

Richmond Station Newsletter



San Francisco Police
Department
December, 6th 2018



CAPTAIN'S MESSAGE:



**Captain Michelle Jean
Commanding Officer
Richmond Station**

Hello Richmond District Residents,

Holiday shopping and activities are in full swing around the city. Many people are shopping online and having packages delivered. SFPD in partnership with the USPS, has come up with a few tips to keep your packages safe and out of the hands of would be thieves. See some helpful tips on page 2 of the newsletter.

Be an alert shopper! SFSAFE, the crime prevention partner of SFPD, has come up with some great tips to have a safe shopping experience. See page 3 for more information.

On another note, there will be no community meeting for December. Our next meeting will be January 15th, 2019 at 6PM here at Richmond Station.

Stay safe and have a great week!

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Next Community Meeting
January 15th, 2019
Richmond Station
461 6th Ave 6PM

5 Ways to Protect Mail & Packages



Don't leave packages unattended for any length of time.



Won't be home? Use the Hold for Pickup option at USPS.com®



Leaving town? Use the request Hold Mail services at USPS.com®



Customize delivery by using USPS.com® and your tracking number.



Use USPS® special services like Signature Confirmation™ or Registered Mail®.





ENJOY A **SAFE** HOLIDAY

BE AN ALERT SHOPPER!

Tips for personal safety, property safety, pick-pocketing prevention, identity theft, and identifying suspicious activities



Be alert and aware of your surroundings at all times. Alert security if you notice any of the following in any public space:

- Unattended packages
- Persons exhibiting
- Suspicious chemical smells or pungent odors erratic or nervous behavior
- Anyone tampering with surveillance cameras
- People wearing bulky or inappropriate clothing which may be used to conceal threatening devices or objects

If you see something...**SAY SOMETHING!**

SAFETY RESOURCES

Emergencies: **9-1-1**
Non-emergencies: (415) 553-0123
City Services: 3-1-1

SAFE: sfsafe.org | (415) 553-1984
SFPD: sanfranciscopolice.org
SFFD NERT: sfgov.org/sfnert
SF Park Smart: <https://sfgov.org/park-smart>
District Attorney: sfdistrictattorney.org
National Crime Prevention Council: ncpc.org

Visit www.sfsafe.org for more safety tips!
Crime Prevention Partner of San Francisco Police Department



- Bring only the cash and credit cards you need
- Do not carry your social security card/passport
- Don't let others distract you in crowded areas
- Limit the use of your cellphone in public
- Avoid distracted walking

PERSONAL SAFETY



PICK-POCKETS & THEFT

- Bring only the cash and credit cards you need
- Do not carry your social security card/passport
- Don't let others distract you in crowded areas
- Limit the use of your cellphone in public

- If you are traveling, ask a neighbor to watch the house
- Put timers on various lights around interior/exterior of the house
- Have newspapers, mail, and deliveries held or picked up by someone you trust to avoid package theft.

HOME BURGLARY PREVENTION



AUTO BREAK-INS

- Leave nothing visible in the car; if you love it, don't leave it!
- Keep doors & trunk of vehicles locked
- Avoid placing packages in vehicle/trunk then returning to shopping without moving vehicle to another location
- Never leave a GPS system or mount visible

- Shop only at secure websites
- Do not respond to emails asking for personal/credit card information
- Check your credit card & bank statements regularly for fraudulent use

CREDIT CARDS & IDENTITY THEFT



Visit www.sfsafe.org for more safety tips!
Crime Prevention Partner of San Francisco Police Department



OFFICER OF THE MONTH

JOSH MCFALL

Officer Josh McFall joined the SFPD in 2012 after serving with Pacifica PD for 6 years.

Josh brought a wealth of information and experience with him, including spending time on the State High Tech Crimes Task Force. Josh is also a Drug Recognition Expert and has handled hundreds of DUI cases.

Josh is currently assigned as the Richmond Station Night Watch Traffic Car and keeps our streets safe and drunk drivers off the road.

Prior to working in law enforcement, Josh served in the U.S. Army for 8 years. He also is a volunteer Fire Fighter with San Mateo County.

When not working, Josh enjoys BBQing and Gardening.



CITIZENS OF THE MONTH

NISRIN SULEIMAN

Nisrin is the owner of Café Co-co, located 4201 Geary Blvd, and has been in business since 2012. Originally from the Middle East, Nisrin moved to the United States 16 years ago and settled her family in South San Francisco. She and her husband have two children.



