

PROPERTY CRIME WATCH

July 9 to July 15, 2023

If you see a crime in progress phone 9-1-1. The Oceanside RCMP non-emergency number is 250-248-6111. Oceanside RCMP is located at **421 Pym Street North, Parksville**, with public business hours of 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday to Friday, except holidays.

During this time period the Oceanside RCMP received 319 complaints.

File 2023-6944: A nighttime prowler was reported at the Englishman River Provincial Park, Errington Road, on July 9.

File 2023-6952: Nighttime prowlers were reported to have vandalized a business in the 3800 block of Island Highway West, Qualicum Beach, on July 9.

File 2023-6972: A nighttime prowler was reported around a construction site on Mulholland Road, Parksville, on July 9.

File 2023-7010: A business break-and-enter was reported in the 100 block of Alberni Highway, Parksville, on July 10. An outdoor compound fence was cut and numerous items including a 100-foot garden hose, a Sunjoe 16" mower and a Mr. Heater with propane tank were reported missing.

File 2023-7020: Two nighttime trespassers were reported to have caused fire damage to a business out building in the 400 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on July 10.

File 2023-7025: A courier delivered package was reported stolen in the 2700 block of Island Highway West, Qualicum Beach, on July 10.

File 2023-7032: A vehicle was reported vandalized with damage to the driver's door on Dunbar Way, Parksville, on July 11.

File 2023-7042: A local resident reported being defrauded of \$300 responding to a romance web site on July 11.

File 2023-7050: A wallet containing money was turned in to Oceanside RCMP by a business on Collins Drive, Nanoose Bay, on July 11. The owner was found and property was picked up on July 12.

File 2023-7051: A wallet containing money was turned in to Oceanside RCMP by a resident who found it at the Parksville Community Park, on July 11. The owner was found and picked up property the same day.

File 2023-7061: A 2014 Starcraft 26-foot Travel Trailer was reported stolen from a property in the 1700 block of Alberni Highway, Coombs, on July 11.

File 2023-7091: Pallets were lit on fire behind a business in a reported case of arson in the 200 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on July 12.

File 2023-7145: Approximately 12 gallons of fuel were reported stolen from a vehicle in the 1000 block of Lee Road, Parksville, on July 13.

File 2023-7179: A large amount of fuel was reported stolen from a work site in the 900 block of Chatsworth Road, Whiskey Creek, on July 14.

File 2023-7185: A yellow Norco Buzz E-Bike which was secured with a chain was reported stolen in the 1000 block of Station Road, Coombs, on July 14.

File 2023-8000075: BC front plate PH049D was reported stolen from a vehicle parked at the Parksville Community Park on July 14.

File 2023-7244: A Canada Post mailbox was reported damaged by vandalism near Marina Way and Brynamarl Road, Nanoose Bay, on July 15.