

Temple Terrace Crime Watch News

Crime Prevention Starts with Your Attention!

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WEEKLY MESSAGE:

A quick reminder that our next Coffee with a Cop will be next Friday May 3, 2019 at Publix located at 11502 N 53rd St from 9:30am to 10:30am! Stop on by and enjoy some coffee and conversation!

CRIME PREVENTION TIP:

Here are some fraud prevention tips to help keep your finances safe, specifically in regards to those unexpected sales calls. When you receive calls from a telemarketer, ask yourself who is calling and why are they calling. According to the Federal Trade Commission telemarketers must tell you if it is a sales call. Be aware of how fast the person on the other line is speaking, if they are using high pressure sales tactics they may be hiding something. Pay attention if the telemarketer is saying "It's free" and then asks for an account or credit card information. That is not "free." Sometimes callers already have your information, they're trying to get you to say "okay" to claim that you have approved a change to your accounts. Pay attention to the time, rules set forth by the Federal Trade Commission allows telemarketers to call between 8am and 9pm. If you do not want telemarketers to call you tell them not to and then add your number to the National Do Not Call Registry, if they call ever again, they are breaking the law. To equip yourself with more information please refer to www.consumer.ftc.gov. With these tips you can better guard yourself against phone scams!

TABLE 1: POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	LOCATION	MODUS OPERANDI
4/17/2019	Theft	300 Block of S Riverhills Dr	Kayak stolen from patio
4/17/2019	Theft	12300 Block of N 53 rd St	Stolen bicycle/suspect arrested
4/17/2019	Fraud	11200 Block of N 56 th St	Check Fraud
4/19/2019	Burglary Auto	8400 Block of N 56 th St	Forced entry/cash stolen
4/19/2019	Fraud	11200 Block of N 56 th St	Credit card fraud
4/19/2019	Fraud	8700 Block of Triple Oaks Rd	Impersonation
4/19/2019	Fraud	5400 Block of E Busch Blvd	Swindle
4/20/2019	Burglary	8600 Block of Lake Isle Dr	Kayak stolen off patio
4/20/2019	Theft	11500 Block of N 53 rd St	Shoplifting
4/21/2019	Theft	8400 Block of N 56 th St	Shoplifting
4/21/2019	Fraud	11300 Block of Rifka Ct	Identity theft
4/24/2019	Burglary	300 Block of Brentwood Dr	Attempted forced entry
4/24/2019	Fraud	6900 Block of Marisa Ct	Impersonation

TABLE 2: CONTACT INFORMATION

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