When she first moved to the US, Nisrin took English classes while raising her two small children. Nisrin had the opportunity to buy the café in 2012 and her husband did all of the construction on the interior of the store.

Stop by Café Coco and say “Hi” to Nisrin and the other friendly staff. The most popular sandwich on the menu is the “Balzac” made with turkey and avocado.



Events in the Richmond District This Week



Title: Clement Street Farmers Market

Date: 12/9/2018

Time: 0900 - 1400 hrs

Location: Clement Street between 2nd Avenue and 4th Avenue

Title: Clementine Holiday Stroll

Date: 12/6/2018

Time: 1700-2100 hrs

Location: Clemente St. between Arguello and 7th Ave

SACRAMENTO ST HOLIDAY STROLL



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eighth annual

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HOLIDAY STROLL



**SHOP
LOCALLY**
IN THE INNER
RICHMOND
THIS HOLIDAY
SEASON

Thursday, DECEMBER 6, 5-9pm

**CLEMENT STREET (B/W ARGUELLO & 7TH AVE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

FEATURING

FOOD & BEVERAGES, DISCOUNTS, COUPONS & RAFFLES
ART, MUSIC, & CRAFT ACTIVITIES



Brought to you by the Clement Street Merchants Association • www.clementstreetsf.com

Holiday Toy Drive

**Donate a new unwrapped toy to
the San Francisco Police
Department's Toy Drive**

November 16th through December 14th

**Toys will benefit the youth and
will be distributed**

December 17th-21st





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SPCA



Richmond Station, in collaboration with our CPAB group, will be collecting donations for the San Francisco SPCA this Holiday Season. In addition to normal operations, the SF SPCA has taken in homeless animals displaced by the Camp Fire up north. Donations can be accepted at Richmond Station from 11-20 to 12-13.

Here is a list of items to consider donating:

- Peanut Butter
- Chicken or Beef Broth
- Kennels
- Crates
- Leashes
- Toys
- Natural Chewies
- Baby Food - they use Gerber 2nd Foods: Chicken, Turkey and Beechnut for weaning kittens.
- Bath- and Beach-sized Towels
- Flannel and fleece blankets
- Pet beds
- Unopened bags and cans of cat or dog food
- Front-attachment dog harnesses, all sizes

Please note: due to storage and safety, we are unable to accept the following:

- *Open bagged pet food*
- *Medications or prescription items*
- *Pillows of any kind*

For a complete wish list please visit <https://www.sfspca.org/get-involved/donate/kind-donations/wish-list>

DEFINITION OF SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

Suspicious activity is any observed behavior that could indicate a crime-related incident has been committed, or about to be committed. Unusual items or situations: A vehicle is parked in an odd location, a package/luggage is left unattended, a window/door is open that is usually closed, or other out-of-the-ordinary situations occur.

Examples of Suspicious Activity:

- ◆ An individual peering into vehicles, to try and locate any valuables left unattended.
- ◆ An individual trying door handles to vehicles, and/or residences to gain access to the vehicle and/or residence.
- ◆ An individual checking front doors of residences to locate any unattended packages, or individuals following delivery trucks to see where the truck is dropping off packages.

IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING

DEFINITIONS OF CRIME

Robbery– Robbery is the taking of property from another by using force or by using fear.

Assault– An assault is an unlawful attempt, coupled with the present ability, to commit a violent injury on another person.

Battery- (Misdemeanor battery) is any willful and unlawful touching of another.

(Felony battery) is the use of force or violence upon the person of another that causes serious bodily injury.

****Assault is when a person swings their arm and battery is when that arm makes contact with another person. ****

Aggravated Assault– Assault upon another person with a deadly weapon or instrument other than a firearm or by means of force likely to produce great bodily injury.

Burglary– The intent upon entry into a property to commit grand theft, petty theft, or any felony.

