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Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting Special Olympics (June 19, 2014)

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Please join us for a free Identity Theft Symposium on June 21, 2014 from 8am to 1:30 pm at Branham High School.

San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation/Hershey's Corporation Track & Field Games

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State Youth Track Meet sponsored by San Jose PAAF, Hershey's Corporation, Mt. Pleasant High School Track

SJPD is investigating the City's 18th Homicide of 2014.

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SJPD is investigating the City's 18th Homicide of 2014.

7 Arrested in Joint Agency Copper Wire Theft Operation

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Multi Agency Operation into Copper Wire Theft yields 7 arrests and several thousand pounds of stolen copper wire.

SJPD Officer arrested for alleged possession of marijuana for sales

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SJPD Officer arrested for alleged possession of marijuana for sales

San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, June 6, 2014

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San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Friday, June 6, 2014

Police Blotter 5/30/2014

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SJPD and DA's Office Offer \$20,000 Reward for Unsolved Homicides

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SJPD and the DA's Office offer \$20,000 for info leading to arrest and conviction in two Unsolved Homicides.

SJPD Warns Public of CA Driver's License Scams

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San Jose Police Department Warns Public of CA Driver's License Scams

SJPD is asking for the public's assistance in identifying robbery suspect.

Filed on 5/20/2014 8:33:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Robbery Detectives are asking for the public's assistance in identifying a robbery suspect.

SJPD has arrested suspect on the City's 16th Homicide of 2014

Filed on 5/19/2014 2:15:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD has arrested a suspect in the City's 16th Homicide of 2014

Police Blotter 5/13/2014 - 5/14/2014

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SJPD Is Investigating the City's 15th Homicide of 2014

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SJPD Is Investigating the City's 15th Homicide of 2014

SJPD has arrested MVPD Officer for possession of child pornography.

Filed on 5/14/2014 7:56:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD has arrested a Mountain View Police Officer for possession of child pornography.

Wife and 2 Children orphaned by recent homicide in need of assistance

Filed on 5/10/2014 1:50:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

A wife & 2 children orphaned by a recent homicide need the public's assistance

SJPD has arrested suspect on the City's 13th Homicide of 2014

Filed on 5/2/2014 10:15:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD has arrested a suspect in the City's 13th Homicide of 2014

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Annual Citywide Youth Track Meet sponsored by San Jose PAAF, Hershey's Corporation, Mt. Pleasant High School Track

SJPD arrested suspects in the City's 11th Homicide of 2014.

Filed on 4/29/2014 9:23:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD arrested suspects in the City's 11th Homicide of 2014.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 12th Homicide of 2014

Filed on 4/24/2014 8:29:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 12th Homicide of 2014

****UPDATE-SUSPECTS ARRESTED** -Armed Robbery/Kidnapping for Ransom Investigation**

Filed on 4/21/2014 2:45:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

Two suspects arrested for an armed robbery/kidnapping for ransom that occurred on March 10, 2014

SJPD warns public about police impersonation telephone scam.

Filed on 4/10/2014 1:55:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

San Jose Police Department warns public about police impersonation telephone scam.

San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, April 11, 2014

Filed on 4/10/2014 8:51:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Friday, April 11, 2014

At Risk Missing Person has been located.

Filed on 4/3/2014 12:39:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

At Risk Missing Person has been located.

SJPD Arrested suspect in the City's 5th Homicide of 2014

Filed on 4/3/2014 11:37:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD arrest suspect in the City's 5th Homicide of 2014

****UPDATE-SUSPECT ARRESTED**Double Homicide July 23, 2012 - 300 Block of N. 7th Street**

Filed on 3/28/2014 7:54:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

****Update- Suspect Arrested in July 23, 2012 double homicide on N. 7th Street****

****UPDATE-Suspect Arrested** SJPD Is Investigating the City's 3rd Homicide of 2014**
Filed on 3/26/2014 3:00:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

****Update-Suspect Arrested**SJPD Is Investigating the City's 3rd Homicide of 2014**

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 10th Homicide of 2014 -Update
Filed on 3/26/2014 9:08:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 10th Homicide of 2014-Update

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 9th Homicide of 2014
Filed on 3/20/2014 9:54:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 9th Homicide of 2014

SJPD Officer arrest for alleged sexual assault
Filed on 3/11/2014 8:00:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Officer arrested for sexual assault allegation

San Jose Police Department arrests suspects in Robbery String
Filed on 3/6/2014 11:04:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD arrested suspects believed to be responsible for at approximately 20 armed robberies in San Jose.

San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, March 7, 2014
Filed on 3/5/2014 8:25:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Friday, March 7, 2014

SJPD arrested two suspects in the City's 7th Homicide of 2014
Filed on 2/25/2014 11:48:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD arrested two suspects in connection with the City's 7th Homicide of 2014

SJPD Investigating Fatal Officer Involved Shooting Involving University Police
Filed on 2/25/2014 9:15:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD investigating fatal officer involved shooting incident on Feb 21, 2014.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 8th Homicide of 2014
Filed on 2/25/2014 8:21:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 8th Homicide of 2014

San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, February 21, 2014
Filed on 2/19/2014 12:51:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Friday, February 21, 2014

SJPD introduces the Community Liaison Officer pilot program
Filed on 2/19/2014 8:37:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD is pleased to announce the Community Liaison Officer pilot program.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 7th Homicide of 2014
Filed on 2/18/2014 12:38:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 7th Homicide of 2014

SJPD has identified carjacking suspect in officer involved shooting incident
Filed on 2/13/2014 12:26:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD has identified carjacking suspect in officer involved shooting incident on Feb 9, 2014.

Homicide Update
Filed on 2/13/2014 9:06:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in locating homicide suspect Juan Ramirez

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 5th Homicide of 2014
Filed on 2/7/2014 2:07:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 5th Homicide of 2014

[SJPD asking for public's help in identifying armed robbery suspects](#)
Filed on 2/4/2014 1:00:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD needs the public's help in identifying a suspect who was responsible for a series of armed robberies

****Arrest**** [Homicide #4- 3400 block of Suncrest Avenue](#)
Filed on 1/27/2014 12:05:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD Arrest Two Suspects In Connection with the City's 4th Homicide of 2014

[San Jose Police Department PAL Cadet Program](#)
Filed on 1/23/2014 1:40:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

Are you interested in becoming an SJPD PAL Cadet? Go to www.sjdpal.com to learn more about the program.

[SJPD Is Investigating the City's 3rd Homicide of 2014](#)
Filed on 1/16/2014 3:24:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 3rd Homicide of 2014

[SJPD has arrested a suspect in the series of fires in San Jose.](#)
Filed on 1/16/2014 1:44:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD has arrested a suspect they believe to be responsible for a series of fires set in Downtown San Jose.

[San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, January 17, 2014](#)
Filed on 1/15/2014 11:03:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Friday, January 17, 2014

****UPDATE**** [SJPD arrest suspect in connection with City's 41st Homicide of 2013](#)
Filed on 1/14/2014 11:29:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

****Update**** [SJPD arrest suspect in connection with City's 41st Homicide of 2013](#)

****UPDATE**** [SJPD Arrest 7th Suspect In Connection with the City's 25th Homicide of 2013](#)
Filed on 1/14/2014 10:53:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

****UPDATE**** [SJPD Arrest 7th Suspect In Connection with the City's 25th Homicide of 2013](#)

[SJPD Is Investigating the City's 2nd Homicide of 2014](#)
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SJPD Is Investigating the City's 2nd Homicide of 2014

[SJPD and San Jose Fire need public's assistance locating Arson Suspect](#)
Filed on 1/11/2014 4:46:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD and San Jose Fire need public's assistance locating Arson Suspect

["Make the Call, San Jose!" - View it on YouTube!](#)
Filed on 1/10/2014 1:09:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

"Make the Call, San Jose!" can now be viewed on YouTube!

[SJPD, Campbell PD and Milpitas PD solve bank robbery string](#)
Filed on 1/9/2014 9:51:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

SJPD, Campbell PD, and Milpitas PD work together to solve bank robbery string.

[Missing Juvenile At Risk has been located](#)
Filed on 1/8/2014 2:19:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

Missing Juvenile At Risk has been located

[SJPD asking for public's help in identifying robbery suspect](#)
Filed on 1/7/2014 12:22:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD needs the public's help in identifying a suspect who was responsible for a string of robberies

[SJPD Is Investigating the City's 1st Homicide of 2014](#)
Filed on 1/3/2014 1:32:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

SJPD Is Investigating the City's 1st Homicide of 2014

[San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Monday, December 30, 2013](#)
Filed on 12/26/2013 1:45:00 PM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Monday, December 30, 2013](#)

[SJPD Seeking Victims and Witnesses from WalMart Incident](#)

Filed on 12/18/2013 3:59:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

[SJPD is seeking the public's help in identifying Victims and Wintesses from Wal-Mart Incident in March 2013.](#)

[San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Thursday, December 19, 2013](#)

Filed on 12/17/2013 11:16:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[San Jose Police will conduct a Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint on Thursday, December 19, 2013](#)

[SJ PAL and Shoe Palace of San Jose to Host Christmas Shoe Giveaway](#)

Filed on 12/17/2013 10:00:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[San Jose Police Police Activities League and Shoe Palace of San Jose team up to give shoes to underprivileged kids](#)

[Cops Care - Cancer Foundation Fantasy Flight 2014](#)

Filed on 12/12/2013 4:02:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

[Fantasy Flight is an event for any child that is battling cancer or any other life-threatening illness.](#)

[2013 SJPD Gun Buy Back Program](#)

Filed on 12/11/2013 9:34:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[SJPD in partnership with Council District 5, County DA's Office and Local Church to Hold Gun Buy Back Event](#)

[San Jose Police Department and Target Corp. to Host Holiday Shopping Event](#)

Filed on 12/10/2013 8:00:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[The San Jose Police Department and Target Corp. will host a holiday shopping event, Thursday, December 13, 201](#)

[Assault with a Deadly Weapon/ Carjacking/Officer Involved Shooting](#)

Filed on 11/29/2013 10:54:00 AM by Author: Albert Morales #3477.

[SJPD Investigating an Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Carjacking Incident and Fatal Officer Involved Shooting](#)

[SJPD Captures Suspect in City's 43rd Homicide of 2013](#)

Filed on 11/28/2013 5:41:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528.

[SJPD identifies and captures suspect in the City's 43rd Homicide of 2013](#)

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San Jose PD Investigating a Series of Robberies

Filed on 10/30/2017 4:15:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

San Jose PD arrested a suspect in a series of robberies and are looking for additional victims.

UPDATE: Suspect Arrested for 10-18-17 Homicide in San Jose

Filed on 10/30/2017 3:35:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

UPDATE: The suspect responsible for the homicide that occurred on 10-18-17 has been arrested

San Jose PD Receives Grant for Special Traffic Enforcement and Crash Prevention

Filed on 10/26/2017 2:25:00 PM by Author: Webmaster.

San Jose PD Receives Grant for Special Traffic Enforcement and Crash Prevention

Suspects Arrested for Homicide & Other Crimes

Filed on 10/25/2017 2:28:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

SJPD arrested 3 suspects for homicide & other crimes committed in the Bay Area. Help us ID 2 additional suspects.

San Jose Seeks Public Input on Allowing Non-Medical Cannabis at Collectives.

Filed on 10/24/2017 3:53:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

San Jose Seeks Public Input on Allowing Medical Marijuana Collectives to Provide Non-Medical Cannabis.

SJPD Identifies Suspect in Homicide that occurred on 10-18-17.

Filed on 10/20/2017 4:05:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

San Jose PD has identified a suspect in a homicide that occurred on 10-18-17 in the 300 block of Branham Lane East

Update: Help SJPD Locate Suspect From 11-8-16 Homicide: W. Alma Ave. & Mastic St.

Filed on 10/17/2017 4:15:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

Update: Help San Jose PD locate a homicide suspect from 11-8-16 on W. Alma Ave. at Mastic St.

SJPD Investigating a series of Armed Robberies and Attempted Murder

Filed on 10/13/2017 9:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Gina Tepoorten #3103.

San Jose Police investigating a series of Armed Robberies and Attempted Murder.

Teen Driver Safety Week - What Your Teen Driver Needs To Know To Survive

Filed on 10/12/2017 3:04:00 PM by Author: Webmaster.

San Jose Police Department wants to draw public attention to National Teen Driver Safety Week, October 15-21.

San Jose Police Taking Back Unwanted Prescription Drugs Oct. 28 at several locations

Filed on 10/12/2017 11:33:00 AM by Author: Webmaster.

The 14th National Prescription Drug Take Back Day, Saturday, October 28, 2017, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

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Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics

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Media Advisory

WHAT: Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting Special Olympics

WHO: Special Olympics, San Jose Police Officers, Highway Patrol Officers, Deputy Sheriffs and District Attorney Investigators

WHEN: Thursday, June 19, 2014
 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (San Jose PD carries torch)

WHERE: Center for Performing Arts (noon celebration)
 Almaden Blvd & Park Av. (Southwest Corner)
 Downtown San Jose

LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN for SPECIAL OLYMPICS

DETAILS:

On Thursday, June 19, 2014, athletes from Special Olympics and members of the Santa Clara County Law Enforcement Community will be participating in the 37 th annual Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting the Special Olympics. Law enforcement officers will carry the torch up the State of California from Fresno. Volunteer personnel from San Jose P.D. will run from Cottle and Hwy 85 starting at 10 a.m. ending in Santa Clara at 1:20 p.m.

The Torch will arrive at the Center of Performing Arts at 12:00 p.m. where a ceremony will commence honoring and acknowledging the Special Olympians and Torch Run participants. Command staff from the San Jose Police Department and other Law Enforcement Agencies will be in attendance.

The Torch will then be run to the City of Santa Clara and ultimately to its final destination, UC Davis. It will arrive on Friday, June 27th to commence the opening ceremonies of the Northern California State Summer Special Olympic Games.

The annual Law Enforcement Torch Run is an international event that not only raises funds for, but also brings community awareness to the courageous athletes of Special Olympics.

