>1100 block of Kearny</b>	The suspect was sitting on the stairs and a computer check shows the suspect with an outstanding warrant. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/27	2:00am	<b>Vandalism, Building</b> <b>500 block of Geary</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the window of the store.
7/27	6:00pm	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle</b> <b>300 block of Bay</b>	An unknown suspect shattered the driver's side rear window.
7/27	11:45pm	<b>Traffic Violation</b> <b>Broadway/Grant</b>	The driver made an illegal U-turn and a computer check shows the driver is an unlicensed driver. <b>Citation issued.</b>
7/28	1:05am	<b>Burglary, Hot Prowl</b> <b>Unit block of Waverly</b>	An unknown suspect entered through an opened door and grabbed a knife and pointed the knife at the victims. The suspect stole a cell phone, credit card, and ID.
7/28	1:20am	<b>Recovered Vehicle</b> <b>Hyde/Pine</b>	Recovered vehicle. <b>Arrest made.</b>
7/28	12:00pm	<b>Fraud, Scam</b> <b>2300 block of Leavenworth</b>	An unknown suspect sent the victim a check to purchase an item. The amount of the check was \$10,000 over the price of the item. The suspect told the victim to wire the remaining balance, but the bank confirmed the check was a fake check.
7/28	5:30pm	<b>Burglary, Other Property</b> <b>300 block of Drumm</b>	An unknown suspect pried open a locker and stole electronics, clothing and a wallet and its contents.
7/29	6:30pm	<b>Vandalism, Vehicle</b> <b>200 block of Columbus</b>	An unknown suspect kicked and shattered the glass of the rear door of a bus after the bus door has closed.
7/29	7:23pm	<b>Trespassing</b> <b>1800 block of Hyde</b>	The suspect entered the victim's residence through an unlocked door without permission. <b>Citation issued.</b>



Auxiliary  
Law  
Enforcement  
Response  
Team

Are you someone who is interested in disaster preparedness and wants to help out your community while working hand in hand with law enforcement? Then the ALERT program is for you!

# SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team (ALERT)



ALERT Training Instructor, Officer Roly Canales with K-9 partner Pyro.

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### What is the ALERT Program?

The San Francisco Police Department has developed a volunteer citizen disaster preparedness program. The Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team (ALERT) is modeled after and works in partnership with the San Francisco Fire Department's Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT). The ALERT program will train members of the public to assist law enforcement in essential tasks after a major disaster. Such tasks may include: traffic control, foot patrol of business and residential areas, and reporting criminal activity. Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age and live, work, or attend high school in San Francisco.

#### Three steps to becoming an ALERT volunteer:

1. Complete NERT training and receive certification. To register for NERT training courses please visit [www.sfgov.org/sfnert](http://www.sfgov.org/sfnert)
2. Once NERT certified, forward a copy of your NERT ID card to the ALERT program. [sfpdalert@sfgov.org](mailto:sfpdalert@sfgov.org)
3. After clearing a basic background check the individual is eligible to register for ALERT training.

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#### Important Dates:

- An informational meeting about our program will be held on September 18th, at 7:00pm. The meeting will be held at the San Francisco Police Academy, in the parking lot bungalow. This is not a mandatory meeting for interested volunteers. Come have your questions answered!
- Our next training class is scheduled for August 9th, 2014, from 8:00am-5:00pm. This class will be held at the San Francisco Police Academy, in the parking lot bungalow.\*\*

\*\*To view a detailed explanation of the pre-requisites, please visit [www.sanfranciscopolice.org/alert](http://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/alert)

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**FREE Admission!**

Join SFPD Central Station and the Central District Community Police Advisory Board in celebrating the 31<sup>st</sup> annual National Night Out

**Tuesday, August 5th  
5:00 - 7:30 pm**

**Joe DiMaggio Playground  
651 Lombard**

Community Booths:

- Tel-Hi Neighborhood Center
- Salesian Boys' & Girls' Club
- Chinatown YMCA
- Community Youth Center
- Cameron House
- Next Village SF
- Friends of Joe DiMaggio
- North Beach Neighbors
- Telegraph Hill Dwellers
- Barbary Coast Neighborhood Assoc
- & more!!!

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<b>Non-Emergency:</b>	<b>553-0123</b>
<b>Cell phone 911:</b>	<b>911</b>
<b>Customer Service Center:</b>	<b>311</b>
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<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>Graffiti Abatement</b>	<b>278-9456</b>
<b>Central Events:</b>	<b>315-2440 - Sergeant Dominic Panina</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. 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 , William Pon, David On</b>
<b>Union Square Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 - Officer Tom Cunnane</b>
<b>Fisherman's Wharf Beat:</b>	<b>315-2400 - Officers John Van Koll and Troy Courtney</b>
<b>North Beach:</b>	<b>315-2400 - Officers Mark Alvarez, John Torrise &amp; Pete Schlegle</b>