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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

San Francisco Family Day Festival

San Francisco's first Family Day Festival will be held on Saturday, October 22, from 11 am to 3 pm. This event, held in Yerba Buena Gardens, will provide family-centered activities, entertainment, and food vendors. In addition to the many family-friendly activities available at this event, valuable city service information will be provided to families in attendance.

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 great Hunter's Point kids.

Bayview Rotary Thanksgiving Turkey Drive: The Bayview Rotary Club wants to

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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

Honda Test Drive Event and Music Concert: Monster Park at Candlestick Point. On 10/22/05 from 7 PM - 11PM. Details to be announced.

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.

### Crimes and Law Enforcement

Tuesday, October 11, 9:24 AM - Attempted Robbery, found gun - Case # 051146394

A young male currently enrolled in High School in San Francisco did not go to school on this day. Instead he and another conspirator attempted to rob a man on the 600 Block of Connecticut Street. The two suspects attempted to block the sidewalk of a man walking his dog. The suspects asked the man

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what time it was and the man replied and continued to walk past them. The suspects then asked the man where he was going. The man told them that he was on his way to work. The suspect inquired to where that was and the man refused to answer. One of the suspects caught up to the man and said, "Your wallet, where is your wallet?" The man replied, "Uh, Uh...not going to happen." The suspect stood stunned for a moment and the man continued his walk.

As the man reached 20th Street he saw Officers Damonte and Barron at Thinkers Café enjoying a cup of coffee with off duty Officer Fitzpatrick. The man told the Officers what happened. Officer Damonte and Officer Fitzpatrick rounded the corner on foot and Officer Barron jumped in the patrol car in attempt to head off the suspects. Other Officers were notified and began respond to the area. The suspects managed to flee into the park at the dead end of Connecticut. But this was far from over.

Just prior to their attempted robbery the suspects went into one of the stores on 20th and Connecticut. Fortunately, the store had a video surveillance tape. Unfortunately, for the suspects one of them was wearing distinctive clothing. Officer Damonte drove through the Potrero Hill Projects and spotted the suspect where he was detained. A "cold show" was performed by the would be victim where he positively identified the male as one of the robbers. The male would not be returning to school in the immediate future for he was booked at Youth Guidance Center. The other suspect is at large.

An interesting footnote to this incident...Another citizen flagged down one of the responding Officers. This citizen told them that she saw the two suspects from this incident running down the street. She then found a loaded semi-automatic pistol in the vicinity. The pistol was seized and Crime Scene Investigators are checking the pistol for fingerprints and a match to the suspects. A pistol was not displayed during the incident.

Tuesday, October 11, 8:48PM - Carrying a Concealed Weapon, Gang Activity, Warrant Arrest - Case # 051 149 423

Plainclothes Officers Scott, Banvik, Lyons, Ellis, Stoumen, Lew , and Berge, along with Sgt. Fabbri were conducting surveillance in the area of Revere and Ingalls. As Officer Scott and Sgt. Fabbri were in an unmarked car they observed four males walking down the street. The males walked past their car and it was clear that the last male had a handgun in his hand. Other units were notified to stage in strategically and move in.

The suspects knocked on a residence door. The suspects stopped knocking and sat on the steps of a neighboring house. With additional personnel in position, the police moved in. The suspect with the gun tossed the gun to the sidewalk. All four were taken into custody. One of the suspects had a walkie talkie on his person and it was still on. During the investigation a voice was transmitting to the walkie talkie saying, "Hurry up, bring the s@#! to (location omitted), he is coming."

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All four suspects were booked for various weapons, warrants, and street gang participation.

Tuesday, October 11 8:31 PM - Possession of Marijuana, threats to an Officer - 051 148 964.

Officers Arndt and Paul were in the area of Third Street and LaSalle Avenue when they heard gun shots. While they were attempting to locate a scene they came across a group of men. When one of the men spotted Arndt and Paul he took off running. Officers Arndt and Paul ordered the man to stop, he continued to run faster. They could detect a large bulge coming from the man's pants pocket. The man kept his hand inside his pocket. He refused to remove his hand from his pocket after being ordered numerous times.

Fearing that the man was running because he was involved in the shooting and his refusal to comply to orders, the man was brought to the ground. Numerous arriving officers were able to bring the man into custody. A search revealed that the object that the suspect was concealing was a large sum of money and narcotics. He was subsequently booked.