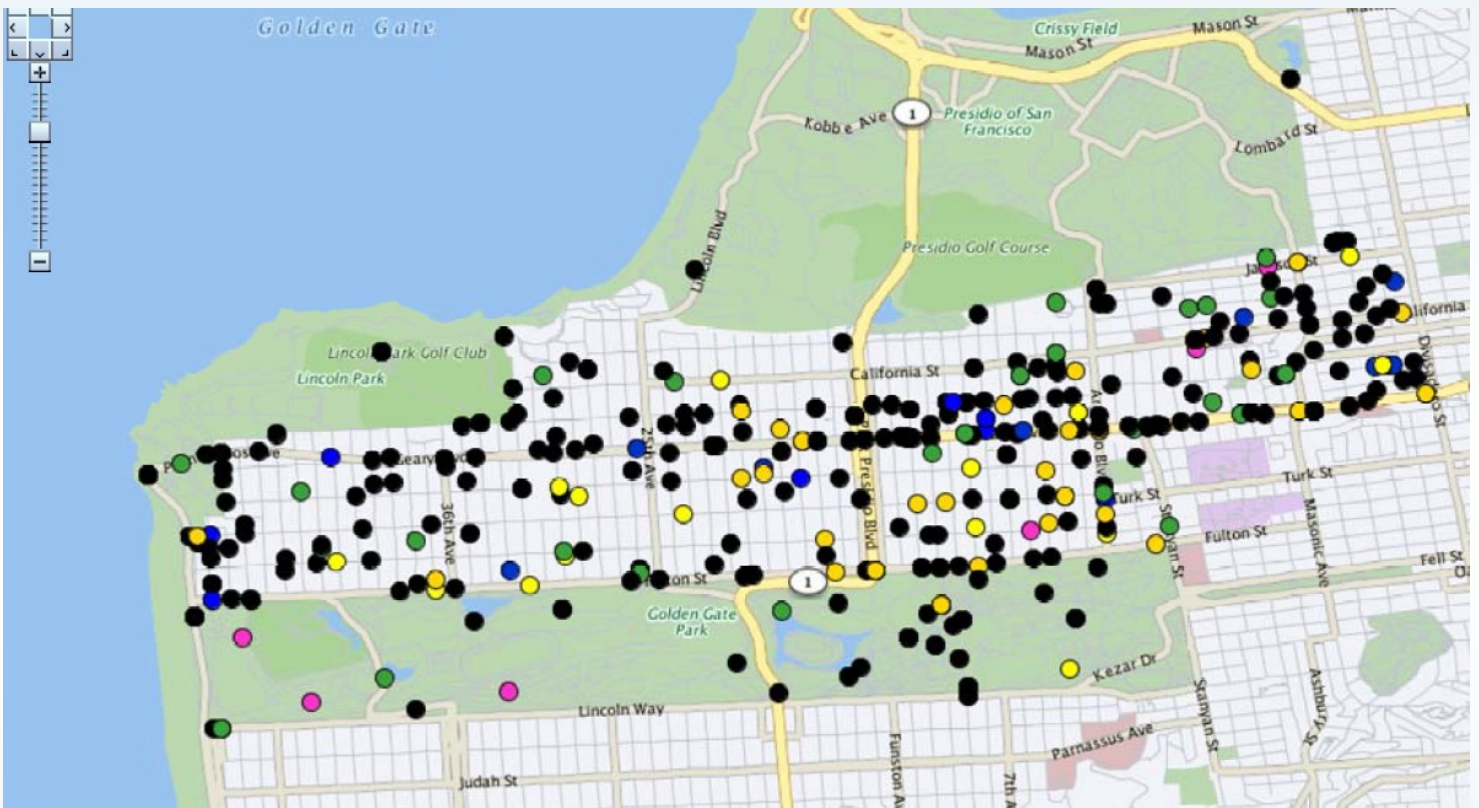
MAP OF CRIMES

Monthly Recap November 2018

429 Incidents from 11/01/18 - 11/30/18

This newsletter is not intended to be a complete report of *all* police activity in the Richmond District. For a detailed list of all criminal activity in your area, please visit:

<https://www.crimemapping.com/>



- Criminal Homicide ● Aggravated Assault ● Motor Vehicle Theft ● Robbery ● Call for Service (Priority A) ● Call for Service (Priority B)
- Forcible Rape ● Burglary ● Arson ● Larceny ● Call for Service (Priority C) ● All Other

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INCIDENTS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT THIS WEEK

Robbery, Arrest

11/30/18 08:21

745 Clement St

On 11/19 store employees reported that a set of store keys had been reported missing. On 11/19 two suspects entered the same store and stole several items. Employees recognized the suspects used the set of store keys to access locked merchandise. Suspects committed additional thefts on 11/20, 11/25, and 11/27.

