

NOTES FROM MEETING WITH DIDSBURY RCMP- NOV 20, 2014

Cst. Keith Gill; Judy S – CATV, Paul Frey – Didsbury Review; Kevin Vink – Carstairs Courier

INCIDENTS:

1. NOV 14, 10 pm – at Didsbury Inn Parking Lot. Member on random patrol observed a female in a vehicle that appeared distraught. Officer ran plate and came back as stolen vehicle from Discount Rental Cars in New Brunswick. 39 year old female from New Brunswick but currently living in Didsbury was arrested for possession of property obtained by crime. Vehicle was towed and suspect will appear in court – Dec 22.
2. NOV 15, after midnight. Gentleman from rural residence NE of Didsbury that his shop had been broken into. Numerous welding equipment items were stolen, as well as Snap-on tool s and tool cabinet. Thieves gained access through an overhead door that was not fully closed and secured. Door was left open and pipes froze and broke in the shop, causing additional damage. The Snap-on Tool Box has a big Caterpillar Sticker on it and equipment has initials “MR” engraved on them. A 180 Tig Welder was part of equipment stolen. Tire tracks at scene indicate thieves appear to have headed west from site. Incident is still under investigation

RCMP are encouraging anyone with information on these incidents to contact them or Crime Stoppers. And please lock vehicles and residents.

Stolen equipment serial numbers when available are entered into the CIPC System in case they are discovered in another detachment area.

This is the time of year fraudsters hit the community – mainly seniors. A Fraud Prevention seminar is being held in Carstairs. If any groups want a seminar, they should contact their local detachment to arrange for one.

The Didsbury Detachment will have modified hours for December 1 – 29. Temporary hours will be 8:00 am – 2:00 pm Monday to Friday. Closed from noon – 12:30 p,m for lunch. This is due to support staff shortages. The detachment is closed December 25 – 26 and January 1. Offices can be accessed however, through the yellow phone at the door. Just pick it up and you will be connected to central dispatch who will contact an officer on duty and they will get back to you, If it is an emergency CALL 911.

Judy Schlichenmayer

NOTE-TO-SELF. Contact County for road reports – road bans; construction and delays; spring floods; road closures. Add Kevin & Paul to RCW e-mail fan-out.