

UAB Campus Watcher



An update of the UAB Police Department | Editor: Seretta Woods | Campus Watch Coordinator: Tonya Webb

WHAT IS CAMPUS WATCH?

Campus Watch is a program sponsored by the UAB Police Department that applies the Neighborhood Watch concept to the campus and medical center environment. The program encourages UAB students, faculty and staff to take an active role in the fight against crime.

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CALENDAR

- **Campus Watch Display**
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
HUC Lobby Area
 - Feb. 16
 - April 27
 - Aug. 17
 - Oct. 19
- **Hospital Safety Fair**
7 a.m. to 4 p.m.
N Pavilion Atrium, 2nd Fl
 - March 10

Campus Watch Meetings 2010 HUC Room 411, 9 a.m.

- May 11
- Aug. 10
- Nov. 9



Blazer Eyes Are Watching You

A message from the Chief of Police

Crime Statistics 2010

The UAB Police Department has set a goal to reduce incidents of crime by 5% in calendar year 2010. To help achieve this goal, we have implemented the following procedures:

- Maintain high visibility patrols on campus utilizing marked patrol units, T-3 human transport vehicles, bicycles, motorcycles, segways, and foot patrols;
- Continue to respond to calls for service and criminal calls in a timely manner; and
- Continue to educate the campus community on crime-prevention strategies and offer safety and security courses (e.g. rape aggression defense); perform risk analysis assessments; and vulnerability studies using crime-prevention techniques through environmental design.

To learn more about our educational programs and/or our safety and security courses, please contact our Crime Prevention Specialist Tonya Webb, at 934-2409.

The UAB Police Department has also set a goal to increase our case-clearance rate by 5% in calendar year 2010. To achieve this goal, we will:

- Proactively follow-up leads, suspects, and witnesses in a timely manner.
- Track crime patterns and trends and respond to areas of concern in a timely manner,

- Use all the necessary investigative tools at our disposal to assist in preventing and solving crime.

To reach the Criminal Investigations Division, please call 934-6860.

Finally, we need the assistance of the campus community to further decrease crime in 2010. Please get involved in the Campus Watch Program here at UAB.

Always be aware of your surroundings and when you witness a crime, don't be afraid to tell someone. Even if you don't want to give your name, please forward your information to the proper authorities.

You can help the UAB community and police department by calling us at 934-HELP (4357) or 911 from any campus phone, or using an emergency "bluelight" telephone. If you are attempting to reach the UAB Police Department using your cell phone, please call 934-HELP.

Remember, your assistance is vital in helping the UAB Police Department curtail crime on campus. The more you help us, the better we can serve you!

Chief Anthony Purcell



**UAB Police Department
"Here for You"**

CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAMS

- UAB Campus Watch
- UAB Police Advisory Board
- Rape Aggression Defense
- Pedestrian Safety Campaign
- Get Mugged Campaign
- Workplace & Domestic Violence
- Personal Safety Awareness Seminar

For information, call 934-2409 or go to www.uab.edu/police

POLICE DEPARTMENT RESOURCES

UAB Police Department
1117 14th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35205-2130

Non-Emergency: 934-4434
Chief: 934-2297

Lost & Found:
934-4649

Records & Reports Information
Fax: 934-4649/975-6472

Special Lock & Unlock Requests
934-5315

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Police Department—Vision Statement

“This Department will be the vanguard of safety for our University community by: *doing anything for anybody at anytime!*”



Police Department—Mission Statement

“To provide high quality accessible service to the University community that helps foster safety and security on campus by being responsive to the changing needs of our customers.”

A Word from the Editor

Thank you Chris, for having served as past president of the UAB Campus Watch program. We appreciated your time and commitment to serve. We wish you all the best.

—The UAB Campus Watch Officers

I, like so many others, eagerly awaited the arrival of the New Year 2010. Now that it has arrived, we need to keep the excitement and momentum going for the UAB Campus Watch Program. We are committed to heightening our community awareness and safety at UAB. We and the UAB community working together as a united front can make our campus safer for all faculty, staff, students and visitors.

Seretta Woods

Community safety survey

The UAB Police Department would like to thank everyone who participated in the Community Safety Survey — Kudos!

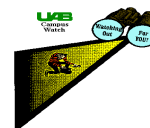
Campus Watch Program

Suggestion Card

We appreciate you taking the time to respond to our suggestion card. As a united front, we need to work together. Therefore, we would appreciate your input, tips, techniques, ideas and thoughts on how best we could serve the faculty, staff, students and visitors at UAB. You can also suggest speakers for the meeting. Please return your card to Michele Self by email or campus mail.

micheles@uab.edu or Optometry Clinical Services, HPB G004, Zip 0010

Name (optional)



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The UAB Campus Watcher newsletter is available at several locations around the UAB campus. If you would like to obtain a copy or have questions or comments, please contact **Tonya Webb** at 934-2409. If you would like more information about Campus Watch or about the UAB Police Department, you may visit us at www.uab.edu/police.