Any questions regarding this event can be directed to Sgt. Phil Rodgers (Retired SJPd) at (408) 529-1723 or Ruth Sanchez, Special Olympics Northern California Development Director for the Law Enforcement Torch Run, at (925) 286-3660.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
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Update Suspects Arrested in connection with the City's 15th Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: **Update- Suspects Arrested** Homicide
LOCATION: Senter Rd/ Baltic Wy

CASE NUMBER: 14-126-0292
DATE: 4/06/2014 **TIME:** 10:22 AM

VICTIM: Lam, Phuoc Hong Long
ADDRESS: San Jose, CA

AGE: 38 years

SUSPECT #1: Ortiz, Fidadelfo Silva
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 17 years

SUSPECT #2: Reyes, Daniel
Alejandro
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 23 years



Suspect#1 Ortiz



Suspect#2 Reyes

****UPDATE****
(6/16/14)

The San Jose Police Department has arrested two suspects in connection with the City's 15th homicide of 2014. During the ensuing investigation, San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit identified San Jose residents Fidadelfo Ortiz and Daniel Reyes as participants in the shooting. There is no known link between the suspects and the victim.

The San Jose Police Department's Covert Response Unit (CRU) later located and arrested Suspects Ortiz and Reyes. The Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office has subsequently charged the two suspects with Phuoc Lam's murder.

Suspect Daniel Reyes was located and arrested on May 19, 2014 in Tracy, California and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail and Suspect Fidadelfo Ortiz was located and arrested in Oakdale, California on May 23, 2014 and booked into the Santa Clara County Juvenile Hall.

The Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office will prosecute Ortiz as an adult.

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 15th Homicide of 2014. On May 6, 2014 at approximately 10:22 A.M., San Jose Police responded to the area of Senter Road and Baltic Way on a report of a person who was shot. When officers arrived they located an adult male who was suffering from at least one gun shot wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased. The victim was later identified as 38 year old Phuoc Hong Long Lam.

The motive and circumstances surrounding the incident are still under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene to take over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

<https://www.tipsubmit.com/WebTips.aspx?AgencyID=504>

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
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Branham

High School

June 21st, 2014

8am to 1:30 pm

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San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation/Hershey's Corporation Track & Field Games

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Media Advisory

- WHAT:** Statewide Hershey's Track & Field Games
- WHO:** Qualifying athletes between the ages of 9 and 14 from over 20 cities in Northern California.
- WHEN:** Saturday, June 14, 2014
- WHERE:** Mt. Pleasant High School
1750 S. White Road
San Jose, CA 95127
- TIME:** Check-in at 8:00 am

HERSHEY'S

Track & Field Games

Come Run, Jump & Throw - Statewide Youth Track Meet



DETAILS:

Youth between the ages of 9 and 14 will be participating in the Hersheys Northern California State Finals Youth Track Meet co-sponsored by the San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation, SJPD Crime Prevention Unit, SJPD PAL Cadet Program and the Hershey Corporation. Volunteer groups from San Jose will assist in the running of the meet. Events include track races, standing long jump, and a softball throw. Winners of each event may qualify to compete in the national meet in Hershey, PA this summer!

- HERSHEY'S Track & Field Games is the longest-running youth activity program of its kind in North America, and a great entry point for kids ages 9-14 to get active and become engaged in a healthy lifestyle.
- More than 10 million kids have participated in games and benefited from learning the basic skills to enjoy a lifetime of activity.
- HERSHEY'S Track and Field Games is about helping get kids on the right track, teaching lifelong lessons and having fun with every **RUN, JUMP & THROW** along the way

For more information contact Sgt. Jason Pierce #3380 at 408-277-4133



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SJPD is investigating the City's 18th Homicide of 2014.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 500 Block of Piercy Road

CASE NUMBER: 14-156-0063
DATE: 6/5/2014 **TIME:** 1:21 A.M.

VICTIM: Gamez, Jose
ADDRESS: Transient - San Jose

AGE: 36 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 18th Homicide of 2014. On June 5, 2014 at approximately 1:21 A.M., The SJPD "911" Communications Center received a call of an unresponsive person in the 500 block of Piercy Road in San Jose. Officers arrived and located a deceased male who suffered from at least one stab wound. The victim was later identified as 36 year old Jose Gamez of San Jose.

The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene to conduct the investigation. Homicide investigators are conducting an investigation into the motive and circumstances surrounding the murder. They have not identified or apprehended any suspects.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Andrew Binder or Detective Jason Tanner of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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7 Arrested in Joint Agency Copper Wire Theft Operation

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The San Jose Police Department conducted a Copper Wire Theft Operation in conjunction with the Santa Clara County Special Enforcement Team, Department of Transportation San Jose Office, California Highway Patrol San Jose, Cal Recycle, State Department of Weights and Measures, the City of San Jose Code Enforcement and, the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office.

The agencies executed three search warrants related to an ongoing copper theft investigation involving several recycling businesses in the City of San Jose. The businesses were all suspected of being involved in the illegal processing and recycling of stolen copper wire and other metals and materials. Officers seized several thousand pounds of suspected copper wire, a large amount of cash, a loaded handgun, and a small amount of methamphetamine. Seven arrests were made for 496a(a) PC- possession of stolen copper wire, 21606 B&P - purchasing copper wire without identification, and 21608.5 B&P - paying for recycled material without the required 3 day hold.

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SJPD Officer arrested for alleged possession of marijuana for sales

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TYPE OF CRIME: Possession of Marijuana for Sales
LOCATION: San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 14-154-0635

SUSPECT: Officer Son Vu #3129
ADDRESS: Withheld

AGE: 42
Experience: 20 Years

San Jose:

On Tuesday June 3, 2014, a San Jose police officer was arrested for felony charges related to the possession of marijuana for sales. The San Jose Police Department's Criminal Investigation Detail (CID) with assistance from the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office completed an investigation and subsequently booked the officer into the Santa Clara County Jail. The officer is a twenty year veteran and has been placed on paid administrative leave.

At approximately 4:25 P.M., officers responded to the 400 block of Tully Road on a report of marijuana located in a storage closet. The investigation into the incident revealed that on Tuesday June 3, 2014 employees of a storage facility in San Jose located an amount of marijuana consistent with the possession for sales in a storage closet at their facility. The police were called and an investigation into the incident was conducted. It was later determined the storage closet was rented by an officer employed by The San Jose Police Department. The Criminal Investigation Detail (CID) of the Internal Affairs Unit assisted in the investigation and coordinated with the Santa Clara County District Attorneys Office. The investigation determined that the marijuana was possessed for the purpose of sales. The involved officer was arrested and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail.

"We will not tolerate such conduct especially criminal conduct and we will hold those responsible for their actions," Chief Esquivel stated. "We are working closely with the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office to ensure this investigation is thorough and complete."

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San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, June 6, 2014

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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

San Jose, California
Friday, June 6, 2014

7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



San Jose, CA -- San Jose Police Department Traffic Unit will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License Checkpoint on Friday, June 6, 2014 at an undisclosed location within the city limit between the hours of 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

The deterrent effect of DUI checkpoints is a proven resource in reducing the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol or drug involved crashes. Research shows that crashes involving alcohol drop by an average of 20 percent when well-publicized checkpoints are conducted often enough.

Officers will be contacting drivers passing through the checkpoint for signs of alcohol and/or drug impairment. Officers will also check drivers for proper licensing and will strive to delay motorists only momentarily. When possible, specially trained officers will be available to evaluate those suspected of drug-impaired driving. Drivers caught driving impaired can expect jail, license suspension, and insurance increases, as well as fines, fees, DUI classes, other expenses that can exceed \$10,000.

In 2010, over 10,000 people were killed nationally in motor vehicle traffic crashes that involved at least one driver or motorcycle rider with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08% or higher. In California, this deadly crime led to 791 deaths because

someone failed to designate a sober driver. "Over the course of the past three years in San Jose, DUI collisions have claimed 32 lives and resulted in 1641 injury crashes harming 531 of our friends and neighbors," said Sgt. Steve Payne.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), checkpoints have provided the most effective documented results of any of the DUI enforcement strategies, while also yielding considerable cost savings of \$6 for every \$1 spent. Based on collision statistics and frequency of DUI arrests, DUI Checkpoints are placed in locations that have the greatest opportunity for achieving drunk and drugged driving deterrence. Locations are chosen with safety considerations for the officers and the public.

"DUI Checkpoints have been an essential part of the phenomenal reduction in DUI deaths that we witnessed since 2006 in California," said Christopher J. Murphy, Director of the Office of Traffic Safety. "But since the tragedy of DUI accounts for nearly one third of traffic fatalities, San Jose needs the high visibility enforcement and public awareness that checkpoints provide."

Funding for this checkpoint is provided to the San Jose Police Department by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, reminding everyone to continue to work together to bring an end to these tragedies. If you see a Drunk Driver -- Call 9-1-1.

MEDIA NOTES: To schedule an interview regarding the San Jose Traffic Safety Operations, please contact Sgt. Steve Payne at (408) 277-4341 or via email 2805@sanjoseca.gov

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Ref Number:	Date/Time	Type:
6920	05/30/14-11:00 AM	Bike Patrol
Location:	Beat:	Division:
Downtown Core	Edward -1	Central

Details:

On 5-30-14, the San Jose Police Basic Patrol Bike Course culminated by deploying six (6) bicycle teams to conduct enforcement in the Downtown Core area. During a four period (11:00 AM-3:00 PM) the bikes teams made two felony drug arrests and four felony and two misdemeanor warrant arrests. They also issued 15 citations ranging from drinking in public and possession of marijuana to engaging in prostitution (1st/Oak St). The bike teams also completed 13 probation/parole searches and conducted four premise checks, which included the Mexican Chamber of Commerce (100 E. Santa Clara) and Washington Elementary.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0045	05/30/14-1:14 AM	Assault with a Deadly Weapon
Location:	Beat:	Division:
2nd/San Fernando	Edward -3	Central

Details:

A male victim was brought into an emergency room with non-life threatening gunshot wound(s). The victim stated he was on the light rail platform located at 2nd Street/San Fernando Street. According to the victim, a group of subjects were assaulting a second victim when he attempted to intervene. He heard a loud bang and realized he had been shot. The suspects have not been apprehended or identified. The investigation is active and on-going.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0275	05/30/14-9:36 AM	Residential Burglary
Location:	Beat:	Division:
6500 block of Plainview Court	Adam -5	Southern

Details:

An unknown suspect fled from a residence, was picked up by a waiting vehicle and then fled from that vehicle a short distance later. A neighbor followed the vehicle until police were able to stop it. The suspect in the vehicle was arrested and booked into county jail. The second suspect is still outstanding. The investigation is active and on-going.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0280	05/30/14-9:30 AM	Parolee at Large / Poss. of Stolen Property
Location:	Beat:	Division:
5400 Block of Don Andres Ct	Yellow -2	Southern

Details:

Officers conducted a high risk pedestrian stop and took a suspect into custody. The suspect was on parole. During a parole / probation search of the vehicle and residence, stolen property was located from at least one prior reported burglary. The suspect was booked into County Jail.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0348	05/30/14-10:57 AM	Assault with a Deadly Weapon
Location:	Beat:	Division:
1600 Block of Story Rd.	Charles -1	Foothill

Details:

The victim was walking on the sidewalk with a friend when a group of suspect related to a gang jumped him and stabbed him at least one time. A good Samaritan gave the victim a ride to a local hospital. The wounds were not life-threatening. The suspects have not been identified. The investigation is active and on-going.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0530	05/30/14-2:17 PM	Armed Robbery
Location:	Beat:	Division:
1600 Block of N. Capitol Av.	William -1	Foothill

Details:

A suspect entered the business, pointed a handgun at one of the clerks, and demanded money. However, the clerk was able to run into a back room before opening the register. The suspect then ordered a customer to open the register, but he was unsuccessful. The suspect then took a bag of food that was on the counter, belonging to a customer, and fled on foot in an unknown direction. The suspect has not been identified. The investigation is active and on-going.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0872	05/30/14-8:07 PM	Attempted Strong Arm Robbery
Location:	Beat:	Division:
Strada Circolare Park	Paul -1	Foothill

Details:

The victim was at the above location when two suspects attempted to take property from her by force. The victim fought back and the suspects fled in a nearby vehicle. The suspects were not identified. The investigation is active and on-going.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-150-0970	05/30/14-9:46 PM	Assault with a Deadly Weapon
Location:	Beat:	Division:
Rocky Mountain Drive	Charles -6	Foothill

Details:

The suspect walked up to the victim that was standing on his driveway and fired a single shot striking him at least once. The suspect fled the scene on foot. The victim was transported to the hospital with a life threatening wound. The victims status was upgraded to stable. The suspect has not been identified. The investigation is active and on-going.

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SJPD and DA's Office Offer \$20,000 Reward for Unsolved Homicides

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OFFER \$20,000 EACH REWARD TO SOLVE TWO HOMICIDES

The San Jose Police Department and the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office have teamed up to offer a \$20,000 reward to anyone who can give information that leads to the arrest and conviction of suspects in either one of two unsolved city homicides.

Investigators believe that the two 2013 slayings - the fatal stabbing of Anthony Daniel Santa Cruz on February 13 near San Jose High School and the South San Jose shooting death of Justin Watkins on June 26 - are unrelated.

It is the first time in recent history that the two agencies have pooled their financial resources to offer such a reward.

"I want to thank the D.A.'s Office and the Mayor's Office for assisting in these reward efforts," Chief Esquivel said. "These families and our community need closure. Hopefully this reward money will help us solve these senseless homicides."

On February 13, at 3:14 P.M., 17-year-old Anthony Daniel Santa Cruz was stabbed to death near N. 21st Street and Julian Street. Police believe there are two suspects, and believe their fatal attack was gang motivated. Persons with information regarding this case are urged to contact Detective Sergeant Davies or Detective Wayne Smith in the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283.

Watkins, 20, was shot to death around 10:11 P.M., June 26, on the 100 block of Hayes Avenue in South San Jose. Anyone with information about the case can contact Detective Sergeant Davies or Detective Wayne Smith at (408)-277-5283.

"Police Chief Larry Esquivel and I will never accept that any homicide will remain unsolved. We will make every effort to bring those who bring bloodshed into our safe community to justice," District Attorney Jeff Rosen said. "Today we are asking for the public to join us in that resolve, and help us solve two killings."

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SJPD Warns Public of CA Driver's License Scams

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New Driving Licenses Scams targeting the Immigrant Community

The San Jose Police Department wants to warn the community on scams targeting victims that want to obtain a California driver license for non documented drivers.

