

# Bayview Police Station



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## *Weekly Newsletter*

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### **Captain's Message**

On January 12, I assumed command of Bayview Station, and I am much honored to have been selected for this distinguished assignment. I will begin by wishing a very fond farewell to Captain Al Pardini, and thank him for his efforts here at Bayview. Captain Pardini leaves a station staffed with energetic and very dedicated officers, committed to serving this community.

I am joined at my new assignment by four lieutenants, also new to the district. Lieutenants Jack Ballentine and Michael Connolly on day watch, and Dominic Celaya and Hector Sainez on the night watch. Collectively, we bring 130 years of law enforcement experience, and community policing expertise to the station.

Together, we look forward to identifying and solving the problems that affect your neighborhoods, by establishing close working partnerships with the Bayview Community. Working together, I am confident that we can reduce crime, and improve safety in this vibrant, thriving community.

### **Arrests:**

**Tuesday, January 8, 2008 – 1:14 PM – Weapons, Narcotics, and Parole Violations - 800 Block of Arkansas Street – CS# 080 025 987** – Bayview plainclothes officers, in conjunction with the Palo Alto police and the State Parole Board, conducted a parole search on the 800 block of Arkansas Street. They located numerous types of narcotics and packaging for sales, as well as a rifle, a shotgun, and numerous rounds of ammunition. The parolee was arrested, and booked on narcotics and weapons charges.

**Tuesday, January 8, 2008 – 1:34 PM – Weapons, Narcotics, and Parole Violations – Unit Block of Latona – CS# 080 026 220** – Plainclothes officers received a tip that a parolee was dealing drugs and was in possession of a firearm. The parolee was located outside his residence and parole search was conducted. In the man's room was heroin, and a scale. In the man's car in the garage was a loaded twelve gauge shotgun, complete with an attached ammunition rack. The man was booked for narcotics and weapons charges, and his parole was violated.

**Saturday, January 12, 2008 – 1:54 AM – Controlled Substance, Traffic violation – 3rd Street and Palou Avenue - CS# 080 039 455** – Officers Thompson and Cabuntala were in the in area of Third Street and Palou Avenue regarding a 911 call of a white pickup truck driving erratically. They spotted a Toyota pickup truck crossing over into oncoming traffic. They pulled the car over and contacted the driver. The

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driver said to the officers that he did not know how to turn the car off. Officer Thompson reached in and turned the car off. The officers ordered the man out of the car and observed that his pants were unzipped and a plastic bag was sticking out of the fly area. The bag was retrieved and found to be containing numerous bindles of methamphetamine. The man was placed under arrest and transported to Bayview Station for narcotics violations.

### **Significant Incidents:**

**Monday, January 7, 2008 – 5:12 PM – Aggravated Assault with a gun – 5300 3rd Street – CS# 080 023 232** – A Nineteen year old from Modesto was shot in the stomach in a parking lot of a store located at 3rd Street and Williams Avenue. When police arrived on scene the victim had been transported to SFGH by colleagues, and was being treated by medical staff. A witness stated that she saw the victim arguing with another man in the parking lot. The suspect, who was described as a black male in his 20's about six feet tall, took out a handgun, fired it at the victim, put the gun down and fled in a white Toyota. The victim ran northbound on Third Street where he was picked up and taken to SFGH. A witness said that a person in line at the store, dropped his purchase, and picked up the gun and left the scene. The object was retrieved by Bayview Officers and is undergoing forensic analysis. The victim suffered a non-life threatening gunshot wound to his stomach.

**Wednesday, January 9, 2008 – 9:49 PM – Assault with a Gun – Missouri and 18th Streets - CS# 080 031 354** – Sgt. McCray was on patrol in the Potrero Hill District when she saw a man running down 18th Street and a blue Dodge charger driving in reverse after the man. Sgt. McCray heard two gunshots and saw the man duck for cover and then run into a nearby restaurant for refuge. The Dodge turned around and began to flee towards the freeway. Sgt. McCray gave chase but lost the car at the 101/280 interchange.

Officers converged on the scene and met with the man, who was unhurt during the encounter. The victim told officers that he was outside when the Charger pulled up and the suspect asked him directions to a store. The suspect produced a gun and the victim fled on foot. The victim heard shots as he ran and assumed the suspect was shooting at him. Although the victim did not know the identity of his attackers, he indicated that the Charger was parked outside of his residence earlier that evening.

