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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.

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

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



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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:

WEDNESDAY 10/10/2006, 8:00AM, 25th and Connecticut Streets - Cocaine Arrest, No Driver's License Issued, False Registration Tabs Arrest (Case # 061080152)

Officer Rodatos of the Housing Unit patrols the public housing area of Portrero Hill and is dedicated to taking the extra investigative step to ensure drugs, and the damage to the community that always follows drugs, is stopped before it starts. So when he randomly ran the license plate of the blue van he saw driving in the area of 25th and Connecticut his observant eye immediately noticed that the sticker on the license plate did not match the information he received on his computer.

He then pulled the van over to investigate further and while talking to the driver he found that the man had never been issued a drivers license! Under California state law driving without ever having been issued a license or driving on a suspended license is a misdemeanor. Whenever a driver is found who has never been issued a license, or has had their license revoked, all police officers all over the state are required by state law to arrest the driver and impound the vehicle for at least 30 days. However, the SFPD recognizes that non-violent misdemeanor arrests are best resolved by issuing a ticket summoning the suspect to go to court for the offense at a later date rather than going to jail on the spot.

Officer Rodatos did his duty, placed the man under arrest, and prepared to write the driver a ticket and tow his car. While conducting an inventory of the items in the car, however, Officer Rodatos found narcotics in the van, which we cannot just write a ticket for.

The van was towed, and the driver and his drugs were removed from the community and booked into custody at Bayview Station by the diligent Officer Rodatos.

WEDNESDAY 10/10/2006, 3:23PM, 1500 block of Lane Avenue - Possession of



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Crack Cocaine for Sales Arrest (Case # 061082415)

The Bayview Plainclothes Unit was well aware of the numerous citizen's complaints regarding narcotics activity at a house on the 1500 block of Lane Ave, so when the dispatcher broadcast another call regarding narcotics activity in the area Officers Ellis, Kirchner, Lyons, and Scott knew where to look and what to look for. The 911 caller had told the Dispatcher that there was a man wearing a black sweatshirt sitting in a white car who was dealing drugs out of the car to passersby at that location.

From the caller's description of the car Officer Scott remembered seeing the car parked there when they had passed by a few minutes earlier; Officer Scott also remembered seeing the car and a man driving the car in the same area two days earlier. So when they arrived at the house they were immediately able to spot the car, and detain the man Officer Scott remembered driving it two days earlier. The man also matched the description that the 911 caller had given the Dispatcher. Officer Ellis looked through the window and saw a package of narcotics in plain view behind the passenger seat of the car.

The drug dealer and the package of narcotics he didn't think he had to hide were booked into custody at Bayview Station and another criminal learned that the citizens of the Bayview will not idly sit by while their neighborhoods are poisoned.

THURSDAY 10/11/2006, 8:40AM, 1100 block of 18th Street - Grand Theft, Conspiracy Arrest (Case #061084756)

The victim had been sitting on the front porch of his house enjoying the morning breeze and working on his laptop computer when a group of wannabe thieves tried to shatter the peace of the morning. The victim was taking his computer back into the house when he felt someone slip the computer out from under his arm. When he turned around he saw approximately three youths running down 18th Street towards 3rd Street with his laptop.

Determined not to let them get away with it, the victim jumped into his car and began following the thieves. He also called the police, reported the incident and informed officers that the suspects had gotten onto a MUNI bus on 3rd Street.

Officers Davis and Cowhig stopped the bus and saw a man attempting to conceal a computer under his seat. They detained the man while Officers Remedios and Barcojo met with the victim who agreed to do a "cold show" and was able to identify the man and another man who had been sitting next to him on the bus as two of the men who had stolen his laptop; the victim was unable to identify a third man who had also been sitting with them.



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Officer Remedios and Barcojo then arrested the two men, and booked them at Bayview Station for grand theft and conspiracy and the citizen got his laptop back.

THURSDAY 10/11/2006, 11:41 AM, Westpoint and Middlepoint Road - Shots Fired, Evading a Police Officer, Hit and Run, Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Persons Arrest (Case # 061085572)

Officers Robinson, Dockery, and Chantal are assigned to the Bayview Housing Unit and are each aware of the violence plaguing the residents of the public housing developments around Westpoint and Middlepoint Roads which is why they spend so much time conducting foot patrols in the area. So when they heard the gunshots ring out, they saw the white car speeding away from the area so fast it was burning rubber. They raced back to their patrol car while putting out a description of the car on the radio and gave chase, but were unable to catch up to the vehicle.

Each San Francisco Police Officer is aware of the threat that pursuits of irresponsible, reckless criminals can pose to the public and we try to avoid them. But the people who live at Westpoint-Middlepoint expect us to try to end the scourge of violence by catching would-be killers, and in this case the chase was on.

