



PALM CANYON NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The Palm Canyon Neighborhood Watch (NW) is an association of neighbors who look out for each other; alert the police to any suspicious activities or a crime in progress; and work together to make the community a safer and better place to live.

The NW is broken into five zones, each consisting of 40-50 homes in the neighborhood. Each zone is led by a Block Captain Leader who manages other Block Captains with the zone. Block Captain responsibilities include:

- Encourage participation in the neighborhood watch program.
- Provide updates to the neighborhood map.
- Work with law enforcement and the park to address community safety concerns.
- Educate neighbors on crime prevention and safety tips.
- Help neighbors report suspicious or criminal activity to the police.
- Keep neighbors informed about community events and activities.
- Assist with disaster prep and emergency situations

We can all make our community a safer place by reporting suspicious activity to the police and to park management. Suspicious activity can refer to any incident, event, individual or activity that seems unusual or out of place. Some common examples include:

- A stranger loitering in the neighborhood or a vehicle cruising the streets repeatedly.
- Suspicious behavior, such as someone peering into cars or windows.
- A high volume of traffic going to and coming from a home on a daily basis.
- Strange odors coming from a house, building or vehicle.
- Open or broken doors and windows at an unoccupied residence.
- Tampering with electrical, gas or sewer systems by someone without an identifiable uniform.
- Multiple persons who appear to be working in unison and exhibiting suspicious behaviors.
- Signs of forced entry or tampering with security or safety systems.

WHEN & WHO DO I CALL?

If you see something, say something. Don't assume that someone else has reported an issue. Police and park management won't know there's a problem unless they are informed.

- If you see an emergency situation: call 911
- If you see suspicious activity during park office hours that needs to be investigated immediately, contact the park office at 760-327-2062
- If you see suspicious activity after hours that needs to be investigated immediately: contact Maxwell Security at 760-272-1212
- If you need assistance assessing the situation, contact your block captain. Block captains can help you fill out an observation report if necessary and submit it to the police and the park.

PCMC OFFICE
760-327-2062

**MAXWELL
SECURITY**
760-272-1212

**POLICE
NON-
EMERGENCY**
760-327-1441

EMERGENCIES
911

If you contact the police or Maxwell Security directly, please be sure to follow up with the park and one of your block captains so they can make sure the incident is properly logged.