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### MONTHLY BUSINESS MANAGERS' MEETING

### "SECURITY AND SAFETY ISSUES"

Tuesday June 5, 2012 9:30 am – 11:00 am Student Union – Atchafalaya Room

Presented by LSU Police Department

Lawrence Rabalais – Chief of Police

101 Public Safety Building

South Stadium Road

(225) 578-3231

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## Topics

- Introduction to LSU Police
- Crime on Campus/Key Control
- > General Safety
- > Active Shooter/Hostage Situations
- Reporting Crime/Suspicious Activity
- Emergency Operations Center (EOC)
- Emergency Texts



Captain Cory Lalonde Public Information Officer/Internal Affairs LSU Police Department



- Traditional Police Department
- On Duty 24/7
  - > On-site, 24-hour police department
  - > 70 full-time personnel.
- Authority and Jurisdiction (LRS 17:1805)
  - All LSU property and streets connecting to that property.
  - When a crime originates on LSU property:
    - Extends jurisdiction statewide









#### 70 Commissioned Officers

- Patrol
- Community Outreach Committee
- Internal Affairs
- K-9 Officers
- > SRT (Special Response Team)
- Bike Patrol
- Motor Officers
- Investigators
- Communications Officers
- Satellite Locations

#### Hiring Process

- Announcement
- > Review of applications
- Physical Fitness Assessment
- Interview Panel
- Polygraph Test
- Drug Screen
- Psychological Testing
- > Background Investigation
- POST Certified Regional Training Academy (10 weeks)
- Field Training Officer Program (FTO) minimum of 12 weeks

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#### Most common crime reported on campus ???

> Incidents by the numbers:

DWI Arrests		
≻ <u>2010</u> – <b>68</b>	<u>2011</u> – <b>72</b>	<u>2012</u> - <b>23</b>
Drug Law Arrests		
▶ <u>2010</u> – 84	<u>2011</u> - <b>110</b>	<u>2012</u> – <b>24</b>



Burglary (reported)	<u>i)</u>	
≻ <u>2010</u> – <b>71</b>	<u>2011</u> – <b>49</b>	<u>2012</u> - <b>14</b>
Theft (reported)		
≻ <u>2010</u> – <b>192</b>	2011 – <b>242</b>	<u>2012</u> - <b>108</b>

- Crime Prevention
  - > Responsibility of the entire LSU Community, NOT ONLY the police.
- LSUPD 70 Officers
  - > Even if ALL 70 on duty at the same time, 24 hours a day:
    - 250 plus buildings over <u>3</u> buildings per officer
    - > <u>30,000</u> plus population \_\_\_\_\_ over <u>428</u> people per officer
    - Police Officers cannot be everywhere, all the time.



- > The effectiveness of Law Enforcement can be increased infinitely:
  - > Partnership with the community they serve
  - Timeliness of reporting incidents



#### Crimes seen on <u>any</u> campus:

- Property Crimes
  - > Theft
  - Damage to property
  - Burglaries (vehicles & offices)
- Crimes vs. Persons
  - > Assaults/Batteries
  - > Robberies
  - Sexual Assaults
  - Domestic/Dating Violence

- > Other
  - > Illegal drugs
  - > DWI
  - Criminal Mischief
  - > Underage Drinking
  - Peeping Toms

**\*NOT AN ALL INCLUSIVE LIST\*** 

### What can I do as an Individual???

- Report Crimes and Suspicious Activity ASAP
- Find Safety Training Opportunities and Services available.
- Take extra time to ensure windows and doors locked
  - > Office, Vehicles, and Residence
  - > DO NOT Prop Doors open
- Don't "donate" your property by leaving it unattended.
  - Most thefts are crimes of opportunity
  - Protect all your valuables and don't lose track of them
    - > laptops, mobile devices, bags, wallets, purses, etc.
- Record Serial Numbers



- If leaving for breaks or other extended periods,
  - > Take smaller valuables with you.
  - > If you cannot take, store securely
  - Guard Personal Information
    - > At Work and Social Media
      - Date of birth
      - Social Security Numbers
      - Vehicles (license plates)
      - Residence (address)
      - Who you give access



