



Neighbourhood Watch SA

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PANORAMA 1

NHW AREA 64

NEXT MEETING

Trinity Church Hall,
Pasadena

Monday 7.30pm

2nd September

ALL WELCOME

GUEST SPEAKER

Constable Mixon, our
Police Coordinator

NEXT MEETING

2 December (AGM)

Area Co-ordinator

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YOUR ZONE REP

Ph: _____

Reporting Graffiti

Councilowned property
City of Mitcham 8372 8888
Stobiepoles or ETSAbboxes
ETSA Utilities 8404 5673
Private property 131 444
Office in progress Dial 000

Esafety.gov.au



The eSafety Commissioner is responsible for promoting online safety for all Australians.

We are committed to helping all Australians have safer, positive experiences online—just as they would offline.

The Office co-ordinates and leads the online safety efforts of government, industry and the not-for profit community. It has a broad remit which includes providing:

- a complaints service for young Australians who experience serious cyberbullying
- identifying and removing illegal online content
- tackling image-based abuse.

The Office also provides audience-specific content to help educate all Australians about online safety including young people, women, teachers, parents, seniors and community groups.

Our goal is to empower all Australians to explore the online world—safely.

HANDS OFF



Don't make it easy for opportunistic thieves!

The 'Hands Off' sticker is available to display on vehicle windows to deter thieves and remind owners to remove valuables and lock up. Stickers are available from your local police station or contact the State Community Engagement Centre on 7322 4061.

If you see any suspicious behaviour, immediately report it to the Police Assistance Line on 131444.

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[https://](https://www.facebook.com/NeighbourhoodWatchSA/)

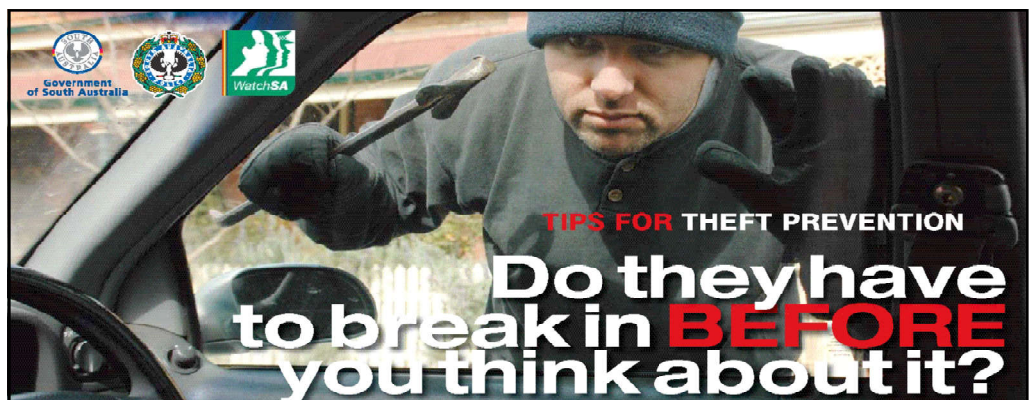
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VEHICLE SECURITY — THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE

There are a number of valuable items that are a common target for thieves to steal from vehicles because of their value and ability to be sold for quick cash. These include:

- Laptops
- GPS devices
- Mobile phones
- Cameras
- Sporting and fishing goods
- Cash/wallets

To reduce your chances of becoming a victim of theft, please consider the following security tips.

- Ensure all valuables are removed from your vehicle or conceal them in the boot of the vehicle before arriving at your destination.
- Lock your vehicle doors and close windows.
- Install an audible alarm.
- At night park your vehicle in a well-lit area.
- Engrave your valuables with your driver's license number prefixed with 'S' for South Australia.
- Park your vehicle in a garage at night where possible.
- Avoid hiding a second set of keys in the vehicle - if the vehicle is broken into, they may find the keys and take the car as well as your valuables.
- Avoid placing bags and wallets on the passenger seat where they could be easily grabbed.

Thieves will look into vehicles to see what items can be easily stolen. Even a small amount of cash may be the catalyst for becoming a target. Ensure you conceal or remove all cash and valuable items from your vehicle.

For further information please go to www.carsafe.com.au

If you have any questions please contact the Police Crime Prevention Section at your nearest police station or visit www.police.sa.gov.au.



NHW HELPING THE COMMUNITY

Neighbourhood Watch areas work against crime: the public are the eyes and ears for the police in our neighbourhood.