Several other states have issued driving licenses to the non documented drivers and now with the passing of AB 60, California will be issuing licenses. The Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) is not issuing licenses until **Jan 1, 2015**.

Beware of the Scams:

1. Some criminals are asking for up to \$1,000 each person to obtain a legal license.
2. Beware of agents claiming that they can help you by paying a fee. Some criminals are posing as DMV personnel, and lawyers with licenses. These imposters are illegally charging for services and licenses.
3. Beware of false DMV websites or How to get a California license web pages. The official website is www.dmv.ca.gov.
4. Criminals are selling false documents to prove birth dates, and residency to present to the Department Motor Vehicle Department.
5. If you are a victim or know of anyone who is criminally involved please call 911 or contact Crime Stoppers at 947-STOP.

How to obtain a license:

1. **Written Test:** Pass a 36 question test. You can prepare and study the California Driver Handbook which is available in ten languages. www.dmv.ca.gov
2. **Take Practice Test:** Sample tests can be found on the DMV website.
3. **Proper documents:** Prepare all your documents to demonstrate the Department of Motor Vehicle when applying for your license that proves your residency and verify your identity.
4. **Make an Appointment for your license test.** You can make an appointment online or call DMV customer service at (800) 777-0133

For more information on Crime Prevention tips please visit www.sjpd.org.

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SJPD is asking for the public's assistance in identifying robbery suspect.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Armed Robbery

CASE NUMBER: 14-129-0341

LOCATION: 1600 Block of North Capitol Ave

DATE: May 9, 2014 **TIME:** 10:30 A.M.

SUSPECT: Hispanic or White male

AGE: 25 to 35 years old

HEIGHT: 5'8"

WEIGHT: 160 to 190 lbs

VEHICLE: Newer Toyota sedan, Silver, with a yellow and black rear paper plate

CLOTHING: gray hooded sweatshirt, dark jeans, and sunglasses

San Jose:

On May 9, 2014 at approximately 10:30 A.M., an armed robbery occurred in the 1600 Block of North Capitol Avenue in San Jose. The photographed suspect entered the business and brandished a shotgun. The suspect then struck one of the patrons in the face knocking him to the ground. The suspect demanded cash from the victims then ordered them to get on the ground. The suspect took an undisclosed amount of cash and left in a waiting vehicle driven by another suspect.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Rocky Zanotto of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408) 277-4166.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line at (408) 947-STOP (7867) or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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Armed Robbery - San Jose - 1600 Block N. Capitol Ave



Suspect Photo



Suspect Photo



Suspect Photo

BY: Sgt. Heather Randol #3528
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SJPD has arrested suspect on the City's 16th Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3800 Block of Canyon Ridge Drive

CASE NUMBER: 14-135-0706
DATE: 5/15/2014 **TIME:** 4:59 PM

VICTIM: Patricia Hairston
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 64 years

SUSPECT: Robbie Williams
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 59 years



Suspect Robbie Williams

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has arrested a suspect in connection with the City's 16th Homicide of 2014. On May 15th, 2014 at approximately 4:59 P.M., The SJPD "911" Communications Center received a call regarding a person stabbed inside an residence in the 3800 Block of Canyon Ridge Drive in San Jose. When Officers arrived they located an adult female victim suffering from at least one stab wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital where she was pronounced deceased. The victim was later identified as 64 year old Patricia Hairston of San Jose. Officers located the suspect, Robbie Williams, at the scene and took him into custody without incident.

The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene to conduct the investigation. Homicide investigators identified Robbie Williams as the suspect in the murder of Patricia Hairston. Williams was booked into Santa Clara County Jail. The suspect is the victim's ex-husband.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Binder or Detective Tanner of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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Ref Number:	Date/Time	Type:
6789	05/13/14-4:00 P.M.	Central Gang Enforcement
Location:	Beat:	Division:
Central Division	Edward -1	Central

Details:

On the above date and time, four officers and one sergeant worked overtime to combat gang related issues in the Central Division. Premise checks were conducted at Roosevelt Park, William Street Park, St. James Park, Olinder Park, Jeanne/Forrestdale, Backesto Park and 1st/Gish. Officers conducted extensive patrol of these areas and made contact with multiple subjects. Numerous parole and probation searches were conducted with negative results. There were no major issues to report. 13 man hours were spent in the above areas.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
14-133-0530	05/13/14-2:09 PM	Burglary
Location:	Beat:	Division:
800 Block South 6th Street	Lincoln -1	Western

Details:

Officers were flagged down by citizens reporting a burglary in progress. Two suspects had broken into the victim's home and stolen multiple items. The victim was surprised by the suspects when she arrived home. Officers responded and arrested two suspects in the neighborhood. The stolen property was recovered. The suspects were booked into county jail.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
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14-134-0169	05/14/14-7:00 A.M.	Burglary/Copper theft Suppression
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Location:	Beat:	Division:
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Capital/Tuers	X-Ray -3	Southern
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Details:

A Sergeant and four officers conducted foot patrol in the Guadalupe Creek trail area east of Andrew Hill High School. During the foot patrol, officers contacted 10 subjects, four of which had outstanding warrants.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
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14-134-0456	05/14/14-3:00 P.M.	Warrant Arrests
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Location:	Beat:	Division:
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200 Block of Virginia	Lincoln -1	Western
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Details:

Western Division gang car officers conducted enforcement in area known for high drug and gang activity. Officers contacted a self admitted SSP Surena Gang member. A records check revealed that she had an active felony warrant for vehicle theft. Officers contacted another subject who was a parolee at large, a registered Sex Offender that was out of compliance and had two active felony warrants for his arrest. Officers contacted a third subject who had three outstanding misdemeanor warrants for her arrest for resisting and delaying, battery and theft. All three subjects were booked into jail.

Event Number:	Date/Time	Type:
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14-134-0749	05/14/14-6:26 P.M.	Assault with a Deadly Weapon
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Location:	Beat:	Division:
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1200 Blk. Locust St	Sam -5	Western
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Details:

A suspect struck the victim in the back with a machete. The victim sustained non-life-threatening injuries, and was treated at the scene. The suspect fled in a car and is unidentified and at large. The investigation is active and on-going.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Senter Rd/ Baltic Wy

CASE NUMBER: 14-126-0292
DATE: 4/06/2014 **TIME:** 10:22 AM

VICTIM: Lam, Phuoc Hong Long
ADDRESS: San Jose, CA

AGE: 38 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 15th Homicide of 2014. On May 6, 2014 at approximately 10:22 A.M., San Jose Police responded to the area of Senter Road and Baltic Way on a report of a person who was shot. When officers arrived they located an adult male who was suffering from at least one gun shot wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased. The victim was later identified as 38 year old Phuoc Hong Long Lam.

The motive and circumstances surrounding the incident are still under investigation. The San Jose Police Departments Homicide Unit responded to the scene to take over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

<https://www.tipsubmit.com/WebTips.aspx?AgencyID=504>

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
 DATE: 5/19/2014 TIME: 11:35 AM

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SJPD has arrested MVPD Officer for possession of child pornography.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Possession of Child Pornography
LOCATION: San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 14-133-9701
DATE: 5/13/2014 **TIME:** 2:56 PM

SUSPECT: Nguyen, Kevin
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 36 years



Suspect Kevin Nguyen

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has arrested a suspect for felony possession of child pornography. On May 13, 2014, the San Jose Police Department served a search warrant at a residence in the City of San Jose. Detectives located child pornography on a computer belonging to 36 year old Kevin Nguyen. Kevin Nguyen is a police officer for the City of Mountain View. Nguyen was subsequently arrested and booked into Santa Clara County Jail.

The San Jose Police Department is the lead agency for the Silicon Valley Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force and routinely conducts investigations into child pornography and child exploitation.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Pierce of the San Jose Police Department's Child Exploits Detail at (408) 537-1381.

BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528
DATE: 5/14/2014 TIME: 9:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Greg Lombardo
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Wife and 2 Children orphaned by recent homicide in need of assistance

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WIFE AND CHILDREN WHO WERE ORPHANED BY THE RECENT HOMICIDE IN NEED OF PUBLIC'S ASSISTANCE.

(5/10/2014)

San Jose:

A group of San Jose Police Officer's arranged for donations on behalf of the wife and two children who were orphaned as a result of the recent homicide. San Jose's 15th Homicide victim was shot & killed during a road rage incident and his family needs support.

While homicide detectives continue to work tirelessly to locate and arrest the suspect, other officers within the department expressed a desire to help. These officers created a fundraising opportunity to provide the public with a way to give financial support to the wife and children in their time of need. To date, the fundraising effort has raised over \$6,000.00 in donations.

Members of the public wishing to make a donation may do so on-line at <http://www.youcaring.com/sanjose15homicide>.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
DATE: 5/10/2014 TIME: 2:0 PM

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SJPD has arrested suspect on the City's 13th Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 100 block of Jose Figueres Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 14-119-0528
DATE: 4/29/2014 **TIME:** 2:56 PM

VICTIM: Maravilla, Teresa
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 years

SUSPECT: Alejo, Gabriel
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 years



Suspect Gabriel Alejo

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has arrested a suspect in connection with the City's 13th Homicide of 2014. On April 29, 2014 at approximately 2:56 P.M., The SJPD "911" Communications Center received a call regarding a person stabbed inside an apartment in the 100 block of Jose Figueres Avenue in East San Jose. When Officers arrived they located an adult female victim suffering from at least one stab wound, unconscious and not breathing. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene. The victim was later identified as 28 year old Teresa Maravilla of San Jose.

The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene to conduct the investigation. Homicide investigators identified Gabriel Alejo as the suspect in the murder of Teresa Maravilla. Alejo was subsequently arrested and booked into

Santa Clara County Jail. The suspect and victim were known to each other.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt.Martinez or DetectiveBarg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528
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San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation/Hershey's Corporation Track & Field Games

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- WHAT:** Citywide Hershey's Track & Field Games
- WHO:** San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation, Hershey's Corporation, SJPD Crime Prevention, SJPD PAL Cadet Program, SJPD TABS Program, Mt. Pleasant High School Track Team
- WHEN:** Saturday, May 10, 2014
- WHERE:** Mt. Pleasant High School
1750 S. White Road
San Jose, CA 95127
- TIME:** Check-in at 8:00 am
- DEADLINE:** May 7, 2014

HERSHEY'S

Track & Field Games

Come Run, Jump & Throw - Citywide Youth Track Meet



DETAILS:

All kids between the ages of 9 and 14 are invited to participate in the annual Citywide Youth Track Meet sponsored by the San Jose Police Amateur Athletic Foundation, SJPd Crime Prevention Unit, SJPd PAL Cadet Program, SJPd TABS Program, Mt. Pleasant High School Track Team and the Hershey Corporation. Volunteer groups from San Jose will assist in the running of the meet. Events include track races, standing long jump, and a softball throw. Youth are encouraged to register for any and all events in their age group. Registration is simple, go to <http://www.sjpaaf.org/track.asp> . Also, print out the waiver and bring it with you to the meet. The Meet is free to all participants.

- HERSHEY'S Track & Field Games is the longest-running youth activity program of its kind in North America, and a great entry point for kids ages 9-14 to get active and become engaged in a healthy lifestyle.
- More than 10 million kids have participated in games and benefited from learning the basic skills to enjoy a lifetime of activity.
- HERSHEY'S Track and Field Games is about helping get kids on the right track, teaching lifelong lessons and having fun with every **RUN, JUMP & THROW** along the way

For more information contact Sgt. Jason Pierce #3380 at 408-277-4133



BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
DATE: 4/29/2014 TIME: 10:00am

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Jason Pierce #3380
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SJPD arrested suspects in the City's 11th Homicide of 2014.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide Arrests
LOCATION: Lanai Avenue / Denali Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 14-093-0115
DATE: 04/03/2010 **TIME:** 5:23 AM

VICTIM: Mendoza-Hurtado, Eric
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 25 years (Male)

SUSPECT #1: Martinez, David - Arrested and Booked
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 years (Male)

SUSPECT #2: Guerrero, Richard - Arrested and Booked
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 years (Male)

SUSPECT #3: Guerrero, James - **Wanted**
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 years (Male)

SUSPECT #4: Martinez, Isaac - **Wanted**
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 years (Male)



David Martinez - Arrested



Richard Guerrero - Arrested



James Guerrero - WANTED



Isaac Martinez - WANTED

****UPDATE****

The San Jose Police Department Homicide Unit arrested two suspects in connection with the murder of Eric Mendoza-Hurtado. The investigation revealed the four suspects were involved in the homicide which has been classified as gang related. Suspects David Martinez and Richard Guerrero were arrested and booked into Santa Clara County Jail. Suspects James Guerrero and Isaac Martinez are wanted on arrest warrants in connection with the murder of Eric Mendoza-Hurtado.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Avalos or Detective McDonald of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 11th homicide of 2014. On April 3, 2014 at approximately 5:23 A.M., the San Jose Police Department Communications Center received a report of a victim who had been shot in the area of Lanai Avenue and Denali Avenue in East San Jose. Police arrived and located the victim, later identified as Eric Mendoza-Hurtado, inside his vehicle suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The San Jose Police Department Homicide Unit responded to the scene to conduct the investigation into the motive and circumstances surrounding the murder.

BY: Sgt. Heather Randol #3528
DATE: 4/29/2014 TIME: 11:45 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Kihmm
DATE: 4/29/2014 TIME: 12:00 PM

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 1900 block of Monterey Road

CASE NUMBER: 14-112-0186
DATE: 4/22/2014 **TIME:** 8:04 AM

VICTIM: Dat Nguyen
ADDRESS: Antioch, CA

AGE: 48 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is currently investigating the City's 12th Homicide of 2014. On April 22, 2014 at approximately 8:04 A.M., The SJPD "911" Communications Center received a call regarding a person on the ground and possibly deceased on 1900 block of Monterey Road. When Officers arrived they located an adult male victim with visible injuries, unconscious and not breathing. The victim was immediately pronounced deceased at the scene by medical personnel. The victim was later identified as 48 year old Dat Nguyen.