Richmond Station Investigation Team produced a crime brief with pictures and descriptions of the suspects. On 11/30, Officers located and identified the suspects while addressing an encampment in the Tenderloin District. Officers contacted Richmond Station Investigators and placed the suspects under arrest. The keys from Walgreens were located during the arrest.

Suspect 1 was arrested and booked at County Jail on the following charges: Robbery, Burglary, Possession of Stolen Property, Outstanding Warrant.

Suspect 2 was arrested and booked at County Jail on the following charges, Robbery, Burglary, Outstanding Warrant.

Robbery With a Knife, Arrest

11/30/18 13:19

Golden Gate Park

Richmond Officers responded to Golden Gate Park to assist Taraval Units in locating two suspects in connection with a home invasion robbery with a knife. Taraval units tracked the victim's phone and gave updates on the location.

Two Richmond Officers spotted the suspects, in the area the phone was tracking, matching the broadcast description. Officers attempted to detain the suspects who immediately fled on foot into a heavy brush area of the park. Officers were able to locate and arrest both suspects after a foot pursuit and the deployment of pepper spray. Items from the robbery, including the tracked phone, were located on the suspects.

Suspect 1 was arrested and booked at County Jail on the following charges: Robbery, Burglary, Conspiracy, Aggravated Assault, Possession of Stolen Property, Probation Violation, Resisting Arrest, Threats

Suspect 2 was arrested and booked at County Jail on the following charges: Robbery, Burglary, Conspiracy, Possession of Stolen Property, Resisting Arrest, Threats



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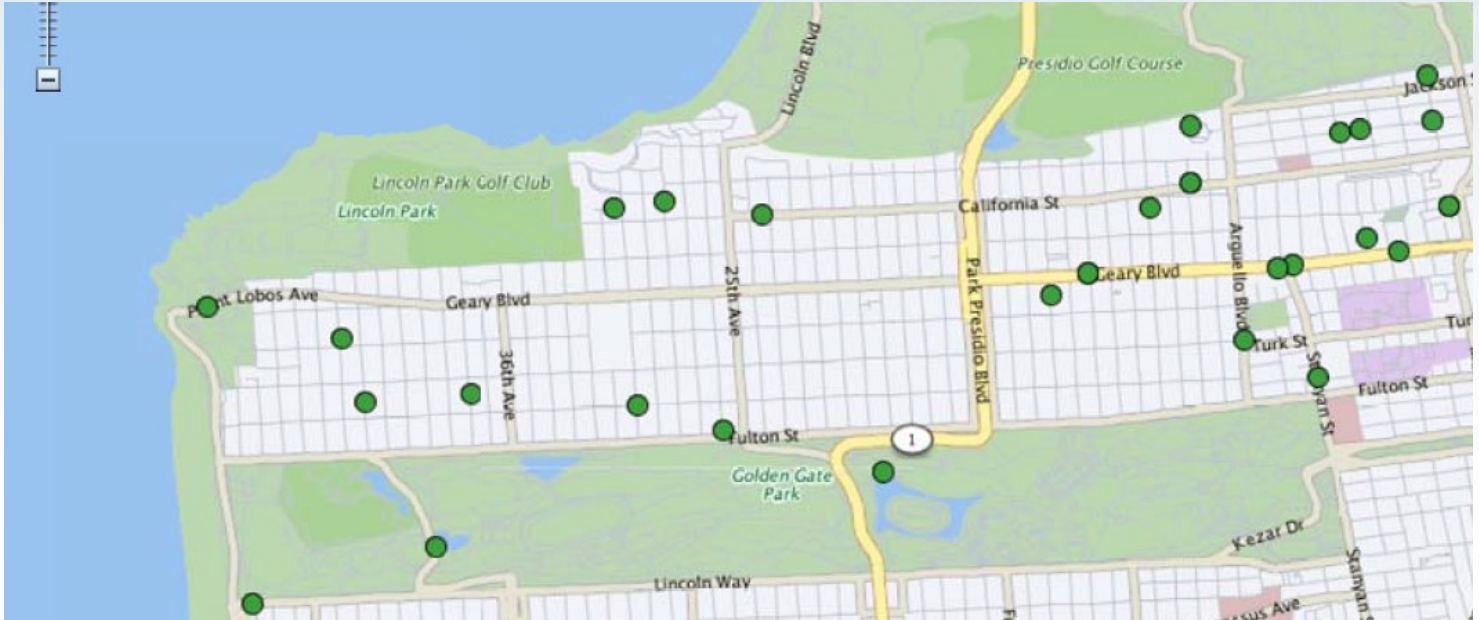
CRIME TRENDS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT

