



Summer is Coming!!

It is that time of year again! The runners are running, the kids are out of school and summer vacations abound! We encourage people to get out and enjoy the city amenities and enjoy a break from the winter cold. But, this is the season for severe weather! Please keep an eye to the sky, and an ear to the weather radio, local television and radio stations! We want everyone to be safe and enjoy the sun!

WHERE WILL YOU GO?

Here comes the start of summer! It is when many find the time to get away and vacation! We want people to have a good and safe summer, enjoyed with family and friends! If you are planning a vacation, here are 6 safety tips for your home and property while you are gone.

1. Make sure you have someone checking on your home!
2. Use a door bell camera system. If you are gone, it will let you know if someone shows up .
3. Makes sure your windows and doors are locked! Have people make sure when they check your house.
4. Don't put your travel plans on social media! Too many people can often see your pages and may have ulterior motives.
5. Cancel mail and package deliveries or have someone else picking those items up.
6. Have the house look "lived in" while you are gone. Random lights left on by the people who check your house or your home security system, helps lead others to believe people are home.

These few tips can help keep your home safe while you are enjoying your time away. Please don't hesitate to reach out to your neighbors so they can watch your house too!



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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- We now have OPEN hiring!
- Check out our recruiting website: <http://joinlpd.com/>

Neighborhood Watch is a great program! We are now back to in person meetings, enjoying our neighbors and becoming closer neighborhoods. Please watch your emails and LPD's social media options (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter) for events coming up in the future!

Are you hosting a Neighborhood Watch event? Wanting to start a new group?

Please contact the Community Services Unit and let us know so we can collaborate with you!

Community Services Unit

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HAPPY JULY 4TH!

Celebrations during the 4th of July are often a common sight during the early part of July. Please keep in mind that Lincoln has some different rules than that of the surrounding counties, including Lancaster County. The ordinance is as follows:

“It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge, explode, or use any permissible fireworks within the City of Lincoln except from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on July 3 and from 8:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. on July 4 of each year. (Ord. 18608 §2; August 29, 2005: prior Ord. 17516 § 1; June 14, 1999: Ord.”

Community members are expected to be considerate of others concerns as well while celebrating.

1. Fireworks may not be sold or purchased in the city limits except on July 3rd and July 4th.
2. Fireworks may not be used in the City of Lincoln unless on July 3rd or 4th. There are specific hours in which they can be used. (see the ordinance above)
3. In Lincoln, bottle rockets, helicopter-type fireworks (where the entire item leaves the ground), and sky lanterns are prohibited. At no time may these fireworks be used within the city limits.
4. Fireworks used in any other way than they are intended (to be shot into the sky or displayed on the ground) are prohibited. Any firework that is modified can be considered an improvised explosive.

We want people to have fun during their celebrations, but we also want them to celebrate safely!

CRIME TIP OF THE QUARTER

If you see something out of place or unusual for your neighborhood, say something and let the police department know! Be the eyes of your neighborhood!

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ATTENTION LINCOLN!

Know anyone who would like to be a Police Officer?

The Lincoln Police Department is always hiring! We are looking for people who seek a rewarding career with great benefits!

Join us!

<https://joinlpd.com/>

