



Home Safety Tips



- ◇ Keep exterior lights on at night.
- ◇ If you have a ladder in your yard, make sure it is locked away and not accessible.
- ◇ Program timers for lighting systems and radio or TV, to create a lived-in atmosphere.
- ◇ Always lock your doors and windows when you are away.
- ◇ Never open the door to an unknown person, (talk to them through the closed door). It is important to always make your presence know when a stranger comes to your door. In most home robberies, the suspect first knocks or rings at the front door. If there is no answer, he immediately goes to the back of the house and breaks in.
- ◇ A good lock is not always sufficient. If your doorframe is not strong, it is important to reinforce it with a metal plaque.
- ◇ Keep an inventory with photos and serial numbers of your valuable possessions.
- ◇ Engrave your possessions with your driver's license number. The engraving tool is available free of charge at your community Police station.
- ◇ Never keep large sums of money in your home.
- ◇ Valuable jewellery should be kept in a safe.

*If you see something suspicious ...
don't hesitate to call 911*