

OTTAWA POLICE SERVICE NEWS

Recent news releases from the Ottawa Police Service of likely interest to residents are reprinted below. Topics will normally include incidents in Kanata and Stittsville, major violence anywhere in Ottawa, at-large suspects, missing persons and Ottawa Police Service programs. All Ottawa Police Service news releases are accessible on the website at <http://www.ottawapolice.ca/en/mediaroom/NewsReleases.aspx>

You may have seen a person of interest to the police without realizing it. So please take a few moments to review the "HELP US IDENTIFY AND FIND" and "ROBBERY UNIT'S MOST WANTED" sections on the OPS HOME PAGE <http://www.ottawapolice.ca/en/home.aspx>.

BRIDLEWOOD:

There were 31 incidents of interest listed in the table below.

17 was Community Policing, 4 Others (Threats Harass\, Harassing Calls, Dispute-Disturbance, Dispute), 2 Thefts, 2 Disorders, 2 Property Crimes, 1 Break & Enter, 1 Assault, 1 Drugs, 1 Pedestrian Stop.

Assault:

01/27/2012 16:37:43 1 Block Dobbin Lane OPS#24996 Detail: Dispute-Disturbance

Breaking & Entering:

01/25/2012 08:56:00 200 Block Tandalee Cres OPS#22515 Detail: Suspicious Circumstance(S)

Community Policing:

01/29/2012 21:46:18 100 Block Michael Cowpland Dr OPS#27221	Detail: Suspicious Motor Vehicle
01/28/2012 11:14:57 1 Block Kluane Rdg OPS#25729	Detail: Admin Assist Other Agency
01/28/2012 08:54:57 1 Block Equestrian Dr OPS#25634	Detail: Request Police Officer
01/27/2012 22:46:13 1 Block Stable Way OPS#25315	Detail: Suspicious Circumstance(S)
01/27/2012 19:38:49 1 Block Windways Cres OPS#25168	Detail: Harassing Calls
01/27/2012 11:19:17 100 Block Stonehaven Dr OPS#24673	Detail: Misc Dangerous Conditions
01/27/2012 01:53:07 Terry Fox Dr & Cope Dr OPS#24394	Detail: Suspicious Motor Vehicle
01/26/2012 22:08:47 200 Block Equestrian Dr OPS#24288	Detail: Suspicious Person(S)
01/26/2012 20:54:27 1 Block Yoho Dr OPS#24232	Detail: Suspicious Person(S)
01/26/2012 20:31:40 1500 Block Carronbridge Circ OPS#24219	Detail: Suspicious Person(S)
01/25/2012 17:54:49 1 Block Furlong Cres OPS#23087	Detail: Suspicious Person(S)
01/25/2012 16:29:53 1 Block Goldfinch Dr OPS#23007	Detail: Suspicious Circumstance(S)
01/24/2012 19:26:53 1 Block Burnstead Cres OPS#22127	Detail: Suspicious Person(S)

Disorder:

01/26/2012 09:25:00 100 Block Windways Cres OPS#23550	Detail: Harassing Calls
01/26/2012 00:16:03 100 Block Bridlewood Dr OPS#23350	Detail: Dispute

Drugs:

01/25/2012 10:32:29 1 Block Tamara Way OPS#22629	Detail: Drugs Complaints
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Other:

01/29/2012 21:59:53 100 Block Palomino Dr OPS#27238	Detail: Threats Harass\
01/26/2012 20:59:29 100 Block Palomino Dr OPS#24238	Detail: Harassing Calls

Property Crime:

01/27/2012 11:44:35 Stonehaven Dr & Stonemeadow Dr OPS#24694	Detail: Fraud Transportation
01/25/2012 15:01:14 200 Block Catamount Crt OPS#22910	Detail: Fraud

Theft:

01/30/2012 10:09:44 1 Block Equestrian Dr OPS#27570	Detail: Theft
01/26/2012 08:12:07 800 Block Stonehaven Dr OPS#23470	Detail: Theft

MAKE THE RIGHT CALL

No crime is too small or minor to be reported. When you report an incident to the police remember to ask for an incident report number and retain it to obtain follow-up information. Every call is important, even if it is not about a life threatening or emergency situation. Whatever the case, you have a role to play – Make the Right Call!

911 – Life Threatening Emergency or Crime in Progress
613-230-6211 – Dispatch a Police Officer
613-233-TIPS (8477) – Crime Stoppers Anonymous Reporting <http://crimestoppers.ca/send-a-tip/>
613-236-1222 ext 7300 – To file a crime report
311 – By-Law infractions
613-236-1222 ext 2001 – Huntmar Community Police Centre volunteers & Cst Ryan Strotmann
Then phone your Block Captain or street Coordinator to alert your watch!

Keep phoning/reporting...Jean :)

NW Coordinator for Chickasaw & Palomino

33 Chickasaw Cres 613-591-3877

NW members request to join our private website!

Constable Peter Jeon's Notes

JUST SAY NO

JUST SAY NO - or tell the stranger to come back later. Or, even better, don't even answer the door if you have any doubts. These are just a few suggestions on how you can deal with strangers who come knocking on your front door while your parents are out. The mother of a 14-year-old girl from the Manotick area reported to police that her daughter answered the door to a stranger asking if her parents were at home and claiming that he needed to fix some pipes in the house. The incident occurred around 3 p.m. on Wed., Jan. 18 in the Hartwell Rd. neighbourhood. The male did not present any identification to the girl and did not leave behind any documentation to indicate what type of work had been completed. The parents weren't aware of any work that needed to be done in the house and found a box with unidentified contents next to the garage. The male was described as a tall male who wore some type of uniform with a workman's belt and carried a red box. Police drove through the neighbourhood but were unable to locate the service repairman.