**Thursday, January 10, 2008 – 2:10 PM – Nichols and Cameron Ways – Aggravated Assault with a Gun - CS # 080 033 394** – A woman and man reported that their rear car window was shot out when driving through the Double Rock Housing Project. The victims told police that they were having an argument with a person on the street of Nichols Way. As they were leaving they were approached by a male at the corner of Nichols and Cameron. The male got into the car and said the victims, "How come every time you come in here you have an attitude?" The male got out of the car and said to an unknown

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person, "Give me that thing." The victims began to drive off when their car was fired at, shooting out the rear window. The victims said that they did not know the suspect who was. He was described as a black male in his early 20's, 5'08" 160 pounds wearing a multi-colored t-shirt.

**Thursday, January 10, 2008 – 8:20 PM – Double Rock and Cameron Way – Aggravated assault with a gun – CS# 080 035 099** – A woman was shot in her hand while she was seated in the passenger seat of her car. She was unsure who shot at her and later told police that she believed the shooter to be a black male wearing a black sweatshirt with a hood over his head. The woman told police that she heard three to four gunshots and then realized she had been struck by a bullet. Her companion then drove her to SFGH.

**Thursday, January 10, 2008 – 11:15 PM – Car Jacking – Yosemite Avenue and Lane Street – CS# 080 035 447** – A man was carjacked at gunpoint while seated inside his car at the corner of Yosemite Avenue and Lane Street. The man was speaking on his cell phone when a masked gun man approached him, pointed a gun at him and demanded his car and property. The suspect drove southbound on Third Street. The man reported that a Plymouth Voyager also sped away from the scene, following the suspect.

**Sunday, January 13, 2008 – 1:10 PM – Robbery with a Caustic Chemical – 2400 block of San Bruno Avenue - CS# 080 043 973** – Bayview Officers responded to a scene of a robbery at a gas station at the corner of San Bruno and Silver Avenues. The clerk reported that man came in and purchased two lottery scratchers. After the transaction was completed, the man threw a liquid from a plastic container at the clerk, striking him in the face. The liquid was later determined to be gasoline. The suspect then reached over the counter and took currency from the register. The suspect fled the scene. The suspect left the plastic bottle and lottery tickets behind. These items were collected by CSI. The suspect was described as a black male in his early 30s, 6'00", he was wearing a black long sleeve shirt, black pants and had short hair. The victim received first aid on scene (this suspect is now in custody).

### **Miscellaneous Incidents:**

**Tuesday, January 8, 2008 – 8:42 PM – Robbery with a Gun – 24th and Illinois Street – CS# 080 027 466** - Bayview Officers met a man that that after an evening of cocktails in the Mission District was robbed at gunpoint. After leaving a bar at the corner of 16th and Mission Streets he noticed a car that circled the block a few times. The car pulled over and the victim asked for a ride home. The victim got

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into the car and then stated to the police that he was too intoxicated to remember the details. He then said the female occupant of the car, pointed a gun at him and demanded “her twenty dollars”. The man got out the car at 24th and Illinois Streets, and walked to 3rd Street to make a phone call. The man said that he left his shoe in the car, and suffered no further loss.

**Saturday, January 12, 2008 – 11:40 AM – Discharging a weapon in City Limits – 3rd and Paul Streets - CS# 080 040 355** – Bayview Officers responded tot area of Third and Paul Streets on a report of a shooting. While searching the area for evidence they located a .38 caliber semi-automatic pistol in a nearby dumpster. An hour later police responded back to the area and detained a person that was looking through the dumpster. The man was detained and said that he was asked to search the dumpster for the gun. The man identified the man who asked him to retrieve the gun. That man was seen in the area earlier that day.

### **Bayview Station Resource List:**

EMERGENCY: 911  
Non-Emergency: 553-0123  
Customer Service Center: 311, for TTY or outside SF dial 415-701-2323  
Cell phone 911: 553-8090 or 911  
Bayview Station: 671-2300  
Web: [www.sfgov.org/police](http://www.sfgov.org/police) (For Crime Stats, Internet reports, etc.)

