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- **Watch for suspicious activity in your neighbourhood.** Have a trusted neighbour keep an eye out while you plan to be away. Do not announce your absence over social media.
- **Deter potential criminals.** Ensure outside lights work and consider motion sensor lighting.
- **Lock doors and windows, even if you're going out for a short time.** Install quality locks and a deadbolt on each outside door.
- **Prevent break and enters.** Keep garage doors and entry doors secured.
- **Avoid access by intruders.** Lock your vehicles at all times. Remove or secure valuables out of sight, even when in the garage.
- **Store bicycles in garages and sheds. Keep all valuables in the home in secure locations.** Consider recording serial numbers and taking photos of personal property for documentation purposes.
- **Trees, shrubs, and fences create hiding spots for criminals.** Keep your landscaping groomed and limit private fencing.
- **If you're going to be away, keep the grass cut or driveway shovelled.** Do not let newspapers or mail accumulate.



To report suspicious activity  
or non-urgent requests  
for police assistance call  
**1-888-310-1122**

or to remain anonymous,  
call Crime Stoppers at  
**1-800-222-8477 (TIPS)**

For more information please explore **Property Security** at [opp.ca](http://opp.ca)