11/01/2018 - 11/30/2018



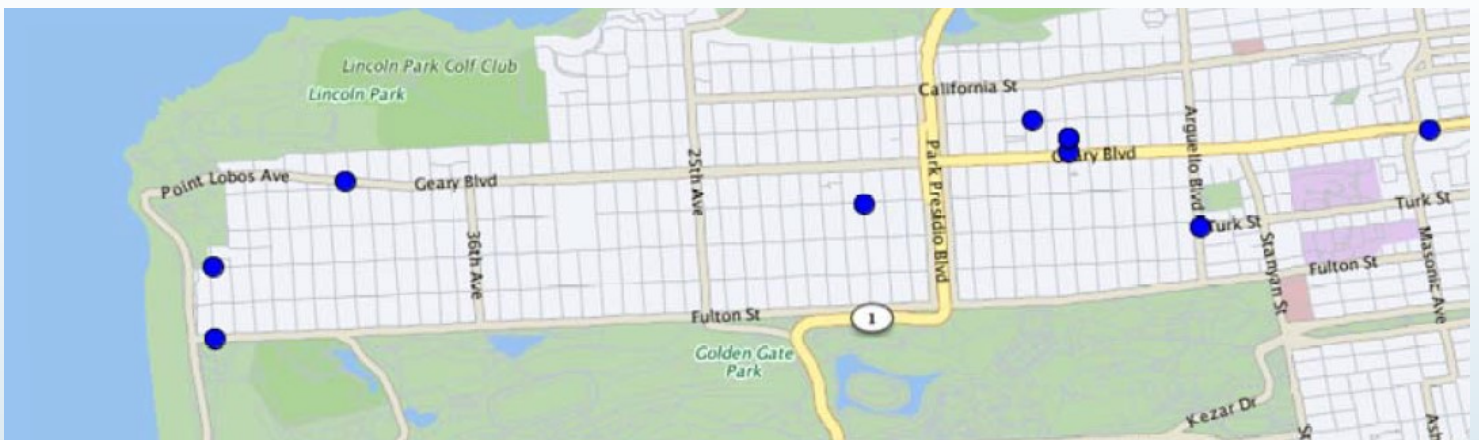
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32 BURGLARIES



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10 ROBBERIES





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CRIME TRENDS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT

11/26/2018 - 12/02/2018



BURGLARIES

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION
11/26/18 14:03	3700 BLOCK CLAY ST	HISPANIC MALE, WEARING BLACK SWEAT PANTS AND BLACK COAT
11/29/18 21:00	600 BLOCK ARGUELLO BLVD	UNKNOWN



ROBBERIES

NONE

- Aggravated Assault
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Robbery
- Burglary
- Arson
- Larceny



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CRIME TRENDS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT 11/01/2018 - 11/30/2018

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CRIME TRENDS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT 11/26/2018 - 12/02/2018

16 AUTO BURGLARIES CONT'D

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION	SUSPECT VEHICLE
11/27/18 10:00	MLK JR DR & 9TH AVE		
11/27/18 21:10	2700 BLOCK SUTTER ST		
11/29/18 12:00	1090 POINT LOBOS AVE	1. HISPANIC MALE, 20-29 YEARS OLD, WEARING GREY HOODED JACKET 2. BLACK MALE, NO FURTHER INFO 3. BLACK MALE, NO FURTHER INFO	SILVER HYUNDIA SONATA WITH BLACK PAPER PLATES
11/30/18 16:15	100 BLOCK 34TH AVE		
11/30/18 17:00	50 HAGIWARA TEA GARDEN DR		
12/1/18 2:25	3800 BLOCK SACRAMENTO ST		
12/1/18 11:30	2675 GEARY BLVD		
11/26/18 20:20	5700 BLOCK GEARY BLVD		
11/28/18 13:00	4700 BLOCK GEARY BLVD		
11/27/18 21:00	200 BLOCK 3RD AVE		
11/26/18 19:00	5700 BLOCK GEARY BLVD		
11/28/18 18:30	1090 POINT LOBOS AVE		
11/27/18 0:00	BALBOA ST & 47TH AVE		
11/28/18 14:00	MLK JR DR & 9TH AVE		
11/29/18 16:00	POINT LOBOS AVE & EL CAMINO DEL MAR		
11/29/18 8:30	EL CAMINO DEL MAR & LEGION OF HONOR DR		
RENTAL	7		
TOTAL	16		



