



## CRIME PREVENTION

The Village's Police Department has developed several crime prevention programs to assist its residents, businesses, and industries in securing their land, buildings, and personal property. If you are in need of any of these services, please contact the Police Dept. at (630) 668-2167.

\* ***Building Security Surveys*** are conducted during which thorough inspections of entrances, indoor and outdoor lighting, door, window and roof locks, alarm systems, and key holder security take place. An inspection is followed up with an report of findings and suggestions for improving a building's security.

\* ***Emergency Service Cards*** are completed and forwarded to business owners when an emergency corrective action measure has been identified by a police officer.

\* ***Vacation House Watch*** is conducted at the written request of a Village homeowner during an extended period (vacation, business trip) when the home is unoccupied.

\* ***Bicycle Rodeo*** program is offered yearly for village youth during which bike safety seminars are held along with a formal bike registration.

\* ***DARE (Drug Awareness Resistance Education)*** is conducted throughout the local grade schools to educate children about the dangers of drugs as well as assisting them in 'saying no' to drug use.

\* ***Assault Prevention*** is offered to local grade school youth by the Department's Social Services Unit staff to assist them in minimizing the risk for being the target of an assault.