

February Events

*BC Facts meets on the second and fourth Monday of the month at the BC Library from 7-8 p.m. Call Richard McHale at 328-6832 for topics/details.

*5th Annual Dam Short Film Festival takes place from February 11-14 at the Boulder Theatre from 11 a.m. until midnight each day. Call 293-4848 for information.

*DAR Meeting on Feb. 14 at 1 p.m. at the Boulder City Library. Special awards presented at this meeting. Call Luanna Mitchell at 293-2500 for details.

*Speak of Love performance Feb. 14 at 7 p.m. Concert by Phil Marcus Esser and Francyl Gawryn to benefit Emergency Aid and Lend A Hand. Takes place at Grace Community Church. Call 293-2018, 293-2440 or 293-9984 for info and/or tickets.

*Talk to the Police Chief Feb. 18 at 7 p.m. at Starbuck's in Albertson's Plaza.

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Burglary Prevention—Operation ID

From Ofc. Robert Woolsey, Boulder City PD

Burglars do not like items that have been labeled with some type of identification mark. Pawn shops will not take marked merchandise. It is best to engrave your valuables such as stereos, computers, TVs, etc. with your driver's license number and the letters "NVDL." DO NOT USE YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER. With this type of identification, a police agency that recovers your stolen item can look up your driver's license.

Do not mark items that appreciate in value such as jewelry, watches, paintings, etc., This will detract from their value. Secure these types of valuables in a safe, locked cabinet or locked room. Take pictures of appreciating valuables to document your ownership and to help in their recovery.

Take an inventory of your household valuables with a description of the item, serial number and a photo. Place your list in a safe place in your home as well as placing a copy of the list in a safe deposit box at your financial institution.

Every 15 Minutes at Boulder City HS

For a number of years now, the Boulder City Police and Fire Departments have been sponsoring the Every 15 Minutes program at Boulder City High School in order to challenge students to think about drinking, personal safety and the responsibility of making mature decisions when lives are involved.

If you have never attended the opening session of the Every 15 Minutes program, you are truly missing an extremely moving moment. I don't want to spoil the effect, but I will tell you that the first 10 or so minutes of this opening session will give you the feeling of actually being at an accident scene where a number of fatalities have occurred. The opening session recreates an accident scene where police and fire personnel are attending to accident victims, using the "Jaws of Life" to remove victims from a vehicle, placing an injured teen in a helicopter en route to a hospital and even placing a fatality in the coroner's van. As this happens, a volunteer portraying the grim reaper is in the background and students stand quietly next to him holding the names of teens who have died as a result of what can happen when there is drinking and driving.

If you have the opportunity to attend this opening session on Thursday, March 26 at 9 a.m. at Boulder City High School, I believe you will find it time well spent. To save the life of one person makes it all worth it.

Please join with the police and fire departments, BCHS staff, Boulder City Hospital and other community members as they come together to prevent drunk driving through the Every 15 Minutes program.