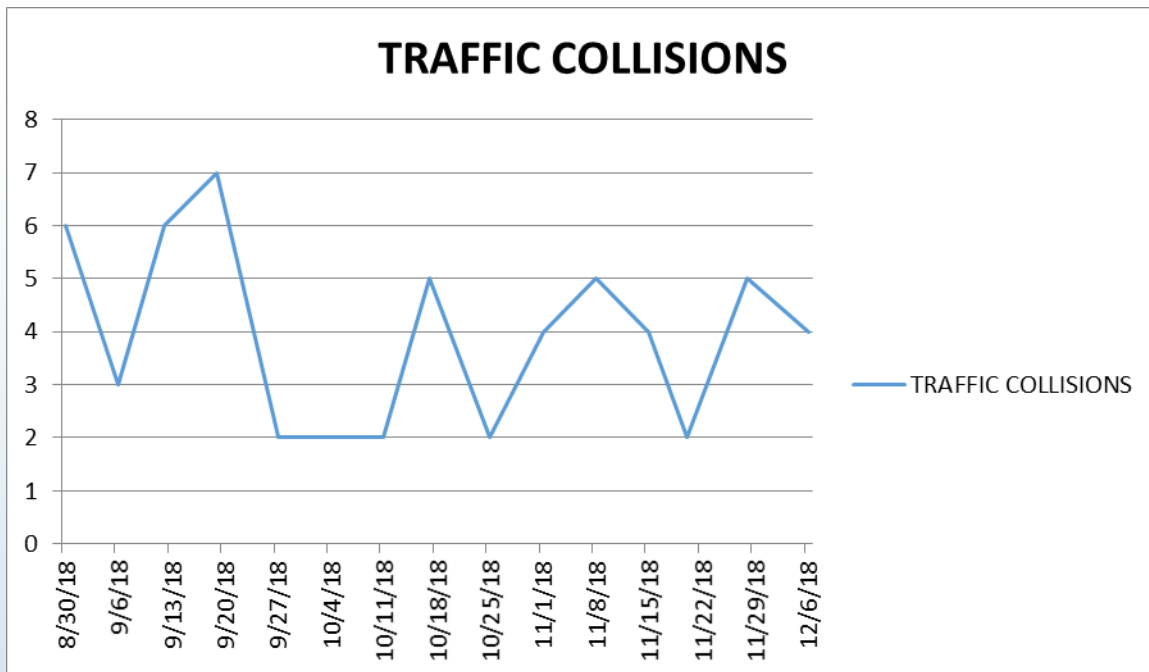
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CRIME TRENDS IN THE RICHMOND DISTRICT 11/26/2018 - 12/02/2018

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

* which resulted in a police report

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	PCF
11/26/18 16:39	MASONIC AVE/ GEARY BLVD	21658(A) CVC- IMPROPER LANE POSITION
11/28/18 18:20	36TH AVE/ GEARY BLVD	23153(A) CVC- DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE
11/28/18 18:30	CABRILLO ST/ 44TH AVE	23153(A) CVC- DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE
11/30/18 11:46	BALBOA ST/ 9TH AVE	22350 CVC- SPEEDING



GUN BUY-BACK

Help end the pollution and be the solution to gun violence

No questions asked!

**SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 15, 2018
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

**UNITED PLAYAZ
1038 HOWARD ST.
SAN FRANCISCO**

**Handguns
= \$100**

**Assault Weapons
= \$200**



- 1 in 3 homes with children have guns, many left unlocked or loaded
- On an average day 96 Americans are killed with guns
- The presence of a gun in a domestic violence situation increases the risk of the woman being killed by **FIVE TIMES**
- 62% of firearm related deaths in the US are suicides



For more information, contact Rudy Corpuz Jr., 415-573-6219

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NEWS RELEASE

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San Francisco Police Offer Resources to the Chinese Community Affected by Blessing and Healing Scams

San Francisco Police urge all members of the Chinese community to be suspicious of strangers claiming to provide relief from a curse or illness or who those who provide “purification” ceremonies in which cash and valuable items must be offered as part of the process.

Please review the video below on various ways to identify potential scammers, how to protect yourself from a scam, and reporting resources available to scam victims.

