Residential Burglary Hot Prowl

12/04/2014

Incident: Residential Burglary Hot Prowl
Contact: Watch Commander, 805-339-4416
Location: 500 Block Donizetti Ave
Date/Time Occurred: 12/4/2014 at 1212 Hours
Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol Officers, VPD K-9 Officer
Victim(s): Cindy Cook, 55, Ventura Resident
Suspect(s): B/M, 20 to 25 years, 6'00", thin build, red shirt, black shorts
Report #: 14-15315

Narrative:

On the above date and time Ventura Patrol Officers responded to a report of a residential burglary that had just occurred in the 500 block of Donizetti Ave.

The victim reported that she was inside of her residence when she heard someone knocking on her front door. The victim did not answer her door and a few minutes later she observed the suspect inside her residence rummaging through a drawer. The victim confronted the suspect who then fled the residence and was last seen running away on foot.

Officers arrived on scene and set up a perimeter. The victim’s residence was checked and no other suspects were found.

The investigation determined that the suspect had gained entry into the victim’s backyard and entered her residence through an unsecured window.

A VPD K-9 Officer responded to assist with the search of the surrounding neighborhood however the suspect was not located.

This investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information related to this crime is urged to call the Ventura Police Department at 339-4493, or make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477. If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to $1,000.