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**Patrol Alert**

As you may be aware there have been two isolated incidents of break-in's in the Village of Long Grove. In these incidents the homeowners were home or returned home while the intruders were present. There have been no injuries or property lost in either of these incidents. The Sheriff's Office has generated a sketch of the possible offender in one of these incidents. These incidents appear isolated and not related. The Lake County Sheriff's Office has stepped up patrols in the Village. The Sheriff's Office is looking for any information on this type of any crime activities.

Based on the above incidents and the poor economy, the Sheriff's Office would like to remind all persons to be extra vigilant for crimes of opportunity. Residents are urged to make certain that all doors and windows around there home are securely locked. Set alarms if available. Lock up any valuables around your home. Do not leave any packages or newspapers or other items around your home that would indicate that you are not at home. If you are going to be away from home on vacation make sure that you stop all mail and our paper delivery. Build up of this type of material outside your home is a clear indication that no one is at home. Report any suspicious persons or activity to Lake County Sheriff's Office. Take note of suspicious vehicle, noting colors or license plates.

If you citizens would like information on crime prevention they can contact Neighborhood Watch and be set up through an Community Service Deputy Maureen Kinyon. You can contact the Lake County Sheriff's Office Communications Division and arrange for a house watch.

Lake County Sheriff's Office Phone Numbers:

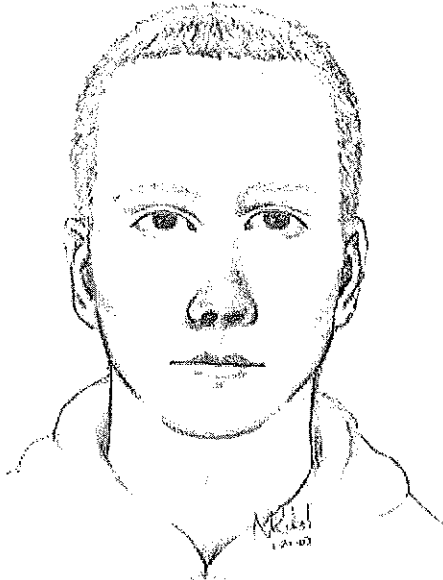
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# Residential Burglary

Date: 1/21/2009

Case #: 09-903

Author ID: 1181



Offender #1



ofender #2

This Department is attempting to identify the above offenders reference a residential burglary that occurred on 1/16/09 at about 2:00 pm in the area of Route 22 and Route 83 Long Grove. Forced entry was made and the homeowner interrupted the burglary. The victim provided the following information. The offenders were driving a newer white Mitsubishi Galant Illinois reg. with last three of "856". Offender #1 was described as a male white about 20 yoa 509,150 short Blonde hair with braces on his teeth. Offender #2 was described as male white about 20 yoa 600,180 brown hair with a full beard.

Offender #1 implied he had a weapon but non was displayed.

Any department with information or needing additional information please contact Detective Anthony Parisi at (847) 377-4250.

**Lake County Sheriff - Headquarters**

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# Police warn of possible burglary ring in Long Grove

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The Lake County Sheriff is warning residents to be on guard against a woman going door-to-door because she seems to be working in tandem with a burglary ring.

A resident who lives near the intersection of

did not answer. But about 10 minutes later, the resident found three men inside her house.

Sheriff officials said the men entered through an unlocked sliding door. When the homeowner confronted them, they fled back through the same door.

The offenders may have driven away in a

small black sports utility vehicle, authorities said.

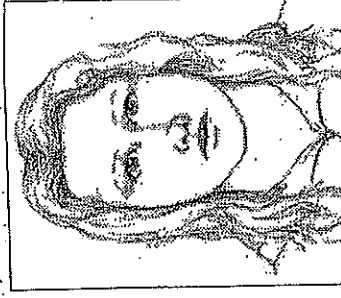
Investigators learned that the woman had been going to door to door ringing doorbells in the Indian Creek Club of Long Grove subdivision. To people who answered the door, she explained she was a graduate student from Harper College doing research on the impact of the economy for her sociology major. One man became suspicious because he knows Harper is a community college

with no graduate program.

No other homeowners reported intruders in their houses.

Witnesses said the woman was about 5-feet, 8-inches tall with hair past her shoulders. The three male intruders wore gray and black hooded jackets and gray scarves around their faces, the sheriff's office reported.

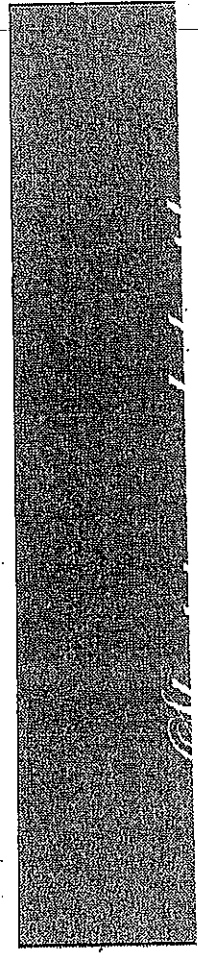
Anyone with information about this case is asked to call the Lake



**Police sketch of the woman involved in a possible burglary ring.**

County Sheriff's Office, at (847) 377-4262.

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## Updated 1/26: Burglaries have police urging residents to be on alert

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Another weekend rash of residential burglaries in Buffalo Grove has brought January's total to eight, according to Cmdr. Steve Husak.

"This is a serious crime; there's been significant property loss," said Husak. "(And) so far we haven't been able to collect significant evidence."

On Monday (Jan. 26), the police department reported four more home burglaries and an apparent attempted burglary between Friday (Jan. 23) and Sunday (Jan. 25). Four of the incidents occurred on the southern edge of the village around Hawthorne Road, Golfview Terrace and Dundee Parkway. The fifth home was burglarized on the 400 block of Castlewood Lane near Checker Drive and Arlington Heights Road.

In all of the cases, entry was made by prying open a first-floor window; bedrooms were ransacked and jewelry was the target, according to police reports. The value of items stolen has not been totaled.

Last weekend's burglaries appear to have the same characteristics of the string of burglaries that have persisted since the summer, Husak said.

Earlier this month, two residences were similarly burglarized on the 800 block of Marseilles Circle and one house was hit on the 700 block of Vernon Lane in Buffalo Grove.

The Police Department first urged residents to be on alert in September after Husak reported 10 residential burglaries in Buffalo Grove during the months of June, July and August.

At least 11 more burglaries have been reported since Dec. 12.

"Definitely it's one of the higher numbers I can remember," Husak said, adding that officers are now conducting more field interview stops and residents are calling in more suspicious vehicles.

Police are asking residents to make their home look occupied by not allowing newspapers to collect on the driveway or porch, taking in the mail and keeping all doors and windows locked. They also reminded residents to call 911 to report anything suspicious incidents, no matter the time of day or the weather.

"Part of our community caretaker role is to keep people safe in their homes," Husak said. "That's our priority."



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