Captain John Loftus 671-2300 Email: [john.loftus@sfgov.org](mailto:john.loftus@sfgov.org)  
Anonymous Tip-Line 822-8147 Bayview Station’s Voicemail  
SFPD Anonymous Tip Line 575-4444 Live person 24-hrs a day  
Graffiti Abatement 278-9454  
Graffiti Fax 278-9456  
Bayview Events: 671-2302 Sergeant Ava Garrick  
Bayview Permits: 671-2313 Officer Gigi George  
Code Abatement: 671-2302 Sergeant Ava Garrick  
Deputy City Attorney: 554-3874 Yvonne Mere  
Dept. Parking & Traffic: 553-1943  
DPW: 695-2020 Dispatch  
Quality of Life Liaison: 671-2332 Officer Marty Bandvik (Cell 850-9740)  
SF SAFE 553-1984 [San\\_Francisco\\_SAFE\\_Inc@mail.vresp.com](mailto:San_Francisco_SAFE_Inc@mail.vresp.com)  
Abandoned Auto 850-9737 Officer Rodriguez (Mon- Fri 7AM – 3 PM)

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Homeless Issues:	671-2332	Officer Marty Bandvik (Cell 850-9740)
Third Street Beat:	671-2300	Officer Festa & Officer Martin
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San Bruno Avenue:	671-2300	Officer Mattei & Officer Fong
Bayview Narcotics	254-7197	Sgt. Hagan & Sgt. Dempsey
Westbrook Development	509-1678	Officer Wise & Officer Cahill
Westbrook Development	806-8304	Officer Reynoso & Officer Pasqua
Potrero Hill Development	509-1408	Officer Rodatos & Officer E. Martinez
Potrero Hill Development	987-6389	Officer Fowlie & Officer Ferraez
Hunter's View Development	987-6569	Officer Brian Petiti & Officer Chantal
Hunter's View Development	509-1270	Officer Robinson & Officer Dockery
Community Liaison:	671-2302	Sergeant Garrick

### **District Station Monthly Community Meeting**

Our monthly community meeting will continue to be held on the first Tuesday of each month. Please come and meet the new members of Bayview Station on Tuesday, February 5, 2008 at 6:00 PM.

### **The San Francisco Police Department is currently hiring:**

The San Francisco Police Department is continuously hiring qualified applicants. Applicants must be 21 years old, have a valid driver's license, must be a US citizen, must have a high school diploma or equivalent, and must not have been convicted of a felony or convicted of a misdemeanor which would prohibit possession of a firearm. For more information or to apply, contact the Department of Human Resource at 44 Gough Street, San Francisco.

### **Megan's Law Website Access:**

The general public can find out information on sexual predators on line by going to the DOJ website: [www.meganslaw.ca.gov](http://www.meganslaw.ca.gov) or at the SFPD link at [www.sfgov.org/police](http://www.sfgov.org/police). You may check specific names or zip codes to locate those listed in the database.

### **Join The San Francisco Citizen's Police Academy**

For more information, including application process, please call Ms.Lula Magallon at (415) 401-4720, or Officer Maria Oropeza at (415) 401-4701. You can also email us at [sfpd\\_citizenspoliceacademy@yahoo.com](mailto:sfpd_citizenspoliceacademy@yahoo.com) or visit our website: [http://www.sfgov.org/site/police\\_index.asp?id=20182](http://www.sfgov.org/site/police_index.asp?id=20182).

### **Graffiti Alert:**

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Day Watch Sergeant, Ava Garrick, is Bayview Station's Graffiti Abatement coordinator. Each month he collects surveys from the various beat officers to report graffiti to DPW and our own Graffiti Unit within the police department. You can contact Sgt. Ava Garrick at [ava.garrick@sfgov.org](mailto:ava.garrick@sfgov.org).

### **311 Customer Service Center:**

What is 311? 311 is a toll free, **NON-EMERGENCY** phone number that the public can call to access information about government services. A live customer service representative will be available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and 365 days a year. The service is available to both wired and wireless customers. Wireless customers should call (415) 701-2311. 311 employees will be able to provide translations services in more than 145 languages and dialects and will employ a diverse staff of customer service representatives. TTY users and customers outside San Francisco should dial 415-701-2323.

### **Cell phone 911:**

How does 911 work on cell phones in San Francisco?

If you are on **surface streets** in San Francisco and dial 911, your call will be answered by the San Francisco Department of Emergency Management Services. Once the San Francisco Department of Emergency Management Services determine what emergency services are needed, they will then route your 911 call to the San Francisco Police Department or the San Francisco Fire Department, including ambulance service.

If you are on a **freeway** in San Francisco and dial 911, your call will be answered by either by the San Francisco Department of Emergency Management Services or the California Highway Patrol Dispatch Center. Regardless, your 911 call will be routed to the proper emergency agency, the San Francisco Police Department, the California Highway Patrol, or the San Francisco Fire Department, including ambulance service.

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