Bayview Station Newsletter

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Captain Valerie Matthews

WEEKLY STATS: Dec 24 thru Jan 13

Calls for Service

Incident Reports

1926

415

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Felony Arrests
Misdemeanor Arrests
Firearm(s) Seized
Robberies
Residential Burglaries
Commercial Burglaries
Auto Burglaries

#CommunityMeeting

- Community Concerns
- District Crimes and Updates
- Upcoming Community Events
- Response to Community Questions and Concerns

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Bayview Station holds community meetings on the first MONDAY of each month.

NEXT COMMUNITY MEETING:

MONDAY, February 4, 2019 6:00 PM

<u>Bayview Station Community Room</u> <u>201 Williams Ave.</u>

Captain's Message

Bayview Community,

My first thirty days have been somewhat of a challenge addressing all of the needs of the community, but I believe we have made great strides in developing some long term plans to improve the quality of life for this community.

There have been three homicides in the last 30 days and all appear to be isolated incidents. Bayview officers are working hard to be available and stay visible and vigilant in addressing safety concerns.

It is my hope that in the near future you will see a visible difference in the trash illegally disposed of in the district, as well as the RVs and tents around the district. DPW is working diligently to collect trash and clean up the district. The Homeless Unit has made a commitment to increase resources for the Bayview to assist in the relocation of the homeless community.

I would ask that everyone continue to be vigilant in the reporting of crime, and always put in a call to 311 so that calls for service can be logged for illegal dumping and homeless issues.

I look forward to seeing you at the next community meeting.

Captain Valerie Matthews
Bayview Station



Incidents of Interest

This newsletter is not intended to be a complete report of all police activity in the Bayview District.

For a detailed list of all criminal activity in your area, please visit www.crimemapping.com

Homicide

Dec. 24, 2018 - 1:20 am - **1300 block Evans** (SFPD 180966273)

Officers responded to a vehicle collision involving a car and stationary object. Inside the car, they located a 32 year old male victim inside the car who had suffered multiple gunshot wounds. The victim, unfortunately, succumbed to his grave injuries. The scene was secured and all evidence preserved. The Homicide Detail is investigating this incident.

Attempted Homicide Arrest

Dec. 24, 2018 – 5:10 am – 1000 block Griffith (SFPD 180966433)

A 33 year old victim was attacked while outside of a residence. She was stabbed multiple times. The officers were able to identify two suspects during the course of their investigation. They were located and arrested the same day. Both suspects were booked on attempted homicide and conspiracy among other charges.

Armed Robbery

Dec. 25, 2018 – 6:45 am – unit block Pamona (SFPD 180968702)

A 55 year old victim was walking when a suspect came out of a parked vehicle and ordered the victim to put his hands up. The terrified victim complied and the suspect stole the victim's leather jacket and cell phone before fleeing. This incident is under investigation.

Armed Robbery

Dec. 25, 2018 - 11:52 pm - Felton /Colby (SFPD 180953452)

A 51 year old victim was unloading his vehicle when a suspect approached him while brandishing a handgun. The suspect ordered the victim to give up his property and the victim handed over his wallet. The suspect fled on foot. This incident is under investigation.

Robbery Arrest

Dec. 26, 2018 – 3:20 pm – **2100 block Lane** (SFPD 180971711)

A 57 year old victim was inside the post office when the suspect grabbed the cell phone that she had set on the counter. The suspect also attempted to steal the victim's purse but was unsuccessful. The suspect fled on foot but was located and arrested by the responding officers several blocks away. She was booked on theft and attempted robbery charges.

Armed Robbery

Dec. 27, 2018 – 6:00 am – **1300 block Fitzgerald** (SFPD 180973030)

A 51 year old victim was robbed at gun point while walking when an armed suspect approached him and demanded his property. The suspect fled on foot. This incident is under investigation.

Armed Robbery

Dec. 27, 2018 – 12:00 pm – **200 block Brussels** (SFPD 180974254)

A 33 year old victim was walking when she was approached from behind by a suspect who grabbed her purse and pushed her to the ground. The suspect fled on foot with the stolen purse. This incident is under investigation.

Robbery

Dec. 27, 2018 – 7:05 pm – Paul / Crane (SFPD 180974919)

A 59 year old victim was walking when a suspect grabbed her purse after approaching her from behind. The suspect shoved her to the ground and made off on foot with the purse. This incident is under investigation.

