

# Bayview Police Station

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Captain Bruce is retiring. He no longer reads his emails. However, if you wish to email me, please continue to use Capt. Bruce's email address.

-Acting Captain, Lt. Curtis Lum

### Public Interest

Do you have an opinion about bringing The Home Depot to the Bayview?

Your last chance to express your opinion to the SF Board of Supervisors will be Tuesday, October 25, at 4:00 PM! The meeting will be held at City Hall, Room #250 (Polk St. between Grove and McAllister). For more information call 415-788-1000 x204.

Are you prepared for a major Earthquake or Natural Disaster?

You are vital to the recovery of the City after a disaster! The Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (N.E.R.T.) is organized by the SF Fire Department and offers free earthquake and disaster preparedness training. Upcoming Saturday sessions on Oct. 29 and Nov. 5 at the Joseph Lee Rec. Center 1395 Mendell @ 3rd St. For more information or to register call 415-970-2022 or go to [www.sfgov.org/sffdnet](http://www.sfgov.org/sffdnet).

### Free Legal Help in the Bayview:

Do you have a legal problem? Need to talk to a lawyer? Need assistance filling out forms or writing letters? Visit the Legal Advice and Referral Clinic and speak with volunteer attorneys who specialize in numerous fields. If interested, you must register on Saturday, October 29, between 12:00 PM and 1:30 PM at the Joseph Lee Gym, 1395 Mendell (at 3rd S.).

### Halloween Safety Recommendations:

With Halloween approaching parents are reminded of the following safety tips:

- Wear light colored clothing that is short enough to prevent tripping and add reflective tape to the sides, front and back of the costume.
- Make sure children can see well through face masks, or use cosmetics to create fun or scary faces.
- Adults should accompany young children.
- Go out in daylight and carry a flashlight in case of delay.
- Stay within the neighborhood and only visit the homes you know.
- Watch for traffic.
- Only give and accept wrapped or packaged candy.
- Examine all candy before allowing children to eat it.
- Keep costumed children away from pets. The pet may not recognize the child and become frightened.
- Avoid hard plastic or wood props such as daggers or swords. Substitute with foam rubber which is soft and flexible.

### Junior Giants League Coaching:

The Milton Meyer Field Junior Giants League is looking for coaches. The teams will play every Saturday until November 5th. The 5 to 7 year-olds play from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m., the 8 to 10 year-olds play from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., and the 11 to 15 year-olds play from 11:00 to 1:30 p.m. Please Call Machaela Hctor at 554-3850 if you would like to help coach these

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great Hunter's Point kids.

Bayview Rotary Thanksgiving Turkey Drive:

The Bayview Rotary Club wants to provide more than 200 needy families in Bayview/Hunters Point with Thanksgiving turkeys this year, but they need your help. They are asking everyone who can spare a dollar to make a \$1 donation to the Thanksgiving Turkey Drive. To make a donation, please visit these local establishments, who will display a card noting your generosity on their walls:

New Home Missionary Baptist Church, 1763 Newcomb Pet Camp, 525 Phelps St. Speakeasy Brewery, 1195 Evans Ave.

To make a donation by mail, please send a check before October 10th to the Foundation of Bayview Rotary Club, 3801 Third St., #1211, San Francisco CA 94124. For more information call Machaela Hctor at 554-3850.

Biotech Training:

San Francisco City College and SFWorks are sponsoring a biotechnology job search orientation. If you can pass a drug test, have no prior felony drug arrests, and possess a highschool diploma or GED, you may be eligible to attend a biotech training program. Ongoing orientation dates are listed as follows:

- The first Tuesday of every month at 5:00 pm, CCSF Mission Campus 17th & Alabama, room 335.
- The first Wednesday of every month at 10:30 am, One Stop Career Center, 801 Turk Street.
- The second Wednesday of every month at 12:30 pm, CCSF Southeast Campus, 1800 Oakdale, room 418.
- One Stop Career Center, 801 Turk Street the third Wednesday of every month at 10:30 am.