Officer Johnson spotted the car racing down Newcomb Ave, and Sgt. Garrick joined him in pursuit of the wannabe gangsters but they lost the white car as it entered the Mission District.

This is where the radio and teamwork payoff - Mission patrol units spotted the car racing past them near St Lukes Hospital and Bayview and Mission units rushed to the area searching for the car. They caught up with the car after it got into an accident near 29th Street, but the reckless cowards sped away as officers stopped to render aid to the innocent citizens victimized by the collision. But you can't out run the radio: officers at the scene of the accident broadcast the license plate of the white car on the radio which enabled Ingleside to spot the car parked on the 300 block of Miguel Street; the suspects had fled. Again numerous Bayview, Mission, and Ingleside officer swarmed into the area intent on capturing the gun toting suspects.

More teamwork: Officers Alcaarez and Campbell, from the Ingleside District, spotted two of the cowards hiding nearby behind a car on Mateo Street and detained them, while Officer DeJesus from Bayview and Officer Etcheveste found two guns nearby. The final piece of teamwork came from citizens all along the route for the chase who came forward with information regarding the chase, the car, and the suspects they had seen fleeing from the car with guns in their hands. Witnesses identified the two men detained as the



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ones they had seen in the car and later running from the car with guns in their hands

The two men were subsequently booked into custody, along with the guns and other evidence.

Our thanks go to the citizens who spoke up, and to our brother and sister officers at the Mission and Ingleside Stations who helped us capture these dangerous thugs

THURSDAY 10/11/2006, 7:37PM, 1900 Block of Palou Ave - Robbery, Evading/Delaying a Police Officer, Warrant Arrest (Case # 061087590)
The husband and wife had just parked their car and were innocently walking home down the 1900 block of Palou Avenue when the husband noticed a black car slowly pass them by. Suddenly a man grabbed his wife's purse from behind. The woman had her hard earned money in the purse and held on, so the coward knocked her down, punched her in the face, and ripped the purse from her shoulder - she got close enough to look into at the robber's eyes and a good look at his face.

Like anyone of us would do for our loved ones, the husband ran to aid his wife lying on the sidewalk, but he also saw the suspect jump into the black car, which then sped away. Once he was sure his wife was not badly hurt, he called the police and provided them with a description of the suspect and the black car.

Bayview Plainclothes Officers Solares, Aherne, De Jesus, and Scott spotted a car matching the description along with several young men walking away from it. As the Officers attempted to stop the men, several of them jumped into a red car and fled the scene. Officers Aherne and Scott were able to detain one who was left behind by his so-called pals. Officers Dizon and Chan arrived and began to search the area, and located evidence of the robbery where the young men had been just before they fled. Officers McGuire and Odum transported the victims for a "cold show" during which they identified the detained man as the one who had committed the vicious robbery; they also identified the black car that the plainclothes Officers had found as the one the suspect had fled in. The suspect was transported to Bayview Station and during a search there Officers found the victim's cellphone with photographs of her children and a check belonging to the victim in the suspect's pocket.

The young man was booked into custody at the Youth Guidance Center.

Friday, October 13, 2006, 7:15 AM - Attempted Homicide - Ingalls Street at



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Innes Avenue - CS# 061 092 599 - A 27 year old man got off a Muni bus at this location and heard a "crack". He looked down and realized that he had been shot. The man began to walk towards his home. Another Muni bus passed and activated the bus's emergency notification system. The man continued towards his home and was taken to the hospital by his family members. The victim was treated for a shotgun blast to his legs. The man did not know who would have done this to him.

Sgt. Moran responded to the scene of the incident and found two shotgun casings. The casings happen to be the same brand and gauge that were found during two previously shooting cases in the last few months.

Friday, October 13, 2006, 9:21 AM - Burglary Series - Portola District - CS# 061 058 789 - A week and a half ago Officer Cowhig and Officer Catlett responded to the scene of a residential burglary. In this case, a woman left her premises and saw a stranger standing across the street. The woman continued with her errand and returned a few minutes later. She entered her house and found that the same woman was now in a rear bedroom and the window was now opened. In the woman's possession was a bag of the victim's belongings. The victim chased the suspect out of her house and down the street, where she lost sight of her.

CSI responded and processed the scene and found the suspect's fingerprints. Computer analysis revealed the identity of not only the suspect but also that she is wanted in three other residential burglaries in the Portola District.

Officer Catlett followed up with CSI and the Burglary Inspectors and got the name of the suspect. He also learned that the suspect was a parolee at large. Officer Catlett went to the woman's last place of residence on the 100 block of Olmstead Street. He knocked on the door and woman identified the suspect as her son's girlfriend that resides in the basement apartment. Officer Catlett called for additional units to surround the property to prevent escape. He knocked on the door and heard people yelling, "The cops are outside." Because the woman was a parolee at large the police were legally able to force entry into the room and they did. The suspect was brought into custody.

