

“Just The FACTS”

SBCCD Police News



POLICE
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Campus Alerts
None

Escort Services:

At night the SBCCD PD is here to help you get to your car safely. If you need an escort call us at : 909-384-4491.



One Ring' Wireless Phone Scam Resurfaces Again in U.S., Prompting Warning to Cellphone Users

If you receive a call or text from an unfamiliar area code, you may want to read this first.

Inc.com is reporting that the “one ring scam” that has shown up periodically in the past few years has resurfaced. Scammers are using auto-dialers to call cellphone numbers across the country. They let the phone ring once, just enough for a missed call message to pop up, then hang up.

Frank Dorman, who works with consumer fraud and debt collection in the Federal Trade Commission’s Office of Public Affairs, said in an email Friday that the racket “has been going on for a while.”

The scammers are hoping you’ll call back — and when you do, you’ll be slammed with hefty charges, both per-minute and international. If you do return the call, you’ll likely get a message that attempts to keep you on the line, something such as, “Hello. You’ve reached the operator, please hold,” according to the FTC.

“In the past, telephone consumers have been fooled into making expensive international calls by scam artists who leave messages on consumers’ answering machines or their email accounts. The messages urge consumers to call a number ... to collect a prize, find out about a sick relative, or engage in sex talk,” the FCC wrote on its website back in 2015.

The calls are from phone numbers with three-digit area codes that look like they’re from inside the U.S., but are actually associated with international phone numbers — often in the Caribbean.

According to the FTC, the area codes include 268, 284, 473, 664, 649, 767, 809, 829, 849 and 876.

Inc.com reports that there are actually three versions of this scam now:

- Scammer calls and hangs up before anyone answers.
- Scammer waits for the victim to answer and plays a pre-recorded message of someone in an emergency situation and then hangs up.
- Scammer sends a text message indicating that they are in trouble.

If you receive an unexpected call or text from an area code you don’t recognize, don’t answer it. Do a Google search to see where the call is coming from. If it’s someone you know, most likely they will call you back or send a text message.

The FTC also recommends reviewing your cellphone bill carefully and to contact your provider if there are any suspicious charges.

“As a general rule: Read your phone bill often — line by line. If you don’t recognize or understand a charge, contact your carrier,” the FTC says.

If you are a victim of the scam, file a complaint online with the Federal Trade Commission and Federal Communications Commission.



CAMPUS ALERTS SBVC & CHC

Parking Controls BP/AP 6750 (F) (5)
Parking stalls marked “visitor” are solely for visitors and may be governed by time limits. Students and employees are prohibited from parking in these stalls.

SBVC Campus Resources

Campus Police
➤ Located in Campus Center RM 100
➤ Non-Emergency Phone Number (909) 384-4491

Student Health Services
➤ NW Corner of parking Lot #8 behind Football Field
➤ Appointments & Questions (909) 384-4495

Click the link below for more Campus Resources
www.valleycollege.edu

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY DIAL 911

CHC Campus Resources

Campus Police
➤ Located in LADM RM 153
➤ Non-Emergency Phone Number (909) 389-3275

Health & Wellness Center
➤ SSB RM 101
➤ Appointments & Questions (909) 389-3272

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SBCCD Police Dispatch is available Monday-Friday from 7:00 am-10:00 pm. After 10:00 pm and on weekends, our phones are transferred to the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department who dispatch SBCCD Officers to calls.

For daily incidents reports and other crime information, go to the Police Web site: <http://sbccd.org/police>

MISSION STATEMENT

The SBCCD Police Department, in concert with the Board of Trustees, is committed to providing a safe and secure learning and working environment for all students and employees. This will be accomplished through a cooperative and coordinated effort involving all departments and the SBCCD employees, law enforcement agencies and community.

SBVC

Case #	Reported	Criminal Offense/ Calls for Service	Location	Date(s)	Time(s)	Disposition
	3/1/17	Disturbing the Peace	Lot 6	3/1/17	9:59am	Unable to Locate
	3/1/17	Suspicious Person	Station	3/1/17	11:43am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/1/17	Suspicious Person	Esperanza St.	3/1/17	5:10pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/1/17	Possession of Alcohol	Mt. Vernon	3/1/17	5:40pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/2/17	Traffic Stop	K Street	3/2/17	2:48am	Necessary Action Taken
17-069	3/2/17	Vandalism	Swap Lot	3/2/17	10:50am	Report Taken
	3/2/17	Vehicle Check	Lot 10	3/2/17	1:04pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/3/17	No Incidents to Report		3/3/17		
	3/4/17	Vehicle Check	Gym	3/4/17	8:05am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/5/17	No Incidents to Report		3/5/17		
17-071	3/6/17	Trespassing	Campus Center	3/6/17	9:37am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/6/17	Suspicious Circumstance	HLS Building	3/6/17	1:31pm	Unable to Locate
	3/6/17	Suspicious Circumstance	Lot 10	3/6/17	2:02pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/6/17	Suspicious Person	Swap Lot	3/6/17	7:05pm	Unable to Locate
17-073	3/6/17	Expired Registration	Swap Lot	3/6/17	9:00pm	Necessary Action Taken
17-075	3/7/17	Expired Registration	Lot 7	3/7/17	10:33am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/7/17	Suspicious Person	Lot 5	3/7/17	7:16pm	Unfounded
	3/7/17	Suspicious Person	Mt. Vernon	3/7/17	7:40pm	Subject Arrested
	3/7/17	Vehicle Check	Swap Lot	3/7/17	11:03am	Necessary Action Taken
17-078	3/8/17	Expired Registration	Lot 10	3/8/17	12:48pm	Citation Issued
	3/8/17	Suspicious Circumstance	North Hall	3/8/17	3:54pm	Necessary Action Taken
17-082	3/9/17	Student Conduct	LA Building	3/9/17	8:56am	Report Taken
	3/9/17	Vehicle Check	K Street	3/9/17	12:46pm	Necessary Action Taken
17-083	3/9/17	Suspicious Circumstance	Station	3/9/17	2:57pm	Report Taken
	3/10/17	Suspicious Circumstance	Mission Drive	3/10/17	9:43am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/10/17	Suspicious Circumstance	Lot 11	3/10/17	2:59pm	Necessary Action Taken
17-085	3/11/17	Incident	MNO	3/11/17	10:15am	Report Taken
	3/11/17	Vehicle Check	Lot 1	3/11/17	2:20pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/12/17	Suspicious Person	Trans Lab	3/12/17	12:12pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/13/17	Suspicious Circumstance	PS Building	3/13/17	5:30pm	Necessary Action Taken
	3/14/17	Vehicle Check	Mission Ave.	3/14/17	3:27am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/15/17	Vehicle Check	Swap Lot	3/15/17	8:44am	Necessary Action Taken
	3/15/17	Suspicious Person	Greek Theater	3/15/17	1:30pm	Necessary Action Taken