



Twice-Monthly Patrol Report filed by WDDNA's Off-Duty Sheriff's Deputies

PATROL DEPUTY REPORTS

Past Two Weeks Reported in Chronological Order

Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m.-4 a.m., March 24-25

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 18 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

The rest of the shift was quiet. There was nothing else noteworthy to report.

Sunday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., March 26

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 26 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

At one home, I found a large white envelope that was open and lying on the front step. It appeared to contain paperwork. There was no local contact number included in the vacation watch request, so I left a voicemail on the resident's phone to inform her that I had placed the envelope in the back yard.

I responded to a home on Estates Drive where the homeowner reported that an entire trailer and its contents was stolen from the fenced yard. The homeowner said her son used the trailer to haul his go-cart racing equipment. She told me that she did not yet have the license plate number of the trailer, but would make an online report when she got it. She had no suspects but said she would contact her neighbors in case anyone had outdoor cameras that may have captured a vehicle pulling the trailer off their property.

I responded to Chillham Way in response to a report that a vehicle was parked there for hours with its motor running. I contacted the complainant, who said the vehicle left after she went outside to get a license plate number. I gave her the Sheriff's Department non-emergency number to call in case the vehicle returned.

It was clear and dry and there were numerous dog walkers. The rest of the shift was quiet.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., March 27

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 18 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

It was a little cool, but the sun was out and there were lots of people out walking and bicycling. I checked all the river access points and all were clear.

I monitored traffic at Saverien and Ashton and at Wilhaggin and Wycombe, but observed no violations.

I saw a man hanging out on the sidewalk outside the Wyndgate development, so I stopped and talked to him. He said he had no place to go and was just hanging out. I gave him directions to some businesses near Howe and Fair Oaks Boulevard where he could go. He appreciated the information and I last saw him walking westbound on Fair Oaks Boulevard.

Tuesday-Wednesday 8 p.m.-4 a.m., March 28-29

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 18 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

It rained all night. The only foot traffic was three people walking their dogs. I checked the river access points and all were clear.

I monitored various intersections along American River Drive and McLaren, but observed no traffic violations.

Wednesday 4-10 p.m., March 29

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 17 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I responded to a burglar alarm in the 5200 block of Yorkville Place. It was false.

A resident on Chillum Way emailed me about a truck that had parked in front of their house the last several evenings with the driver on the phone. The homeowner provided the license plate number, which turned out to be a vehicle owned by a neighbor on Crondall Way. I contacted the homeowner on Crondall, who said his 18-year-old nephew is living with him and the truck belongs to him. He said his nephew works nights and was on the phone with his girlfriend. I advised the resident to tell his nephew to park elsewhere.

I responded to a report of an occupied vehicle on Dorking Court. When I arrived, I observed lots of moisture on the inside of the car's windows and the blankets in the backseat were moving. The occupant refused to come out from under the blankets or acknowledge my presence. The car was legally parked, currently registered and there were no signs of foul play, so I began to leave. As I drove away, I noticed that the occupant had quickly opened the back door of the vehicle and jumped out, wearing only his underwear and carrying his pants with him. He saw me and started running away, trying to put on his pants at the same time. I easily caught up with him, since he could not run very fast while trying to put on his pants. I determined that the car was his and that he checked clear. He said he ran because he fears the police. After some counseling, I gave him back his car keys and suggested that he leave, which he did.

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., March 30

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 20 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I stopped and issued a warning to a driver who had rolled through the stop sign at Wycombe and Estates.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m.-4 a.m., March 31-April 1

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 33 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I saw a pickup truck that had pulled up across the sidewalk on Shelato Drive with the

engine running. I also saw that a hose had been connected from the truck's gas tank to the gas tank of another vehicle parked in the driveway. A man was underneath the vehicle in the driveway. He told me that he was repairing the gas tank on the vehicle in the driveway. After I confirmed the information with the homeowner, I advised the man that it was not a good idea to work on vehicles in the early morning hours because he could have been mistaken for a catalytic converter thief.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Saturday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., April 1

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 32 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

It felt like spring and many people were out enjoying the weather.

I stopped to talk with one family at American River Drive and Ashton. The kids were waving and saying hi, so I handed out some stickers. There was another large group of families and children gathered on Del Dayo. I passed out stickers and let the little ones take pictures while they were sitting in my patrol car turning on the red and blue lights. It was fun to see their faces light up with smiles.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Sunday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 2

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I responded to a panic alarm in the 700 block of Cortlandt Drive. It turned out to be an accidental activation.

I responded to a report of three vehicles that were locked inside the Rio Americano High School parking lot. The owners had entered the lot in the morning. When they returned in the early afternoon, they found that the gate had been locked. I helped get them out.

I monitored traffic at the four-way stop at Estates Drive and American River Drive and again at Ashton Drive at Guildford Court across from Ashton Park. No violations were observed.

I checked the vacant lot on Crondall. An unoccupied vehicle was parked in front of it. It checked clear and was currently registered.

