



Block Watch

Please be reminded to keep an eye out for vandalism or other suspicious activity within the community. The cost to repair damaged Association property is shared by all Gilbert Ranch homeowners. If you are witnessing or are involved in a life-threatening situation, or if you suspect a crime in progress, please dial 911 immediately.

Neighborhood Safety Tips

- Please contact the police via the non-emergency number 480-503-6500 if you see any suspicious activity in the community or if you need to report a crime that has already taken place. (You know best what “normal” activity is.)
- Become acquainted with your neighbors.
- Minimize potential risks by making safe choices (i.e. utilizing locks, lighting, etc.) to prevent crime.
- Homeowners are also encouraged not to open doors for door to door salesmen and to call the non-emergency police number to report them with a description of the person and their vehicle, if possible. Posing as a solicitor is an easy way to case a house.
- Keep the outside of your home brightly lit. Install CFL light bulbs to save energy.
- 25% of all burglaries are through an open garage door. Keep your garage doors down.
- Place locks on your electrical boxes and gates. It's an inconvenience but worth it. It's much easier to notice someone climbing a fence rather than walking through a gate.
- Do not leave valuables in your car at any time and lock your car doors even in the garage.
- Consider installing security window film to prevent your windows from being broken.

If you would like more information on our block watch, please contact the Gilbert Police Crime Prevention Unit at (480)503-6527. Visit the link below for more information.

<http://www.gilbertaz.gov/police/prevention/block-watch.cfm>