Armed Robbery

Dec. 28, 2018 – 4:10 am – **1600 block Palou** (SFPD 180975729)

A 42 year old victim was walking when a black car pulled in front of him and two suspects got out. One was armed with a pistol and demanded the victim's wallet and cell phone. After robbing the victim, both suspects fled to a waiting dark colored SUV which drove from the scene. This incident is under investigation.

Robbery

Dec. 28, 2018 - 8:00 pm - **Felton / Bowdoin** (SFPD 180979737)

A 59 year old victim was walking when a suspect approached him, brandishing a knife. A second suspect appeared and pushed the victim to the ground. Both suspects

assaulted the victim and stole his property before running off. This incident is under investigation.

Robbery Arrest

Dec. 29, 2018 – 6:50 pm – **100 block Woolsey** (SFPD 180980477)

A teenage victim was cornered by a suspect as she walked home. The suspect stole the victim's cell phone and fled the scene. The victim called the police after tracking the phone to the area of **McAllister and Leavenworth**. The responding officers successfully located the suspect by stopping the Uber vehicle that was giving him a ride and recovered the stolen property. The suspect was booked on robbery, narcotics and other charges.

Firearm Arrest

Dec. 29, 2018 - (SFPD 180980637)

Officers responding to a Shot-Spotter activation located a vehicle in the area and recognized several occupants as parolees with current firearm cases pending. They detained the subjects and conducted an investigation that resulted in the seizure of **a .45** caliber semi-automatic pistol as well as a 9mm semi-automatic handgun. Four suspects were booked on weapon and parole violations among other charges.

Robbery, Firearm Arrest

Dec. 30, 2018 – 1:20 am – 1200 block Gilman (SFPD 180981259)

A 26 year old victim was approached by the suspect while walking. The suspect pointed a gun at the victim and forced him to surrender his property. The suspect fled the scene and was located by a responding officer on **3rd and Egbert**. The suspect resisted wildly, injuring the officer, but ultimately taken into custody. A **7.65 mm pistol** was recovered. The suspect was booked on multiple felony charges.

<u>Fire</u>

Jan. 2, 2019 – 8:15 am – 1100 block Connecticut (SFPD 190002817)

Officers on patrol spotted smoke coming from a housing complex and rushed to the scene where they observed an active fire in one of the vacant units with two individuals still inside. The officers assisted in the rescue of both victims and the evacuation of everyone in the building as SFFD brought the flames under control. Both individuals who were in the apartment where the fire began were treated at SFGH for smoke inhalation. This incident is being investigated by the Special Investigations Unit and the SFFD Arson Unit.

Hot Prowl Burglary

Jan. 2, 2019 – 2:45 pm – **100 block Tunnel** (SFPD 190003984)

Officers responded to a call of a burglary and met with the 26 year old victim who reported being surprised by the suspect who walked into his bedroom. The suspect fled on seeing the victim. The victim then noticed that his living room had been riffled through and that there was damage to the front door. This incident is under investigation.

Robbery Attempt

Jan. 2, 2019 – 11:30 pm – 23rd / Tennessee (SFPD 190005407) A 29 year old victim was walking while talking on his phone when a suspect began yelling at him. The suspect snatched the phone away and threw it to the ground, then picked it up and attempted to run off. The victim tackled the suspect and was able to get his phone back. The suspect produced a knife and cut the victim's arm, causing a slight wound, before fleeing on foot. This incident is under investigation.

Shooting

Jan. 4, 2019 – 12:11 pm – unit block Garlington (SFPD 190009136)

Officers responded to a Shot-Spotter activation and located multiple casings in the street on the unit block of **Commer Ct**. They searched for victims and located a 28 year old male on Garlington, who stated that he was standing outside when he heard gunfire just before being in the foot. He was treated at SFGH for his injuries. This incident is under investigation.

Firearm Arrest

Jan. 4, 2019 – 2:00 pm – **Gould / Salinas** (SFPD 190009750)

Officers patrolling in the area of a funeral being held for the December 24th homicide victim arrested a subject in the area for possession of a firearm inside of a car. A **loaded**.45 caliber firearm was recovered

Gang Stay Away Order Arrest

Jan. 7, 2019 – 3:45 pm – 1000 block Oakdale (SFPD 190164432)

Officers patrolling in the area saw a group of people congregating and took a closer look. They noticed a suspect who they knew to be and "Oakdale Mob" gang member with a gang injunction stay away court order, loitering with other subjects known to be associates of the street gang. The suspect was arrested for violating the court order and was booked.

