





Neighbourhood Support Katikati 28th April 2021

Remember to continue clocking in with the Covid App. With the highly contagious strains that are appearing, it is <u>very important</u> to be able to just check with who you may have been in contact with.

Duck shooting season starts on the first of May and here is a reminder to those who have a firearms license.

Is your license up to date? If you have shifted recently have you informed the Arms Officer of the change of your address?

Guns should stored in a steel gin safe and these should be securely bolted in place and be able to withstand forced entry.

Following use make sure that both the magazine and the chamber are unloaded and empty.

Never carry a loaded firearm in a vehicle and do not leave firearms in an unattended vehicle at any time.

Record your firearm serial number with SNAP. www.snap.org.nz

Report theft of firearms to the police immediately

With the Kiwi fruit season under away there are a lot of trucks and slower traffic such as tractors on the road and it is important that you have patience while driving on the highway. The Bay of Plenty Death toll so far this year is 16 the worst in the country. Imagine just how many people who are affected by this, Police, Ambulance, Fire, Hospital staff, Parents, Partners, Children, Friends and Workmates to name just a few. A lot of heartache and sorrow for

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<u>Sergeants Report – By Steve Hindmarsh</u>

Crime and Incident Report 21st of April to 28th of April 2021

Remember LOCK it or LOSE it.

Found property – Toy medals found near the Talisman

Arrests and Apprehensions.

On the evening of the 28^{th} of April Police stopped a vehicle on Apata Station Road after complaints were received from the public in relation to his driving. As a result a 28 year old Whakamarama man has been charged with driving with excess breath alcohol (1364 mgms per litre of breath) and driving whilst disqualified. He appears in the Tauranga DC on the 6^{th} of May. The legal limit is 250.

A 21 year old Waihi woman has been arrested and charged with burgling a Ross Road, Whakamarama address. The burglary occurred on the 30th of March. She appears in the Tauranga DC on the 3rd of May.

General

I would like to thank the members of the public that report poor driving. It has resulted in the apprehension of some very intoxicated drivers this year. Some people have no respect for other road users when they are travelling with alcohol levels 4 or 5 times above the legal limit.

If you SEE something SAY something.







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