

Safety Tip of the Week

Please remember to park your cars in areas that are secure and off Snow Emergency Routes. This will ensure that the streets get plowed and more parking spaces can be created.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Sign up for The Neighborhood Walkers Program. Here is the current schedule. Please email me to sign up.

Monday @ 8:30 p.m. Meet at Open Space: 32nd and Abell

Tuesday @ 7:30 p.m. Meet at SE corner of 31st & Charles (when JHU is in session)

Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. Meet at SE corner of 26th and Charles

Thursday @ 7 p.m. Meet at 29th and Calvert

Friday @ 10 a.m. Meet at Terra Cafe at SE corner of 25th and St. Paul

- In-Home Safety Workshops are now being scheduled!!!!
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Special Attention:

- There is no Crime Alert this week. Due to the inclement weather the Northern District has had their hands full with weather related emergencies. This weeks data will be merged with next weeks upcoming Crime Alert.

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Snow Safety

Recent heavy snows and winter weather has covered the City. The CVCBD Community Safety Program would like to provide you with some snow safety information to keep you safe as we deal with an abundant amount of snow and ice.

- **When clearing snow make sure you follow these basic safety tips.**
 - **Never leave your snowblower running and unattended.**
 - **Make sure the discharge chute is not aimed at passing motorists or pedestrians.**
 - **Never put your hands into the discharge chute or augers to clear stuck snow and ice.**
 - **Never add fuel when the engine is running and hot.**
 - **Never shovel or blow snow into the roadway**
 - **And make sure you know how to turn the machine off quickly.**

- **When the need arises to clear your roof follow these recommendations:**
 - **When possible, use long-handled snow rakes or poles.**
 - **If you must use a ladder, make certain that the base is securely anchored. Ask a friend, neighbor or adult family member to hold the ladder while you climb.**
 - **Know where the snow is going to fall before clearing the area.**
 - **Make certain not to contact electrical wires.**
 - **If possible, do not attempt to clear the roof alone.**
 - **If you're afraid of heights or think the job is too big for you, HIRE HELP.**

- **Parents should be aware of some simple safety tips for their children when they go sledding or tobogganing:**
 - **Children should never use streets or roads for sledding unless they are blocked off from traffic.**
 - **Children should sled only during daytime hours.**
 - **Do not sled on icy hills. Sledding hills should be only snow covered.**
 - **Never sled alone. Adults should always accompany small children.**
 - **Children should stay out of the paths of other sledders.**
 - **And parents, if you are sledding with your children, follow these rules yourselves.**

- **Clear snow from around fire hydrants near your home for your own safety.**

This is a Winter Safety Tip courtesy of the CVCBD Community Safety Program.

USEFUL Links

V.I.N.E Link (Victim Information Notification Everyday) (Maryland):

<https://www.vinelink.com/vinelink/siteInfoAction.do?siteId=21999>

MD Criminal Injuries Compensation Board

<http://www.dpscs.state.md.us>

Baltimore Police Department

<http://www.baltimorepolice.org/>

CVCBD Community Safety Home Page

<http://charlesvillage.org/safety/>

Campus Safety and Security

Weekly Campus Crime Report

February 1, 2010 – February 9, 2010

On Campus

Student Arrested -- Domestic Assault – *Homewood Apts.* – Feb. 6th at 3:31 AM, campus officers responded for a student’s report of screaming coming from an apartment. A sophomore undergraduate at the apartment reported that her boyfriend, a junior undergraduate, struck her with his fists when she wanted to leave. The victim declined medical attention and was transported by a campus officer to her dormitory. An off-duty Baltimore Police working for JHU arrested the junior undergraduate and charged him with domestic assault.

Off Campus

Burglary – 3214 Guilford Ave. – A JHU junior reported a burglary at his residence that occurred on Feb 1st between 6:45 AM and 9:15 PM. Entry to the residence was gained from an unlocked, second floor, rear window accessible from the fire escape. A laptop computer, charger and cash were stolen from a second floor, rear bedroom. A jewelry box with assorted necklaces and rings were taken from a second floor, front bedroom. Baltimore Police responded. This incident was reported at 9:40 PM. Investigation Continuing.

Unarmed Robbery – 3100 Blk. N. Charles St. (east side) – On Feb. 3rd at 1:52 AM, a senior undergraduate walking alone was approached from behind by an unknown male who grabbed him and demanded the undergraduate's backpack, wallet and iPhone. The suspect removed the student's backpack and wallet and fled to an occupied gray 4-door sedan positioned on 32nd Street. The suspect's vehicle was last seen traveling eastbound in the 100 Blk. of E. 33rd St. Baltimore Police, campus officers and off-duty Baltimore Police officers working for JHU responded. The investigation is continuing. See Security Bulletin SP-1 at www.jhu.edu/~security.

ARREST – Disorderly Behavior – 33rd & N. Charles Sts. Intersection – Feb. 7th at 2:42 AM, a non-affiliated male suspect became belligerent and combative during a field interview by Baltimore Police regarding a theft investigation. After making a threat against a Baltimore Police officer he was arrested and charged with disorderly behavior and threatening a police officer. He was given a trespass warning by Campus Officers.

When traveling at night use the Security Department's escort service at 410-516-8700. Security Escort Vans are operational from 5:00 PM to 3:00 AM. All students are welcome to participate in the security ride along program. This report is posted on <http://www.jhu.edu/~security> and distributed to the Residential Advisors.