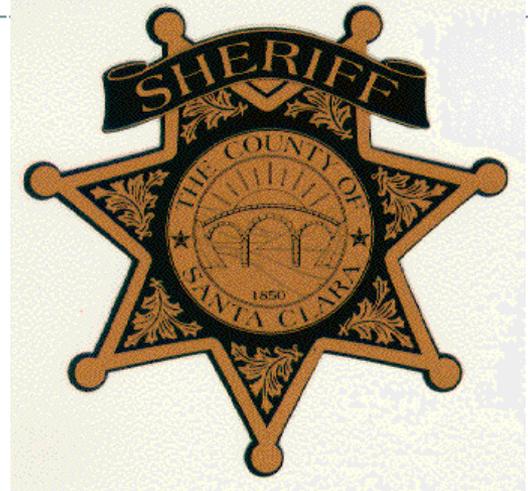


# Sheriff's Office Crime Prevention Forum Saratoga- October 26, 2014



CAPTAIN K. BINDER  
SCC Sheriff's Office





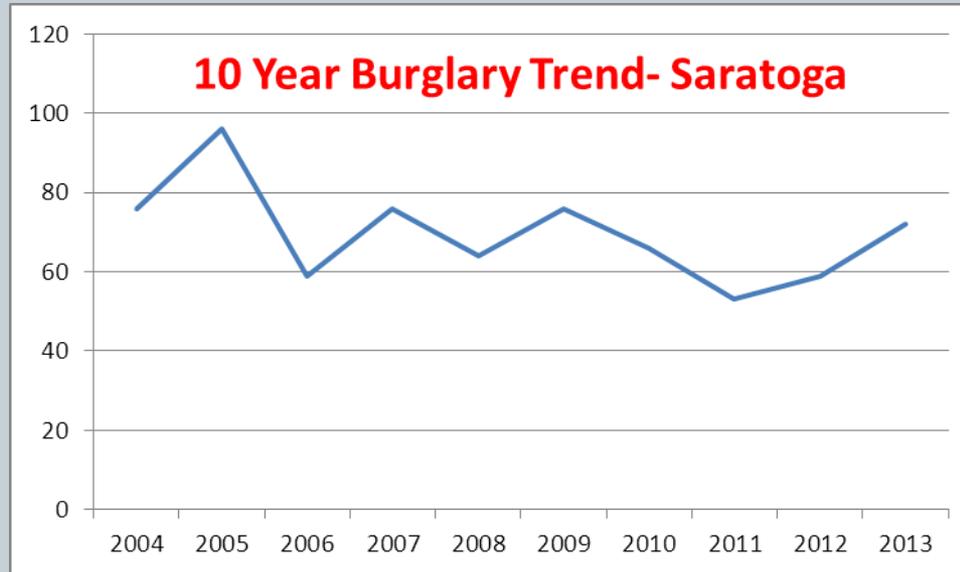
# Reported Crimes in Saratoga

Crimes	2013	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct*	Total
Robbery	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0
<b>Residential Burglaries</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>79**</b>
Commercial Burglaries	16	0	4	0	3	2	3	1	2	0		15
Vehicle Burglaries	15	4	2	2	2	3	6	1	3	1		24
Grand Theft	29	2	1	1	5	5	5	2	5	4		30
Auto Thefts	14	0	0	3	3	4	3	1	0	1		15
Identity Thefts	83	4	2	5	9	6	1	8	9	8		52
Vandalism	21	5	1	2	0	5	2	3	1	1		20
Assaults	7	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0		4
Domestic Violence	21	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2		15
Sexual Assaults	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1		5
Traffic Accidents, injury	36	7	0	5	1	6	5	1	8	5		38
Traffic Accidents, prop (inc. DUI)	121	13	9	5	9	11	11	5	8	11		82
*Oct 2014 burglary data includes through Oct 22; other crimes not yet processed for Oct												