Stolen Auto Arrest

Jan. 8, 2019 – 12:10 pm – **Phelps / Hudson** (SFPD 180852274)

Officers made an arrest of a suspect driving a motorcycle that had been reported as stolen. He was booked on auto theft charges.

Stolen Auto Arrest

Jan. 8, 2019 – 5:00 pm – **1900 block Innes** (SFPD 190017703)

Officers made an arrest of a suspect after finding him in possession of a motorcycle that had been reported as stolen from the **600 block of Indiana** the day prior. Once in custody, the suspect was found to be in possession of methamphetamine. He was booked on auto theft and narcotics charges.

Gang Related Warrant Arrest

Jan. 8, 2019 – 6:00 pm – Fairfax / Catalina (SFPD 190019179)

Officers spotted a suspect who was wanted on felony gang related charges from an incident that occurred in San Mateo County. The suspect, a "Tre-4" gang member, was taken into custody without incident and booked on the warrant.

Inappropriate Contact of Minor Arrest

Jan. 9, 2019 – 9:40 am – **Evans / Mendell** (SFPD 190021005)

A student was walking to school when she was approached by a suspect who asked her if she wanted to make some money by performing a lewd act. The victim ran away and alerted her school staff who in turn called the police. The suspect was located and taken into custody on the following day.

Hot Prowl Burglary Arrest

Jan. 9, 2019 – 11:36 am – 600 block Sweeny (SFPD 190020938)

Officers responded to a call of a hot prowl burglary in progress. They met with the victim who stated that she was inside the house when the suspect attempted to force his way into the residence with a pry tool. The suspect was seen fleeing in a vehicle that was described to the officers. The suspect was later located driving the car at **Revere and Jennings**. When they attempted to conduct a traffic stop, the suspect sped off and crashed into a parked car. He was then apprehended and booked on attempted residential robbery and evading.

Robbery

Jan. 9, 2019 – 6:30 pm – **Palou / Keith** (SFPD 190022382)

A 24 year old victim got off of a MUNI coach and was followed by the suspects who were fellow passengers. The victim was surrounded by the five suspects, one of which had a knife. They went through the victim's pockets stealing his wallet and cell phone as well as his backpack before running off. The victim reported the incident at Bayview Station.

Homicide

Jan. 12, 2019 – 2:19 am – **1700 block LaSalle** (SFPD 190028255)

Officers responded to a Shot-Spotter activation and located two 24 year old male victims who had been shot. One of the suspects died as a result of his injuries and the second was treated at SFGH. The officers secured the crime scene and preserved all evidence. This incident is under investigation by the Homicide Detail.

Burglary Arrest

Jan. 12, 2019 – 11:00 am – **6200 block 3rd** (SFPD 180968263)

Officers made an arrest of a suspect involved in a burglary of a 3rd St. business on Christmas Eve. The suspect was recognized from video surveillance footage from the scene that was recovered as evidence.

Homicide

Jan. 12, 2019 – 8:10 pm – **1700 block LaSalle** (SFPD 190030012)

Offices responded to a Shot-Spotter Activation and located a 40 year old male victim with a gunshot wound to the chest. He was transported to SFGH where he was pronounced deceased. A second 27 year old victim had suffered a gunshot wound to the wrist. He was treated for his injuries at SFGH. The crime scene was secured and all evidence was preserved. This incident is being investigated by the Homicide Detail. Officers made an arrest of a suspect involved in a burglary of a 3rd St. business on Christmas Eve. The suspect was recognized from video surveillance footage from the scene that was recovered as evidence.

Robbery Arrest

Jan. 13, 2019 – 2:20 pm – **1500 block Underwood** (SFPD 190029463)

Officers made an arrest in a January 12th robbery incident that occurred near the Cliff House in the Richmond District. In that incident, a victim witnessed her parked vehicle being burglarized by a suspect who got into a getaway car. The suspect driving the car intentionally drove at the victim, hitting her. Bayview officers located the parked car on the following day. They set up surveillance and waited for the suspect to return. The suspect was taken into custody after initially attempting to flee from the officers. He was booked on aggravated assault, robbery, and auto burglary charges.

