

Thank you APD Horse Mounted Unit and Saranam Program! We had a great time visiting the families in the Saranam program last night!



We are in the last week of the APD Toys and Socks Drive! Donations due Friday, December 21st!

<u>Thank you</u> to our community for donating new socks and new unwrapped toys to our substation for the holiday drive! You can still drop off donations of new socks and new unwrapped toys to the APD Foothills Substation at 12800 Lomas Blvd on Mondays through Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.







Property Crimes Reported in the Foothills Area Command on Monday, December 17h

3 Stolen Vehicles: 300-block of Whispering Sands Court SE, 2200-block of Elizabeth St NE and 1900-block of Buffalo Dancer Trl NE during a residential burglary.

1 Commercial Burglary: 2100-block of Eubank Blvd NE.

2 Residential Burglaries: 1900-block of Buffalo Dancer Trl NE, 1400-block of Muriel St NE.

1 Auto Burglary: 3100-block of Jane Pl NE. Entry made by breaking a window, no list at this time of items that were stolen.

<u>Trending Tuesday:</u> Our APD Crime Analysis Unit reports that for the week of December 10-16 APD took **167 auto burglary reports**. The numbers for the past week ranged from 39 auto burglaries reported in the North East Area Command (3 malls will do this to the numbers) to a low of 6 in the North West Area Command (looks like they've got Cottonwood Mall and the businesses on Coors under control!). The **Foothills Area Command logged 27 auto burglary reports** for the past week and came in **4**th **out of the 6** APD Area Commands. We could still do a lot to reduce this number by locking up and removing ALL items of value from our vehicles.

Hot Wheels Report: The APD Crime Analysis Unit stats tell us that APD took 50 stolen vehicle reports for the week of December 10-16 city-wide. The numbers continue to decline faster than Santa hopping down a chimney! The stats showed 63 stolen vehicles reported the week of December 3-9 and 88 reported city-wide the week of November 26-December 2, so we are enjoying the trend. The auto theft numbers ranged from a high of 16 stolen vehicles reported in the North East Area Command to a low of 5 reported in the South West Area Command. The Foothills Area Command logged 8 stolen vehicle reports. A Foothills trend I noticed was some vehicles were stolen while a residential burglary was also committed. Most popular places to steal vehicles were single-family residences (22 cases), then apartments (14), car dealerships/mechanics (4) then 1 case each reported over the prior week from retail, a medical center, a business, a recreational facility, a financial institute, a school, a gas station/convenience store and a movie theatre. Most popular vehicles to steal were Hyundais (9/7 of 9 were Sonatas), Fords (7/6 of 7 were pick ups), Kias (3/all Optimas) and Mercedes (2).

Be safe! Jill Garcia, Crime Prevention Specialist / ICPS, NCPS -Foothills Area Command (505) 332-5240