

# University of Manitoba Security Services Monthly October 2020



# SAFE RIDE FOR BANNATYNE CAMPUS

Safe Ride is a service provided to members of the University community as a safe and free alternative to walking alone after dark. The Safe Ride program will operate daily (Monday-Friday) until 12:00 am. Security Services will pick up a student, faculty, or staff member on campus and drop off that person to their destination within our Safe Ride boundaries, listed below. When the Safe Ride program is unavailable, students, faculty and staff can still utilize the services of our Safe Walk program, which operates 24hrs per day 7 days a week, within the boundaries of the Bannatyne Campus.

Request a Safe Ride by Calling 204-474-9312

When you call, the following information is required :

- » Your first and last name
- » Your pickup location
- » Your destination (vehicle location)
- » The number of passengers
- » The phone number you can be reached at

**SAFE RIDE SERVICE BOUNDARIES**  
NORTH TO LOGAN AVE  
SOUTH TO SARGENT AVE  
EAST TO ISABEL AVE  
WEST TO MCPHILLIPS STREET AND  
BANNING STREET



## Rules of Use:

- » Safe Rides may be made for up to 3 people total at one time
- » Children, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian will not be permitted
- » Food is not permitted in the vehicle
- » Alcohol (opened or unopened) is not permitted in the vehicle
- » Safe Ride drivers will drive only to the planned destination
- » Carry-on items must fit in the rider's lap

# Parking Lot Safety

A large portion of the U of M property is dedicated to parking lots. According to MPI, about 25% of collisions happen in parking lots. In many cases, MPI judges both parties involved in the collision to be responsible 50-50. This should be extra incentive to drive cautiously through parking lots on campus. MPI has the following tips for driving in parking lots.

## Manitoba Public Insurance Tips

- » Drive defensively, which also means slowly, through parking lots, always anticipating a vehicle to back out, or a pedestrian to walk into your path.
- » Back into the stall to give yourself a better field of vision when you're leaving.
- » While waiting to take a parking spot, give the other vehicle enough room to leave.
- » Park farther away where there are fewer parked vehicles, better sight lines and less chance of having the vehicle beside you dent your door.

## The Perfect Spot

Finding a good parking spot on campus can sometimes be challenging and even a little frustrating. When you finally do come across that perfect spot, do not forget to be smart when leaving your car. There are signs in every parking lot that remind you to:

- ✓ Make sure you keep valuables out of sight
- ✓ Make sure your anti-theft devices are on
- ✓ Make sure your doors are locked

## MPI SIGNS

These signs are sponsored by MPI because unfortunately, the University of Manitoba is not immune to vehicle theft and break-ins. By following the three simple suggestions found on these signs, you will lower the probability of a criminal breaking into your vehicle.

Security Services works hard to prevent these occurrences by doing regular patrols in the parking lots and by monitoring security cameras found in many parking lots.

Unfortunately, our staff has calls to attend to all over campus and cannot be everywhere at once - this is why we need your help in keeping our parking lots safe.



# CAMPUS SECURITY STATISTICS SEPTEMBER 2020



## SUSPICIOUS

It is important to Security Services that the university community is comfortable and feels safe when spending time on campus. Security Services responds to reports of suspicious people and vehicles on campus.

Responded to 16 suspicious calls

## Safe Walk /Safe Ride

Safe Walk and Safe Ride is a free service in which Security Services staff will meet you and walk you or give a ride to/from your car, your class, your residence room, or a bus stop. If you don't feel comfortable walking on campus at night, Security Services would be happy to assist you.

Safe Walks 53 / Safe Rides 9



## Medical Emergencies

Security Services responds to all medical emergencies on campus. Sometimes Security Services staff are the first to respond to an emergency, other times they play a key role in guiding the emergency responders to the correct building and room. Medical Emergencies 2

## Parking Services

Security Services works closely with Parking Services at the University of Manitoba. Security Services helped Parking Services in the following way:

4 call for service



## Access

Every day Security Services helps students and staff that want to gain access into buildings or rooms.

Unscheduled Access Requests 144

## Alarms

Security Services responds to all safety and security alarms on campus for example: Fire, Code Blue, Elevator, Emergency, Phones, Panic Alarms.

Response to Alarms 111

# University of Manitoba Fort Garry Campus - September 2020 Incidents

## Weapon

Sept. 13	Arthur V. Mauro Res.	Student claimed possession of a weapon (unfounded)
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## Threats

Sept. 16	On Campus	Threatening email and texts between students
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## Mischief

Sept. 20	Parkade	Graffiti on exterior of parkade
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## Theft

Sept. 03	Russell Building	Theft of bike
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## Break & Enter

Sept. 27	Alternative Village	Break in to a shed
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## Intoxicated Persons

Sept. 27	Roadways	Intoxicated individual sleeping in bus shelter
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## City of Winnipeg By-Law

Sept. 09	Parkade	Skateboarders in parkade
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# University of Manitoba Bannatyne Campus - September 2020 Incidents

## Mischief

Sept. 03	Parkade	Graffiti found on exterior of parkade
Sept. 19	Parkade	Fire extinguisher box vandalised
Sept. 21	BMSB	Vandalised exterior window
Sept. 25	Parkade	Multiple fire extinguisher boxes vandalised

## Theft

Sept. 12	Brodie Centre	Theft of motorcycle
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## Drugs

Sept. 24	Brodie Centre	Illicit drugs found in wallet near bike racks
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