SPRING VALLEY VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER: JUNE 2025

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INTRODUCTION

Hilshire Village Residents,

Summer is officially upon us. It appears we may have an active hurricane season. In this newsletter you will find some tips to help you prepare.

KEEP IN MIND:

- Hurricane season is here. Stock up on your supplies.
- Lock your vehicle when it is unoccupied.
- > Be sure to lock all doors and windows in your home, when you are not on the premises.
- Please be cautious while driving through our neighborhoods, as the children will be enjoying more outdoor activities.

As always, we are here if you need us!

Sincerely, Chief M. Schulze



JUNE 2025

| DATE | DAY | SPECIAL DAYS FOR THIS MONTH |
|------------|----------|-----------------------------|
| 06-01-2025 | SUNDAY | START OF HURRICANE SEASON |
| 06-14-2025 | SATURDAY | FLAG DAY |
| 06-15-2025 | SUNDAY | FATHER'S DAY |
| 06-20-2025 | FRIDAY | FIRST DAY OF SUMMER |









Safety Tips from Your Police Department

Preventing Armed Robbery

While we work hard to keep our community safe, you can take steps to reduce the risk of becoming a target for armed robbery.

Whether you're a business owner, employee, or resident, these proactive tips can help:

For Businesses:

Keep the Premises Well-Lit - Bright lighting around entrances, exits, and parking lots discourages criminal activity.

Limit Cash on Hand - Make frequent bank deposits and use a drop safe to reduce accessible cash.

Use Surveillance Cameras - Visible, working security cameras can deter criminals and help identify them if a crime occurs.

For Individuals:

Be Aware of Your Surroundings - Avoid distractions like phones when walking alone, especially at night.

Park in Well-Lit Areas - And always lock your car and keep windows rolled up.

Trust Your Instincts - If something feels off, it probably is. Leave the area and call the police if needed.



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HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS:

The hurricane season runs from June 1 to Nov. 30.

Hurricanes are dangerous and can cause major damage from storm surges, wind damage, rip currents, and flooding. They can happen along any U.S. coast or in any territory in the Atlantic or Pacific oceans. Storm surge historically is the leading cause of hurricane-related deaths in the United States.

Please use the following links from the City of Houston for the hurricane checklist and preparedness information.

https://www.houstontx.gov/council/h/disasterprep/METRO-Hurricane-Preparedness.pdf

https://www.houstonoem.org/preparedness-are-you-ready/

Please use the following link for hurricane tracking information.

https://www.nhc.noaa.gov/



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Play it safe online

Protect your personal information while you're online.

Being online lets you follow the news, connect with friends and family, shop, manage finances, and more.



Consider these tips:

- Lock your devices just like you lock your front door. Use a passcode or fingerprint to lock your phone or tablet. If you have a computer, use a strong password that's at least 12 characters long.
- Know the red flags of scams. If someone contacts you and asks you to pay by wire transfer or gift card, be wary. It's probably a scam.
- Share with care. Limit how much personal information you share online. Set your social media profiles to private. If someone asks to connect with you on social media, only accept their request if you know them.

Report scams to ftc.gov/complaint or 1-877-FTC-HELP.

Visit staysafeonline.org for more tips.



Summer WATER SAFETY

Help to spread the summer water safety message!

Drowning accidents are especially high in the summer months and over the last few years there have been too many tragedies that could have been prevented.

Every year people drown both at home and on holiday because they don't take simple precautions, so understanding how to enjoy the water safely is vital.

Please help to avoid another tragic summer this year by spreading the following water safety advice



LOOK OUT FOR LIFEGUARDS

If you're looking for a place to cool off, always find a lifeguarded swimming site



IT'S COLDER THAN IT LOOKS

Water at open and inland sites is often much colder than it looks, cold water can affect your ability to swim and self-rescue



DON'T GO TOO FAR

Always swim parallel to the shore, that way you're never too far away from it



IT'S STRONGER THAN IT LOOKS

Currents in the water can be very strong. If you find yourself caught in a current – don't swim against it. Stay calm, float on your back, call for help and swim out of the side of the current when it is safe



BRING A FRIEND

Always bring the friend when you go swimming so if anything goes wrong, you've got someone there to help





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KEEP IN MIND:

Bicycle Safety Rules for the Family



Follow these rules when you ride your bicycle:

- Always wear a bicycle helmet--every time you ride.
- Ride on the right, in the same direction as other vehicles. The bicycle
 is a vehicle. Bicyclists and drivers follow the same rules of the road.
- Ride a bicycle that fits you and has working parts.
- Always ride with at least one hand on the handlebars.
- · Obey all traffic laws, signs, and signals.
- Be visible. Wear bright clothing and reflective materials.
- If you have to ride at night, you must have a white headlight in the front and red lights or reflectors on the back of your bike.
- Always pay attention to traffic. Never use headphones or talk on a cell phone while you bike.







NO SIGNAL LIGHTS

Lights should be treated as a four way stop

FLASHING RED

Lights should be treated as a stop sign

FLASHING YELLOW

Drivers should proceed with caution only when traffic permits





SPRING VALLEY POLICE DEPARTMENT HILSHIRE VILLAGE

CALLS BY TYPE: 05-01-2025 THRU 05-31-2025

| TYPE | DESCRIPTION | #OF |
|------|---------------------|------|
| 21 | 911 HANG UP | 1 |
| 6 | ACCIDENT | 2 |
| 22 | ALARM | 5 |
| 23 | AMBULANCE CALL | 2 |
| 24 | ANIMAL CALL | 5 |
| 135 | BUSINESS CHECK | 841 |
| 68 | HOUSE CHECK | 72 |
| 70 | INFORMATION | 5 |
| 71 | INVESTIGATION | 1 |
| 81 | OPEN DOOR | 3 |
| 162 | PARKING VIOLATION | 20 |
| 86 | PUBLIC RELATIONS | 33 |
| 153 | ROBBERY | 1 |
| 99 | STALLED VEHICLE | 1 |
| 103 | SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY | 1 |
| 104 | SUSPICIOUS PERSON | 3 |
| 105 | SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE | 3 |
| 108 | TRAFFIC CONTROL | 3 |
| 11 | TRAFFIC STOP | 19 |
| | TOTAL | 1021 |



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IMPORTANT NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

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NON - EMERGENCY

911 - FOR ALL EMERGENCY

713-465-8323

988 - NATIONAL SUICIDE & MENTAL HEALTH

SPRING VALLEY VILLAGE

HILSHIRE VILLAGE - CITY HALL

VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

| SHIRE VILLAGE | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------|
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| SPRING VALLEY - COURT | 713-465-0333 | | |
| SPRING VALLEY - PD FAX | 713-465-3135 | | |
| SPRING VALLEY - PD | 713-465-8323 | VFD - NON-EMERGENCY | 713-468-7941 |
| SPRING VALLEY - CITY HALL | 713-465-8308 | VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMEN | NT 713-465-2323 |
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713-973-1779



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