The motive and circumstances surrounding the victims death are under investigation. The San Jose Police Departments Homicide Unit responded to the scene to take over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Avalos or Detective McDonald of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
 DATE: 4/24/2014 TIME: 8:00 AM

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UPDATE-SUSPECTS ARRESTED -Armed Robbery/Kidnapping for Ransom Investigation

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TYPE OF CRIME: **Update- Suspects Arrested** - Armed Robbery/Kidnapping for Ransom
LOCATION: 3155 Silver Creek Rd (Target Paring Lot)

CASE NUMBER: 14-069-0889
DATE: 3/10/2014 **TIME:** 9:04 PM

VICTIM #1: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 29

SUSPECT #1: Willie Christopher
ADDRESS: Tulare Resident

AGE: 24

SUSPECT #2: Cody Hollinquest
ADDRESS: Antioch Resident

AGE: 18



Suspect #1-Willie Christopher



Suspect #2 - Cody Hollinquest

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has identified and arrested two suspects for Armed Robbery and Kidnapping for Ransom. On Monday March 10th, 2014, the victim arranged to meet a person in a parking lot to purchase numerous high value

cellular telephones. They had met on a classified advertisement website. When the victim arrived at the designated location, she was confronted by two armed male suspects. After determining that the victim did not bring the agreed upon money with her, the suspects forced her into their car and left the area. The suspects ordered the victim to contact her friend, who was in possession of the victims money, and deliver it to them. The suspects drove the victim back to the business and took the money. The victim was released unharmed as the suspects exited the parking lot.

Detectives identified Willie Christopher, age 24, as the suspect whom the victim had arranged the transaction. A warrant was issued for his arrest. In a joint operation with the San Jose and Tulare Police Departments, Willie Christopher was arrested on March 27, 2014 in the Tulare, CA.

The second male involved was identified as Cody Hollinquest, age 18. The San Jose Police Department requested assistance from the Visalia Police Department, and the California Department of Justice Fugitive Task Force in locating Cody Hollinquest. Cody Hollinquest was arrested on April 17, 2014 in Visalia, CA.

Suspects Willie Christopher and Cody Hollinquest were booked into the Santa Clara County Jail on Kidnapping for Ransom and Robbery related charges.

Sergeant Larry Day from the San Jose Police Department Robbery Unit stated, I want to recognize the Tulare and Visalia Police Departments for all of their assistance in this case. The two suspects fled San Jose shortly after the kidnapping and, without the help of Tulare and Visalia, would still be on the streets posing a significant threat towards the community.

Persons wishing to provide information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Brian Meeker of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4166. Persons wishing to provide information anonymously may contact Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers at (408)947-STOP(7867) or may visit www.svcrimestoppers.org and may be eligible for a reward.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
DATE: 4/21/2014 TIME: 2:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Larry Day #2893
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Police Impersonation Telephone Scam

There is currently a telephone scam hitting the City of San Jose in which the suspects call the victims and identify themselves as San Jose Police officers. The impersonators tell the potential victim that they (or a relative) have a warrant or traffic ticket and need to pay off their fine immediately. If they do not pay the fine, they will suffer the consequences of arrest and incarceration. The San Jose Police Department **DOES NOT** collect money over the phone.

If you, or anyone you know, receives a call from a person identifying themselves as a San Jose Police officer requesting an immediate payment to avoid incarceration or arrest, do not pay them! Report the event to the San Jose Police Department at SJPD.org or 311.

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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

San Jose, California
 Friday, April 11, 2014

7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



San Jose, CA -- San Jose Police Department Traffic Unit will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License Checkpoint on Friday, April 11, 2014 at an undisclosed location within the city limit between the hours of 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

The deterrent effect of DUI checkpoints is a proven resource in reducing the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol or drug involved crashes. Research shows that crashes involving alcohol drop by an average of 20 percent when well-publicized checkpoints are conducted often enough.

Officers will be contacting drivers passing through the checkpoint for signs of alcohol and/or drug impairment. Officers will also check drivers for proper licensing and will strive to delay motorists only momentarily. When possible, specially trained officers will be available to evaluate those suspected of drug-impaired driving. Drivers caught driving impaired can expect jail, license suspension, and insurance increases, as well as fines, fees, DUI classes, other expenses that can exceed \$10,000.

In 2010, over 10,000 people were killed nationally in motor vehicle traffic crashes that involved at least one driver or motorcycle rider with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08% or higher. In California, this deadly crime led to 791 deaths because

someone failed to designate a sober driver. "Over the course of the past three years in San Jose, DUI collisions have claimed 32 lives and resulted in 1641 injury crashes harming 531 of our friends and neighbors," said Sgt. Steve Payne.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), checkpoints have provided the most effective documented results of any of the DUI enforcement strategies, while also yielding considerable cost savings of \$6 for every \$1 spent. Based on collision statistics and frequency of DUI arrests, DUI Checkpoints are placed in locations that have the greatest opportunity for achieving drunk and drugged driving deterrence. Locations are chosen with safety considerations for the officers and the public.

"DUI Checkpoints have been an essential part of the phenomenal reduction in DUI deaths that we witnessed since 2006 in California," said Christopher J. Murphy, Director of the Office of Traffic Safety. "But since the tragedy of DUI accounts for nearly one third of traffic fatalities, San Jose needs the high visibility enforcement and public awareness that checkpoints provide."

Funding for this checkpoint is provided to the San Jose Police Department by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, reminding everyone to continue to work together to bring an end to these tragedies. If you see a Drunk Driver -- Call 9-1-1.

MEDIA NOTES: To schedule an interview regarding the San Jose Traffic Safety Operations, please contact Sgt. Steve Payne at (408) 277-4341 or via email 2805@sanjoseca.gov

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At Risk Missing Person has been located.

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TYPE OF INCIDENT: At-Risk Missing Person
LOCATION: Almaden Avenue and W. Alma Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 14-092-0412
DATE: 04/02/2014 **TIME:** 9:00 AM

MISSING PERSON: Raquel Robiedo
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 53:

MISSING PERSON'S DESCRIPTION

ETHNICITY: Hispanic
HEIGHT: 5'5" **WEIGHT:** 165 lbs
HAIR: Brown **CLOTHING:** Red/White coat, blue pants, white shirt, brown beanie, and brown shoes



Update

Raquel Robiedo has been located, unharmed, near Downtown San Jose.

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is currently seeking the public's assistance in locating 53 year old San Jose Resident Raquel Robiedo. Robiedo was reported missing on Thursday, 04/03/2014. Robiedo was last seen in the area of Almaden Avenue and W. Alma Avenue at 9:00 A.M. on 04/02/2014.

The Police Department considers Ms. Robiedo at-risk due to the fact that she suffers from Alzheimer's, dementia, and severe depression. Robiedo has a mental capacity of an 8-10 year old.

Patrol officers conducted a search of the area where she was last seen. An all points bulletin has been sent out to surrounding law enforcement agencies. There is no foul play suspected at this time.

Anyone with information about Robiedo or her whereabouts is urged to call 9-1-1 or Missing Person's Unit at 408-277-4786 and reference police case #14-092-0412.

BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528
DATE: 4/03/2014 TIME: 12:05 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Heather Randol
DATE: 4/03/2014 TIME: 9:05 AM

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SJPD Arrested suspect in the City's 5th Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 100 Block of S. Market Street

CASE NUMBER: 14-037-0012
DATE: 2/06/2014 **TIME:** 12:20 AM

VICTIM: Rosario, Jason
ADDRESS: Transient

AGE: 26 years

SUSPECT: Ryan Goodson
ADDRESS: Transient

AGE: 34 Years



Suspect Ryan Goodson

UPDATE

The San Jose Police Department has identified a suspect in the fifth homicide of 2014. Suspect Ryan Goodson has been formally charged with murder in the stabbing death of victim Jason Rosario, which occurred on the sidewalk in the 100 Block of South Market Street on February 6th, 2014, at approximately 12:20 A.M. At the time of the filing, Goodson was already in custody in Santa Clara County Jail after recently pleading guilty to assaulting several Palo Alto police officers. The assault in Palo Alto, for which Goodson has agreed to serve eight years in prison, occurred less than fifteen hours after Goodson killed Rosario.

Lt. Michael Kihmm from the San Jose Police Department Homicide Unit stated, *I want to recognize the San Jose Police*

Departments patrol officers who initially responded to this call. Their work at the initial crime scene by preserving evidence was crucial in the identification of the suspect and resulted in building a solid case. This is especially notable because the homicide occurred in the middle of night and during a heavy rainstorm."

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 5th homicide of 2014. On Wednesday, February 6, 2014 at approximately 12:20 A.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about a person stabbed in the 100 Block of South Market Street in Downtown San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim suffering from at least one stab wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital and pronounced deceased a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Martinez or Detective Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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TYPE OF CRIME: **Update- Suspect Arrested** Double Homicide
LOCATION: 300 Block of N. 7th Street

CASE NUMBER: 12-205-0151
DATE: 7/23/2012 **TIME:** 4:21 AM

VICTIM #1: Pedro Jimenez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28

VICTIM #2: Marybel Jimenez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27

SUSPECT: Pedro Medina
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 31 (Pictured Below)



Suspect Pedro Medina



Tattoo - Right Lower Leg
Picture of the Grim Reaper



Tattoo - Right Upper Back
Initials "PMC"

****UPDATE****
(March 28, 2014)

On March 27, 2014 Suspect Pedro Medina was extradited back to the United States by US Marshals Service and handed over to San Jose Police Department homicide detectives. Suspect Medina was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for two counts of murder.

Homicide Commander Lt. Mike Kihmm said, "On behalf of the San Jose Police Department, we would like to thank the Office of the Mexican Attorney-General (PGR) in Mexico and United States Marshals Office for assisting us in the apprehension of this double murder suspect. Pedro Medina was arrested and taken into custody in the area of Guadalajara (Mexico). He was extradited back to the United States yesterday and will now face prosecution for the murder of the two victims."

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in locating a suspect in the City's most recent homicide case which occurred on July 23rd. San Jose Police Homicide Detectives have identified Pedro Castellon Medina as the suspect responsible for the killings. Detectives believe that the suspect is either en route or has already arrived in Southern California. Possible destinations in Southern California include Los Angeles, San Fernando, or San Diego. The suspect may possibly be attempting to flee to Mexico. The suspect may use aliases to avoid detection. It is believed that the suspect knows he is wanted. If the suspect is spotted, citizens are encouraged to call 9-1-1. Citizens should not attempt to apprehend the suspect as he is considered armed and dangerous.

The incident in question occurred at approximately 4:21 A.M. on July 23rd. The San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 call center received a report of shots being fired in the 300 block of N. 7th Street. Upon arrival, officers located a residence they believed to be involved. Officers entered the residence to conduct a protective sweep and subsequently located the two homicide victims. Both victims had been shot and were pronounced dead at the scene. Three children living in the residence were recovered safely by officers at the scene.

The motive behind the homicides appears to be domestic violence related. This incident marks San Jose's 21st and 22nd homicides of 2012.

Persons wishing to provide information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Sergeant Stewart Davies or Detective Brian Spears in the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to provide information anonymously may contact Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers at (408)947-STOP(7867) or may visit www.svcrimestoppers.org and may be eligible for a reward.

BY: Sgt. Jason Dwyer #3551
DATE: 7/25/2012 TIME: 7:40 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Det. Brian Spears
DATE: 7/25/2012 TIME: 8:00 PM

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UPDATE-Suspect Arrested SJPD Is Investigating the City's 3rd Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: *Update-Suspect Arrested* Homicide
LOCATION: Loma Verde Dr / Eden Ave

CASE NUMBER: 14-014-0712
DATE: 1/14/2014 **TIME:** 5:31 PM

VICTIM: Hyman, Steve
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 34 years

SUSPECT: Jesus Bustos
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 35 Years



Suspect Bustos

UPDATE

(3/26/2014)

The San Jose Police Department has arrested a suspect in connection with the City's 3rd homicide of 2014. On Tuesday March 25, 2014 the San Jose Police Department arrested 35 year old San Jose resident Jesus Bustos for the murder of Steve Hyman. Suspect Bustos was arrested in San Jose without incident and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail.

After a lengthy follow up investigation, homicide detectives were able to identify suspect Bustos. The incident has been classified as gang related and the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office will be adding a gang enhancement charge. The suspect and the victim did not know each other.

Homicide Commander Lt. Mike Kihmm said, "This was an extensive and complicated homicide investigation involving gangs in our community. It is another great example of the hard work the homicides detectives, Gang Suppression Unit, Metro Unit, and CRU did to solve this homicide for the victim's family and the citizens of San Jose."

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 3rd homicide of 2014. On Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at approximately 5:31 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about shots fired and a person down in the area of Loma Verde Drive and Eden Avenue in San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Davies or Detective Sgt. Binder of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528
DATE: 1/16/2014 TIME: 3:00 PM

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: North 2nd Street / East St John

CASE NUMBER: 14-078-0069
DATE: 3/19/2014 **TIME:** 2:49 AM

VICTIM: Regier, Dusty
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 34 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is currently investigating the City's 10th homicide of 2014. On Wednesday, March 19, 2014 at approximately 2:49 A.M., San Jose Police "911" Communications Center received information about unresponsive male subject in the area of North 2nd Street at East St. John in Downtown San Jose. Upon arrival officers located the unresponsive adult male, later identified as Dusty Regier, lying on the street. Victim Regier suffered from at least one stab wound and was pronounced deceased at the scene.

San Jose Police homicide detectives responded to the scene and took over the investigation. There are no suspects in custody.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Martinez or Detective Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 5100 block of Epling Lane

CASE NUMBER: 14-076-0908
DATE: 3/17/2014 **TIME:** 9:30 PM

VICTIM: Tony Thanh Nhan Nguyen
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 26 years

SUSPECT: Withheld
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is currently investigating the City's 9th homicide of 2014. On Monday, March 17, 2014 at approximately 9:30 P.M., San Jose Police "911" Communications Center received information about an unresponsive male inside a residence in the 5100 Block of Epling Lane in South San Jose. Upon arrival officers located a deceased male, later identified as Tony Nguyen, who suffered from at least one gunshot wound. Nguyen was pronounced deceased at the scene. San Jose Police homicide detectives responded to the scene and took over the investigation.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Binder or Detective Tanner of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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SJPD Officer arrest for alleged sexual assault

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TYPE OF CRIME: Sexual Assault
LOCATION: San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 14-289-0728

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: Withheld

SUSPECT: Officer Geoffrey Graves #4101
ADDRESS: Withheld

AGE: 38
Experience: 6 Years



San Jose:

On Monday March 10, 2014, Officer Geoff Graves was arrested for one count of felony sexual assault. The San Jose Police Department's Criminal Investigation Detail (CID) completed a five month investigation and presented its findings to the Santa Clara County District Attorneys Office who filed one count of forcible rape. Officer Graves self-surrendered and was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail. Officer Graves is a six year veteran and has been placed on paid administrative leave since our Department was made aware of this criminal allegation.

