



EDGEWATER POLICE

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NEWS RELEASE

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Motor Vehicle Trespass – Four Juveniles Arrested

On 8/21 at about 3:25 AM Corporal Geerdes and Officer Palmer were dispatched to 2616 Kendall Street for juveniles breaking into cars. Mountain View PD and Lakeside PD responded to assist, and officers spotted four kids in the Terra Village community. The juveniles all fled the area upon seeing officers but they were quickly arrested by both officers and Terra Village residents who assisted. During the foot chase, a black car took off from Kendall St. at a high rate of speed.

Arrested were two 13 year old Denver males, and a 14 year old Denver male as well as a 13 year old Northglenn male, three of which have had previous contacts with our department. Several cars appeared to have been broken into and the investigation is on-going.

Good Stop on suspicious persons

On 8/22 at about 3 AM Officer Brink observed two black males walking in the alleyway in the 2500 block between Ames and Benton Streets. The two males fled immediately although Officer Brink was able to detain them after a short

distance. The males were found with a crowbar and their vehicle was found parked in the 2500 block of Benton St. with jewelry inside. One of the males was an active parolee out of Denver and his parole officer was notified and the other male was released on a trespass summons pending additional investigation. Good job Officer Brink!

Speeding – 74 MPH in a 30 MPH Zone

On 8/21 about 1:23 AM Corporal Geerdes stopped a black 2003 Stratus for speeding 74 MPH in the posted 30 MPH zone along W. 26th Ave. The 20 year old driver was traveling eastbound on W. 26th Ave and stopped at his residence in the 2600 block of Kendall St. where he was contacted by Corporal Geerdes. The driver did not have a driver's license as he was driving his sister's vehicle which was towed as there was no proof of registration or insurance. The driver was arrested for DUI, and associated traffic violations.

Neighborhood Watch

The City of Edgewater Police Department is revising our Neighborhood Watch program. There appears to be Neighborhood Watch Signs in the city that are not listed in our current records and we would like to update the list of neighbors within each Neighborhood Watch Block.

The goal is to communicate with that block captain to reinstate them and to get the block reoriented on how Neighborhood Watch will benefit both the neighbors and your police department.

Please notify Lorenzo Rendon, volunteers@edgewaterpd.com our volunteer coordinator with the police department and spearheading the Neighborhood Watch program in Edgewater.

Community Picnic – August 27, 6 – 9 PM

On that date and time your Police Department will celebrate the goals of National Night Out with residents while meeting neighbors and providing information and updates on the programs that contribute to community safety.

Baseball pitch and soccer kicks for speed for all ages at the baseball backstop – we'll bring the baseballs and soccer balls – you bring the heat!

Stolen Vehicles

On 8/21 at about 5:15 AM a black 2006 Ford F350 was reported stolen from the 2800 block of Harlan St. Owner gave chase in another vehicle for a while but lost car.

On 8/21 Officers located a stolen Ford F250 pick-up that had been stolen out of Thornton.

On 8/20 overnight a resident had their 2012 Honda Civic stolen while it was left locked and unattended in the 2500 block of Gray St.

On 8/19 Officers located a 99 Honda Accord that was listed as stolen in Denver in the 2200 block of Marshall St.

On 8/16 during daytime's hours a visitor had his 2000 Nissan Xterra stolen from the 2400 block of Otis St.

Vehicle Break-Ins

A resident in the 2200 block of Marshall St. reported that during the overnight hours of 8/14 that his 1999 Subaru was broken into while it was left locked and unattended in the driveway. The thief(s) stole a couple of phones, tools and a wallet containing several credit cards. On 8/15 the Westminster Police arrested a shoplifting suspect that had the Marshall St. residents credit cards on his person – more investigation to follow.

DUI's

There were four DUI arrests this past week within Edgewater. Arrested for DUI:

- 20 year old male Edgewater resident.
- 23 year old male Edgewater resident.
- 24 year old female Edgewater resident.
- 31 year old male Edgewater resident.

Shoplifting

Edgewater Officers received two reports of shoplifting at local stores this report period. Arrested for shoplifting:

- 16 year old female Edgewater resident.
- 59 year old male Denver resident.

Traffic Issues

Edgewater Officers performed about 48 traffic stops for traffic enforcement during the past week. Drivers were contacted for hit & run, speeding, careless driving, red light violations, turn violations, failing to signal, reckless driving, following too closely, parking violations, abandoned vehicles, weaving, expired plates, registration violations, suspensions, denials and revocations, and multiple traffic accidents.

The radar trailer was located in the 2400 block of Harlan St. this past week and will be relocated to the 5500 block of W. 24th Ave. this week.

If you are interested in having the radar trailer put in your neighborhood, please contact the Police Volunteer Line – Volunteers@Edgewaterpd.com

Calls for Service

Edgewater Officers additionally responded to calls involving violation of protection orders, medical assists, trespassing, alarms, civil assists, noise complaints, criminal mischief, harassment, suspicious persons, disturbances, welfare checks, animals at large, neighbor disputes, barking dogs, welfare checks, juvenile problems, thefts, and unwanted persons, intoxicated persons, found property, domestic violence, assault, criminal mischiefs, and multiple warrant arrests. **Edgewater Officers self-initiated and responded to about 192 various calls this reporting period including 6 Alarm Calls and 11 Emergency 911 Calls – thank you neighbors for notifying our dispatch center at 303-271-0211 for the many calls and for our Edgewater Officers for their fine work during two very busy weeks!**

Thank You Notes from Neighbors – Kudo's

Thank you to our outstanding police volunteers, Frank Kyper, Lorenzo Rendon and Dave Suter for the countless hours they are contributing to making our community and city a safer place to live, work and play! Chief Mackey

Thank you officers for the protection last night in arresting the man that was in our backyard. It was very much appreciated!!

Neighbor's notes and "Kudo's" are placed in the lobby of the police station and placed in the respective officer's personnel files – thanks for sharing!