

PROPERTY CRIME WATCH

February 3 to February 9, 2025

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 219 complaints.

File 2025-997: A tiger-USA knife was found behind Wembley Mall, Parksville, on February 3. Contact Oceanside RCMP during regular business hours to claim quoting this file number.

File 2025-1100: A residential break-and-enter was reported with furniture, a camp stove and copper wire/pipe missing in the 2700 block of Grafton Avenue, Qualicum Beach, on February 6.

File 2025-1017: A road sign with flashing hazards and a solar panel were reported stolen at the intersection of Rupert Road West and Memorial Avenue, Qualicum Beach, on February 6.

File 2025-1060: A resident reported losing \$700 responding to an online ad for firewood requiring an e-transfer on February 7.

File 2025-1094: A vehicle was reported vandalized with a single scratch the whole length in the 700 block of Canyon Crescent road, Qualicum Beach, on February 7.

File 2025-1125: Two heavy duty batteries were reported stolen from an excavator at the intersection of Fairdowne Road and Smithers Road, Parksville, on February 7,

File 2025-1153: A community postal box was reported damaged with a number of mail slots opened in the 2300 block of Andover Road, Nanoose Bay, on February 8.

File 2025-1154: A community postal box was reported damaged with a number of mail slots opened at the intersection of Redden Road and Outrigger Road, Nanoose Bay, on February 8.

File 2025-1178: A business break-and-enter was reported with over \$1,500 of food missing from a storage shed in the 6900 block of Island Highway West, Bowser, February 9.

File 2025-1196: A vehicle was reported to have knocked over a stop sign and put the traffic control device in the back of the truck at the intersection of Belkin and Amity Way, Parksville, on February 9.