The Department of Public Safety welcomes you to campus. We look forward to meeting new students and reconnecting with those of you who have returned. Your safety is one of our priorities and goals. Public Safety also offers a number of services to the campus community.

**Services offered by Public Safety**

**Bicycles**— Obtain a License for your bicycle. Secure your bicycle with a U-Bolt locking device. Cables are easily cut off.

**Parking Permits**—Permits will go on sale in a few weeks. It is your responsibility to be aware of the rules and regulations concerning parking on campus. Parking citations are issued. [http://web.pacific.edu/x3255.xml](http://web.pacific.edu/x3255.xml)

**Evening Escorts**— STRIPE —— Free service — 7 days a week. Call the Stripe phone—209.598.2546 if no answer call Public Safety 209. 946.2537.
Public Safety also recommends the following:

- Be aware of all blue light emergency phones that can be found throughout the campus.
- Plan your route both on and off campus. Take well-lighted, busy walkways whenever possible.
- Never take shortcuts through poorly lighted areas.
- Try not to walk alone.
- Have your keys ready before you get to your car.
- Be alert and cognizant of your surroundings.
- If you go out for a late night snack or study break, go with a friend, not alone.
- Walk purposefully. Look confident.
- Let your instincts be your guide. If something you see doesn’t feel right, act on your instincts and don’t take unnecessary chances.
- Keep only the necessary items you may need in your pockets.
- Keep all valuable items out of view.

**Place Public Safety’s phone number on your speed dial.**

209.946.2537  business       209.946.3911  emergency

Victim Advocate is confidential and available 24/7—209.403.0250
COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The Department of Public Safety offers a number of programs/workshops.

- Addressing Sexual Assault
- Healthy Relationships
- Alcohol and its effects
- Driving Drunk (student wears beer goggles while driving cart)
- Personal Safety
- Self Defense

Call Public Safety for more information and to reserve a day and time. 209.946.2537.

We look forward to your partnerships this year. Have a great year.
SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) _ Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger has signed a bill that will add California to the states in which adults can be held legally responsible if they furnish alcohol to minors in social settings.
The bill would apply to adults who knowingly allow minors to drink alcohol in their home. They could then be held liable if the alcohol is found to be the main cause of injury or death.
A spokesman for the governor says Schwarzenegger believes those adults put both the community and minor at risk.
It already was illegal to give alcohol to minors. But the group Consumer Attorneys of California says California had been one of just three states that prohibited civil lawsuits even in cases ending with teenage deaths.
The bill will not apply to licensed alcohol vendors.
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