

# PROPERTY CRIME WATCH

## December 11 to December 17

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 237 complaints.**

File 2023-13001: Two males were reported trespassing and sleeping in an unlocked vehicle belonging to a company in the 200 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on December 11.

File 2023-13003: An RDN compost bin was reported stolen in the 5300 block of Island Highway West, Qualicum Beach, on December 11.

File 2023-13009: Damage to a building was reported caused by an attempted entry to a parking area in the 300 block of Morison Avenue, Parksville, on December 11.

File 2023-13029: A tube subwoofer speaker and Maui Jim sunglasses were reported stolen from a vehicle in the 400 block of Willow Street, Parksville, on December 12. The subwoofer was recovered next day by RCMP.

File 2023-12042: A vehicle was reported damaged in an attempt to steal the exhaust in the 200 block of Finholm Street North, Parksville, on December 12.

File 2023- 13052: Christmas decorations were reported stolen in the 800 block of Edgeware Avenue, Parksville, on December 12.

File 2023-13066: A nighttime prowler was reported in the 300 block of Sutherland Place, Parksville, on December 13.

File 2023-13068: An overnight business break-and-enter was reported with several Louis Vuitton handbags and designer sunglasses missing in the 700 block of Primrose Street, Qualicum Beach, on December 13. The business front door was damaged.

File 2023-13071: A business break-and-enter was reported with one male arrested in the 900 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on December 13.

File 2023-13075: A resident reported being defrauded over \$10,000 in an online dating scam on December 13.

File 2023-13076: Damage estimated at over \$250 to turf at the Community Park Fields was reported in the 100 block of Island Highway East, Parksville, on December 13.

File 2023-13084: Four vandals were reported to have tagged the back of the local skating rink with graffiti in the 800 block of Island Highway West, Parksville on December 13.

File 2023-13085: An alleyway and a vehicle were reported vandalized with spray paint in the 300 block of Clarkson Place, Parksville, on December 13.

File 2023-13138: A black colour Samsung S8 phone was found at the Vancouver Island Library, Qualicum Beach, on December 14. Contact Oceanside RCMP during regular business hours to claim quoting this file number.

File 2023-13092: An unsecured vehicle was reported to have rummaged through with damage noted to the ignition in 600 block of Morison Avenue, Parksville, on December 14.

File 2023-13093: A vehicle was reported vandalized with the windshield smashed in the 1600 block of Stroulger Road, Nanoose Bay, on December 14.

File 2023-13094: Four vandals were reported to have tagged the back of a business with graffiti in the 800 block of Island Highway West, Parksville, on December 14.

File 2023-13100: A resident was reported defrauded \$2,000 responding to a pop-up message on their laptop purportedly by a software provider requesting payment in gift cards on December 14.

File 2023-13102: A watch was found in the 400 block of Crescent Road West, Qualicum Beach, on December 14. Contact Oceanside RCMP during regular business hours to claim quoting this file number.

File 2023-13108: A black and white colour Surface 604 Shred e-bike was reported stolen in the 900 block of Fairdowne Road, Parksville, on December 14.

File 2023-13132: A house was reported egged in the 100 block of Sunningdale Road West, Qualicum Beach, on December 15.

File 2023-13143: Christmas decorations were reported stolen in the 500 block of Hamstead Road, Parksville, on December 15.

File 2023-13148: A reciprocating saw and chainsaw were reported stolen in the 100 block of Horne Lake Road, Qualicum Beach, on December 15. The items were recovered later that day.

File 2023-13166: A business break-and-enter was reported in the 700 block of Memorial Avenue, Qualicum Beach, on December 15. Refer to Oceanside RCMP Press Release for suspect photographs.

File 2023-13167: A nighttime trespasser was reported and arrested in the 500 block of Soriel Road, Parksville, on December 16. Charges of Mischief and Trespass at Night are being recommended.

File 2023-13197: A business break-and-enter was reported in the 200 block of Island Highway West, Parksville, on December 17. A door was noted damaged by the two male culprits.

File 2023-13202: A seasonal residential break-and-enter was reported in the 500 block of Soriel road, Parksville on December 17.

File 2023-13206: Keys and a baseball hat were found in the 300 block of Pym Street North, Parksville, on December 17. Contact oceanside RCMP during regular business hours to claim quoting this file number.