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Captain's Community Meeting

Because of Election Day, the next meeting will be on Wednesday November 8th, at 7:00PM. The meeting will be held in the Community Room. Access can be gained by entering through the Newhall Street door.

Captain Albert Pardini
Commanding Officer
Bayview Station

Safety Tips

Halloween Costumes and Trick or Treat

As you and your youngest acquaintances plan this year's Halloween festivities, the officers at Bayview Station hope you might consider adopting a few of the tips below for costume design, traffic safety, and trick or treating. To begin with, incorporate glow sticks and reflective tape into costume design. If you plan to use face-paint, make sure it is cosmetically approved. When purchasing or making costumes, make sure the mouth and eyeholes are large enough, that the costumes are not too long, and take care that they are made of fire retardant material. Open flames are often a part of Halloween decorations. If you plan to display Jack-o-Lanterns outside, bear in mind that ghosts, damsels, and superheroes may be brushing past them as they ply you for goodies. Think about using properly insulated electric lights instead, and position decorations away from foot-traffic patterns.

Adults, make sure your young ones know not to enter any stranger's car or home. Always inspect their "loot" before letting them consume it. Consider disposing of anything that is not packaged or home made. Examine all fruit that unknown patrons give as a treat, and wash them thoroughly.

At least one adult should always accompany young children as they trick-or-treat. A two-to-one ratio is ideal. Try to move in larger groups, keep a head-count, and plan your route. Sew names, addresses and phone numbers inside your young voyagers' clothing. If your children are older or teen aged, make an agreement with them to return home at a specific time and share their plans with you. Again, large groups! Reinforce crossing at corners only, looking both ways, and walking. Never walk out from between parked cars. Never insist on the right of way, and use illuminated or reflecting devices to mark your progress. If the traditional house-to-house trick or treating makes you uncomfortable these days, contact your schools and plan to attend locally orchestrated activities instead.

Remember, if you dial 9-1-1 from a cell phone, you may reach the California Highway Patrol in Sacramento instead of your local office of emergency



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communications. If you are a San Francisco resident and you have a cell phone, program this seven-digit number for local 9-1-1 response: (415) 553-8090. Have fun!

Public Interest

Police Department is now hiring: Applicants must be at least 20 years old, have a valid driver's license, and not be convicted of a crime that would prohibit them from carrying a firearm. Applications are available at District Stations, and numerous public facilities. You may also apply online at www.sfgov.org/police.

SFPD seeks the Public's help with Recruitment

If you are aware of any community events or job fairs that would be an appropriate venue for SFPD Recruitment please contact the Recruitment Unit at 415-401-4714.

Light Rail Update

3rd Street light rail service is now scheduled to begin April 7, 2007. As you may have already noticed, MUNI is already testing the light rail on 3rd St. Testing is scheduled for Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. The purpose of these tests is to ensure that the system is fully integrated with the tracks, switches and traffic signals light and that all of the current and new light rail operators are familiar with the new alignment.

It is important to note that left turns are no longer allowed at some of the intersections along Third Street and Bayshore Boulevard. We ask motorist, pedestrians and bicyclist to use extra caution and obey all traffic signs and signals. MUNI's community relations team is actively working to keep the public apprised of these changes, and will be launching an intensive safety education program to be administered at schools and community organizations. The program will provide information to pedestrians, drivers, bicyclists and transit riders on how to be safe around the train tracks and platforms, as well as on the trains.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Third Street Light Rail Project community relations team at (415) 703-6655.

Hunters Point Shipyard Restoration Advisory Board Meeting

The Hunters Point Shipyard Restoration Advisory Board (HPSRAB) will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, October 26, 2006 from 6:00PM-8:00 PM. The meeting will be at the Southeast Community College Community Room at 1800 Oakdale Avenue.

Free Street Trees



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The Friends of the Urban Forest are giving away free street trees for property owners in the Bayview District. Their next planting will be December 2nd. Application forms must be turned in by November 11th. Contact Suzanne at 561-6890X101 or suzanne@fuf.net. www.fuf.net

Free Construction Classes

City Build is sponsoring 14 week program in Construction for City Residents. San Francisco residency is required. Applicants must have a minimum of a GED, a Social Security Card, a valid California Driver's License by the end of the program, be able to pass a drug test, communicate in English. For more information contact Larenda Brooks at 415-826-8080 ext 270, Alex Francois 415-401-4951, or stop by 953 DeHaro Street.

