# Community - ALERTS

#### February 24, 2012

*Significant Events- Feb.* 6 – *Feb.* 19, 2012

Lost & Found

**Burglary Report** 

Mardi Gras!

**SWAT Team Training** 

Rummage Sale

Soccer sign up

Job Corp

Nostalgia Corner

The whole inspiration

of our life as a nation flows out

from the waving folds

of this banner.

~Author Unk

#### Significant Events



On February 9<sup>th,</sup> a tip was given to Cocoa Police Department on the whereabouts of a wanted person, *Grant Moore*.

Officers followed up on the information, and did make contact with *Moore*. *Moore* was then detained for the warrant. Upon inspection of the car, a handgun was located. This discovery added **Possession of a Firearm By a Convicted Felon and Carrying a Concealed Weapon** to his charges.

*Charner Williams* caught an officer's attention February 10<sup>th</sup>, as he sped through an active school zone. Once



Williams was stopped, a check of his license revealed that he was suspended, and labeled a Habitual Traffic Offender, and in

Possession of a Suspended Drivers License. Williams was arrested on the above charges, transported to the Cocoa Police Department for booking, and later turned over to the Brevard County Jail.

#### \*\* NO PHOTOS AVAILABLE \*\*

On Sunday afternoon, February 19<sup>th</sup>, officers worked in conjunction with a local discount department store to press **Felony Shoplifting** charges on **Angela Barnes** and **Hollie Barnett**. Both were observed trying to conceal over \$700 worth of merchandise. **Barnes** was also charged with **Possession of Paraphernalia**, and **Resisting without Violence**. **Barnett** earned a **Resisting without Violence** charge as well.

Officers responded to an intersection in reference to an anchor that had been left in the middle of the road. A local land clearing company was contacted for removal. No damage was done to the roadway, and no traffic was affected.



Over <u>840</u> foot, vehicle and Segway patrols were conducted in this time frame, of the "hot spots of activity" in our city and over <u>45</u> arrests were made. Many arrests involved removing weapons, drugs and drug dealers from our streets. If you have <u>ANY</u> information in regards to these incidents, we encourage you to contact us.

Non Emergency: (321) 639-7620
E mail: tips@cocoapolice.com
Text: dropadime@cocoapolice.com
Crimeline: www.cfcrimeline.com



#### Lost and Found

TV'S ~ BIKES

KNIVES ~ WALLETS ~ BACKPACKS

PURSES ~ FISHING EQUIPMENT



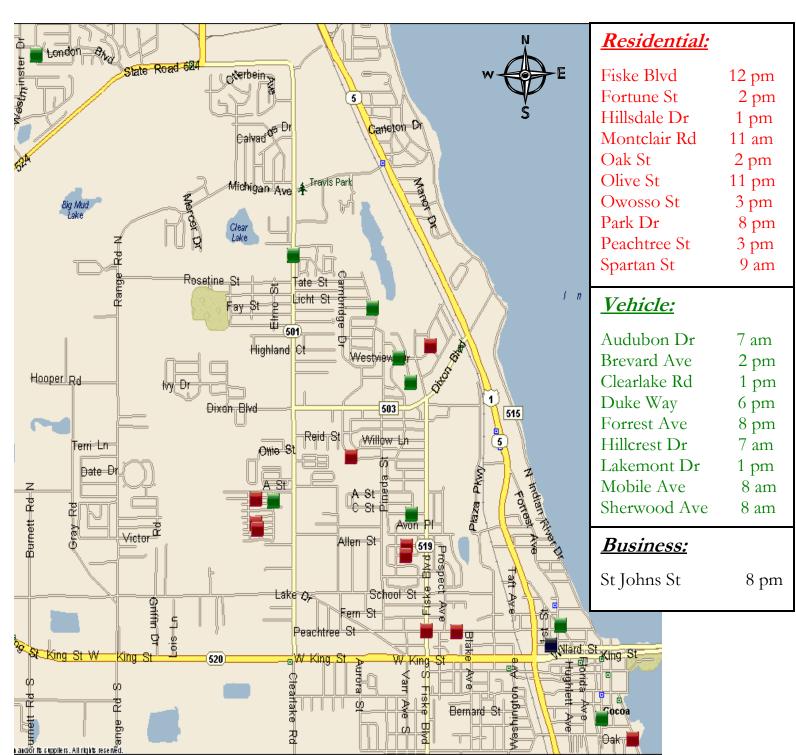




The above items were found and turned in to the Cocoa Police Department. You must be able to prove ownership by documentation or description (i.e. color, brand, etc). You may claim this property by contacting the Property/Evidence Specialist for an appointment at (321) 637-6304, Monday – Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. If the property is not claimed, it will be disposed of in accordance with Florida State Statutes.

## Burglary Report

\*\*NOTE: Times listed are approximate reported times, as exact occurrence of crime is usually unknown.





In December of 2012, The Cocoa Police Department Special Weapons And Tactics Team will be competing in the International SWAT Roundup in Orlando. This will be the Cocoa SWAT Team's first time competing in this annual event.





The team is very busy preparing for the competition. As they train, members of Cocoa Police Department and the Cocoa Community are also doing their part for the team. There are several fundraisers (including a benefit rummage sale in May and t-shirt sales) planned to help the team raise the money necessary to compete.

If you would like more information, or to contribute, please contact Officer Barbara Matthews at 321-637-6309 or bmatthews@cocoapolice.com.

Thank you for your support!





#### Saturday, May 19, 2012

@ The Cocoa Police Department Lobby 1226 West King Street, Cocoa 7:30 am until 2:30 p.m.

Proceeds to benefit:

#### **SWAT**

(to compete in International Competition)

#### Cocoa Police Athletic League Annual Toy Drive/Project Hope



For additional information or to donate please contact Officer Barbara Matthews @ 321.637.6309 (we will pick up large donations.)



#### Cocoa Police Department Police Athletic League



#### 2012 Soccer League

ON

03/12/2012 Thru 04/07/2012

from

4:30PM to 6:15PM

at

Provost Park (West)

Registration will be held at Provost Park (WEST) on 03/07/2012 and 03/09/2012

AGES 6-13

There will be a fee of \$15.00 for team shirts and for insurance purposes.

The program will help children from the ages of 6-13 to develop their soccer skills. Also, they will be able to interact with local officers, to develop a positive influence in their lives as well as the community.

Information about the Police Athletic League will also be available

We hope to see you there

Picase call Officer Robin Viera
@ 321-863-9482 for more information





### Cocoa Police Department presents



#### JOB CORP

Orientation Seminar

ON

Wednesday, May 2, 2012

from

#### 9AM to 4PM Cocoa Civic Center 424 Delannoy Avenue

Looking to change your quality of life and provide for your family?

Come see how Job Corps can help you make your dreams a reality!

Let Job Corps provide you with a skill or trade to

make you more marketable in today's economy!

This education and training is FREE to all qualifying

candidates ages 16- 24yrs of age.

For more information

Contact Ofc. McDuffie @ 321-863-9483 or Richard Bruce at 321-394-0599



# Nostalgia Corner





Ulysee Gleen Photo from 1950's

City of Cocoa SR 520



Jack Langston Photo from 1966