

PROPERTY CRIME WATCH

November 5 to November 11

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 227 complaints.

File 2023-11931: A public washroom was reported vandalized with urinals and paper dispensers ripped off the wall in the 100 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on November 7. Damage estimated at \$1,500.

File 2023-11953: A pallet fire was reported behind a business in the 200 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on November 8.

File 2023-11958: A business break-and-enter was reported in the 100 block of Despard Avenue, Parksville, on November 8. Evidence that cedar panelling was being stolen.

File 2023-11987: An outbuilding break-and-enter was reported with three bikes missing in the 900 block of Schidler Road, Coombs, on November 8

File 2023-12016: A porta-potty was reported damaged by an arson fire in the 100 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on November 9.

File 2023-12021: A small dumpster fire was reported in the 100 block of Island Highway West, Parksville, on November 10.

File 2023-12030: A business break-and-enter was reported with fireworks missing in the 2500 block of Alberni Highway, Coombs, on November 10.

File 2023-12032: A resident reported being scammed \$4,000 responding to a phone call from a purported bank representative, on November 11.

File 2023-12069: An outbuilding break-and-enter was reported with nothing missing in the 900 block of Shearme Road, Coombs, on November 11.

File 2023-800131: A vehicle was reported to have had fuel stolen and a hole drilled in tank at the Memorial Avenue pullout, Qualicum Beach, on November 11.