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SMOKE and CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS

BaltCo Police have a limited number of smoke and carbon monoxide detectors available for the disabled, elderly and/or low income residents.

ENGRAVER AVAILABLE

Villa Nova COP has an engraver available for loan to any resident. Contact vncacop@gmail.com.

DIAL 988 for Suicide and Mental Health Emergencies

Maryland Crisis Hotline

1-800-422-0009

24-hour crisis intervention & supportive counseling hotline for suicide prevention, family and relationship problems, shelter needs, violent or threatening domestic situations, loneliness, depression, chemical dependency issues and others.

VILLA NOVA CITIZENS ON PATROL

Contact Deirdre Peterson: vncacop@gmail.com

VILLA NOVA COP

Did you know that communities with active Citizens On Patrol deter criminal activity?

COP needs you! We need more patrollers to look for suspicious activity and alert the police.

Patrols can be done on foot, while walking your dog, while exercising, or on your way in or out of the community.

The police cannot be everywhere all the time. They need our extra eyes and ears.

Please contact Deirdre by email vncacop@gmail.com or phone 301-793-6650 to become a part of this fantastic surveillance team. Together we can keep Villa Nova crime free.

Crime Prevention

Vehicle theft continues to be one of the most prevalent yet preventable crimes in our area. Police ask that we be vigilant and use these common precautions to deter vehicle theft:

- ALWAYS lock your doors
- ALWAYS wind windows up
- NEVER leave property in car or visible in car
- NEVER leave keys in the ignition
- NEVER leave car running
- Set the GPS to a nearby location NEVER your true address
- KNOW your license plate number
- INSTALL car alarm/theft deterrent system AND set it each time you leave your car
- EACH night before you go to sleep...click/check your car door locks/alarms to make sure everything is secured for the evening

HOLIDAY SAFETY:

- BRING all gifts into your home and secure gifts in your trunk when you're out shopping
- Once gifts have been opened, dispose of packaging discretely (i.e. break down/cut up boxes and put them out in receptacles so it's not obvious that you have BRAND NEW ELECTRONICS in your home)

Meet Pikesville Precinct 4 Captain Andrea Bylen



2006—Patrol officer in the Essex Precinct.
 2007 to 2012—Assigned to the White Marsh Precinct where she served in several assignments including patrol officer, court liaison, outreach/domestic violence coordinator and school resource officer.
 2012—Promoted to corporal and assigned to the Operations Bureau.
 2013 to 2015—Assigned as a detective corporal to the Internal Affairs Section.
 2015—Promoted to sergeant and assigned to the White Marsh Precinct.
 2015 to 2018—Assigned as detective sergeant to the Internal Affairs Section.
 2018—Promoted to lieutenant where she served as a shift commander at the Woodlawn Precinct.
 2019—Transferred to the Technology Section and served as an assistant commander.
 2020—Transferred to the Internal Affairs Section and served as a detective lieutenant.
 2022—Graduated from the FBI National Academy's 282nd session.
 2022—Promoted to captain and serving as commander of the Pikesville Precinct.

For Pikesville crime stats, visit: villanovaassoc.org

PCRC: Attend the Police Community Relations Council meetings, 4th Tuesday of the month at the Pikesville Volunteer Fire Co., 40 E Sudbrook Lane, Pikesville, MD 21208.