

Apollo Beach Community Council - 3/4/08

The Apollo Beach Community Council is hosted by the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office. Apollo Beach Substation Deputy Jan Hill and Community Service Officer Marianne White are stationed at this location and schedule the monthly meetings. Mike Wall attends the Council meetings and communicates information to the Andalusia Board and Residents (via the Andalusia website). Contact him if you would like additional information on any of the items discussed at the meeting.

1. Criminal Activity/Incident Report

2008 CRIMINAL /ACTIVITY SUMMARY REPORT
APOLLO BEACH

														2008	2008	2007	2007
CRIMINAL ACTIVITY	J	F	M	A	M	June	July	A	S	O	N	D	TOTAL	AVG/MO	TOTAL	AVG/MO	
<u>PREVENTIVE/ASSISTANCE INCIDENTS</u>																	
Vehicle Stop	198	139												337	168.5	1327	110.6
Parking Violation	20	11												31	15.5	45	3.8
Directed Activity	4	9												13	6.5	185	15.4
Motorist Assist	3	9												12	6	52	4.3
Subtotal	225	168	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	393	196.5	1609	134.1
<u>CRIMINAL ACTIVITY</u>																	
Traffic Crash	8	12												20	10	80	6.7
Burglary-Res'd/Busn	10	4												14	7	91	7.6
Burglary-Vehicle	18	8												26	13	35	2.9
Robbery-Business	0	1												1	0.5	6	0.5
Robbery Person	0	0												0	0	1	0.1
Theft	4	10												14	7	143	11.9
Identity Theft	0	1												1	0.5	5	0.4
Alarm	44	42												86	43	392	32.7
Stolen Vehicle	1	5												6	3	33	2.8
Recovered Vehicle	1	1												2	1	11	0.9
Susp. Person	20	10												30	15	181	15.1
Susp. Vehicle	18	22												40	20	183	15.3
Disturbance	11	8												19	9.5	107	8.9
Juvenile Trouble	7	4												11	5.5	53	4.4
Neighbor Trouble	2	3												5	2.5	7	0.6
Criminal Mischief	10	4												14	7	113	9.4
Trespasser/Prowler	3	7												10	5	41	3.4
Drug Violation	1	0												1	0.5	11	0.9
Loud Party	0	0												0	0	13	1.1
Animal Call	3	1												4	2		
Mailbox Smash	0	2												2	1		
Subtotal	161	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	306	153	1506	125.5
2008 TOTAL	386	313	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	699	349.5		

2007 TOTAL	184	187	216	216	178	263	276	328	238	366	303	360			3115	259.6
2006 TOTAL	N/A	N/A	125	210	258	146	266	222	131	263	202	254			2077	207.7

Monthly numbers that exceed the average/month YTD incidents are shown in BOLD.

Note: Contact Mike Wall (649-1576 or beachwall2@msn.com) if you want a copy of the detailed report.

- There were a large number of vehicle burglaries in Covington Park recently. Andalucia had five vehicle burglaries in December. Remember to lock your cars and take any valuables inside or put them out of view. Items stolen include GPS, laptops, Sun Passes, money, etc. that were left in vehicles. Thieves are cutting window glass and entering locked cars.
- There was a fatal accident on February 28 on Apollo Beach Boulevard near Circles Restaurant. A teenage driver and friend were driving EB at a high rate of speed and hit the drivers side of a car that was waiting to come out of Circles. This driver was killed. Talk to your children about driving safety - this is the second fatal accident in that area in the past six months.

2. Manatee Arts Festival - March 8 & 9

- This is a great event scheduled this weekend at the new TECO park at Dickman and Noonan Branch Road.
- Parking will be at the AB Elementary School and the Manatee Viewing facility with bus transportation provided. Bring your family!

3. Sexual Predators

- There are 8 sexual predators living in Apollo Beach. HCSO conducts a "roundup" monthly to check on them.

4. Citizen Patrol Activities

- The third CP class started on 2/26 and will graduate on 3/11. They will be patrolling in the Bloomingdale area. Eight of the 20 person class live in Apollo Beach and will be working this area.
- CP volunteers have been trained for night patrols (6pm-10pm) and will begin on 3/15. Not every shift will be covered but it should help on early evening crime prevention.

5. 50th Anniversary - Apollo Beach

- Apollo Beach will celebrate 50 years during 2008. Watch for specifics later in the year.

6. Door-to-Door Scam

- A couple has been reported selling magazines door-to-door in Mira Bay and several other areas. They have been going around in the evening - sometime as late as 9pm - and want cash or checks. THIS IS A SCAM AND NOT LEGITIMATE. Do not make donations and notify the HCSO non-emergency phone number - 247-8200.
- Soliciting is not permitted in Andalucia and should be reported to the Gate Attendant if seen.