For more information call (415) 217-5188 or go on line at [www.sfworks.org](http://www.sfworks.org)

District Events

Fundraiser at Speakeasy Brewery:

Like to Drink Beer? Come to the Speakeasy Brewery at 1195 Evans St. on Saturday, Nov. 5, between 2PM and 7PM. A \$20/\$25 donation gets you Open Taps, Door Prizes, Silent Auction, Live Music and Food! Proceed benefit "Free the Need", a grassroots, all-volunteer, non-profit group dedicated to feeding and clothing needy SF families. Call 415-587-6685 or 415-948-6768 for advance tickets or more information.

Parent/Community Information Dinner:

Learn about the new Bayview Essential School for Music, Art, and Social Justice. The mission of the school is to "engage, educate, and empower Bayview youth to transform their lives while positively contributing to the betterment of their community". Discover more about the school and the ways you can get involved! October 27th at 6PM - The Healing Arts Center at 3rd St. and Thomas Ave.

Haunted House - Gyros Festival of Fear:

At Pier 48. Oct 13-16, Oct 20-31. Sunday -Thursdays 7PM-11PM. Fridays, Saturdays and Halloween 7PM-1AM.

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### Crimes and Law Enforcement

Tuesday, October 18, 11:05 AM – Robbery w/Gun - Coleman Youngblood Playground - Case # 051 176 818

While walking in Coleman-Youngblood Playground, a man was approached by two men. The one male was described as a light skinned African-American male in his early 20's, approximately 6'2", 180lbs, wearing a white jacket with yellow writing. The second suspect had black clothing. Both were wearing ski masks. The suspect asked the victim for cigarettes to which the victim had none.

The suspect then took out a hand gun and said, "I want your money". Fearing for his safety, the victim gave the suspects his money. The victim then ran and called for the police. No one in the park responded to the victim's cries. The victim went home and called the police. The victim said that the first suspect had a distinctive, lazy left eye. If you can provide any information that would help catch the suspects please call the Robbery Detail 553-1206 and refer to case # 051 176 818.

Tuesday, October 18, 15:50 PM – Methamphetamine Offense, Recovered Stolen Vehicle – Rosie Lee Lane CS # 051 178 137

A Ford Mustang that had a smashed front windshield and expired registration tabs from five years ago caught the attention of Sgt. Fabbri and his plain clothes officers. They followed the Mustang to Rosie Lee Lane. The driver, a male in his late twenties and a female passenger in her mid thirties parked blocking the driveway of their residence.

Plain clothes officer made their approach, and learned that the driver was on felony probation. Because the driver voluntarily gave up his Fourth Amendment rights as a condition of probation, a search was performed of the driver's home. During the search, methamphetamine was found in the residence. Both driver and passenger were booked for probation violations and possession of methamphetamine.

It should be noted that in the driveway of their residence was a Silver Mustang, presumably 'his and her' models. Computer records indicated that this Mustang was stolen from a Ford dealership in Palo Alto.

Tuesday, October 18 10:50 PM – Possession of Narcotics, Parole Violation - Newhall St/Newcomb Ave. Case # 051 179 135.

A California Parolee will be returning to prison thanks to Plainclothes Officers Kirchner, Lyons, and Scott. These Officers were in patrol in the area of Newhall and Newcomb when they spotted a group of males loitering in this area, which is plagued by violence and narcotics. They exited the vehicle and one of the males recognizing that it was the police held out his hands. In each hand was a brown prescription bottle. Further examination revealed that one of them contained crack cocaine. Knowing that he was caught the suspect said, "I know it is wrong, but I thought I could make some quick money." He was booked for possession of crack cocaine for sales.

Wednesday, October 19, 4:54 PM – Warrant Arrest - 1200 Block Of Newhall Street CS # 051 182 815

Bicycle Officers Dalton and McPherson, were riding on patrol in the area of Newcomb Avenue and Newhall Streets when they observed a woman with a crack pipe in her hand. Officer Dalton recognized the woman and a computer check revealed that she had an outstanding warrant. In fact, it was the eighth time that the warrant had been issued. Further, Officer Dalton had arrested the woman previously on the same warrant a few months earlier. The woman complained that she was pregnant and needed medical attention. Officer Dalton remembered that woman made the same claim

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earlier when he arrested her. The woman was inconsistent with her gestation period and Officers McPherson and Dalton expected she was using a ruse to dissuade them from arresting her. Nonetheless an ambulance was summoned.