The investigation into the incident revealed that on September 22, 2013, San Jose Police Department officers responded to a

family disturbance. When officers arrived they made contact with the involved individuals who admitted to having a verbal argument. At some point a decision was made that the involved female would leave the residence and relocate to a hotel. SJPD officers facilitated the transportation of the female subject to a local area hotel then left. Officer Graves remained nearby and reinitiated contact with the female in her hotel room. According to the female, the officer sexually assaulted her.

On October 15, 2013, this incident was brought to the attention of the San Jose Police Department who initiated a criminal investigation into the allegation. At the conclusion of the C.I.D. investigation and Santa Clara County District Attorney filing, an arrest warrant was issued for Officer Graves.

Chief Esquivel stated, "Please know that once I became aware of this incident, we quickly and proactively initiated a criminal investigation in cooperation with the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office. This is an extremely serious allegation, and if proven true, the officer will be held accountable. While this incident is very troubling and tugs at our integrity, it is an isolated incident and by no means a reflection of our officers who perform their duties with honor and professionalism on a daily basis."

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San Jose Police Department arrests suspects in Robbery String

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TYPE OF CRIME: Robbery String
LOCATION:

DATE: December 28, 2013 - February 28, 2014

SUSPECT #1: Jesus Beltran Escobar
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 25

SUSPECT #2: Angel Rodriguez-Leon
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22

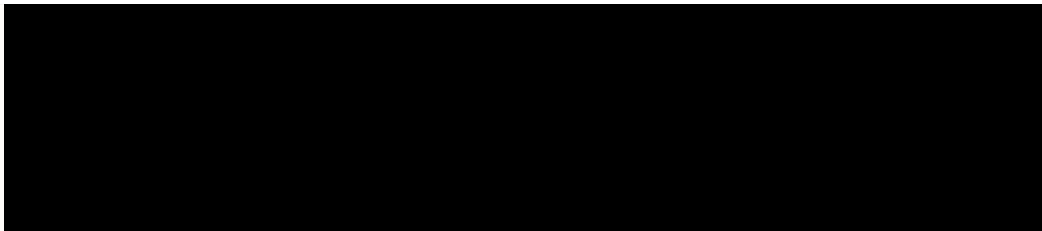


Suspect: Jesus Beltran Escobar



Suspect: Angel Rodriguez-Leon

San Jose Police Department arrests suspects in string of Robberies.



Security Cam Video and Helicopter Video

San Jose:

Between December 28, 2013 and February 28, 2014, a series of 20 armed robberies occurred at various liquor stores and small markets in the City of San Jose. The suspects would enter the store, point handguns at the victim cashier, then demand cash. The suspects often forced the victim to get on the ground or move around the store.

Fearing for their lives, the victims would comply. After the robbery, the suspects would flee on foot to a waiting vehicle. The suspects commonly committed several robberies in one night. Over the last week, the suspects became more brazen discharging a firearm during the commission of the robbery. Robbery Detectives dubbed the suspects the "Can't Stop Won't Stop" Bandits due to their frequent robberies attempts.

Robbery Detectives and Special Operation Units worked together to take the suspects into custody. In the late night hours of February 28th, 2014 the robbers struck twice. The first robbery occurred at a small market in the Berryessa area. Approximately two hours later, they struck again at a store in Willow Glen robbing both the clerk as well as a customer. An officer was able to spot the armed suspect as he exited the store and jumped into a waiting vehicle. The officer was able to summon other officers of the Special Operations Division as well as several Detectives.

Officers stopped the vehicle and the two occupants attempted to flee on foot. The passenger was armed with a handgun. Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office Star 1 assisted officers and were instrumental in the apprehension. Uniformed officers and detectives were able to arrest both suspects without any injuries. The handgun used in the robberies was stolen in a residential burglary. The suspects, Jesus Beltran and Angel Rodriguez-Leon, were booked into Santa Clara County Jail for multiple armed robberies.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Zanotto or Detective Gular of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4116. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

San Jose, California
 Friday, March 7, 2014

7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



San Jose, CA -- San Jose Police Department Traffic Unit will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License Checkpoint on Friday, March 7, 2014 at an undisclosed location within the city limit between the hours of 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

The deterrent effect of DUI checkpoints is a proven resource in reducing the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol or drug involved crashes. Research shows that crashes involving alcohol drop by an average of 20 percent when well-publicized checkpoints are conducted often enough.

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MEDIA NOTES: To schedule an interview regarding the San Jose Traffic Safety Operations, please contact Sgt. Steve Payne at (408) 277-4341 or via email 2805@sanjoseca.gov

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Snell Ave/Capitol Expwy

CASE NUMBER: 14-047-0538
DATE: 2/16/2014 **TIME:** 3:07 PM

VICTIM: Eric Vallejo
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 23 years

SUSPECT #1: Andrew Reynoso
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 24

SUSPECT #2: Davinna Mariscal
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21



Andrew Reynoso



Davinna Mariscal

UPDATE

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has arrested two suspects in connection with the February 16, 2014 murder of Eric Vallejo that occurred at Capitol Expressway and Snell Avenue in San Jose. On Sunday February 16, 2014 at approximately 3:07 P.M. San Jose Police "911" Communications Center received information of a person who was hit by a vehicle and the vehicle fled the scene in the area of Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male, later identified as Eric

Vallejo, who was lying on the ground bleeding. Victim Vallejo was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

Preliminary information into the homicide revealed that a group of subjects were involved in a confrontation at the Capitol Flea Market. The disturbance continued near the intersection of Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. At some point Eric Vallejo was struck by a vehicle in the middle of the street at Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. The two groups of subjects fled the scene prior to police arrival.

On Saturday, February 22, 2014, the San Jose Police Department took suspect Andrew Reynoso into custody for the murder of Eric Vallejo and booked him into the Santa Clara County Jail. Reynoso was arrested in San Jose without incident. The initial investigation determined this incident was gang related. A second suspect, Davinna Mariscal, was also taken into custody on February 18, 2014, for being an accessory after the fact and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail. Suspect Mariscal was arrested in San Jose without incident.

San Jose Police homicide detectives are currently looking for a charcoal colored 2008 E-550 Mercedes Benz with license plate 7DMZ599 with rear end damage.



Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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SJPD Investigating Fatal Officer Involved Shooting Involving University Police

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TYPE OF CRIME: Brandishing a Weapon/ Officer Involved Shooting

LOCATION: 8th Street/ San Salvador Street

SUSPECT: Withheld

VICTIM OFFICER: Sgt. Mike Santos

CASE: 14-052-0291

DATE: 2/21/2014 **TIME:**

AGE: Hispanic Male Adult

Experience: 15 years (San Jose State University Police Department)

San Jose:

On 2/21/2014, at approximately 10:55 A.M., the San Jose State University Police Department responded to a call of a man with a knife on campus who was waving it around and acting strange. University Police Officers spotted the subject in the area of 8th Street and San Salvador Street in possession of a knife.

Officers exited their patrol vehicles and attempted to verbally contact the suspect from a safe distance and ordered him to drop the knife. The subject did not comply with the officer's demands. One officer utilized his Taser, but it had no effect. The suspect advanced on the officer with the knife raised and the second officer, a University Police Sergeant, believing the other officer was about to be stabbed, fired at least one round at the suspect in defense of the life of the other officer. The suspect was struck at least one time and fell to the ground. The suspect was transported to local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased. Only one of the two involved patrol officers fired at the suspect.

The incident is being investigated by the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit because it occurred in the City of San Jose jurisdiction. No San Jose Police Officers were involved. In addition, the knife the suspect was brandishing is described as a 12 inch saw blade similar to a tool with a jagged blade used for cutting drywall.

Persons with information about this case are urged to contact Detective Sergeants Martinez or Binder in the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3500 block of Pine Ridge Way

CASE NUMBER: 14-051-0726
DATE: 2/20/2014 **TIME:** 7:56 PM

VICTIM: James Zamudio
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 years

SUSPECT: Withheld
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is currently investigating the City's 8th homicide of 2014. On Thursday February 20, 2014 at approximately 7:56 P.M., San Jose Police "911" Communications Center received information about shots fired on the 3500 block of Pine Ridge Way in East San Jose. Upon arrival officers made contact with the reporting party who said an unknown subject attempted to break into his home. He confronted the suspect and a shooting occurred. The reporting party did not report any injuries. The reporting party said he armed himself with a firearm and fired in the direction of the suspect. Two subjects got into a vehicle and fled the scene at a high rate of speed. The reporting party called police to report the incident. San Jose Police arrived on scene, but did not locate the suspect or the suspect vehicle. A short time later, officers were informed that an adult male, later identified as James Zamudio, was dropped off at a local area hospital suffering from at least one gun shot wound. Zamudio was pronounced deceased at the hospital.

San Jose Police homicide detectives responded to the scene and took over the investigation.

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7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



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SJPD introduces the Community Liaison Officer pilot program

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The San Jose Police Department is pleased to announce the Community Liaison Officer position.

Establishing strong and trusting relationships throughout our community is a part of our Department's RCITI core principles. As an organization we have worked hard this past year to enhance our community partnerships. We have made great strides in these partnerships but there is still work to be done within our diverse communities. There are various communities that have language and cultural barriers that must be bridged in order to strengthen our customer service. Our City's diverse population continues to change, evolve and grow. The San Jose Police Department and our many communities would benefit from the formation of a proactive culturally sensitive outreach component within our Department, aimed at providing media updates and information to our diverse communities.

We are instituting a new collateral officer position called the **Community Liaison Officer (CLO)**. This will be a pilot program and the assigned officer will work closely with our Press Information Officer staff. The CLO will assist them with media interviews and Public Service Announcements. The CLO will coordinate with the School Liaison Unit in order to strengthen community relations.

This pilot program will collaborate with the Latino community and be closely monitored, and evaluated before the September, 2014 Shift Change. If successful, the Department may continue the program and open up this collateral assignment so other officers can serve other minority groups within our community.

Questions about our Community Liaison Officer can be directed to Sergeant Heather Randol or Officer Albert Morales of the San Jose Police Department's Press Information Office at (408) 277-5339.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Snell Ave/Capitol Expwy

CASE NUMBER: 14-047-0538
DATE: 2/16/2014 **TIME:** 3:01 PM

VICTIM: Eric Vallejo
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 23 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 7th homicide of 2014. On Sunday February 16, 2014 at approximately 3:07 P.M., San Jose Police "911" Communications Center received information of a person who was hit by a vehicle and the vehicle fled the scene in the area of Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male who was lying on the ground bleeding. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

Preliminary information into the homicide revealed that a group of subjects were involved in a confrontation at the Capitol Flea Market. The disturbance continued near the intersection of Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. At some point an adult male victim was struck by a vehicle in the middle of the street at Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. The two groups of subjects fled the scene prior to police arrival. The adult male victim was pronounced deceased at the scene.

A short time later two adult males walked into Santa Teresa Kaiser. The two subjects were suffering from non-life threatening injuries. One of the subjects sustained at least one stab wound. After further investigation, it was determined that these two subjects were involved in the physical altercation that occurred at the intersection of Snell Avenue and Capitol Expressway. The relationship between the decedent and the two subjects at the hospital is unknown.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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SJPD has identified carjacking suspect in officer involved shooting incident

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TYPE OF CRIME: Carjacking, Assault with a Deadly Weapon & Burglary **CASE:** 14-014-0160

LOCATION: Kotake Court

DATE: 2/09/2014 **TIME:** 3:20 A.M.

SUSPECT: Martinez, Gulmaro

AGE: 28

VICTIM OFFICER: Marco Monzon #4147

AGE: 29

Experience: 5 years



Martinez, Gulmaro

On February 13th, 2014, the Santa Clara County District Attorneys Office formally charged Gulmaro Martinez (DOB 11/10/1985, PFN #DYQ125) with multiple felony counts stemming from a crime spree over the weekend. On February 9th, 2014, at approximately 2:30 A.M., Martinez forced his way into a residence on Waterman Court in San Jose. Once inside, he proceeded to assault members of the family that were sleeping at the time. Two adults and one minor were transported to a local hospital and treated for multiple head lacerations. Martinez was armed with a shotgun during the attack.

At approximately 3:00 A.M., Martinez carjacked a victim at an address on Holly Drive in San Jose. Martinez, still armed with the shotgun, forcibly took the victims vehicle and fled from the scene.

Responding San Jose Police Officers quickly identified Martinez in the stolen car and a vehicle pursuit ensued. Martinez led police on a roughly five minute long chase through a residential neighborhood that ended when he turned down Kotake Court, a dead-end street. Officers blocked Martinez' path of escape and Martinez, still armed with the shotgun, rammed a marked patrol car, injuring the officer inside. Officer Monzon #4147 discharged his service weapon at Martinez, striking him twice. After an intense struggle, Martinez was

ultimately arrested, but not before he injured additional officers including one officer who was bitten by the suspect. The suspect was transported to a local hospital, where he was treated for non-life threatening injuries. Fortunately, no officers were seriously injured.

The District Attorneys Office filed multiple felony charges against Martinez, including burglary, six counts of assault with a deadly weapon, and carjacking.

BY:
Sgt. Heather Randol #3528
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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 900 Block of N. 1st Street
VICTIM: Sandra Cruzes-Gonzalez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident
SUSPECT: Juan Ramirez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

CASE: 13-081-0523
DATE: 3/22/2013 **TIME:** 2:37 PM
AGE: 29
AGE: 25



Suspect vehicle, a dark green 1996 Toyota T-100 truck, is similar to the one pictured above.



Suspect Juan Ramirez

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help locating Suspect Juan Ramirez in connection to a 2013 homicide in San Jose. On 3/22/2013, at approximately 2:37 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 Communications Center received a report of a person stabbed in the 900 block of N. First Street in San Jose. Upon arrival, patrol officers located the victim, 29 year old San Jose Resident Sandra Cruzes-Gonzalez, down in the parking lot of her apartment complex suffering from multiple stab wounds. The victim was transported to Valley Medical Center via ambulance where she was pronounced deceased at 3:15 P.M.

