

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

PATROL DEPUTY REPORTS

Past Two Weeks Reported in Chronological Order

Sunday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., June 11

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

There was very little vehicle traffic, but heavy pedestrian foot traffic. I spoke to several pedestrians. None reported any problems in the neighborhood.

I assisted patrol with two calls for service in the neighborhood. Neither required reports or arrests.

I monitored several intersections, but observed no traffic violations.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., June 12

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

Today was a very nice day. Due to the summer break, no schools were in session.

I checked the parks and all the river access points. I didn't observe any issues.

I monitored the intersection at Saverien and American River Drive, but observed no traffic violations.

I responded to an email from a member who received the "grandchild in jail" scam call. Fortunately, she was familiar with scam and hung up. Twenty minutes later, a man she didn't know knocked on her door and she was concerned that the two events might have been connected. She was able to report the license plate number on the man's car and it checked clear. The knock appeared to have been a coincidence. I advised her to call if the man returned.

Tuesday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., June 13

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

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

I followed up on a report from last week of a strange, persistent noise from a home on Exmoor Drive. The reporting person advised me that the residents of the home in question

had returned and fixed the source of the noise.

I monitored traffic at Saverien and American River and at Saverien and Ashton, but observed no violations.

There was a Toyota 4 Runner parked at the south end of Estates Drive at the river entrance. I contacted the man and woman occupants, who told me they were preparing to walk to the river. The vehicle checked clear.

Wednesday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., June 14

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

I responded to a burglar alarm in the 5800 block of River Oak Court, which proved to be false.

I cited a vehicle for a registration violation in the 4800 block of Keane Drive.

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., June 15

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

I saw that a semi with a fully loaded trailer had pulled into the Harrington river access area. I helped the driver to navigate out of the area.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., June 16

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 36 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m.-4 a.m., June 16-17

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

I responded to a report of a loud party at Jacob and Kipling. There was a large party in the back yard. I spoke to the homeowners about the disturbance and they were very cooperative. I remained at the house until everyone departed.

I checked the parks, schools and river access points throughout the night.

I had a lengthy conversation with a Wyndgate resident about our patrols behind their gates and throughout the community.

Monday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., June 19

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

Today was a federal holiday and a very nice day. A lot of people were out and about enjoying the nice weather.

I responded to an email about a man who had been seen on camera snooping around a home in the 3600 block of Fair Oaks Boulevard. I was able to report that the man in question had entered a home on the same block and was subsequently arrested.

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

Tuesday-Wednesday 8 p.m.-4 a.m., June 20-21

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 35 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

At 8:45 p.m. I responded to Crondall and Wilhaggin following a report of a homeless man who was reported to be living in a red Mitsubishi sedan and was refusing to leave. I arrived on scene within two minutes, but did not find the car.

At 10 p.m. I was patrolling on Copperfield Way when I noticed a package sitting on the porch of a homeowner who regularly requested vacation watches, but had none on the books for today. I emailed the homeowner so he could be aware of the package.

At 11:45 p.m. I was approached by a 17-year-old male who wanted to tell me that he had been making better decisions since I last contacted him in February and towed his car after determining that he did not have a valid driver's license. He said he was sorry for causing headaches and showed me his new valid driver's license. I congratulated him and, after some conversation, he drove home.

I checked all the river access points and observed no issues. There were lots of cars and people out until 1 a.m., but nothing of concern to report.

Wednesday 4-10 p.m., June 21

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

I monitored traffic at Wycombe at Estates, Guildford at Ashton, and Saverien at American River Drive. I observed no stop sign violations at any of them.

I parked at Rio Americano, Del Dayo Elementary School and Ashton Park for some high-visibility security.

I checked the river access points, but saw nothing to note.

I located a homeless woman sleeping in her car at Kingsford and American River Drive. I moved her along and she left the neighborhood.

I spoke to several residents, but none had any concerns to report.

Overall it was a busy but quiet evening.

Thursday 8 a.m.-4 p.m., June 22

I patrolled the neighborhood and completed all 35 vacation watch checks. All homes were secure.

I assisted park rangers and the fire department with search and rescue operations. There had been a report of someone possibly being in the river and a friend was unable to locate the person. The sheriff's department provided a drone to fly along the river as part of the search until its battery ran down. Shortly after the fire department's rescue helicopter arrived, a body was discovered near the William B. Pond access.

I responded to a detailed email regarding two homeless subjects on bicycles towing trailers through the Del Dayo neighborhood. No criminal activity had been observed, but I made note of the information.

I responded to another member's concerns of a recent burglary on a street near Fair Oaks

Boulevard and Watt Avenue. I created an extra patrol request for deputies to keep a particular eye on that street.

The rest of the shift was quiet.

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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