Wednesday, October 12, 5:25 PM - Parole Violation - Case # 051 153 628

A San Francisco criminal was returned to State Prison on this date. Officers Scott, Lyons and Ellis recognized the man to be a parolee at large. Unfortunately the man did not keep a low profile and was taken into custody.

Wednesday, October 12, 1:51 PM - Narcotics Arrest - Case # 051 152 288

An Oakland woman was arrested in Potrero Hill Housing Projects for possessing numerous types of street pharmaceuticals. Officer Mustafich, a long time police officer did not recognize the woman being a resident of the Potrero Hill Housing and questioned her about her reason for being there. Turns out that the woman did not have lawful business being in the area, a violation of the Penal Code. In her hand was Vicadin that she did not possess a prescription for and in her pocket was crack cocaine, all packaged for sale.

Wednesday, October 12, 3:45 AM - Probation Violation - Case # 051 150 179

While conducting a traffic stop in the area of Newhall and Newcomb Bayview Officers Farrell and Anderson learned that the driver did not have a valid Driver's License. The Driver also had a stay away order preventing him from that corner has a condition of probation. The driver was booked. Let us hope that this man will learn his lesson this time...he was arrested for both offenses previously.

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Wednesday, October 12, 12:35 AM, Parole Violation, Case #:051 149 990

Bayview Officers Farrell and Anderson performed another traffic stop. This driver also did not have a driver's license but instead of being on probation he was a parolee at large. The driver will now be a passenger on the bus to San Quentin.

Thursday October 13, 12:16 AM - Possession of an assault rifle - Case # 051 154 751

Officers Lozano, O'Leary, and Stefani were assigned to the Bayview District today to increase police presence. After performing a traffic stop in the Double Rock Housing Project the Officers searched the vehicle and found a loaded assault rifle. Both men were booked and DNA and ballistics will be performed on the rifle.

Thursday, October 13, 02:41 PM - Narcotics/Parole Violation Arrest- Case # 051 154 905

Due to numerous complaints of narcotics activity in the area of Shafter and Lane Bayview Officers have increased their enforcement in this area. Officers Farrell and Anderson saw a cyclist violating numerous traffic violations. Officers Farrell and Anderson ordered the cyclist to stop. The cyclist turned on his bike and began to pedal away. The Officers pulled adjacent to the cyclist again and told him to stop. The cyclist reversed his direction again.

When the officers pulled adjacent to the cyclist he threw a bag of crack under a vehicle. The cyclist dismounted the bike and attempted to hide behind the other parked cars. With the help of other arriving Officers the man was taken into custody.

Turns out the suspect was a parolee and was booked for numerous drug charges, resisting arrest, as well as a parole violation.

Friday, October 14, 2005, 11:30 AM., Death Notification:

A 45 year old man called dispatch from a public phone at 22nd and 3rd St. to complain about being dead for three days. According to the caller, since he had now been dead for three days, worms were crawling through his body. He found this to be a problem and wanted the worms to be removed.

Those of you who have been around the Dogpatch area for a while will probably be familiar with the caller who has lived in the area for at least 10 years. Last time he called it was because a local merchant was pouring cement into his ear and he wanted them to stop. Officers Ernst and Garate,

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who were familiar with the caller, responded to his apartment where he told them that he was now alive and the worms had left, leaving no evidence of their brief habitation in his body. The officers evaluated the caller for a 72 hour psychiatric evaluation, but surprisingly, this time, he did not meet the criteria. He must have decided to take his psychiatric medication after making the phone call.

Friday, October 14, 2005, 2:06 AM, Warrant Arrest on a sightseer:

To help combat the current violence that is occurring in the Bayview district specially armed and trained officers, called Specialists, from other district stations are being assigned on a rotating basis to patrol the Bayview, often increasing the number of patrol officers by 50%. At this time, Specialist Officers Lozano, Schlegle, Stefani, Barcojo and Chin were patrolling the Harbour/Northridge housing project when they noticed an adult man in the playground at Harbour and Northridge. Finding it a bit odd that an adult would be in a children's playground at 2 in the morning, the officers approached the man and asked him what he was doing in the playground at night. The man replied, "Sightseeing."

The man gave officers his identification. Running a warrant check, the officers learned that the man was wanted on several warrants including a \$250,000.00 warrant for assault with a deadly weapon. When transporting the suspect to county jail, the officers asked him who he assaulted. The suspect replied, "I didn't assault nobody." Then the officers asked who he was accused of assaulting and he replied, "Some Bitch." The suspect was booked at county jail on three outstanding warrants.

