

HAVERFORD CAMPUS SAFETY & SECURITY OVERVIEW

Overview

Department

- 23 Full time Officers and Supervisors
- On-duty 24/7
- Unarmed and Non-Sworn
- Includes Fire Safety and Risk Management
- In a collaboration of best practices (and senior management) with Bryn Mawr's Department of Public Safety

Philosophy

- Diverse department widely varied in experience and education
- We are teachers outside the classroom
 - Students will learn much outside of the classroom
 - Help to get them through without permanent damage while not shielding them too much from the 'real world.'
- Reasonable Accommodation and Professional Courtesy
 - Officers treat students, staff and faculty like they would want their own family members treated.
 - Professional courtesy is a *job requirement* for the staff at Public Safety (not an option).

Crime

- The 'Haverbubble' does not shield students from federal, state and local laws and ordinances.
- Crime is low but it does occur here.
- No need to be afraid just aware.
- Local Police (Haverford and Lower Merion)
 - We have great relationships with both departments
 - They typically call us before coming to campus for a specific reason or response

Crime Statistics

	2009	2010	2011
Murder	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	4	7	3
Robbery	1	2	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	1
Burglary	17	22	2 (* New reporting guidelines)
Theft	57	35	48 (* New reporting guidelines)
Arson	0	0	0

Technology

- Haverford Administration chooses to be proactive and cutting edge with technology not because there have been serious problems but to minimize the chance that there ever will be.
- Emergency notification network will broadcast alerts in a critical incident via text, voicemail and e-mail.

Haverford Hotline – 610-896-4299 – Recorded Messages

- Emergency updates
- Snow day alerts

You are Campus Security Authorities as defined by the Department of Education

- As such, you need to report crime even if confidentially, to Public Safety.
- Please read the handout on HELPING STUDENTS IN DISTRESS
- Crisis Management Team
 - Representatives from the Deans Office, Counseling and Psychological Services, the Health Center, Athletics and Safety and Security get together weekly to discuss issues (and students) of concern.
 - The idea is early identification and use team approach to resources to help students.
 - As teachers, you are in a unique position to observe student behavior and are therefore an important part of identifying student who may need help.

Website/App

• www.haverford.edu/security

Numbers

- Haverford College Public Safety 610-896-1111
- Haverford Township Police 911 Dial 9 then 911

PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL ME DIRECTLY WITH QUESTIONS, CONCERNS, SUGGESTIONS TOM KING – 610-896-1111