### What can I do as a Department???

- Establish directives/procedures for:
  - Accountability of property/equipment issued to specific persons
  - > Periodic inventories within the year
    - Scheduled and Unscheduled
  - Some type of "Issue and Return" procedure to track "common" items.
  - > Identifying /Escorting Visitors
  - Service Personnel
    - > Identification
    - Avoid leaving unattended
    - Verify "unknown" work orders, service calls
  - Securing personal items (valuables)
  - > Secure and limit access personnel information



## **Key Control**

- Vital aspect of Safety and Security
- > Safeguard the personal safety and protect the physical assets of students, faculty, and staff
- Protect LSU property
  - > avoid potentially significant costs to the university due, theft, vandalism, and rekeying locks.
- > LSUPD does remove University Keys etc. from the individual during arrest processing
  - However, what if ...Retirement?...Fired?...Resignation?
- LSUPD and Facility Services have set up a Access Security Oversight committee
  - > A.G. Monaco, Assoc. Vice Chancellor, Human Res Mgt
  - Lawrence Rabalais, Chief of Police
  - > Tony Lombardo, Executive Director of Facility Services
    - > Tasked with developing new access control and key policy
    - > New Key Management software has been purchased
    - > All rekeyed buildings or new construction will migrate to new system and policy



#### **Active Shooter?**

- > Not a matter of if....
- Over in minutes

- Law Enforcement preparation
- Law Enforcement Time and Energy

Anywhere, anytime

Training gap?YOU





#### **Active Shooter Training**

- Video Training
  - LSUPD Website login in with Paws ID and Password
    - Shots Fired
      - > How to respond in an active shooter situation
    - Flash Point
      - How to recognize violent and concerning behaviors before they strike.
      - Disruptive behaviors that may include
        - Threats
        - Harassment
        - Intimidation
        - Bullying
        - Stalking,
        - Dating violence,
        - Sexual assault



#### **Active Shooter**

- Can involve:
  - Single or multiple shooters
  - Close or Distant encounters
  - > Targeted or random victims
  - Single-room confrontations or mobile confrontations



#### **Distinctions Between an Active Shooter and a Hostage Situation**

#### Active Shooter

- An armed individual who has used deadly force and continues to do so with unrestricted access
  - Emotional, senseless, and selfdestructive way
  - No clear goals; self-defeating behavior
  - No substantive or escape demands OR totally unrealistic demands
  - Believe they have been wronged; strong emotions disrupt their ability to reason

#### Hostage Situation

- Substantive motives include those things the hostage-taker cannot obtain for himself (money, escape, etc.)
  - Force fulfillment of demands upon a third party
  - Direct or implied threats to harm hostages
  - Primary goal is to achieve demands; not to harm hostages



#### **Survival Mindset**

- Any action taken, or not taken, during an active-shooter incident may involve life-threatening risk.
  - What would you do??
    - Get Out?
    - Take Out?
    - Keep Out?





#### Law Enforcement Response

- Do NOT expect officers to assist you as you get out
  - Primary job is to locate the shooter and neutralize the threat
- Law Enforcement must assume everyone is a threat to their safety
  - Be prepared to:
    - > show your hands (hands can kill)
    - have weapons pointed in your direction
    - be subject to search/be handcuffed



- When Law Enforcement officers enter the room, do not present a threat to them
  - Do NOT
    - > Point at them or the shooter
    - Make quick movements
    - Run towards them or attempt to hug them
    - Scream or yell
- Be prepared to calmly, quickly, and accurately provide:
  - Name of shooter (if known)
  - Number of shooters
  - Description of shooter
  - Location of shooter
  - Number and types of weapons carried by shooter

#### Safety On Campus

LSUPD strives to make campus as safe as possible

- > Awareness Campaigns
- > Working relationships with other agencies
- Monitoring trends on and around campus
- Proactive patrols
- Camera systems Over 350 on campus
- Emergency Text Messages
- Local and Campus Media Alerts
- Training/Presentations for the LSU Community



