

Bike Rodeo with Police Dept

During the year our members get together for various social events.

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Miniature Golf

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Annual Picnic

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Annual Christmas Party

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These social gatherings are for your whole family.



Amity Township Crime Watch, Inc.

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AMITY TOWNSHIP

CRIME WATCH



MEETS MONTHLY 3RD THURSDAY-7:30 PM

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AMITY TOWNSHIP CRIME WATCH, INC.

In 1985, a group of concerned citizens met with then Chief Maurice Eschbach and established the Amity Township Crime Watch (ATCW).

Since then, ATCW has been the extra eyes and ears for the Amity Township Police Department. ATCW members are residents of the township and are asked to patrol once a month in pairs. While most drive, patrols can be done on foot as well. Patrolling is limited to Amity Township or any section thereof. The presence of Crime Watch helps in deterring crime. All suspicious incidents are reported to the police and they will apprehend any suspects.

Crime Watch meets the third Thursday of each month. The Amity Police Crime Prevention Officer advises the membership and reports on local situations. The Crime Prevention Officer is the formal liaison with the police department. The public is invited!

The ATCW conducts monthly crime prevention programs at its meetings which are <u>open to the public</u>. It also provides limited funds for unbudgeted items needed by the police department, and maintains an involvement in local activities such as "Community Days."



WHAT ARE THE GOALS OF CRIME WATCH?

- To increase citizen awareness of the crime of burglary and other property crimes prevalent to neighborhoods including theft and vandalism.
- To train citizens in various safety and residential security strategies to make their neighborhood and homes more secure.
- To develop an action program where neighbors help watch each other's residences and report suspicious persons and activities in their neighborhoods to the Amity Police Department.
- To encourage all citizens to cooperate with the Amity Police Department in reporting crime.

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

If you are interested in becoming a member of Crime Watch go to the internet and check out:

www.amitytwpcrimewatch.org

OR

Call **610-689-6002** and ask for the Crime Prevention Officer. If he is not available, ask for his voicemail.

Citizens in the community are the best asset to any police department to help fight crime. The Crime Prevention Officer maintains lines of communication with the crime watch board and the membership. He supplies information on crime and suspect information, crime prevention tips, and training on a variety of subjects. The system relies on the willingness of people to get involved, to stay informed on area problems, and to work together to resolve those problems.