Department News

Visitacion Valley Aggravated Assault Update

On January 8, 2019 at approximately 6:45AM, San Francisco Police officers responded to a residence on the 1000 block of Visitacion Avenue. A witness reported seeing an unknown male suspect exit the residence from an interior staircase then walk eastbound on Visitacion Avenue.

Shortly thereafter, an 88 year-old female suffering from severe head injuries was located in a park across the street. The victim was transported to the hospital and still being treated for life-threatening injuries.

Investigators believe the unknown suspect attacked the victim in the park and then entered her home across the street before fleeing the area. The suspect is described as a black male in his thirties, approximately 5'6" tall with a skinny build. A dedicated team of investigators from the SFPD Special Victims Unit is actively working this case.



Anyone with information is asked to call the SFPD 24 hour tip line at (415) 575-4444

or Text a Tip to TIP411 and begin the text message with SFPD.

You may remain anonymous.

San Francisco Police Make Arrests In Chinese Community "Blessing Scam" Incidents

The San Francisco Police Department is investigating several incidents involving a blessing scam targeting older members of the Chinese community. Such scams usually involve strangers claiming to provide relief from a curse or an illness, or providing "purification" ceremonies in which cash and valuable items must be offered as part of the process.

Between November 29th, 2018 and December 14th, 2018 four blessing scams were reported to the San Francisco Police Department with a loss totaling over \$180,000.00 dollars in cash and jewelry. San Francisco Police and San Francisco District Attorney's Office investigators, with the cooperation of multiple outside law enforcement agencies, identified and arrested two suspects.

On December 24th 2018, 51 year-old Mudi Wu and 45 year-old Fuxi Dai, both of China, were arrested at Los Angeles International Airport where they were attempting to flee to China. The suspects were transported back to San Francisco where they were interviewed and booked on grand theft, petty theft, extortion and elder abuse charges.

The SFPD would like to thank members of the public who provided evidence which helped lead to the arrest of the suspects. The department gratefully acknowledges its collaboration with the San Francisco District Attorney's Office and the assistance of the Los Angeles Police Department, U.S. Customs and Border Protection and Los Angeles Airport Police.

Although arrests have been made, this is an ongoing case. Due to pending identification matters, booking photos are not available at this time. Investigators are asking anyone with information on this case to contact the San Francisco Police anonymously at 415-575-4444 or text-a-tip to TIP411 with SFPD at the start of the message.

The San Francisco Police Department urges members of the Chinese community to be suspicious of such offers from strangers. Potential victims are strongly advised to contact police immediately if confronted with such a situation. Family members and caregivers to elder Chinese community members should discuss this scam with them and instruct the elders to call them if anyone approaches them under similar circumstances.

San Francisco Safety Awareness For Everyone (SFSAFE) - a program of San Francisco Police Department's Community Engagement Division - provides the City's diverse communities with safety tips and educational brochures in multiple languages.

In the Community

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Volunteer to serve on the San Francisco Civil Grand Jury

San Francisco Superior Court is seeking volunteers for the Civil Grand Jury. The Civil Grand Jury is the "watchdog" for the City and County of San Francisco. The Civil Grand Jury investigates the operations of City government, including officials, departments, and agencies. Each year, the Civil Grand Jury issues reports based on its findings. Those reports are heard before the Board of Supervisors.

The Civil Grand Jury will serve from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. The application deadline is May 17, 2019.

Eligibility Requirements:

- 18 years of age or older and a United States citizen.
- San Francisco resident for at least the past 12 months.
- Able to commit time consistently throughout the term.
- Desire to work together with other committed San Franciscans.

Help make government more efficient!

For more information and an application, please visit

http://civilgrandjury.sfgov.org





SAN FRANCISCO CIVIL GRAND JURY FACT SHEET AND SELECTION TIMELINE

What is the Civil Grand Jury?

- As required by the California Constitution, the Civil Grand Jury is a "watchdog" that investigates the
 operations of the City and County government, including its officers, departments, and agencies.
- The Civil Grand Jury is 19 members randomly drawn from a pool of applicants who volunteer to serve for a one year term.

How does it Work?

- Each Civil Grand Jury determines, by majority vote, which issues related to the government of the City
 and County of San Francisco to investigate. Typically, the Jury divides itself into committees, which carry
 out the investigations and write the reports.
- To do the investigations and write its reports, Civil Grand Jurors review records and financial documents; interview City and County department heads, elected officials, and staff; and visit government facilities.
 The entire Jury must vote to approve reports.
- After the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court reviews the reports to ensure they meet legal requirements, the reports are issued. The affected departments are required by law to respond to each finding and recommendation contained in the reports.
- The Board of Supervisors holds a public hearing on each report. The Civil Grand Jury presents the report, and each affected department responds. The Board of Supervisors then issues its own response.

