

Southwest District 4 CPAC May /June 2017 Report

Transit Police: App for Bike Registration program—Project529. A picture of a person and his or her bike is taken and if a theft occurs, it's easier to recover. Bikes registered in this program have a better track record of being retrieved. A reasonably tamper proof sticker goes on the bike to alert the thief and police that there is a record of the owner. For more information contact justin.biggs@transitpolice.bc.ca

Bonsor Community Centre: Mental health issues increasing as well as during basketball games and in weight room. Aggressive customer has been acting up. Issues have been reported with quick police follow up. 4000 patrons a day are coming through the doors.

Metropolis/Guy Guy working on sharing information effectively to alert neighbouring security personnel for real time reporting. He and his staff are identifying patterns and locations of criminal behavior and focusing patrols.

Bob Prittee Library Disoriented, disruptive patron banned for a month due to disruptive behavior returned later that evening with no recollection to the incident. Two patrons with consistent behavior problems who have been banned continue to violate the bans. It was recommended that Michael Kalange become involved. Security guard received report of gun near library property. Guard investigated, took photo and retrieved gun, knife and hoodie. Branch manager recommended turning items to police. Community police reminded committee those items should be handled by police. Location where found is critical.

Anthem Properties/Mark Loitering on Kingsway benches is an issue as is a few people sleeping in stairwells. Man with a wheelchair having encounters with women in stairwells. He was apprehended.

ICBC August: education campaign highlight bad driving habits, September: distracted driving, October: pedestrian safety

Neighbour concerns of increased loud speeding expensive cars. Tom Webster of ICBC notes that when roundabouts are introduced in intersections, it has resulted in 70% reduction in collisions. Speed bumps can also help. City of Burnaby has been responsive to requests for neighbourhood calming measures.

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