

Charles Village Community Benefits District

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Neighborhood Walkers on
Patrol



(with Officer O'Donnell)

UPCOMING WALKS:

1. Charles Village Central: 1st Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. starting at 26th and Charles St.
2. Harwood Walk: 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. starting at the southwest corner of Barclay St. and 29th St.
3. Charles Village West: Every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. starting at 27th and Howard in front of Meet 27.
4. Abell Walk: Last Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. Meet at the Abell

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COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT
KEEPING CHARLES VILLAGE SAFE AND CLEAN



5 Tips to Prevent Daytime Burglaries

Daytime burglaries are the most common and can be the costliest. Here are some tips to make your home harder for burglars to break into:

Keep It Tidy: From your landscaping to children's toys to your yard tools, keeping your house clean on the outside can keep the burglars away. Trimming bushes and trees around windows can make your house more visible and thus harder for burglars to sneak in, and removing theft temptations from the exterior of your home can deter thieves who might break in.

Secure Windows and Sliding Doors: You already know about locking your main doors, but burglars also know to avoid those, looking for less secure windows and sliding doors instead. Beyond just locking these,

Open Space on 32nd St. between Guilford and Abell Ave.

[Baltimore Police On-line Reporting for Non-Violent Crime](#)

Mayor Rawlings-Blake, Police Commissioner Batts and Councilman Brandon Scott unveiled the City's new citizen on-line police reporting system. The system allows Baltimore crime victims to file reports on-line for non-violent incidents such as car break-ins, vandalism and illegal dumping. Reports can also be filed on various platforms including a computer, tablet or smart phone. All the user has to do is go to the city police website, and click the reporting link and follow instructions. Each report is assigned an incident number, and the user gets a PDF file of their report that can also be used to report loss for insurance.

consider using a wooden or steel rod in the door channel to prevent the door from being opened. A nice breeze inside is great when you're home, but make sure windows are closed and locked when you're away.

Man's Best Friend: Dogs, large and small, can be an effective deterrent to burglars. The prospect of being bitten by a large dog or being yapped at constantly by a tiny one will usually send a potential thief to the next target. But don't just buy a dog for security purposes -- make sure your pet works with your family and lifestyle.

High Tech Help: The number of home security options seems infinite these days, from light timers to exterior cameras to motion sensors that can alert an app on your phone. The prices for home security technology are falling all the time. So why leave all your lights on, when a simple switch can turn them on and off throughout the day like you're home? Get some cool gadgets to help.

Be Friendly: Caring neighbors look out for each other, and sometimes a little nosy-ness can go a long way to protecting your home. Being on good terms with the folks in your neighborhood can mean the quiet, older woman down the block will tell you if she sees a van scoping your house while you're at work.



**National Night Out, Tuesday Evening August 1st
Save the Date**

Join your community this year in the following locations:

Charles Village Civic Association: 2801 N Charles St., north lawn of SS. Philip & James Church, 6:00-8:00p.m.

Old Goucher Community Association: Calvert St. Park at 22nd & Calvert Streets. 4:00-7:00p.m.

Harwood Community Association: Harwood Park at 420 E 27th St. 4:00-7:00p.m.

Attention- Recs & Parks will be airing an outdoor movie at dusk also.

Once again, the CVCBD will support each community and business association's National Night Out activities. National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods a safer, better place to live. Last year, we joined 37.8 million people in 16,124 communities nationwide to host community events that generated a lot of interest in crime prevention initiatives.

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Robbery Carjacking Armed: 6/25/2017 9:25p.m. 500 E. 33rd St. Carjacking vehicle taken: 2003 BMW MD tag 496334CG. Victim and his sister were putting air in his tire when male suspect wearing a mask and carrying a handgun got into his vehicle and drove off.

Larceny Shoplifting: 6/25/2017 6:00p.m. 2401 N. Charles St. Property Taken: Food. Suspect concealed food and attempted to walk out of the store.

Robbery Armed: 6/26/2017 12:30a.m. 347 Ilchester Ave. Property Taken: Iphone. Two victims were standing in the 300 block of Ilchester Avenue when they were approached by a male suspect. Suspect produced a handgun and demanded give it up. Victims handed over their cell phones.

Stolen Auto: 6/26/2017 10:30p.m. 2315 St. Paul St. A 2006 Dodge Ram white in color MD tag A184865.

Larceny From Auto: 6/27/2017 6:23p.m. 16 W. 25th St. Property Taken: An unknown amount of US Currency was taken from an unknown vehicle. The report is missing the vehicle information.

Robbery Armed: 6/27/2017 1:55a.m. 2100 St. Paul St. Property Taken: Samsung phone and keys. Property Recovered: Sterling .25 automatic handgun serial # 037023. The victim was in the block when the suspects approached from behind, pointed an object at his back and demanded money. The victim complied and the suspects fled.

Burglary Residential: 6/27/2017 4:00p.m. 2732 St. Paul St. Property Taken: Wallet, credit card, and license. The suspect entered through the bathroom window, took the above property and fled.

Larceny Auto Acc: 6/27/2017 11:00p.m. 2100 Maryland Ave. Property Taken: Rear tire taken from a 2013 Buick Verano white in color.

Att: Larceny: 6/27/2017 7:00p.m. 300 E. 32nd St. The suspect attempted to take the tire from a 2001 Buick Lesabre blue in color.

Burglary Residential: 6/28/2017 5:20p.m. 2706 St. Paul St. The victim heard a noise and when he went to inspect he observed the suspect leaning in his window with his upper body sticking through the open window.

Burglary Residential: 6/28/2017 1:30p.m. 2842 St. Paul St. Property Taken: Mac Book Pro, Cannon camera, and bag. The suspect entered through the rear door, took the above property and fled.

Larceny Other: 6/28/2017 1:44p.m. 11 E. 33rd St. Property Taken: Credit cards. The above property was taken when it was left unattended at the location.

Agg Assault / Other: 6/29/2017 9:41p.m. 2500 N. Calvert St. The suspect shot fireworks at 5 victims while they were walking in the block. The suspect was identified.

Burglary Residential: 6/30/2017 12:30p.m. 2741 Maryland Ave. Property Taken: Purse, Ipad, computer, and laptop. Suspect entered dwelling through rear window after climbing up the fire escape and stole victim's property.

Larceny Other: 6/30/2017 10:40a.m. 100 w. 23rd St. Property Taken: Money. Victim left her wallet inside a business, when she went back to get it she noticed \$320 missing from it.

Larceny Shoplifting: 6/30/2017 6:30p.m. 3314 Greenmount Ave. Property Taken: Three Iphones. A male suspect entered store and grabbed three phones off of the counter and fled on foot.

Larceny Shoplifting: 7/1/2017 3:00p.m. 2504 N. Charles St. Property Taken: Property Taken: Moisturizer. Suspect concealed merchandise in duffel bag and fled without paying.

Larceny Other: 7/1/2017 5:00p.m. 3538 Greenmount Ave. Property Taken: A desk. The suspect took the above property after being told by the victim not to take it.