GOOD CALL

A 15-year-old babysitter and the child she was entrusted to protect ran to a neighbouring house after she became concerned that someone had suddenly broken into the child's family's home. With the back door swung wide open and the family dogs going wild, the girl made a snap decision to seek safety next door. Police responded to the call just after 8 p.m. and were on scene within minutes of being dispatched. On investigation police discovered that the wind had been the cause of the unusual and suspicious event; yes, even heart pumping. Under a stressful moment like this it is fantastic that the babysitter remained cool under pressure and made the right decision. Great job!

Free Information Session – Teens & Technology

http://www.ottawapolice.ca/en/Community/parent_zone/sexting.aspx

A presentation for parents about sexting, cyberbullying, safety and mental health.

Wednesday, February 15th

7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Adult High School

300 Rochester Street

No Registration Required

Free Parking, Bus Route #14

Sexting

Does your teen have a cell phone? If so, you need to know this....

- 48% of teens have received sexually suggestive messages
- 39% of teens say they have sent or posted sexually suggestive messages
- 36% of teen girls and 39% of teen boys are sending sexually explicit messages and images, even though they know such content often gets shared with those other than the intended recipient.
- 20% of teens say they have sent/posted nude or semi-nude pictures or videos of themselves (1 in 5 teens)
- ***It can be ANY teenager!***

The Ottawa Police would like to educate teens and adults about Sexting. **It is happening and needs to be addressed.**

Information about Sexting

[Expand all](#)

- [What is Sexting?](#)

Sexting is the sending or receiving of explicit messages, nude or semi nude photographs or videos electronically.

- [What you should know...](#)

Adults need to understand that this issue affects students that come from good families, have good grades, are athletes and excel in many areas of their lives.

Consequences

The consequences are real: pictures and videos can be easily and quickly shared with others. Once the message is in cyberspace the sender loses control over the material and cannot assume it will remain private.

There can be criminal consequences for those who send, receive or have these photos in their possession, including parents who may not know what is stored on their electronic device.

- Sexting can lead to [cyberbullying](#) and a range of mental health issues including [depression](#) and [suicide](#).
- Cyberbullying includes sending texts or emails that are hurtful or cause mental and perhaps physical harm.

More information about other [High Tech Crimes](#).

- **[Resources](#)**

If you or someone you know needs support:

Child, Youth and Family Crisis Line for Eastern Ontario (24/7)
613-260-2360 or 1-877-377-7775

Distress Centre of Ottawa (24/7)
613-238-3311

Kids Help Phone (24/7)
1-800-668-6868

[2012 Civic Events Funding Program](#)

Local not-for-profit organizations such as volunteer-based community or recreation associations are invited to apply for funding to provide one to two-day civic events with free admission that foster civic pride and develop community cohesion. These events are linked to and celebrate a civic or statutory holiday in Ontario (i.e. New Year's Day, Family Day, Victoria Day, Canada Day, Civic Holiday, Labour Day, Thanksgiving Day), are held in a specific geographic district in Ottawa and encompass a broad range of activities and family entertainment.

Maximum Allocation: \$3,000

Application Deadline: March 5, 2012

Application forms are available at City of Ottawa Client Service Centres or online at http://ottawa.ca/residents/funding/community/civic/index_en.html.

For more information contact 613-580-2424, ext. 20029 or e-mail rec-info@ottawa.ca.

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[Update 2: Ottawa Police seeks public assistance to locate missing man](#) (Carol Anne Meehan CTV co-anchors' husband)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Monday, January 30, 2012 5:05pm

(Ottawa)— Mr. Greg ETUE was located today in the Ontario Provincial Police jurisdiction of Killaloe. No foul play is suspected.

The Ottawa Police Service would like to thank the media and the public for their assistance in this matter.

26/01/2012

[Ottawa Police reports an increase in thefts form vehicles on Ottawa's West end](#)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Thursday, January 26, 2012 5:45pm

(Ottawa)—The Ottawa Police Service has noted an increase in thefts from vehicles in the City's west end. Since the beginning of January, there have been approximately 60 reported thefts from vehicles parked in apartment building and condominium garages, including those with controlled access.

These incidents have primarily occurred in the area bounded by Woodroffe to the west, Carling to the north, the Rideau River to the East and Hunt Club to the south.

The Ottawa Police Service is reminding residents to be vigilant about whom they let in their buildings, and to remove all valuables from their vehicles.

All Ottawa residents are asked to immediately report this type of incident to police. We also invite people to contact their local Community Police Centre for crime prevention tips, including the "*All Valuables Removed*" theft prevention program for vehicles. The location and contact information for each Community Police Centre can be found at ottawapolice.ca or through the police non-emergency phone number 613-236-1222. (ext 2001)

Anyone with information regarding these incidents can contact the Ottawa Police Service at 613-236-1222, ext. 7300, or Crime Stoppers as 613-233-8477 or toll free at 1-800-22-8477.

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