### Safety Tips

- Reporting Crimes/Suspicious Activity
- Be proactive in securing personal/university property
- ALWAYS be aware and alert to your surroundings
- Don't walk alone (especially at night)
- Be aware of strangers approaching you
- > Use public walkways
- Avoid dark, secluded "shortcuts"
- When going somewhere, let someone know





- Park in well lit areas
- When returning to your vehicle, have your keys in hand and be alert
- Make a habit to check back seat before entering you vehicle
- Take extra time to ensure all window and doors are locked (home and car)
- Never let unauthorized persons enter
- Close blinds and curtains after dark
- Look-out for each other

### Safety Tips

#### > IF YOU BECOME A VICTIM OF A CRIME...

- Report immediately if you are a victim of or if you witness a crime.
  - Remain calm. Try to stay in control of yourself and do not panic.
  - Try to observe as many details of the suspect(s) as possible and their last known direction of travel.
  - > If they only want your property or money, DO NOT resist.



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### Safety Tips

- Bicycles, Scooters, Cars, and Pedestrians
  - Walking Use sidewalks and crosswalks
  - > Bicycle In Louisiana is considered a vehicle.
    - > Must obey all traffic signals just as any car would
    - Stop Signs, One-way streets, on the right side of road, NOT in crosswalks, NOT on sidewalks and yielding to pedestrians.
  - Vehicles Pay Attention
    - Speed limits, crosswalks, bicycles, motorcycles, and pedestrians
  - > Know what the rules ands laws are for that area/campus.

#### "Just because you have the right of way,

#### doesn't mean you have to insist on it".



## **Reporting Crime/Suspicious Activity**

#### Sergeant Kevin Scott

### **Crisis Management and Preparedness Coordinator**

LSU Police Department



## **Reporting Crime/Suspicious Activity**

- LSU Police @ 225-578-3231, 24 hours
  - Time is critical!
- Offenders often not affiliated
- What is suspicious activity?
  - Individual bias
  - Listen to your gut
  - > If you think twice, call = WIN-WIN
- What will happen if I call?
  - Response, Identification, Determination



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## **Emergency Notifications**

### The Law: Jeanne Clery Act

- Timely Warnings
  - > Based on 11 crimes identified in Clery Act
    - > Serious crimes against persons: homicide, sexual assault, etc.
    - Triggered when a serious or continuing threat to students and employees exists
  - > Initiated by LSU Police after initial response and confirmation
  - Case-by-case basis
- Emergency Notification
  - Specific to known threat to health and safety
  - > Exceptions exist for issuance:
    - > Compromises efforts to mitigate or respond to

## **Emergency Notifications**

- Methods
  - Emergency Text Messaging (opt-in system)
    - > www.lsu.edu
      - > Broadcast email
      - > Broadcast voicemail
      - LSU media (social media, etc.)
      - External media
        - > Broadcast desktop alert (in-progress)

Mail TigerBytes TigerWare

LOG OUT

Expand All | Collapse All

Personal Preferences
Directory Information
Campus Community
Academic Calendars
Compliance Certification
Emergency Text Message
GROK Knowledge Share
LSU Calendar
Ride Share
Student Government
The Daily Reveille
Ticket Exchange

## **Campus Emergency Operations**

### **Emergency Operations Center (EOC)**

#### Concept of Operations

- Emergency Operations Committee
  - Mitigation
  - Preparedness
- Physical Center
  - Staff from throughout campus
    - > Response
    - Recovery
  - Clearinghouse for information
  - Strategic coordinating point







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### Updates

- Do we have any updates on prior topics that we may want to pass on to the audience?
- Do we want to announce the topic for the next month and encourage audience to submit specific questions?

## Announcements & Reminders



## Next Month's Meeting & Topic

When: xxxxxx

Where: 225 Peabody Hall

What: TBD

Suggestions for future topics or questions regarding these meetings should be sent to Maria Cazes at <u>mcazes@lsu.edu</u>.