"Positive Flow" at the Spot

St. Paul Tabernacle Church 1789 Oakdale Ave, 3rd Saturday of every month 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. There will be comedy, singing, dance, Gospel rap and a house Band. Transportation provided. For more information call 415-642-4965.

International African Marketplace

Every Saturday till October 28th from 11 AM to 3 PM at 3rd and Oakdale . Shop for fresh produce plus goods and wares from the African Diaspora right in your backyard. Live entertainment, arts and crafts, kid's activities and much more. Visit www.BVHPafricanmarketplace.org for details.

Back issues of the Bayview Community Update:

Back issues of the Bayview Community Update are available online at www.sfgov.org/police. Other District Stations updates can be found here as well.

Crimes and Law Enforcement

THE BELOW LISTED INCIDENTS WERE SUBMITTED BY INDIVIDUALS OF BAYVIEW STATION:

MONDAY 10/16/2006 8:40PM - Harbor Rd/Northridge Rd: Assault Weapon Arrest/Gang Related (Case # 061106297)

Officers Kirchner, Ellis, and Coleman know that the Harbor Rd/Northridge Rd area is plagued by gun violence brought on by drugs and other gang activities that terrorize the innocent residents of the area. Therefore on Monday evening when they saw the three gang members walking in the area they decided to stop and talk with them. As soon as the gangsters saw the Officer's car turn around they began running away. The Supreme Court says running away from the Police is not the action of a reasonable person and



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is a highly suspicious activity.

Officer Kirchner became even more suspicious when he recognized the gang member with the AK-47 assault rifle in his hands as a man currently out on bail awaiting trial for attempted murder of a police officer, and he called for emergency backup. Numerous Bayview, Tactical, and Canine Officer Units responded to the area to search for the suspect. Officers set up a perimeter and zeroed in on the unit the suspect had fled into, and the suspect was found hiding in the attic crawl space of the apartment wearing nothing but his boxer shorts and his jail issued orange socks. The fully loaded AK-47 was found in the backyard along with other evidence including ammunition. During a search of the house, ammunition for the AK was also found inside.

Meanwhile, Officer Coleman was able to stop and detain the other two men nearby.

All three men, the AK-47, the ammunition, and other evidence were all booked into custody at Bayview Station. Another gun and three thugs are off the our streets thanks to the observant eyes, bravery, and quick response of all the officers involved.

From January 1, 2006 to September 30, 2006, the officers from Bayview Station have taken 160 guns off of the streets.

TUESDAY 10/17/2006 4:12PM, Revere Avenue and Lane St: Possession of Crack Cocaine (Case # 061107182)

Officers Arndt, Johnson, Berge, and Lew were assigned to the Violence Reduction Unit of Bayview Station. They know that where there are drugs there is often violence and other crimes, and they know that there have been numerous complaints of drug related activities near Revere and Lane so they zeroed in on the area.

As they were driving along they saw a white car pass by with the female passenger not wearing a seat belt. They turned around, pulled the car over, and talked to the driver. The driver gave them his driver's license and registration. He also told them he was on parole which means that he, his car, and the occupants are all searchable without a warrant at any time. So the Officers decided to search the car.

The driver and the occupants of the car were moved out of the car and on to the sidewalk. It was then that Officer Arndt noticed something odd about the female passenger wearing the skin tight top - there appeared to be something sticking out of her left breast. Since all Police Officers are



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trained to look for things that are out of the ordinary, and because she knew that women sometimes carry weapons or other contraband in their bras, Officer Arndt did a quick pat search to make sure the object sticking out of the woman's bras was not a weapon. It was at this point that the woman came clean and admitted that the odd thing was not a weapon but just some simple, harmless crack cocaine.

The woman and the non-lethal crack were both booked at Bayview Station.