Friday, October 14, 2005, 2:26 AM, Firearm in vehicle:

Just 20 minutes later, before they had been able to complete the arrest on the sightseer, the same Specialist officers saw the driver of a black Mitsubishi Eclipse driving recklessly in the Harbour/Northridge area endangering the lives of the residents and other drivers in the area. They stopped the Mitsubishi, but the driver bailed out and ran away. Knowing the area better than the pursuing officers, the suspect was able to evade the officers.

Searching the car, officers found a fully loaded semi-automatic .40 caliber handgun under the drivers seat. Fortunately the suspect chose to leave it behind rather than using against the officers.

Friday, October 14, 2005, 9:40 AM, Robbery with a firearm:

The African American male suspect, approximately 25 years old, approached the victim, who was walking in the area of Palou and Silver and asked him for some work. Before the victim could respond, the suspect pulled a hand

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gun from his waistband and demanded money from the victim. The victim gave the suspect his wallet and the suspect fled the scene. Responding officers searched the area, but could not find the suspect.

Friday, October 14, 2005 7:20 PM, Homicide with a firearm:

A double homicide took place on Turner Terrace on Potrero Hill. Beside the two murder victims, another gunshot victim survived the assault. Homicide investigators are handling the case. The SFPD is broadcasting the suspect's description to patrol units every hour until he is caught.

Friday, October 14, 2005 7:30 PM, Homicide with a firearm:

Ten minutes after the above homicide occurred, a drive-by shooting took place at the intersection of Middle Point Rd. and Innes Ave. The victim of this shooting died as a result of his injuries. Homicide investigators are handling the case

Saturday, October 15, 2005 10:30 PM, Shooting into an inhabited building:

While watching the nightly news (probably about the previous days shootings in the Bayview), the victim heard several gunshots in front of her building. All of a sudden two more shots rang out - shattering her front room sliding glass door and lodging in her walls and ceiling. Officer Lane (note: a single officer at night to respond to the scene of a shooting) responded to the scene to search for the shooters and to collect evidence. No suspects were found and no one was shot, but 10 bullet casings were found outside her building on Osceola Court.

Sunday, October 16, 1:10 PM - Terrorist Threats - Case # 051168019

Numerous Bayview Officers responded to an apartment on Dukes Court when a caller alerted Police Dispatch that a man was threatening to kill her and her grand-daughter. The caller explained to the arriving officers that the suspect is currently a user of crack cocaine, heroin, ecstasy, and methamphetamine. She confirmed that the suspect had been threatening her family all morning. Realizing that they had a dangerous suspect on their hands, the officers handcuffed the man without incident. However, when the man learned he was going to jail he dropped to his knees and started flailing about wildly and screamed, "Kill Me! I Want to Die!". He squirmed away from the officers and smashed his head into the living room wall leaving a large hole in the drywall. Next he smashed his face into the wooded stair railing causing blood to squirt from his face. Just as he lunged headfirst for a glass fish tank officers managed to pin him to the ground. It took no fewer than 8 officers to carry the man to a waiting ambulance. The ambulance crew had to put the man in "four-point" restraints for everyone's protection. The man continued to thrash wildly

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at the hospital and kept screaming for someone to "Kill me! I'd Rather Die!". The man was eventually released from the hospital and booked at County Jail #9. Calls involving suspects who are in a drug induced "Altered Mental State" can be the most dangerous calls that officers respond to.

Monday, October 17, 6:25 PM - Robbery w/ Gun, Aggravated Assault, Attempted Homicide w/ Gun - Case # 051174317

Due to the recent increase in gun violence in the Bayview District, Officers from surrounding districts have been assigned to assist Bayview patrol units. On today's date Taraval District Officers Chan and Peters responded to the 2300 of San Bruno to investigate a robbery. The officers found a vehicle with a shot out window and noticed a bullet fragment nearby. The victims in the case explained to officers that they had been negotiating the sale of a car with each other during the afternoon. During their negotiations they noticed three suspicious men watching them. Eventually two of the suspects approached a victim, pushed him, and demanded money. One of the suspects jammed a black handgun into the victim's side while the other went through the victim's pockets. The suspects then jumped into a getaway vehicle that was driven by a third suspect. The man with the gun fired a shot at the victim as the suspect vehicle drove off.

### 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

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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