

ADULT SAFETY PROGRAMS

I.D. THEFT

Talk to adults about methods they can use to protect themselves from having their identity stolen and how to report this crime if it happens to them.

WORK PLACE SAFETY

We go out to the work place and talk to people on things they can do each day to be safe at work.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Present workshops in the community on the problem of domestic violence and who they can contact if they are a victim or know of someone who may need help.

FRAUD AND TELEMARKETING

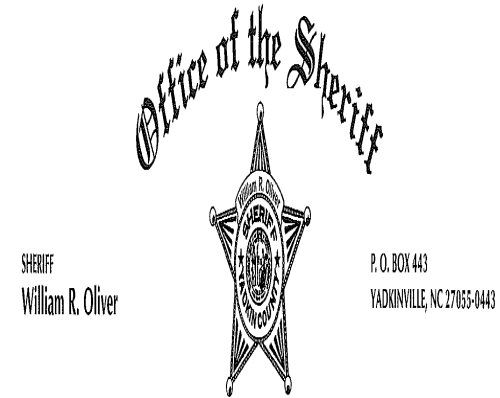
Talk to seniors and other citizens about the different frauds that are occurring in the community and how to avoid being a victim of telemarketing fraud.

BUSINESS CRIME PREVENTION

Talk to business owners on things they can do to protect them from fraud, armed robbery, work place violence and store security.

The Crime Prevention Unit is also active in other community groups. We assist scouting programs with merit badges.

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CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAMS

The Yadkin County Sheriff's Office sponsors many crime prevention programs held throughout Yadkin County. If your organization or group is interested in having us offer a program, please contact us. Below is a brief description of the programs we support/offer.

COMMUNITY WATCH

Community Watch is a crime prevention program that involves citizens working with each other and with law enforcement agencies to reduce crime and victimization in their communities.

YOUTH AND CHILD SAFETY PROGRAMS

FATAL VISION

The mission of Fatal Vision® is to promote safety in our high schools and communities and to contribute to the reduction of alcohol and other drug fatalities and injuries through innovative, interactive and fun educational programs.

DRUG AWARENESS

Teaches kids the dangers of drugs and the effect that it has on their lives.

GANG AWARENESS

Kids are taught about gangs, what to do if they are asked to join and the dangers of being a gang member.

SCHOOL SAFETY

Work with the S.R.O.'s (School Resource Officers) at the middle and high schools to get kids proactive toward crime prevention at their schools.

CHILD ABDUCTION PREVENTION

A program designed to protect children by teaching them to be smarter and safer. Teaches children in pre-K through third grade four important steps to take if they find a gun.

BICYCLE SAFETY

Conduct bicycle rodeos in the community to promote safety on the road and how to be safe riding a bicycle. The N.C. Bicycle Helmet Law requires:

- Every person under 16 years old must wear an approved bicycle helmet when operating a bicycle on any public road, public bicycle path, or other public right-of-way.
- All child passengers falling at or below 40 pounds/40 inches , must be carried in a separate restraining seat.
- Any parent or legal guardian who knowingly allows a child to ride without a helmet, or to ride as a passenger not secured in a restraining seat (when applicable), will be in violation of the law.
- Violation of the law carries a \$10 civil fine. The fine may be waived upon the receipt of satisfactory proof of purchase of helmet or restraining seat.

CHILD FINGERPRINTING

Conduct child fingerprinting events in the community to promote child safety.