

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS



Public Safety involves partnerships between the public and the police. Always report suspicious persons or activities to the Burnaby RCMP.



Residential Break and Enters

The Burnaby RCMP is reporting an increase in residential break and enters.

Thieves do not discriminate between household dwelling types (apartments vs. houses). Read the Burnaby RCMP Crime Prevention Unit tips to see what you can do to target harden against residential break and enters.

Did You Know?



Unsecured doors & windows are how most burglars enter dwellings.
Always lock up!



Targets include:
Electronic devices, jewelry, tools, bicycles, sports equipment & more!
Engrave, inventory & place items out of sight.



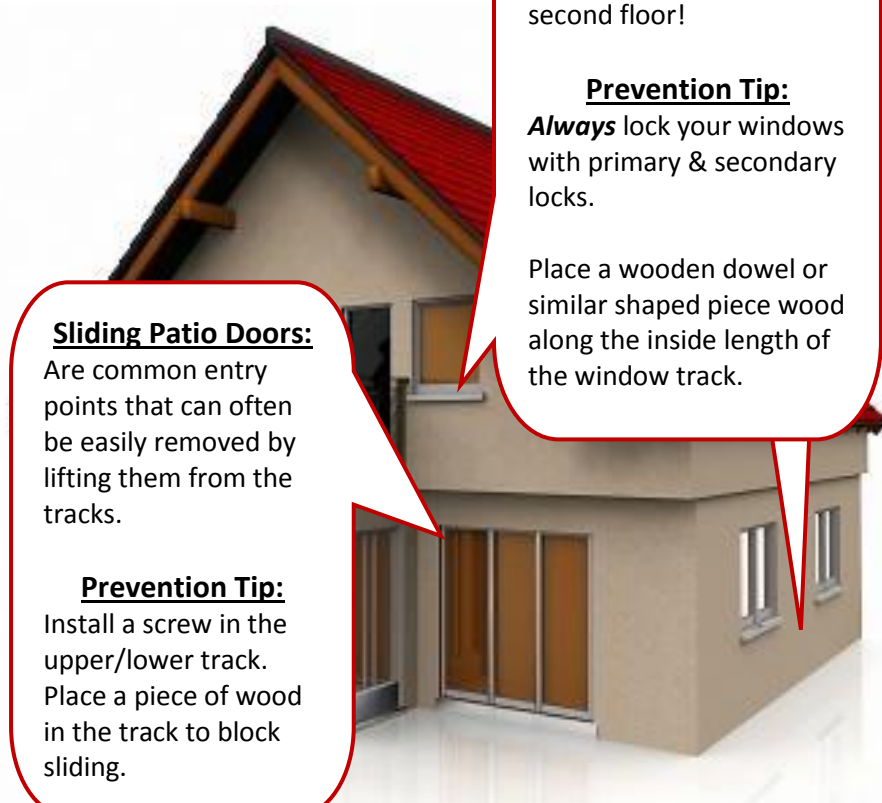
Pre-crime activity could include ringing doorbells or knocking on doors to see if someone is home.



Garage door openers provide easy entry;
Place the job in a safe & secure location: (never store in your vehicle).



Glass can be smashed;
specialty made security glass films can be applied as a preventative measure.



Sliding Patio Doors:

Are common entry points that can often be easily removed by lifting them from the tracks.

Prevention Tip:

Install a screw in the upper/lower track. Place a piece of wood in the track to block sliding.

Windows:

A common entry point: including windows on the second floor!

Prevention Tip:

Always lock your windows with primary & secondary locks.

Place a wooden dowel or similar shaped piece wood along the inside length of the window track.



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