



# **NBPCAAA NEWSLETTER**

**To support the New Berlin Police Department and law enforcement**

## **MEMBERS HELD HOSTAGE JUNE 29**

On June 29th four of our members willingly were held hostage in an abandoned house, role playing in a NBPD SWAT Team training exercise. It was fun for the hostages and a valuable assist for our police department. As you might suspect our SWAT Team is first class, a group to be proud of and one which exemplifies the meaning of "to serve and protect."

There will be other opportunities to take part in training exercises and other activities to assist our police department. We will keep you posted as opportunities arise.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**September 22, 2011**

General Meeting

Time: 7:00 PM

Location:

New Berlin Municipal  
Courtroom  
16300 W National Ave.  
New Berlin, WI

## **INDEPENDENCE DAY ACTIVITIES**

Firstly, a hardy thanks to all the members and others who worked the bake sale booth and handed out flyers for the Texas Road House fundraiser. These first fundraising efforts of our association were a good start. Nearly \$500 was raised and on top of that we gained recognition of our association's existence.

## **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH**

Association Board member Debra Stelzner is heading up efforts to revitalize the Neighborhood Watch program. If interested in becoming a Watch Captain, helping with neighborhood program startups or being a part of a neighborhood group please contact Debra through our website [www.nbpcitizensacademy.org](http://www.nbpcitizensacademy.org). Let her know if you need more details or have questions.

## **MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

The next general meeting of the NBPCAAA will be held Thursday September 22, 2011 at 7:00PM in the municipal courtroom at 16300 W. National Ave. in New Berlin. You won't want to miss this opportunity to hear guest speaker Mike Kuglitsch discuss and answer questions on the newly enacted concealed carry legislation. Mr. Kuglitsch, 84th District Representative in our Wisconsin Assembly, was instrumental in getting the new carry law introduced and passed.

This is also a great time to socialize with fellow Academy graduates, get updated on Association activities and hear what's new with the New Berlin Police Dept.

## **SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:**

- NBPCAAA Membership is growing. As of this writing we are approaching 65 members and growing
- Non Profit Status For NBPCAAA: Documentation to obtain a 501C3 nonprofit status has been filed with the Internal Revenue Service

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## **NEW BERLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS AND ALERTS**

Be sure to lock your vehicles and garages. Please be on the lookout for any suspicious activity and don't hesitate to call it in to the New Berlin Police Department at **262-782-6640**

Refer to the website <http://nbpcitizensacademy.org> for additional information on Alerts.

## Recognizing Suspicious Activity



**Abandoned Vehicles are suspicious.**

**Contact the New Berlin Police Department at 262-782-6640**

### **SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES**

- Slow moving vehicles, vehicles without lights, and/or the course followed appears aimless or repetitive. This is suspicious in any location, but particularly in areas of schools, parks, and playgrounds. Vehicles being loaded with valuables are suspicious if parked in front of a closed business or untended residence, even if the vehicle is a legitimate looking commercial unit - possibly even bearing a sign identifying it as a repair vehicle, moving van, etc.

### **SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR INVOLVING VEHICLES**

- Persons attempting forcibly to enter a locked vehicle, especially at night or in a parking lot.
- Persons detaching mechanical parts or accessories from a vehicle especially at night or in a parking lot.
- Apparent business transactions conducted from a vehicle especially if around schools or parks, and if juveniles are involved.
- Persons being forced into vehicles, especially if juveniles or females. Objects thrown from a vehicle, especially while traveling at a high speed.

### **SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR INVOLVING PROPERTY**

- Property carried by persons on foot, especially questionable if the person is running. May be significant if the property is not wrapped as if just purchased.
- Property being removed from or being placed into vehicles or buildings if removed from closed residences whose owners are known to be absent.
- Someone offers to sell you something for significantly less than the market value.
- Items that accumulate in private garages, storage areas, or on property if it accumulates, especially if the items are in good condition but not in use. Example: A number of television sets being stored in a garage for a long period of time.

### **SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR INVOLVING PEOPLE**

- Someone going door-to-door in a residential area if after a few houses are visited, one or more of the subjects goes into a back or side yard. More suspicious if another remains in the front when this occurs.
- Someone waiting in front of a house or business when the owners are absent, or if it is a business and the establishment is closed.
- Someone forcing entrance to or tampering with a residence, business, vehicle, etc.
- A non-resident going into a back or side yard.
- A person running especially if something of value is being carried.

### **OTHER SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY**

- Continuous "Repair" operations at a non-business location.
- Open or broken windows at closed businesses or residences whose owners are temporarily absent.
- Unusual noises such as gunshots, screaming, abnormally barking dogs, or any noise that is suggestive of foul play.
- Unusual smells coming from location.
- Continuous traffic that comes and goes to the same location, usually staying for very short periods of time.

Resource::Seattle, WA Gov Website: [http://www.seattle.gov/police/contact/reporting/suspicious\\_activity.htm](http://www.seattle.gov/police/contact/reporting/suspicious_activity.htm)

**Thank You To Our New Berlin Police Department and all our Law Enforcement For  
Your Dedication and Commitment To Service!**