# 10 year Burglary Trend- SARATOGA



\*Peak of 96 in 2005

\*Low of 53 in 2011

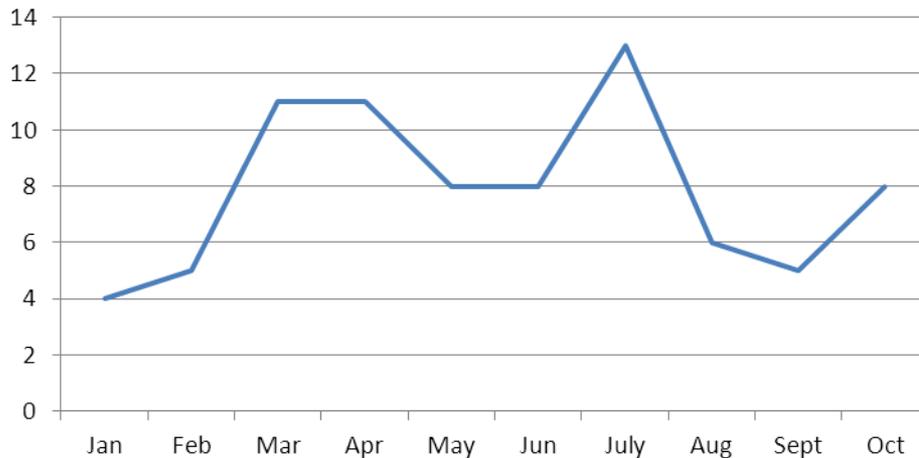
**\*10 year avg.= 69.7 burglaries**





# 2014 Burglary Trends- Saratoga

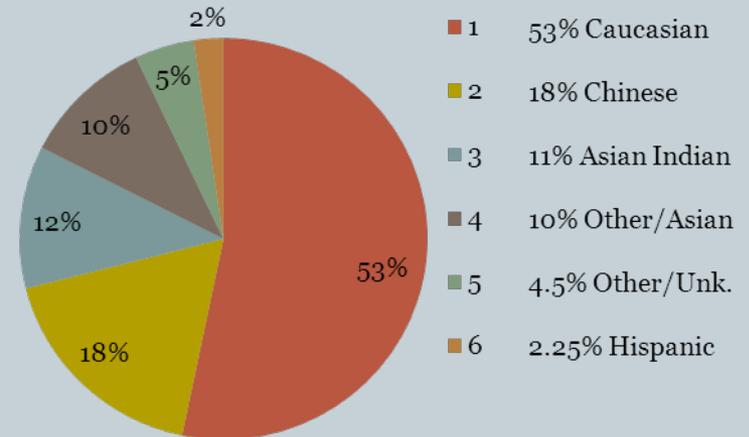
## 2014 Residential Burglaries



**Peak month= July (13)**

Other high months= Mar/Apr (11 ea)

## Ethnicity of Burglary Victim



**40% of cases=NO FORCED ENTRY!!**

\*Suspect entered thru unlocked door or window



# 2014 Burglary Arrests- Saratoga



38 yrs  
Arrested 6/21/14



35 yrs  
Arrested 6/28/14



31 yrs  
Arrested 6/28/14



53 yrs  
Arrested 10/21/14



23 yrs  
Arrested 4/17/14



24 yrs  
Arrested 4/17/14



24 yrs  
Arrested 4/17/14



19 yrs; arrested w/ 14 yr old  
accomplice on 5/21/14



# How do we Solve Burglaries?



## Methods:

- **Vehicle Enforcement**- catching criminals with stolen property
  - Very important to have Serial #'s to list for you property
  - Consider marking or engraving jewelry
  - Take photos of your expensive Items
- **Fingerprint Hits**- Lifted from scene
  - Many criminals use gloves now
  - Much quicker returns now



21 yrs old  
\*13 S/O cases in 2013  
**Arrested 12/31/13**



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# How do we Solve Burglaries?



## Methods:

- **Collaboration with outside agency detectives**
  - Communicate re: arrests with unidentified property
  - Send out TRAK fliers with photos of suspects & property
    - Surveillance photos are valuable!
- **Survey Craigslist, Ebay, and pawn shops**
  - Set up meeting with seller
  - Arrest or backtrack depending on investigation



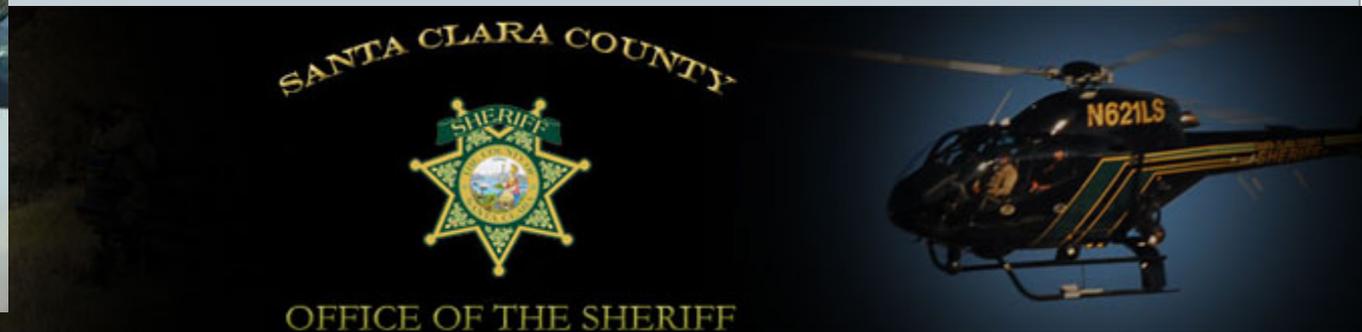


# How do we Solve Burglaries?



## Methods:

- **Caught in the Act**
  - Assisted by surveillance cams, alarm, or neighbors on alert
- **Parole/Probation Searches**
  - 8,000 actively supervised; 23,000 in total (DEJ & 1<sup>st</sup> time off)
  - 835 Active Parolees in Santa Clara County
  - Confidential Informants are used to narrow the field





# How do we Solve Burglaries?



## Methods:

- **Community Involvement: We need your help!**
  - **Suspicious Behavior called in by RESIDENTS**
  - You know your neighborhood best; what is out of place?
  - Real time information- call 911 for a deputy to respond; don't call a deputy directly (if unavailable, another will respond; don't wait until later to call)



# Law Enforcement Resources



- Emergencies **CALL 9-1-1**
- 1601 S. De Anza Blvd #148, CU
  - 8am to 5pm Office hours
  - [WVAdmin@Sheriff.sccgov.org](mailto:WVAdmin@Sheriff.sccgov.org) (walk thru requests and Patrol Checks)
- [www.SCCsheriff.org](http://www.SCCsheriff.org)
- Non-emergency dispatch (408) 299-2311