Numerous pregnancy tests revealed that she was not pregnant after all. After getting cleared from the hospital, the woman was booked.

Wednesday, October 19, 6:49 PM – Attempted Robbery with a Gun – 1000 block of Hollister Ave CS # 051 183 227

On this date and time, Bayview Officers responded to the 1000 block of Hollister Avenue on report of an attempted robbery. A description of the suspects was broadcasted over the radio. Other Officers scoured the area and detained a possible match of one of the suspects nearby. The victims were brought to the location and positively identified the suspect as the one that tried to rob them.

It was learned would be robber approached the suspects pulled out a handgun, cocked it and demanded money from them. Both victims ran to there home nearby and called the police.

The gun and the other suspect are still outstanding. The other suspect is described as 21-25 year old black man, approximately 5'6" and 150lbs, last seen wearing a white sweatshirt with blue on the back.

Thursday October 20, 12:23 PM – Possession of an assault handgun, parole violation, Oakdale and Keith - Case # 051185819

Officers Juarez, Yee, and Tong were temporarily assigned to the Bayview District to increase police presence. They saw a vehicle driving with expired registration tabs. They attempted to pull the car over but the driver ignored the car's lights and siren and continued driving. Both the driver and the passenger kept looking back and moving about the cabin of the car. They did finally pull over many blocks away.

Because of the evasive action taken by the occupants of the vehicle, the officers had the occupants step out of the vehicle and a search was performed. In a bag on the floor of the front passenger seat was a loaded firearm.

Both occupants of the car are on California Parole and were booked for weapon possession and parole violation. One can only imagine what the intent of these two people were. It is clear from their evasive actions that this gun was out and ready to be used. When the traffic violation was discovered by the police they had to take time to attempt to conceal the gun.

Thursday, October 20, 6:54 PM, Possession of Crack Cocaine for Sales – Oakdale Avenue and Newhall Street CS# 051 187 558

Bayview Officers responded the area of Oakdale Avenue and Newhall Streets on report of a loud argument. First responding Officers learned that one of the parties was inside a van that was fleeing the scene. Officers Luedtke and McCormick saw van driving erratically in the area. Believing that this van was involved, they pulled it over. A search of the vehicle was performed. Inside was a large quantity of crack cocaine and a scale, which is consistent with crack cocaine sales.

Both occupants were booked.

Sunday, October 23, 1:29 PM – Street Robbery- Case # 051196593 - Gaven St. at Merrill St.

Bayview Officer Whitney investigated a street robbery on the 400 Block of Gaven St. A female victim told officers that she was walking down the sidewalk on Gaven St. when she noticed a blue Cadillac with two men on board pass by. Moments later, the man who had been sitting in the passenger seat approached the woman on foot. The man demanded the

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victim's purse and cell phone. A struggle ensued. Eventually the man ripped the purse from the victim's hands and pushed her to the ground. The man fled on foot. The vehicle is described as a 90's, light-blue 2-Door Cadillac. The suspect is described as a black male between 20 and 25 years of age, 5'03", 140 lbs. He was clean-shaven, wore a black baseball hat, white t-shirt, and black jeans.

Sunday, October 23, 3:50 PM – Burglary - Case # 051197109 - 1900 Block 3rd St.

Bayview Officer Harmston, Parry, and numerous other officers responded to an office on 3rd St. to investigate a burglary. Office employees showed the officers where the suspect(s) had punched through a wall adjacent to the back door. Apparently this is how the suspects gained entry. The officers found that the suspects had tampered the office's alarm system.

The rooms on the first and second floor had been ransacked and the entire office was covered with the white powdery discharge of the building's fire extinguishers. The only thing missing from the office was single laptop computer. However, the burglar left behind several empty beer bottles and cigarette butts. The officers left the building with the evidence in hand thinking they had a good lead in a "cold burglary", that is, a burglary in which the suspect(s) are gone. However, it was not long before the office employees called the police again. They had found the suspects hiding in an attic crawl space! Officers responded and arrested a male suspect. It turns out the man was a former volunteer for the company. He was terminated a few days prior after he decided to set up camp in the building's parking lot. When employees initially asked the man to pack up his things and leave he grumbled, "You haven't seen the last me!" He was right. He was booked at Bayview Station.