Keeping people informed, being observant and alert, is being proactive against crime. The police can only be in one place at a time, and the area they cover is large.

Any information the public can give Police helps in their investigations.

Come to a meeting, see what we do and show support for your NHW area (details on front page).

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GRAFFITI

If you notice graffiti on City of Mitcham property and public spaces please report the matter to 8372 8888 or in person at Brighton Civic Centre, 24 Jetty Road.

Should you notice graffiti on utilities property please report the matter to:

SA Power Networks **13 12 61**
Telstra **180 2244**

TransAdelaide (Train, Tram or Bus)
1300 311 108

Adshel (Bus Shelters)
8364 6000 or 1800 501 402

Major Roads-Transport Services
1800 018 313

SA Water **1300 883 121**
Australia Post **131 318**

SA Housing Trust (SA Housing)
13 12 88

Contact Police on 131444 if your property has been the target of graffiti.

To help prevent a graffiti attack, ensure existing outside lighting is operating correctly, apply graffiti resistant coatings to protect walls, fences and buildings, keep your property looking neat and tidy (an unkempt property may attract graffiti), keeping trees and shrubs trimmed can reduce concealment opportunities and increases visibility to your home, keep spray paints secured at all times.

Immediately call police on 131 444 if you are witnessing graffiti. If you have information about graffiti call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

The Community must respond quickly to prevent graffiti offenders having time to admire their illegal acts of vandalism.

What does 'cyberbullying' look like?

Cyberbullying can occur in many ways, including:

- abusive texts and emails
- hurtful messages, images or videos
- imitating others online
- excluding others online
- humiliating others online
- nasty online gossip and chat.

How do I stop being cyberbullied?

- talk to someone you trust straight away—like a parent, sibling, uncle/aunt, teacher or friend, or contact [Kids Helpline](#)
- don't retaliate or respond—they might use it against you
- block the bully and change your privacy settings
- report the abuse to the service and get others to as well
- collect the evidence—keep mobile

phone messages, take screen shots and print emails or social networking conversations

- do something you enjoy—catch-up with friends, listen to good music, watch a good show or chat online to people you trust
- remember you didn't ask for this—nobody deserves to be bullied and you will get through this.

School support

Most schools have policies in place to address cyberbullying and should be able to provide support to you and other students, no matter whether the bullying is from a student at your school or not. Talk to a teacher or counsellor you like and trust.

Source: esafety.gov.au

Remember: See Something, Say something, Call Crime Stoppers

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LOCK IT OR LOSE IT!

- Park in well-lit areas
- Close all windows
- Remove all valuables from your vehicle
- Conceal valuables before you park – if they cannot be removed
- Do not leave personal documents in your vehicle.
- Always lock your vehicle if leaving it unattended.
- Carry your keys with you at all times.

Limit the opportunities for offenders to target your vehicle or belongings.

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To learn how to **PROTECT YOURSELF** and **KNOW THE SCAM** visit www.scamwatch.gov.au

Report all scams to the police assistance line by calling 131 444.

THEFT

- 26/05/19 Eliza Place Power tools stolen from vehicle. Value \$1450.
- 8/6/19 Moriane Ave Vehicle stolen from front of house. Vehicle recovered and offender arrested.
- 8/6/19 O'Neil Street Vehicle found rolled onto the street from driveway overnight with ignition tampered with. Offenders unable to start vehicle and decamped.
- 8/6/19 Moriane Ave Vehicle stolen overnight from street.
- 10/6/19 O'Neil Street Ladder and goods stolen from front porch. Value \$124.
- 30/7/19 Frontenac Ave Vehicle broken into overnight by forcing ute hard lid. Vehicle parts stolen. Value \$10,000. Damage \$1500.
- 3/8/19 Alpha Cres Motorcycle stolen from front yard.
- 16/8/19 Tafquin St Bicycle stolen from front porch. Value \$2500.

TRESPASS/BREAK-IN

- 28/6/19 Kentucky Ave Shed broken into by jemmying lock, bicycle and tools stolen. Value \$3250.
- 2/7/19 Springbank Rd Premises broken into. Items stolen.
- 19/7/19 Springbank Rd Business premises broken into. Food items stolen. Value \$400.

HARASSING CALLS AND THREATS

- 21-23/6/19 Toronto Ave Victim received 200 abusive phone calls from known person. Offender cautioned by police.

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