



# Newsletter

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## DECEMBER STATISTICS



Mileage for Dec 07  
**34 852 km**



Average Response Time  
**9:17 min**



HCW Callouts  
**914**



Medical Incidents  
**0**



Crime Incidents  
**21**

Pro-active Incidents Investigated  
**945**

Arrests **1** HCW assisted

## JANUARY STATISTICS



Mileage for Jan 08  
**39 266 km**



Average Response Time  
**9:15 min**



HCW Callouts  
**862**



Medical Incidents  
**1**



Crime Incidents  
**26**

Pro-active Incidents Investigated  
**838**

Arrests **0** HCW assisted

## PRO-ACTIVE ACTIVITIES

### DECEMBER 2007

Suspicious activities/persons.....	<b>454</b>
Trespassing.....	<b>2</b>
Open gate/garage door/window .....	<b>489</b>

### JANUARY 2008

Suspicious activities/persons.....	<b>343</b>
Trespassing.....	<b>1</b>
Fire.....	<b>1</b>
Open gate/garage door/window .....	<b>493</b>

## VERHOOGING VAN BYDRAE

Met die stygende brandstofpryse en salarisaanpassings vir sekuriteitspersoneel is HCW daartoe genoodsaak om u ledegelde vanaf 1 April 2008 na R85.00 per maand te verhoog. Ledegeld sal voortaan jaarliks aangepas word. (Die vorige verhoging was in Desember 2003.)

## INCREASE IN CONTRIBUTIONS

Due to regular increases in fuel prices and salaries for the security officers, HCW has no option but to increase your monthly contribution to R85.00 from 1 April 2008. Annual increases will in future be implemented. (The previous increase was in December 2003.)

**HCW Direksie/HCW Board**

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## SAFETY TIP

- Limit the withdrawal amount that the bank has authorised on your ATM card.

Visit our website at  
[www.hcw.org.za](http://www.hcw.org.za)

Earn Money and Secure  
your Neighbourhood

By signing up new contributors to HCW, existing subscribers can earn commission. Phone Capt Engelbrecht on **083 7877 771**.



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# Monthly statistics in HCW areas

## INCIDENTS FOR JANUARY 2008

Aangesien ons reeds in die middel van Februarie 2008 is en die Desember 2007 statistieke ou nuus is, sal ons dit nie in hierdie Nuusbrief weergee nie. U kan die HCW kantoor kontak indien u in die Desember statistieke sou belangstel. Inbrake met diefstal asook inbrake in en van motors was gedurende die vakansieseisoen aan die orde van die dag.

As we have already reached mid-February 2008, the December 2007 statistics are old news and we will therefore not include them in this Newsletter. Please contact the HCW office if you would like the December statistics. To summarise, in the December 2007 statistics housebreakings and theft as well as theft of and out of motor vehicles were high over the festive season.

### Wyk 1 - Land & Zeezicht

#### 1 Motordiefstal

Fauresingel, 12:40 Woens. 9 Jan.; Golf was op die perseel geparkeer tydens diefstal.

#### 1 Diefstal

Mountainstraat, 11:28 Vry. 11 Jan.; Hout posbus was gesteel vanaf die perseel

#### 1 Diefstal uit 'n motorvoertuig

Vergelegenrylaan, 10:29 Sond. 20 Jan.

**Goedere gesteel:** radio

#### 2 Huisbrake en diefstal

Olyvenhof Lourensfordweg, 15:23 Thurs 3 Jan.;

Oldenlandstraat, 08:47 Maand. 28 Jan.

**Toegang verkry:** oopgeforseerde skuifdeur; motorhuis deur.

**Goedere gesteel:** fiets

#### 14 Verdagte voertuie in die area gemonitor

### Ward 2 - Parel Vallei

#### 3 Housebreakings and theft

Oldenland Street, 14:18 Tues. 22 Jan.; Morkel Street, 07:53 Sat. 26 Jan.

**Entry gained:** bedroom window, forced window

**Goods stolen:** jewellery box, microwave

#### 1 Common theft

Caledon Road, 17:53 Sat. 5 Jan.; Paid for goods with a stolen credit card.

#### 1 Attempted theft out of a motor vehicle

Morkel Street, 10:00 Thurs. 31 Jan.

**Entry gained:** via window

#### 7 Suspicious vehicles monitored

### Wyke 9 & 10 - Westridge & Briza/Sereno tot Helderrand

#### 6 Huisbrake en diefstal

John Rumblestraat, 21:30 Woens. 2 Jan.; Hoofstraat, 6:08 Sat. 12 Jan.; Firsstraat, 15:54 Maand.

14 Jan.; Arumstraat, 15:31 Dond. 24 Jan.; Van Der

Bergsentrum, 14:15 Sond. 27 Jan.; Brightstraat, 07:39 Woens. 30 Jan.

**Toegang verkry:** venster gebreek, oopgeforseerde vensters, kombuis venster, oopgeforseerde voordeur.

**Goedere gesteel:** DVD speler, Musieksentrum, rekenaars, motor sleutels, LCD, baadjie.

#### 1 Gewapende roof

Kliënt was beroof

#### 6 Verdagte voertuie in die area gemonitor

### Wards 11 & 12 - Heldervue/Steynsrust

#### 6 Housebreakings

Ixia Street, 02:56 Tues. 1 Jan.; Riesling Street, 21:23 Sat.

5 Jan.; Hoeveld Road, 19:58 Sat. 5 Jan.; Buddleia Street,

02:54 Sat. 12 Jan.; Topaz Street, 05:05 Sat. 12 Jan.;

Harewood Ave, 13:04 Wed. 30 Jan.

**Entry gained:** unlocked sliding door, bedroom window, garage window, double door forced open.

**Goods stolen:** keyboard, laptop

#### 1 Medical incident

Aster Street, 07:45 Thurs. 3 Jan.;

transported patient to hospital

#### 12 Suspicious vehicles monitored



## SAFETY TIPS WHEN WALKING AROUND

- If you carry a handbag, keep it close to your body at all times. If you use a wallet, keep it in an inside jacket pocket or front pocket. Try not to carry more cash than you need to.
- If someone tries to snatch your bag, don't unnecessarily resist or fight them. No amount of money is worth the risk of personal injury.
- If you use public transport, follow the timetables so you do not have to wait for too long at a station or bus stop.
- If a friend or a taxi drives you home, ask them to wait until you are safely inside. If you are an HCW contributor, call the HCW patrol officer on duty to meet you and see you into your home safely.
- Walk with other commuters whenever you can, along roads with footpaths, pedestrian crossings and traffic lights.
- Avoid walking in isolated places at night. If you do, wear something light in colour and carry a torch.