Sunday, October 23, 5:15 PM – Warrant Arrest, Cocaine Possession, Firearm Offense - Case #051197303 - Kirkwood at Phelps

Bayview Plainclothes Officers Fitzpatrick, Mallinger, Aherne, and Mustafich responded to the 1600 block of Kirkwood to investigate a call that suspicious characters were dealing drugs from a car in the area. Upon their arrival, the officers found a car with a man and a woman aboard. The officers recognized the man and knew he was on felony probation for narcotics. They knew the woman to have an outstanding arrest warrant. This knowledge prompted some further investigation! Not surprisingly, the officers found crack cocaine in the vehicle. The woman confessed that she was carrying a concealed pistol. An officer searched the woman and found a loaded .38 Derringer under her right breast! She explained that she had purchased the above mentioned car two weeks ago. She was surprised when she found the gun on the floorboard of her new wheels. She could not explain how the gun found its way under her breast. The woman was booked at County Jail #9.

Monday, October 24, 4:00 PM – Robbery, Assault, Conspiracy - Case #051201578 - San Bruno/Bacon

Bayview Officer Kwan and numerous other Bayview units responded to the 2700 block of San Bruno on a report that several juveniles were assaulting multiple victims. Officers swarmed the area. Officer Thornton saw one of the young male suspects near the Bell Market and detained him. Officers Kwan and Alcaraz detained two more youths after a brief foot chase. The three victims in the case positively identified the youths in what is known as a "cold-show" line-up. Apparently two of the teenage suspects robbed and assaulted two of the victims while the third suspect videotaped the crime on his camcorder. In an attempt to dissuade the 3rd victim from cooperating with police, one of the suspects made eye contact and threatened, "I'm gonna get you!" Victim intimidation is a significant problem in the successful prosecution of criminals in the Bayview District.

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The victims began to relate their story to Officer Kwan. Apparently the lead suspect approached the victim and challenged, "What do you want!? You wanna fight?!" Then (and directly from the text of Officer Kwan's report), "[the suspect] dropped his backpack, pulled up his pants and clenched his fists" and punched the victim. Apparently the sagging pant fashion that is all the rage these days is actually detrimental to the successful assault and robbery of unsuspecting victims.

It turns out one of these youths has two prior arrests for aggravated assault. Another is on probation for vehicle theft, receiving stolen property, possession of burglary tools, driving with no license issued, and reckless driving. All three suspects were booked at YGC. Officer Kwan confiscated and booked the one suspect's video camera.

An interesting side note: Earlier in the day, Bayview Officer Doherty was flagged down by a concerned citizen. The man had just come from the intersection of San Bruno and Bacon. There, he had seen three juveniles throwing sweet potatoes at passing vehicles. One of the youths was filming the activity with a video camera. When Officer Doherty arrived on scene the youths were gone but he found the squashed yams (stolen from the adjacent produce station) all over the street. No doubt the Robbery Investigators will be in for quite a show when they review the young man's home video.

### Phone Numbers and Web Sites

S. F. P. D.

Emergency: 9-1-1

S.F.P.D. Website: [www.sfgov.org/police](http://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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Acting Captain Curtis Lum: 671-2300

Bayview Station Anonymous Tips: 822-8147.

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

Illegal Encampments: Officer Sue Lavin (Mo – Fr), 254-7120.

Bayview Narcotics Investigations: Sergeant Carl Fabri, 254-7197.

Westbrook Development Liaison: Officer Raphael Rockwell, 509-1678, or

Officers Ramon Reynoso and Brett Bodisco 806-8304

Hunter's View Development Liaison: Officers Dave Dockery and Mike Robinson

at 509-1270, or Officers Ray Pascua and Mike Chantal at 987-6569

Portrero Hill Development Liaison: Officers Kevin Sanders and Alex Rodatos

at 509-1408 or Officers Tim Fowlie and George Ferraez at 987-6369

Third Street Beat Officers: Officer Tim Dalton and Kevin McPherson at

671-2300

San Bruno St. Corridor Beat Officer: Officer Culbert Chu at 671-2300

Illegal Dumping: 282-5326

### Miscellaneous City Departments

Illegal Dumping (DPW): 282-5326

DPT Abandoned Autos: 781-JUNK

DPT Parking Problems: 553-1200