TUESDAY 10/17/2006 1:20AM - 100 Block of Bertha Lane: Robbery Arrest (Case # 061110884)

Officer Batchelder and Officer Chi scored another one for the people of the City and County of San Francisco Tuesday morning. They were on patrol when a car caught their attention backing into the driveway of a house. They thought for a moment and realized that the car matched the description of a car used in a robbery in the Sunset District earlier. They quickly stopped the car and detained the driver. Robbery Inspectors responded. While searching the car Officer Batchelder and Chi found a ski mask which are often used in street robberies.

After an interview with the Robbery Inspectors, the car was towed as evidence and the man was booked at Bayview Station. Another crime solved, another bad guy in custody, and another victim can rest easier all thanks to the sharp eyes of two of Bayview's finest

Sunday, October 22, 2006, 1:58 AM, 3rd and Paul, Driving under the influence (Case #061126988): Officers Weyl and Guzman were on patrol when they saw a vehicle driving without headlamps. They stopped the car and immediately smelled the odor of alcohol coming from the driver. The driver told the officers that she only had one small glass of wine. After the driver failed the field sobriety tests administered at the scene, the driver was transported to Mission Station where a Breathalyzer test revealed that she had a blood alcohol level of .19 or over twice the legal limit. She was booked on DUI charges at county jail.

Sunday, October 22, 2006, 6:17 PM, Newhall and Newcomb, Narcotics/Probation Violation (Case # 061128934): Violence reduction officers were on patrol when they saw a possible narcotics transaction occur on the 1200 block of Newhall. This area is well known to Bayview officers for narcotics activity. The officers were able to detained one suspect in the transaction; he advised the officers that he was on probation and that he had a search condition. When on probation, suspects are required to submit to a search of their person without cause. The officers searched the suspect and found suspected methamphetamine in his pocket. Because he had



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narcotics on his person, he had violated the conditions of his probation, so he was booked at Bayview Station on narcotics and probation violation charges.

Monday, October 23, 2006, 1:30 AM, Bayview and Pomona, Stolen Vehicle (Case # 061108817): Officer Cabuntala was on patrol when he saw a stolen vehicle. He attempted to stop the vehicle, but it would not stop. Specialist Officers Mason and Lozano, then saw the car on the unit block of Bayview. The driver ran from the car when he saw the officers, but they were able to catch him and detain him. The suspect continued to resist arrest, screaming for others to help him get away. Several officers arrived on scene and after an extended struggle to they were able to place him into handcuffs. When the suspect was identified, it was revealed that he had two outstanding warrants for his arrest for theft, threats and burglary. He was booked at Bayview Station for the stolen car, resisting arrest, assault and the two warrants.

Phone Numbers and Web Sites

S. F. P. D.

Emergency: 9-1-1

S.F.P.D. Website: www.sfgov.org/police

S.F.P.D. Anonymous Tips, General: 575-4444

Narcotics Detail Anonymous Tips: (800) 272-2548

Vice Crimes Anonymous Tips: 643-6223

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Captain Albert Pardini: 671-2300

Bayview Station Anonymous Tips: 822-8147.

Abandoned Autos: Officer Maurice Edwards (Tu - Fr), 254-7185.

Illegal Encampments: Officer Sue Lavin (Mo - Fr), 850-9740.

Bayview Narcotics Investigations: Sgt. Eddie Hagan/Sgt. Dempsey, 254-7197.

Westbrook Development Liaison: Officer and Edie Lewis, 509-1678, or

Officers George Luedtke and Brett Bodisco 806-8304

Hunter's View Development Liaison: Officers Brian Petiti and Mike Robinson at 509-1270, or Officers Ray Pascua and Mike Chantal at 987-6569

Potrero Hill Development Liaison: Officers Cullen Cahill at 509-1408 or

Officers Tim Fowlie and George Ferraez at 987-6369

Third Street Beat Officers: Officer Tim Dalton, Kevin McPherson, and Lloyd Martin at 671-2300.

San Bruno St. Corridor Beat Officer: Officer Felix Gasanyan at 671-2300.

Miscellaneous City Departments

Illegal Dumping (DPW): 282-5326



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DPT Abandoned Autos: 781-JUNK

DPT Parking Problems: 553-1200