The woman, a 29 year old felon, was transported to the Burglary Inspectors for further questioning. The woman was later booked for numerous burglary and theft related charges as well as her parole warrant.

Friday, October 13, 2006 - 10:11 PM - Homicide - Garlington Court - CS# 061 095 838 - A 20 year old man fell victim to gun violence this evening in a wooded section off of Garlington Court in the Bayview Heights section the



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San Francisco. Because it is an ongoing homicide case the majority of the details are being withheld.

Saturday, October 14, 2006 - 11:56 PM - Felon in Possession of a Handgun - Garlington Court - CS# 061 099 539 - Plainclothes Officers increased their patrols in this area in response to a homicide that occurred the day prior and a "shots fired" call that occurred earlier that day. They were driving down the street when a group of people on the steps began to run away. Adjacent to the location was a parked car with an occupant that was attempting to conceal himself. The officers noticed that the person was attempting to stuff something under the seat. They immediately detained the man and discovered he was attempting to hide a 9mm handgun.

The man, a nineteen year old gang member, was booked for numerous weapon charges and participation in a street gang.

Sunday, October 15, 2006 - 6:30 PM - Mayhem, Assault, 3200 Block of Jennings Street - CS# 061 102 295 - Officers Chiang and Odum responded to a gruesome scene where a victim had his nose bitten off. They made contact with the victim, the landlord, who was being treated by paramedics. The victim grew suspicious that his tenants maybe growing marijuana when he found some plants and high energy bills. The landlord confronted the tenants and was immediately attacked with a metal pot and clay planters. One suspect bit the victim's nose and tore a large piece of his nose off. The suspects ran away. They returned a few minutes later and began to beat the victim with metal pipes. They ran away when neighbors heard the victim's cry for help. The man was rushed to the hospital and into surgery where he underwent surgery to reconstruct his nose.

Sunday, October 15, 2006, 8:25 PM - Possession of an Assault Weapon - 1300 block of Palou Avenue - CS# 061 102 518 - Plainclothes Officers received information that an area man is in possession of an assault weapon. Officers Coleman, Ellis and Kirchner, found the man standing in front of his house. They conducted a probation search of the man's residence and found an assault rifle under his mattress. The man was booked for possession of a prohibited firearm and other weapons charges.

Monday, October 16, 2006, 12:29 AM - Possession of Narcotics - Potrero Hill Housing Projects - CS# 061 102 875 - Officers Lee, Lozano, Stefani, and Jones were temporarily assigned to the Bayview District in an ongoing effort to curb crime in the Bayview District. These officers saw a vehicle with a minor traffic violation and stopped the car. They contacted the driver and saw numerous medicine bottles and plastic bags that are used to package narcotics in plain view. Closer examination revealed that the bags contained cocaine and methamphetamine residue. A search of the driver



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revealed that the person was holding additional narcotics.

The driver was transported to Bayview Station. A further search revealed that he had heroin hidden in his sock that was packaged for street sales. The man also possessed crack cocaine that was secreted in his clothing. The man was booked for numerous narcotics charges.

Monday, October 16, 2006, 7:05 PM - Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Person - Potrero Hill Housing - CS# 061 106 071 - Officers Barcojo, Lozano, Lee, and Mason were assigned to the Bayview District this evening in response to the outbreak of violence. As they were on patrol in the Potrero Hill Housing they spotted a known gang member that is on probation driving in the neighborhood. They also knew that this person does not hang out in that area and can usually be found on the Third Street Corridor. Knowing he was a fish out of water, they pulled him over and investigated.

In the car was a loaded rifle. Both occupants were booked on numerous felony weapons charges.

Monday, October 16, 2006, 8:40 PM - Possession of Firearm, Participation in a street Gang - Harbor and Northridge Roads - CS# 061 106 297 - Officers Kirchner, Ellis, and Coleman were patrolling the area of Northridge and Harbor Roads when they saw a group of young men. When they spotted their vehicle they began to run away. The officers got out of their car and gave chase. They recognized one of the suspects as a person that has a pending court case for attempted murder on a police officer. Further, he was carrying an AK-47 style assault weapon. They lost sight of the suspect but found the rifle stashed near the doorway of one of the residences.

The Officers believed that the suspect was hiding in that unit. They knocked on the door and made contact with the resident. They gave permission for the officers to search the premises. They claimed not to see anyone run inside but the door was barricaded with furniture. They found the suspect stripped down to his underwear and socks hiding in the attic.

The two other suspects that ran were also caught during the chase. All three men were booked for weapons charges and participation in a criminal street gang.

Phone Numbers and Web Sites

S. F. P. D.

Emergency: 9-1-1

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



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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

DPT Abandoned Autos: 781-JUNK

DPT Parking Problems: 553-1200