Preliminary investigation into the homicide has revealed that that the Suspect, Juan Ramirez, confronted the victim in the

parking lot. The suspect then stabbed the victim multiple times before fleeing on foot. Homicide Detectives believe the suspect may have fled the area and may be out of state or in Mexico. Ramirez is possibly driving a dark green, 1996 Toyota T-100 pick-up truck.

The victim and suspect had a prior dating relationship that ended approximately two years before the murder. However, the suspect began stalking the victim after the break up. The victim had an active restraining order against the suspect at the time of her death..

Persons with information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Ray Avalos or Detective John Barg in the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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SJPD Is Investigating the City's 5th Homicide of 2014

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 100 Block of S. Market Street

CASE NUMBER: 14-037-0012
DATE: 2/06/2014 **TIME:** 12:20 AM

VICTIM: Rosario, Jason
ADDRESS: Transient

AGE: 26 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 5th homicide of 2014. On Wednesday, February 6, 2014 at approximately 12:20 A.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about a person stabbed in the 100 Block of South Market Street in Downtown San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim suffering from at least one stab wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital and pronounced deceased a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Martinez or Detective Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Kihmm #3102
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SJPD asking for public's help in identifying armed robbery suspects
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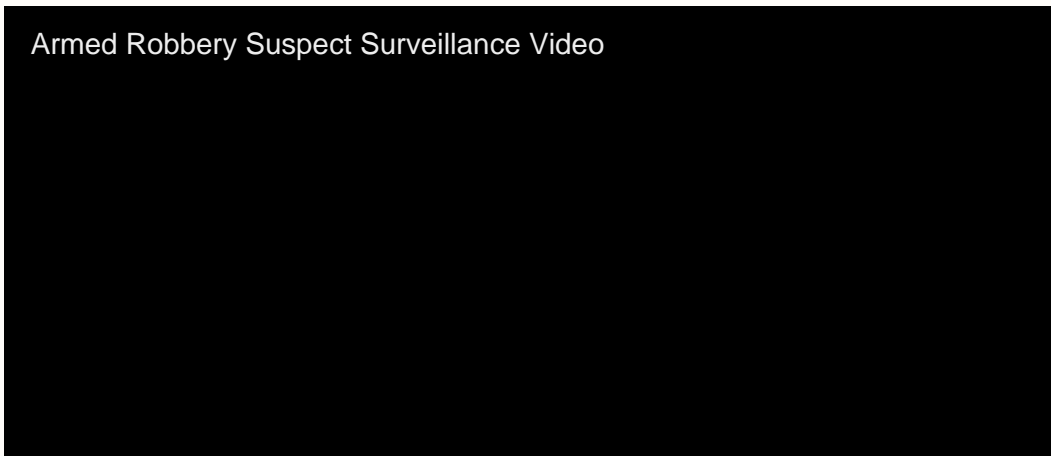
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SUSPECTS: Unknown

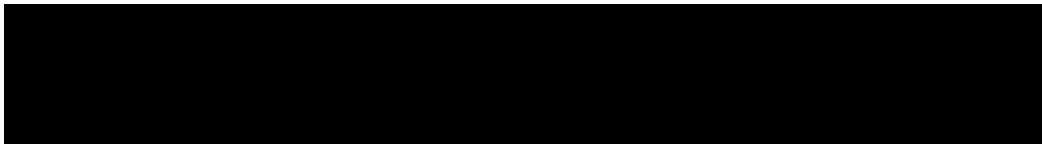
CASE NUMBER: Various
SUSPECT #1 DESCRIPTION: Hispanic Male, early to mid 20's, 5'8" - 5'10", 175-190 pounds, short black hair with a goatee

ADDRESS: Unknown
DATE/TIMES/LOCATIONS:

- October 27, 2013, 3:00 AM: 2460 Fontaine Road
- October 27, 2013, 3:00 AM: Capitol Expressway/King Road
- October 27, 2013, 3:57 AM: 2155 Story Road
- October 27, 2013, 4:00 AM: 990 N. 17th Street
- October 27, 2013, 4:07 AM: 30 S. 11th Street
- October 27, 2013, 4:15 AM: 795 N. 13th Street
- October 27, 2013, 5:00 AM: 1679 Monterey Road

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Suspect Photo



Suspect Photo



Suspect Photo

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying and locating suspects involved in a recent series of armed robberies in San Jose. On October 27 2013, beginning at 3:00 A.M., a series of armed robberies occurred in the city of San Jose. The suspects committed an armed carjacking and pistol whipped the victim. The suspects used the victim's vehicle to commit several more armed robberies of pedestrians in a short period of time. The gunman pistol whipped the victims and their property was taken.

A black Cadillac Escalade and dark four door vehicle (possibly Honda or Toyota) are associated to the robberies.

At least 3 Hispanic males are involved in the above robberies. The gunman is the subject pictured in photo above with the black jacket and red sleeves. The seven robberies to include the carjacking all occurred within a span of few hours. The suspects should be considered armed and dangerous.

Persons with information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Todd Jennings of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Officer Albert Morales
DATE: 2/04/2014 TIME: 1:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. T. Morales #2907
DATE: 2/04/2014 TIME: 1:45 PM

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Arrest Homicide #4- 3400 block of Suncrest Avenue

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide Arrest
LOCATION: 3400 block of Suncrest Ave

CASE NUMBER: 14-026-0063
DATE: 01/26/2014 **TIME:** 1:24 AM

VICTIM: Richard Phan
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 Years

SUSPECT #1: Anh Tong
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18 Years

SUSPECT #2: Duc Tong
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18 Years



Anh Tong



Duc Tong

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has arrested two suspects in the January 26, 2014 murder of Richard Phan that occurred on the 3400 block of Suncrest Avenue in San Jose. On January 26, 2014 at approximately 1:24 A.M., the San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 communications center received a report of a person stabbed. Officers arrived on scene and located the victim, later identified as Richard Phan, suffering from at least one stab wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased.

Preliminary investigation into the murder revealed that the victim was at the home of a friend celebrating a birthday on Suncrest Avenue. At some point, a fight broke out and the victim was stabbed. The suspects turned on the victim and stabbed him at least one time. The suspects fled the scene and were not located that day. The victim was pronounced deceased a short time later.

Homicide detectives arrived on scene and took over the investigation. Thorough investigations lead to the identification and the arrest of twin brothers who were invited to the birthday celebration by a guest of the host.

On January 27, 2014, the San Jose Police Department's METRO and Gang Suppression Units located and arrested twin brothers Anh and Duc Tong in San Jose without incident. The suspects were booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for homicide.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Newton or Detective Corral of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Kihmm #3102
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The Law Enforcement Unit (CADET PROGRAM) was created to introduce young people to law enforcement as a career opportunity. The cadet program was first organized by the Boy Scouts of America in 1964. The Explorer Program was then administered by volunteers of the San Jose Police Department. In 1968 the program was transferred to direct sponsorship by SJPD when the Police Activities League was formed. Also in 1968 young women first joined the ranks of the cadets. The San Jose Police Activities League is committed to maintain an outstanding career training program for its police cadets.

Cadet meetings are held every Tuesday from 5pm to 6:30pm. The purpose of these meetings is to educate each cadet in different areas of the San Jose Police Department and other law enforcement agencies. Films, guest speakers, lectures, practical exercises and demonstrations are used. Field trips are taken to police departments, prisons and other law enforcement related locations. Cadets are required to put in 15 volunteer hours each month. Cadets gain field experience by assisting members of the San Jose Police Department when called upon. The cadets participate in such events and activities as Fantasy Flight, DUI checkpoints, crowd control and our ride along program.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Loma Verde Dr / Eden Ave

CASE NUMBER: 14-014-0712
DATE: 1/14/2014 **TIME:** 5:31 PM

VICTIM: Hyman, Steve
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 34 years

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 3rd homicide of 2014. On Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at approximately 5:31 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about shots fired and a person down in the area of Loma Verde Drive and Eden Avenue in San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Davies or Detective Sgt. Binder of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283.

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SJPD has arrested a suspect in the series of fires in San Jose.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Arson

LOCATION: Downtown San Jose Area

CASE NUMBER: 14-012-0249

DATE: January 8 - January 12, 2014

SUSPECT: Patrick William Brennan

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 48

San Jose:

On January 15, 2014 at approximately 8:10 P.M., the San Jose Police Department arrested Patrick William Brennan of San Jose as the person responsible for setting a series of fires in San Jose. After an extensive investigation, the San Jose Police Department, in conjunction with the San Jose Fire Department, have confirmed Brennan is responsible for setting at least 12 fires between January 8 and January 12, 2014. On January 15, 2014, the San Jose Police Department Bureau of Investigations along with Special Operations Units served a search warrant at Brennan's residence, took him into custody, and booked him on 2 counts of arson. Brennan is currently being held in the Santa Clara County Main Jail on \$1,000,000 bail.

The San Jose Police Department is continuing the investigation in conjunction with the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office and will potentially include additional counts of arson.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Jesus Mendoza or Detective Todd Jennings of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4166.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.



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San Jose Police Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint, Friday, January 17, 2014

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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

San Jose, California
Friday, January 17, 2014

7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



San Jose, CA -- San Jose Police Department Traffic Unit will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License Checkpoint on Friday, January, 2014 at an undisclosed location within the city limit between the hours of 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

The deterrent effect of DUI checkpoints is a proven resource in reducing the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol or drug involved crashes. Research shows that crashes involving alcohol drop by an average of 20 percent when well-publicized checkpoints are conducted often enough.

Officers will be contacting drivers passing through the checkpoint for signs of alcohol and/or drug impairment. Officers will also check drivers for proper licensing and will strive to delay motorists only momentarily. When possible, specially trained officers will be available to evaluate those suspected of drug-impaired driving. Drivers caught driving impaired can expect jail, license suspension, and insurance increases, as well as fines, fees, DUI classes, other expenses that can exceed \$10,000.

In 2010, over 10,000 people were killed nationally in motor vehicle traffic crashes that involved at least one driver or motorcycle rider with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08% or higher. In California, this deadly crime led to 791 deaths because

someone failed to designate a sober driver. "Over the course of the past three years in San Jose, DUI collisions have claimed 32 lives and resulted in 1641 injury crashes harming 531 of our friends and neighbors," said Sgt. Steve Payne.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), checkpoints have provided the most effective documented results of any of the DUI enforcement strategies, while also yielding considerable cost savings of \$6 for every \$1 spent. Based on collision statistics and frequency of DUI arrests, DUI Checkpoints are placed in locations that have the greatest opportunity for achieving drunk and drugged driving deterrence. Locations are chosen with safety considerations for the officers and the public.

"DUI Checkpoints have been an essential part of the phenomenal reduction in DUI deaths that we witnessed since 2006 in California," said Christopher J. Murphy, Director of the Office of Traffic Safety. "But since the tragedy of DUI accounts for nearly one third of traffic fatalities, San Jose needs the high visibility enforcement and public awareness that checkpoints provide."

Funding for this checkpoint is provided to the San Jose Police Department by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, reminding everyone to continue to work together to bring an end to these tragedies. If you see a Drunk Driver -- Call 9-1-1.

MEDIA NOTES: To schedule an interview regarding the San Jose Traffic Safety Operations, please contact Sgt. Steve Payne at (408) 277-4341 or via email 2805@sanjoseca.gov

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UPDATE SJPD arrest suspect in connection with City's 41st Homicide of 2013

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TYPE OF CRIME: **Update** Homicide Arrest
LOCATION: 1600 block of West San Carlos St

CASE NUMBER: 13-319-0825
DATE: 11/15/2013 **TIME:** 7:32 PM

VICTIMS: Pedro Meza Hernandez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 Years

SUSPECT: Andrew Daniel Rodriguez
ADDRESS: Hayward, Ca

AGE: 20 Years



Suspect Rodriguez

****UPDATE****
(January 14, 2014)

On Friday, January 10th, 2014, San Jose Police, with the assistance from the Fortuna Police Department, arrested 20 year old Andrew Daniel Rodriguez for an outstanding arrest warrant charging him with murder. The warrant was the result of an investigation into the shooting death of Pedro Hernandez on November 15, 2013. Suspect Rodriguez was booked into the

Humboldt County Jail, where he is awaiting extradition to Santa Clara County.

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 41st homicide of 2013. On Friday, November 15, 2013 at approximately 7:32 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 Communications Center received a report of a person shot in the 1600 block of West San Carlos Street in San Jose. Upon arrival, patrol officers located an adult male victim suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim, later identified as Pedro Meza Hernandez, was transported to a local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased at approximately 8:55 P.M.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. Preliminary indications into the murder revealed that it was gang related. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. No suspects have been identified or apprehended.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Martinez or Detective Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-4166.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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UPDATESJPD Arrest 7th Suspect In Connection with the City's 25th Homicide of 2013

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TYPE OF CRIME: **Update**Homicide Arrest
LOCATION: 1600 block of Virginia

CASE NUMBER: 13-170-0757

VICTIM: Manuel Urzoua
ADDRESS: San Jose, CA

AGE: 16 years (Male)

SUSPECT #1: Juan Tafolla
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 years (Male)

SUSPECT #2: Juvenile
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 15 years (Male)

SUSPECT #3: Olsen Garcia Sanchez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 25 years (Male)

SUSPECT #4: Juvenile
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 17 years (Male)

SUSPECT #5: Jorge Ibarez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 years (Male)

AGE: 34 Years (Male)

SUSPECT #6: Antonio Sanchez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 16 Years (Male)

SUSPECT #7#: Withheld
ADDRESS: Lakewood, Wa



S#1-Juan Tafolla Godinez



S#3-Olsen Garcia Sanchez



S#5-Jorge Ibarez



S#6-Antonio Sanchez

****UPDATE #2****
(January 14,2014)

The San Jose Police Department identified a 7th suspect in connection with the June 19, 2013 murder of Manuel Urzoua. After continuous follow up investigation on this case, San Jose Police Homicide Detectives received information on this additional juvenile suspect. A homicide warrant was issued for the juveniles arrest. On January 8, 2014, Lakewood Police Department (Lakewood, Wa.) arrested the juvenile without incident. The juvenile will be extradited to San Jose and held to answer for the murder of Urzoua.