When?

- The entire Civil Grand Jury meets once per week, generally in the late afternoon. Subcommittees meet as needed. Most of the Jury's work takes place during regular business hours.
- Jurors must be able to serve the entire term, from July 1 through June 30. Jurors must be able to commit time consistently throughout the term.

Who is Eligible?

In order to volunteer to be considered for the Civil Grand Jury, you must be a United States citizen; at least 18 years of age; have lived in San Francisco for at least the past one year; have no felony convictions; and have the ability to communicate in English.

How do I Apply?

- Applications may be downloaded from http://civilgrandjury.sfgov.org/join.html, or you may pick one up at San Francisco Superior Court, 400 McAllister Street, Room 007. The application deadline is on May 17, 2019.
- The most qualified applicants will be invited to attend a mandatory informational session on May 21 or May 30, 2019.
- Selection by a panel of Superior Court Judges will be held on June 7, 2019.
- The 2019 2020 Civil Grand Jury will be trained on June 10, 17, 18, and 24, 2019.
- The 2019 2020 Civil Grand Jury takes office on July 1, 2019.

Resources

DIRECTORY

EMERGENCY: 911

Note: When calling 911 on a cellular phone near a highway, the call is connected to The California Highway Patrol (CHP) dispatch center. In other areas in San Francisco, the call will connect directly to SF dispatch. You can also dial directly to SF dispatch: **415-553-8090**

Non-Emergency:	415-553-0123
Bayview Station:	415-671-2300
SFPD Anonymous Tip Line (live person, 24 hrs):	415-575-4444
Graffiti Abatement:	415-278-9454
SF SAFE:	415-553-1984

Bayview Station Resource

Events/ Community Liaison, Ofc. Ramirez:	415-671-2313
Permits/ Code Abatement, Ofc. Ramirez:	415-671-2313
Subpoenas/ Newsletter, Ofc. Teper:	415-671-2330
Homeless Liaison, Ofc. Green:	415-696-0562
Abandoned Auto, Ofc. Mustafich: (M-F, 7am-3pm)	415-671-2330
Deputy City Attorney, Nicholas Colla:	415-554-3875



The SFPD wants to hear from YOU, our key stakeholders

We are committed to excellence in law enforcement and are dedicated to the people, traditions and diversity of our City. Our mission is to provide service with understanding, response with compassion, performance with integrity and law enforcement with vision.

We welcome your comments. Let us know how we're doing, what we could be doing better and your thoughts on how your police department can work more closely with the community it proudly serves.

Your feedback will help SFPD better serve our City. Your comments will reviewed by our Community Engagement Unit and forwarded to the relevant unit, department office or neighborhood station for review and follow up, if appropriate.

You may also visit <u>sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint</u> for more information on providing input on SFPD policies and practices.)



With over 2,300 different telephone numbers listed to access local government services, many people did not know what number to dial to reach the appropriate department. Now you can connect to city services with only two numbers to remember: **911** for emergencies and **3-1-1** for everything else.

Before 311, over 50% of calls to the 911 center were not emergency related. **311** relieves 911 operators from these non-emergency calls. If a catastrophic emergency such as an earthquake occurs, **311** operators will be able to provide accurate information to assist during the recovery. In the unlikely event the 911 facilities becomes inoperative, the **311** call center will function as a back-up.

<u>Dispose of Unwanted and Expired</u> <u>Medication at Bayview Station</u>

There is a new secured bin at Bayview Station where you can dispose of unwanted and expired medication at any time of the day or night.

The bin will accept any type of prescription and off the shelf medication except for:

Herbal Remedies
Vitamins
Supplements
Cosmetics
Other personal care products
Compressed Cylinders
Aerosols
Inhalers
Medical Devices
Sharps
Illicit drugs
L odine containing medication.



When disposing the medication, please leave it in the original container with your personal information crossed out or removed. You can also place the medication into a clear plastic zip top baggies. Contact the front desk officer and inform them that you want your medication dispose of. The officer will assist you.

Please note that once an item that had been disposed of inside the bin, we cannot retrieve it. So make sure your ring, cell phone or anything of value is not accidentally disposed of.