There were many people out walking their pets. It was a very pleasant day.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 3

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 34 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

It was a nice sunny day. Due to spring break, there were no San Juan Schools in session today.

I checked Ashton Park and the river access points. All were clear of any problems or issues. I monitored the intersection at Fair Oaks Boulevard and Harrington Drive, but observed no traffic violations.

Tuesday-Wednesday 8 p.m.-4 a.m., April 4-5

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 37 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I was monitoring the intersection at Los Rios and McClaren Drive when I noticed an SUV stop at the stop sign without its headlights on. I pulled the vehicle over. Two teenaged girls were inside and said they were just going home. The driver was new to driving, so I issued a friendly warning to make sure her lights were on after dark and that not all cars have automatic lights.

I checked the river access points and all were quiet.

Around 3 a.m. I observed a car driving faster than normal rounding Shelato and Los Rios. Upon checking the registration, I determined that the driver lives on Shelato.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Wednesday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 5

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 34 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I responded to a burglar alarm in the 4800 block of Sudbury. It was false.

A license plate reader camera spotted a wanted vehicle at Watt and Fair Oaks Boulevard. I checked the area for the vehicle, but it was gone.

I patrolled all the streets and river accesses. All the San Juan district schools were closed. Jesuit High School was quiet.

I responded to a disturbance in the 1000 block of La Salle Drive involving a man in a car who was yelling at a resident. It was the same young man who had run away from me on Dorking Court last week while he was trying to put on his pants. He was gone when I arrived.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Wednesday 4-10 p.m., April 5

I completed all 35 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I spent most of the night patrolling the neighborhood. I monitored a couple of stop sign intersections but observed no traffic violations.

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 6

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 37 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I assisted patrol with a disturbance call on Jamiewood Court. The caller reported a couple yelling and damaging a vehicle in front of a home. Everything was all quiet when we arrived. We spoke with the homeowners, who explained that their child had set off the alarm and the brother was frustrated with trying to turn it off. Everyone was okay.

I was waved down by a resident who explained that he had picked up a young homeless woman and taken her to get something to eat. She had asked him to drop her off near Ashton Park and the resident wanted me to check on her welfare. I checked the park and was unable to locate the woman.

I responded to an emailed report of someone sleeping on the sidewalk near Jesuit High School. The person was gone when I arrived.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 7

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 39 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m.-4 a.m., April 7-8

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 38 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

I observed several vehicles driving slowly around the neighborhood throughout the night and determined that they were delivering food. I also observed a couple of suspicious vehicles parked in front of homes. I contacted the occupants and determined that they were all associated with the homes they were parked near.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Sunday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 9

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

Early in the shift, I entered the Wyndgate complex and noted that the entrance gate was open. A resident waved me down and informed me that it had been locked open since early morning. I used my key to close it.

I was able to talk with many people out enjoying the good weather. The only concerns they expressed related to traffic issues and speeders along American River Drive.

I monitored traffic at the four-way stop at American River Drive and Ashton. I issued a warning to one driver for failing to stop.

I also monitored the four-way stop at American River Drive and Estates, but observed no violations.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 10

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 32 listed vacation watch checks. All homes appeared secure.

Today was a very nice warm day. San Juan Schools were back in session today, but Jesuit still appears to be out.

I received an email from a WDDNA member who reported that someone knocked on her door earlier in the morning. She said she didn't answer the door. She gave me a license plate number and description of the person's vehicle. I ran the plate and it checked clear. I was unable to identify the registered owner.

The parks and river access points all checked clear of any problems.

CRIME MAP

To see locations of crimes reported to the Sheriff's Department in our neighborhood and nearby areas, go to the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department website and its crime report map at <https://www.sacsheriff.com>

[/pages/online_crime_mapping.php](#).

HOW TO CALL FOR HELP

IN AN EMERGENCY

If you have an immediate emergency - if your life or property is in immediate danger, if you feel threatened by someone on or near your property, if you have just become the victim of a crime or if you are witnessing a crime in progress:

- CALL 911 from a land line.
- Or, if calling from a cell phone within Sacramento County, call (916) 874-5111.

TO REPORT A CRIME

There are two ways to report a crime to the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department:

1. Call the Sheriff's Department NON-EMERGENCY LINE at (916) 874-5115. To bypass the recorded messaging when you call, dial 0 after the line is answered.
2. File a report online through the Sheriff's Department website. Click on this link to begin the process: https://www.sacsheriff.com/pages/crime_report.php

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY (Not an emergency)

If you see someone engaged in suspicious activity but it is not an emergency, call 916-874-5115 (Sheriff's Department non-emergency line).

GENERAL CONCERNS, REPORTS OR QUESTIONS

If you have an issue that can be addressed later, you may contact our neighborhood patrol officers about it. Go to WilhagginNA.com, log in, then go to the Members Only menu and click on Contact Patrol Officer.

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