****UPDATE****
(October 22, 2013)

The San Jose Police Department has identified/arrested six suspects in the June 19, 2013 murder of Manuel Urzoua. The Department's Covert Response Unit located and arrested Suspect #4 (Juvenile) in San Jose on October 8, 2013. Suspect #2 (Juvenile) and Suspect #5 Jorge Ibarez were already in custody on unrelated charges when they were arrested on October 8th, 2013. The Department's Covert Response Unit located and arrested Suspect #6 Antonio Sanchez in San Jose on October 10, 2013. Suspect #3 Olsen Garcia Sanchez was arrested by patrol units on October 15, 2013. Suspect #1 Juan Tafolla Godinez was arrested by the U.S. Marshal Service in Washington State on October 18, 2013. The Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office has filed murder charges on five of the six suspects. Suspect #6 Antonio Sanchez is being charged with P.C. 32-Accessory After the Fact. All six suspects are being charged with a gang enhancement. The homicide is believed to be gang-related.

In addition, The Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office will charge the two juvenile suspects as adults.

Homicide Commander Lt. Mike Kihmm commented, "After several months of conducting many interviews by our Homicide detectives, I am proud to say they were able to solve this case. Also, it is six less gang members off the streets causing fear to our communities in San Jose. I also want to commend our Covert Response Unit (CRU) and the United States Marshal's office for assisting us in the apprehension efforts of these suspects."

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 25th Homicide of 2013. On 6/19/2013, at approximately 6:06 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 Communications Center received a report of a male who had been shot on the 1600 block of Virginia Avenue in East San Jose. Upon arrival, officers located a male who was suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital and treated for life threatening injuries. On 6/20/2013 the victim, later identified as 16 year old Manuel Urzoua, was pronounced deceased at the hospital. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

San Jose Police Homicide Detectives determined the murder was gang-related.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Davies or Detective Spears of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 400 block of Willow Glen Way

CASE NUMBER: 14-011-0070
DATE: 1/11/2014 **TIME:** 1:40 AM

VICTIM: Anthony Thompson
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 46

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 2nd homicide of 2014. On Saturday , January 11, 2014 at approximately 1:40 A.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about a person down on the sidewalk, not moving, in the 400 block of Willow Glen Way in San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim, later identified as Anthony Thompson, suffering from at least one stab wound. The victim Thompson was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Davies or Detective McDonald of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

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SJPD and San Jose Fire need public's assistance locating Arson Suspect

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TYPE OF CRIME: Arson
LOCATION: Various

DATE: 01/11/2014

SUSPECT: Unknown (Sketch Attached)
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE:



Sketch of Suspect

San Jose:

REWARD

On January 8, 2014 and again on January 9th and 10th between the hours of 2-6 a.m., multiple separate arson fires struck the Downtown Neighborhood in San Jose. These fires occurred between Santa Clara St. and William St. to the south and 17th St. and 33rd St. to the east. These fires were very serious in nature and had the potential to cause serious injury or loss of life to

both residents and firefighters. The San Jose Fire Department is asking for your assistance with this investigation.

\$10,000

Your San Jose Fire Fighters offer up to \$10,000, for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person(s) responsible for these dangerous and destructive crimes. Your San Jose Fire Fighters are offering this reward money with the hope that those responsible for these fires, are identified, arrested and convicted.

Please contact SJFD Arson Unit Captain Christopher Murphy @ (408) 930-5491 with any suspect information or call 911 in the event of an emergency and reference this flyer. If you wish to remain anonymous, please call 408- 27-ARSON (272-7766).

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"Make the Call, San Jose!"

Watch on <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=htBltYY9NuU>

And Friday Nights at 7pm on CreaTV Channel 30.

NO ONE SHOULD GET AWAY WITH MURDER!

Leave your tip at (408) 947-7867.

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"Make the Call, San Jose!"

"No one should get away with murder." This is Judge Cordells underlying, yet powerful message of "Make the Call, San Jose!" that will air on Channel 30, November 29, 2013 at 7:00 PM. and every Friday, thereafter, as well as other times during the week, until these homicides are solved. The episodes can also be viewed on CreaTVs website, the SJPD website, and the Independent Police Auditor website.

"Make the Call, San Jose!" is a program inspired by the unsolved homicides in San Jose and the families dealing with the painful aftermath of these crimes. This unique collaboration between the Independent Police Auditor Judge Cordell, San Jose Police Department, and CreaTV, highlights these unsolved crimes while encouraging those with information to make the call to San Jose Police Departments tipline.

The first episode of the "Make the Call, San Jose!" highlights the unsolved homicides of 20-year old Justin Watkins, gunned down in May of 2013, and 17-year old Anthony Santa Cruz who was stabbed to death in February 2013. Family members of each victim will appear on the show to talk about the lives of these young men and how their deaths have affected their families.

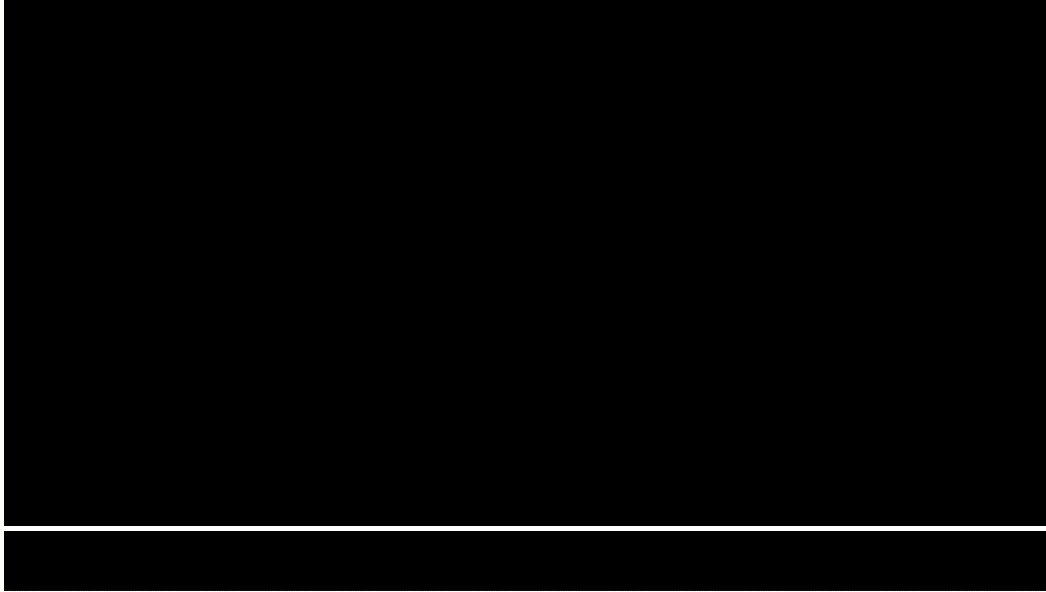
The program was inspired by "Make the Call", created by Chief Ron Davis of East Palo Alto Police Department to solve cold case homicides in East Palo Alto. Judge Cordell brought the idea to SJPD Chief Larry Esquivel who gave his immediate and enthusiastic support. "We hope to bring closure for the victims families and bring justice to those responsible," commented Acting Chief Larry Esquivel.

Judge Cordell's unique collaboration with SJPD and CreaTV brings hope for these families dealing with these unresolved

tragedies. "The premise for the program is that someone knows something about these murders. The goal is to encourage people to "Make the Call!"

For more information contact Judge Cordell at (408) 794-6226.

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SJPD, Campbell PD and Milpitas PD solve bank robbery string

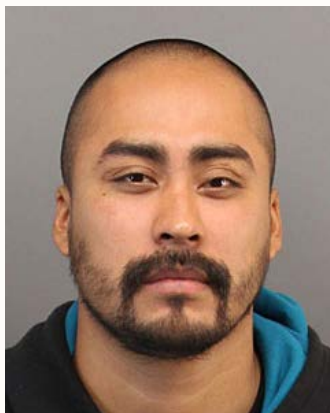
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The San Jose Police Department, Campbell Police Department, and the Milpitas Police Department recently worked together to solve a series of four bank robberies which began on 09-20-13 and concluded on 12-04-13. The investigation involved bank robberies at the following locations:

1. Wells Fargo Bank located in the 500 block of Capitol Ave in San Jose on 09-20-13
2. Comerica Bank located in the 5600 block of Silver Creek Valley Road, San Jose on 11-15-13
3. First Bank located in the 700 block of E. Campbell Ave, Campbell on 11-27-13
4. Comerica Bank located in the 1200 block of S. Park Victoria Ave, Milpitas on 12-04-13

The investigation revealed that the males responsible for the four bank robberies were Oscar Radillo and Alvaro Hernandez Santillan, who are cousins. After the string of robberies, suspect Radillo fled California and moved to the State of Indiana while Santillan stayed local.



Alvaro Hernandez Santillan





Oscar Radillo



In a tactically coordinated operation conducted on December 20, 2013, members of SJPD Robbery Unit, SJPD Covert Response Unit and the US Marshals arrested suspects Radillo and Santillan without incident. Suspect Radillo was booked into Sullivan County, Indiana and is currently awaiting extradition back to California to face robbery charges. Suspect Hernandez was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for similar charges.

Persons with information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Meeker of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4166.

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Missing Juvenile At Risk has been located

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TYPE OF INCIDENT: Missing Juvenile At-Risk **CASE NUMBER:** 14-008-0423
LOCATION: 622 Guandabert Lane (Gunderson High School) **DATE:** 01/08/2014 **TIME:** 12:30 PM

MISSING PERSON: Lauren Schnabel
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

MISSING PERSON'S DESCRIPTION:
ETHNICITY: White **Age:** 15
HEIGHT: 5'0" **WEIGHT:** 100 lbs **Hair:** Brown **Clothing:** Black
Tshirt and blue jeans

UPDATE:
The missing juvenile, Lauren Schnabel has been located.

San Jose:
The San Jose Police Department is currently seeking the public's assistance in locating 15 year old San Jose Resident Lauren Schnabel. Schnabel was reported missing at approximately 12:30 P.M. on Wednesday 01/08/2014, after she was seen walking away from her school located at 622 Gaundabert Lane (Gunderson High School).

The Police Department considers Schnabel at-risk due to the fact that she has a mental capacity of a 4 to 5 year old. Schnabel is unable to speak.

Patrol officers conducted a search of the area where she was last seen.

Anyone with information about Lauren Schnabel or her whereabouts is urged to call 9-1-1 or Missing Person's Unit at 408-277-4786 and reference San Jose police case #14-008-0423.



BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Heather Randol

DATE: 1/08/2014 TIME: 2:30 PM

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SJPD asking for public's help in identifying robbery suspect

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TYPE OF CRIME: Bank Robberies

SUSPECT: Unknown

CASE NUMBER: Various

SUSPECT DESCRIPTION: black female (possibly male), 20-30 years old, 5'4" to 5'7", 110 pounds, black curly wig, dark sunglasses

ADDRESS: Unknown

LOCATIONS/DATES/TIMES:

- Saturday, November 9, 2013, 1:54 PM: Wells Fargo Bank, 139 Ranch Dr. in Milpitas
- Saturday, November 23, 2013, 11:28 AM: Wells Fargo Bank, 1705 N. 1st St. in San Jose
- Wednesday, December 11, 2013, 2:25 PM: Bank of America, 1245 Lincoln Ave. in San Jose
- Monday, December 30, 2013, 1:10 PM: Wells Fargo Bank, 1715 Landess Ave. in Milpitas
- Monday, January 6, 2014, 2:22 PM: Comerica Bank, 1289 S. Park Victoria Dr. in Milpitas

SUSPECT BANK SURVEILLANCE PHOTOS FROM WELLS FARGO, BANK of AMERICA and COMERICA SHOWN BELOW





San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying and locating a suspect involved in a recent string of bank robberies in San Jose and Milpitas. The unidentified suspect entered each of the listed banks, presented a demand note, made threats and/or brandished a handgun. The suspect demanded money and fled the scene before police arrived. The unidentified suspect took an undisclosed amount of money and has not been located. No injuries were reported. The suspect is becoming progressively more brazen and should be considered armed and dangerous.

Persons with information regarding this incident are urged to contact Detective Enrique Garcia of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408)277-4166.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

Also, an additional reward of up to \$10,000 dollars (up to \$5,000 from Wells Fargo and up to \$5,000 from Bank of America) is being offered for the "identification and conviction of the suspect(s) associated with these robberies".

BY: Officer Albert Morales
DATE: 1/07/2014 TIME: 8:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. T. Morales #2907
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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 1600 block of E. San Antonio St.

CASE NUMBER: 14-002-0050
DATE: 1/0/2014 **TIME:** 1:26 AM

VICTIM: Juan Rios Sanchez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 36

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS:

AGE:

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 1st homicide of 2014. On Thursday, January 02, 2014 at approximately 1:26 A.M., the San Jose Police Department's "911" Call Center received information about a person shot on the 1600 block of E. San Antonio Street in East San Jose. When officers arrived they located an adult male victim, later identified as Juan Rios Sanchez, suffering from at least one gun shot wound. The victim Sanchez was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

The circumstances surrounding the murder are under investigation. The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The unidentified suspect(s) have not been located and remain at large.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283.

Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
 DATE: 1/03/2014 TIME: 2:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Todd Lonac #2896
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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

San Jose, California
 Monday, December 30, 2013

7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



San Jose, CA -- San Jose Police Department Traffic Unit will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License Checkpoint on Monday, December 30, 2013 at an undisclosed location within the city limit between the hours of 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

The deterrent effect of DUI checkpoints is a proven resource in reducing the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol or drug involved crashes. Research shows that crashes involving alcohol drop by an average of 20 percent when well-publicized checkpoints are conducted often enough.

Officers will be contacting drivers passing through the checkpoint for signs of alcohol and/or drug impairment. Officers will also check drivers for proper licensing and will strive to delay motorists only momentarily. When possible, specially trained officers will be available to evaluate those suspected of drug-impaired driving. Drivers caught driving impaired can expect jail, license suspension, and insurance increases, as well as fines, fees, DUI classes, other expenses that can exceed \$10,000.

