



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

PATROL DEPUTY REPORTS

Past Two Weeks Reported in Chronological Order

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 11

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 28 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

While patrolling I observed and cited two vehicles parked in the no- parking zone by Rio Americano High School. I saw more parking violations near Morris and American River Drive and had a parking enforcement officer respond.

In response to a report of students speeding on Dunster after school, I parked in the neighborhood off Dunster. I only saw a few cars go by after school let out and none appeared to be speeding.

Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 12

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 28 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I monitored traffic at several locations, but did not see any violations. I monitored Saverien Drive and American River Drive in front of Rio Americano High School from 3 to 3:45 p.m., as requested by residents in the area.

I responded to a report of a male in his teens or mid-20s possibly following the complainant in the area of American River Drive and Estates Drive. The suspect was described as wearing a dark-colored beanie, black jacket, green undershirt and black pants. I checked the area, but was unable to locate him.

Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m.-4 a.m., April 12-13

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 31 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I noticed that the William Pond Park gate was still open and several transients were riding bikes in and out of there. I stopped two individuals and, after determining that they had no outstanding warrants, I advised them that the park was closed. I contacted park rangers, who had their security person lock the gate.

There were more people than usual out on bikes in the evening. Most of the traffic subsided by around 10 p.m.

I checked all river access points and parks, and all were quiet. The gate to the parking lot

of Rio Americano High School was locked, but there was a car still parked inside, which was unoccupied.

I monitored locations along American River Drive, including near Watt Avenue, but observed no traffic violations.

Saturday, 5-10 p.m., April 13

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 29 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

Traffic was light due to the rain. I checked the bushes along Fair Oaks Boulevard around Columbia as a follow-up following recent reports of possible transients stopping there. The area checked clear.

I checked all the river access points, but observed no issues.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 15

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 22 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I checked all of the river access points, but did not see any problems.

I monitored traffic at the intersections of Jacob and Keane, Saverien and Ashton and Wilhaggin and Wycombe, but did not see any traffic violations.

Tuesday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 16

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 24 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I responded to a report of a transient trespassing on a property on American River Drive. I contacted the man, who declined a ride out of the area. I asked him if he wanted assistance getting county homeless resources, but he eventually chose to collect his belongings and leave the area.

I responded to a burglar alarm on Thornley Way. I found no signs of forced entry and cleared the call.

All the river access points were free of suspicious activities. I monitored several intersections, but observed no traffic violations.

Tuesday-Wednesday 8 p.m.-4 a.m., April 16-17

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

I met with a homeowner and took a theft report from a person whose wallet was stolen while shopping at a local Safeway store. The stolen credit cards had already been used by the thief. I suggested a call be made to the three credit reporting agencies to flag and monitor accounts to help prevent identity theft.

I checked all the river access points and all were clear of loiterers.

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., April 18

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 25 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

While on patrol, I saw a teenage bicyclist narrowly avoid getting hit by a vehicle because he did not stop at the stop sign at American River Drive and Kingsford. I stopped the

young man to advise him that bicyclists must obey the same rules of the road as drivers of motorized vehicles.

I checked Morris and American River Drive, but observed no parking violations by Rio Americano High School students.

Saturday, 12 a.m.-noon., April 20

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 28 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I checked all the schools and river access points, but observed no problems.

In the morning, Rio Americano High School had a swim meet that attracted a lot of vehicle traffic, so I set up in front of the high school near a stop sign to encourage safe driving. I did not observe any traffic violations.

I responded to the area of Fair Oaks Boulevard and Rodante in response to a report of a person sleeping in the bushes. I arrived soon after the email was sent, but the person had already left the area. I checked surrounding areas, but could not locate him.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 22

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 31 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I checked the parks and river accesses points, but found no problems.

I monitored the intersections at American River and Wilhaggin Drive, as well as American River Drive and Jacob Lane. I observed no traffic violations.

Tuesday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 23

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

I checked the area around Rodante and Kevington Drive as a follow-up to an earlier report of a transient sleeping in the bushes. I observed no problems.

I cited a vehicle illegally parked at American River Drive and Morris Avenue.

I monitored traffic at several intersections along American River Drive, but observed no violations.

I checked all the river access points, but found nothing suspicious.

Tuesday-Wednesday 8 p.m.-4 a.m., April 23-24

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 29 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

Around 3:30 a.m. I saw a man and woman collecting recyclables from trash carts on the street near American River Drive and Wilhaggin. I spoke to them at length, explaining that their activity was illegal and asked them to move on. They said they understood and left the neighborhood.

I checked all the river access points and all were clear.

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](https://www.wilhagginna.com), log in, then go to the Members Only menu and click on Contact Patrol Officer.

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