Link to PSA videos:

www.sanfranciscopolice.org/blessingscam

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_EDXcगतzxQ&feature=youtu.be

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. A Chinese language Blessing Scam flyer accompanies this news release.

Anyone who is confronted by scammers or anyone who knows of an elder who was approached by scammers is strongly advised to contact police. Reports can be made at any SFPD District Station or by calling Dispatch at (415) 553-0123 and requesting an officer to take a report.

Cantonese speakers can leave tips on a special tip line by calling (415) 553-9212 or 1-855-737-3847.

Continued:

Tel. 1-415-837-7395

Fax 1-415-837-7249

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Information can also be called into the Anonymous Tip Line at (415) 575-4444 or via Text a Tip by texting a message to TIP411 and beginning the message with SFPD.

SFPD is committed to safety with respect for all our City's communities. The department works closely with San Francisco's multilingual communities to identify and address specific safety concerns. SFPD currently has approximately 490 officers that speak more than 30 different languages. The department is encouraging all bilingual officers to become certified to provide Limited English Proficiency (LEP) services to community members.

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防範祈福黨

保護自己和財物

提防陌生人

切勿輕信街上藉詞接近的人

如陌生人要錢，必須提高警惕

不要隨便跟陌生人走

不要帶陌生人回家

不要帶陌生人到銀行提款

決定從銀行或回家提取現金／金飾前，應先跟家人商量



如有懷疑，保持鎮定！

立即打 **911** 報警



假如你祇懂少許英語，用英語說出你會用的語言，例如「Cantonese」（廣東話）或「Mandarin」（國語），911中心會即時找翻譯員與你通話

祈福黨／金光黨中文舉報電話：415-553-9212（只供留言用）

以上重要的防罪訊息是由三藩市警察局及三藩市防止罪案資源中心為您提供。



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CONTACT NUMBERS FOR THE RICHMOND DISTRICT

RESOURCE	CONTACT	TELEPHONE
EMERGENCY		911
NON-EMERGENCY		415-553-0123
RICHMOND STATION		415-666-8000
RICHMOND STATION ANONYMOUS TIP LINE		415-668-7387
RICHMOND STATION EMAIL	sfpdrichmondstation@sfgov.org	
SPECIAL EVENTS SERGEANT	SERGEANT L. CUEBA	415-666-8012
RICHMOND STATION PERMITS & EVENTS	OFFICER J. BRYANT	415-666-8023
RICHMOND STATION COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER	OFFICER H. HARPER	415-666-8028
RICHMOND STATION GEARY BLVD FOOT BEAT OFFICERS	OFFICER A. GARRETT	415-816-7017
	OFFICER K. IVANOV	415-726-1787
RICHMOND STATION CLEMENT ST FOOT BEAT OFFICERS	OFFICER E. WU	415-726-1841
	OFFICER G. LEE	415-660-8593
RICHMOND STATION SACRAMENTO ST FOOT BEAT OFFICERS	OFFICER B. NEILL	415-726-1813
	OFFICER K. O'LEARY	415-696-0343
RICHMOND STATION SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS	OFFICER T. HANG	415-969-0593
	OFFICER M. HILL	415-813-0028
RICHMOND STATION HOMELESS OUTREACH OFFICERS	OFFICER M. HODGE	415-852-0020
	OFFICER B. CAMPBELL	415-726-1759
	OFFICER E. ZELTZER	415-696-0630
	OFFICER F. BARRANCO	415-696-0615
DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS	TTY: 415-701-2323	311
DEPT. OF PARKING & TRAFFIC / SFMTA	TTY: 415-701-2323	311
S.A.F.E.		415-553-1984
HOMICIDE TIP LINE		415-431-2127
HUMAN TRAFFICKING TIP LINE		415-643-6233
NARCOTICS TIP LINE		1-800-CRACK-IT
SFPD MEDIA RELATIONS		415-837-7395
SFPD COMMUNITY RELATIONS		415-837-7245



YOU CAN CALL 311 TO CONTACT THE DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS AND THE DEPT. OF PARKING AND TRAFFIC / SFMTA. YOU CAN ALSO REPORT/REQUEST:

- STREET OR SIDEWALK CLEANING
- GRAFFITI
- STREETLIGHT REPAIR
- ILLEGAL POSTINGS
- ABANDONED VEHICLES
- AND MUCH MORE... CHECK OUT THEIR WEBSITE AT SF311.ORG.