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someone failed to designate a sober driver. "Over the course of the past three years in San Jose, DUI collisions have claimed 32 lives and resulted in 1641 injury crashes harming 531 of our friends and neighbors," said Sgt. Steve Payne.

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Funding for this checkpoint is provided to the San Jose Police Department by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, reminding everyone to continue to work together to bring an end to these tragedies. If you see a Drunk Driver -- Call 9-1-1.

MEDIA NOTES: To schedule an interview regarding the San Jose Traffic Safety Operations, please contact Sgt. Steve Payne at (408) 277-4341 or via email 2805@sanjoseca.gov

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SJPD Seeking Victims and Witnesses from WalMart Incident

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TYPE OF CRIME: Assault with a Deadly Weapon

LOCATION: 777 Story Road (WalMart)

VICTIM #1: Withheld **AGE:**

ADDRESS: Withheld

SUSPECT: Haamid Zaid **AGE:** 33 years (Male)

ADDRESS: 10312 Valmar Court, Seaside, CA

CASE NUMBER: 12-090-0362

DATE: 03/31/2013 **TIME:** 11:15 AM



Suspect: Haamid Zaid

UPDATE:

The San Jose Police Department is seeking the public's help in identifying the people shown in the surveillance footage during the assault with a deadly weapon incident at WalMart on March 31, 2013. The video footage shows the suspect nearly striking several people with his vehicle near the store entrance. SJPD Assaults Unit Detectives would like to speak to these potential victims and witnesses about the incident.

SJPD is asking the public to view the following video footage to help identify those seen in the video.

13-090-0362 Car drives into Walmart



If you appear in this video or you can identify potential victims or witnesses, please contact Officer Adam Crawley #3958 in the SJPD Assaults Unit at (408) 277-4161 or directly at (408) 537-1350.

San Jose

The San Jose Police Department is currently investigating an assault with a deadly weapon incident at WalMart located at 777 Story Road. On 3/31/2013, at approximately 11:15 AM, the Police Department's 9-1-1 Communications Center received a report of a vehicle that drove into the WalMart store at the above location. The driver, later identified as Haamid Zaid, immediately exited the vehicle, armed himself a blunt object and began to physically assault customers in the store. One victim suffered a serious, but non-life threatening injury and was transported to a local area hospital where he remains. In addition, three other victims were treated for non-life threatening injuries at the scene and released.

The suspect Zaid was subdued by customers inside the store and held down until police arrived. When officers arrived on scene they took custody of the suspect after a brief struggle and placed him under arrest. The suspect was transported to a local area hospital before being booked into the Santa Clara County Jail. The suspect was booked on four counts of assault with a deadly weapon, hit and run, under the influence of drugs and resisting arrest.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact the San Jose Police Department's Assaults Unit at (408)277-4161. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Sergeant Heather Randol #3528
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AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Chen
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San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers With Sobriety/Driver License Checkpoint

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7:00 PM to 1:00 AM



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SJ PAL and Shoe Palace of San Jose to Host Christmas Shoe Giveaway

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- WHAT:** SJ PAL and Shoe Palace of San Jose Christmas Shoe Giveaway for Underprivileged Kids
- WHO:** San Jose Police Activities League, Shoe Palace of San Jose and Converse
- WHEN:** Tuesday, December 17, 2013
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- WHERE:** San Jose Police Activities League
680 South 34th Street
San Jose, California 95116
(408) 272-9725



DETAILS:

The San Jose Police Activities League and Shoe Palace of San Jose have teamed up to brighten the holidays for some underprivileged kids within our community. San Jose PAL and Shoe Palace of San Jose will be giving away 100 pairs of Converse athletic shoes to pre-selected kids.

Shoe Palace is a major PAL supporter and wanted to contribute to this partnership by giving out Converse shoes to those less fortunate. Shoe Palace has developed a long history of giving back to the community and we are thankful for their generosity.

This incredible event will take place at San Jose PAL located at 680 South 34th Street from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Santa Claus will also be in attendance and light refreshments will be served.

BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
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2013 Fantasy Flight Press Release

On Saturday, 12/13/14, The Cops Care Cancer Foundation will host their annual **Christmas Fantasy Flight** event. Approximately 150 kids from 55 Bay Area families will attend the event this year. Fantasy Flight is a powerful and fun event for Bay Area families that have a child stricken with cancer. The event provides a fun atmosphere where each child and their family are treated to a fun filled day in our version of the North Pole. In addition to all of the carnival games, jumper houses, food and guests, Santa Claus arrives by police helicopter to deliver a specific toy for **every** child. We also provide financial assistance to each family to help with the added expense of the holiday season. Police Officers & Fire Fighters from San Jose, Fremont, Sunnyvale, Palo Alto, San Francisco and the CHP will be participating.

The families will arrive at Juniper Networks in Sunnyvale where they will load up into police vehicles, limos, military trucks, luxury busses and fire trucks. Police motorcycles from all of the participating agencies will then lead this special motorcade to the SJPD Air Hangar at the Mineta San Jose International Airport. The kids and their families will enter the air hangar which has been magically transformed into the North Pole. The kids will enjoy all of the festivities until Santa Arrives by police helicopter to deliver gifts to every child. These aren't just any gifts either. The Cops Care Cancer Foundations staff does their homework and finds out exactly what each child has asked Santa for. Magically those gifts are under the tree waiting for them. Each family will also receive financial assistance to provide their own celebration on Christmas day.

Details:

Staging location for the motorcade: Juniper Networks, Aspiration Dome. (5th/Mathilda in Sunnyvale.) Signs will guide you in.

Staging time: Kids check in at Juniper at 10:30Am and the motorcade leaves promptly at 11:30am to makes its way to the hangar.

Event Location: 1455 Airport Blvd. SJPD Air Hangar at Mineta San Jose International Airport (Lots of signs guiding you in)

Event Time: Motorcade with the kids will arrive at the air hangar at 11:45am

Santa Arrives: Santa will be landing between 2:30pm 2:45pm

Contact Person for Cops Care Cancer Foundation: Any questions, call Ofc. Brian Simuro, (President/Founder) 408-839-3349

Event End time: 5:00pm

What is Fantasy Flight?

Fantasy Flight is an event for any child that is battling cancer or any other life-threatening illness. The entire family is invited to join as the kids enjoy this Christmas themed carnival. Our guests will get to meet with local police officers, police dogs, fire fighters, and special guests. While the kids await Santas arrival via police helicopter, there will be a chance for them to win prizes at our carnival. There will be food (BBQ Burgers & dogs), treats, drinks, jumper houses, face painters, music and a photo booth.

Who can attend Fantasy Flight?

Any child stricken with cancer or who has any life-threatening illness or condition who are under the age of 18 may attend. (Transplant patients are also welcome.) Each child may bring all of their brothers and sisters as well as their parents and grand parents. Every child (Including the brothers and sisters under the age of 18) will receive a gift from Santa Claus.

Patients must be currently receiving treatment to be eligible to attend Fantasy Flight

We can accommodate guests in wheelchairs

How do I register to attend?

You must call one of the numbers below to secure your spots.

To register in English, call: 408-991-4102

To register in Spanish, call: 408-991-2819

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Heather Randol #3528

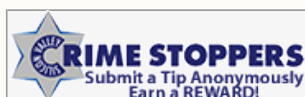
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- WHAT:** 2013 San Jose Police Department Gun Buy Back
- WHO:**
- Larry Esquivel, Chief, San Jose Police Department
 - San Jose Police Foundation
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 - Santa Clara County Supervisor Cindy Chavez
 - California Assembly Speaker Pro Tempore Nora Campos
 - Congressman Mike Honda
 - Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
- WHEN:** Saturday, December 14, 2013
 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.
- WHERE:** Our Lady of Guadalupe Church
 2020 East San Antonio Avenue
 San Jose, Ca. 95116

DETAILS:

The San Jose Police Department has entered into a partnership and developed a Gun Buy Back program. The San Jose Police Department's Gun Buy Back is designed to reduce the number of unwanted firearms and reduce gun violence within the City of San Jose.

The Gun Buy Back Program provides local residents an opportunity to voluntarily turn in firearms in exchange for gift cards. The 2013 SJPD Gun Buy Back Program will be held on Saturday, December 14, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church located at 2020 East San Antonio Street in San Jose.

This program is a partnership among San Jose City Council Office District 5, the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office,

San Jose Police Department, Office of Santa Clara County District 2, Office of California State Assembly District 27, Office of the 17th Congressional District and Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

Guns collected will be checked for lost or stolen status, and if applicable, will be returned to their legal owners. All other firearms will be prepared for destruction.

Funding for this important event is raised from public and private donors and tax-deductible donated funds are held by San Jose Police Foundation, a non-profit 501(c)(3) account.

Those who turn in a gun will receive a gift card. \$100 will be given for handguns, rifles and shotguns and \$200 for Assault Weapons.

Transport UNLOADED weapons in the trunk of your car. No walk -ups. No ammunition. Funds are limited. We reserve the right to limit funds to an individual, regardless of the number of weapons surrendered. Weapons must be functional.

For more information visit www.sjdistrict5.com or call (408) 535-4947 (Anonymous).



BY: Officer Albert Morales #3477
DATE: 12/12/2012 TIME: 7:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Heather Randol #3528
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San Jose Police Department and Target Corp. to Host Holiday Shopping Event

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- WHAT:** San Jose Police Shop With a Cop Holiday Event
- WHO:** Officers from San Jose Police Department, San Jose Police Reserves, San Jose Police Communications, San Jose/Evergreen College District, Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office, Campbell Police Department, California Highway Patrol, Silicon Valley Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 52, West Valley College District, Redwood City Police Department, Milpitas Police Department, San Jose State University Police Department, Santa Clara County Correctional Officers will join Target store employees and students from Santee Elementary School in San Jose, in Heroes and Helpers holiday program event. Participants will be available to provide brief remarks and details about the Heroes & Helpers program.
- WHEN:** Thursday, December 12, 2013
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- WHERE:** Target Corporation (College Park Store)
533 Coleman Avenue
San Jose, California 95110
(408) 346-2022

DETAILS: The San Jose Police Department, Shop with a COP of Silicon Valley and Target Corporation to host Heroes and Helpers holiday shopping event to help children from Santee elementary school to purchase gifts.

Heroes and Helpers is an event that helps less fortunate children purchase gifts for their families and themselves. This program is sponsored by local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies nationwide during back-to-school and holiday events, and fosters strong relationships between youth and police officers.

Thirty-Two students from Santee elementary schools in San Jose, were chosen to participate in this year's Heroes and Helpers holiday event. In addition, we will also be hosting several children that have experienced a loss of a parent due to domestic violence in the home. Sports celebrities have also been invited to attend.

Each child will be given a gift card and escorted throughout the store by a uniformed police officer. Target employees will also be present to assist the children throughout the event.

Funding for Shop With a Cop was provided by Target Corporation and private donations.

Inquiries may be directed to David Lake of Target Corporation at (408) 835-0901 or email at david.lake@target.com

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Assault with a Deadly Weapon/ Carjacking/Officer Involved Shooting

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TYPE OF CRIME: Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Carjacking
 and
 Officer-Involved Shooting

CASE NUMBER: 13-332-0298

LOCATION: 700 block of Kirk Glen Dr.

DATE: 11/28/2013 **TIME:** 10:50 AM

VICTIM #1: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose, Ca.

AGE: Withheld

VICTIM #2: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose, Ca.

AGE: Withheld

VICTIM #3: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose, Ca.

AGE: Withheld

VICTIM # 4: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose, Ca.

AGE: Withheld

VICTIM OFFICER : Kevin Peters

AGE: 37 Years (Male)
Experience: 12 Year Veteran

SUSPECT: Albert Manuel Vasquez
ADDRESS: San Jose, Ca.

AGE: 42 Years (Male)



Albert Manuel Vasquez

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating an officer involved shooting incident. On Thursday, November 28, 2013 at approximately 10:50 A.M., officers located a vehicle suspected of being involved in the stabbing of three victims and a carjacking of a fourth victim being driven in the area of Jackson Ave and Mabury Road. The officers attempted to stop the vehicle, but the vehicle did not yield. A short vehicle pursuit ensued on surface streets and eventually the suspect vehicle crashed into a patrol car and another parked vehicle in the area of Kirk Glen Drive and Mabury Road in East San Jose. While attempting to arrest the driver, Albert Manual Vasquez, shots were fired and Vasquez suffered from at least one gunshot wound. Vasquez was pronounced deceased a short time later.

San Jose Police Homicide Detectives responded to the scene and took over the investigation.

No other information is being released at this time.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Avalos or Detective McDonald of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

BY: Ofc. Albert Morales #3477
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AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Kihmm #3102
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SJPD Captures Suspect in City's 43rd Homicide of 2013

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide

LOCATION: 800 block of Peter Pan Ave at Capital Park

CASE NUMBER: 13-327-0550

DATE: 11/23/2013 **TIME:** 4:22 PM

VICTIM: Pedro Dado Cortez

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18

SUSPECT: Balam Eugenio Gonzalez

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 Years



Suspect Balam E. Gonzalez

UPDATE:

The San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit identified a suspect responsible for the murder of victim Pedro Cortez. The Covert Response Unit, with the assistance of patrol officers, Metro, K9, and Gang Suppression Unit officers, located the suspect on November 27th at approximately 8:30 P.M. in San Jose, and took him into custody. Homicide detectives are continuing their investigation to determine the circumstances and motive surrounding the murder. The suspect's identity will not be released until the District Attorney has reviewed the case.

Persons with information regarding the above case are urged to contact Detective Sgt. Guire or Detective Tran of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may either call the Crime Stoppers Tip Line, (408) 947-STOP (7867), or click the "Submit a Tip" link below. Persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect may be eligible for a cash reward from the Silicon Valley Crime Stoppers.

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is investigating the City's 43rd homicide of 2013. On Saturday, November 23, 2013 at approximately 4:22 P.M., the San Jose Police Department's 9-1-1 Communications Center received a report of a person shot in the 800 block of Peter Pan Ave in San Jose. Upon arrival, patrol officers located an adult male victim suffering from at least one gunshot wound. The victim, later identified as Pedro Coretz, was pronounced deceased at the scene at approximately 4:30 P.M.

BY: Sgt. Heather Randol #3528
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AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Kihmm #3102
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