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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT **COMMUNITY ALERT**

Village of **Arlington Heights**

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Burglary from Motor Vehicle Fitness Centers/Health Clubs – Child Daycare Facilities

The Arlington Heights Police Department is investigating six (6) vehicle burglaries all occurring on Friday December 4th and Wednesday December 9th at the following child daycare and fitness center facilities: Kindercare 110 W. Boeger Dr. between 7:40 AM – 8:05 AM and XSport Fitness 320 E. Golf Rd. between 5:30 PM – 7:38 PM.

In all 6 reported incidents, the unknown offender(s) shattered the passenger side windows of all victim vehicles and removed either a personal storage bag or women's purse. The focus of each burglary is personal identification including but not limited to Illinois Driver's Licenses, Social Security Cards and other personal identification or credit cards.

Other local communities including Buffalo Grove, Hoffman Estates, Mt. Prospect, Northbrook, Palatine and Wheeling, Il. have experienced vehicle burglaries at similar business locations. In each burglary, offending vehicles appear to be newer models almost always characterized as having distinctly dark tinted windows and no front license plate. Given the type of burglary and locations of offense, the offender(s) are believed to surveil fitness club and daycare parking lots by parking to watch the behavior of customer traffic. Victims observed to leave parked vehicles without carrying or securing handbags are then targeted.







(Pictures shown above taken of offending vehicles in Northbrook, Buffalo Grove and Cary)

Anyone having information about this or any other serious crime in Arlington Heights should submit an anonymous text tip by texting the keyword 847AHPD and your message to 847411(tip411) or call Arlington Heights Crime Stoppers at (847) 590-STOP. Callers are guaranteed anonymity and may qualify for a cash reward of up to \$1,000.



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