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Crime Watchers, Neighborhood Watchers, and Business Watchers -

As parents we want to keep our children as safe as possible. I wanted to let you know about some new and ongoing programs to assist you in achieving this goal.

The FBI has launched an "app" that can be utilized to assist parents in the event your child goes missing. At the present time, the app can only be utilized for the iPhone, but the FBI plans to expand this app to other phones. The app is free and can be found by searching "FBI" on iTunes. The app allows you to enter information and picture that can be easily accessed to provide to law enforcement in the event you child goes missing. For more information on the app, please follow this link

http://www.fbi.gov/news/stories/2011/august/child_080511

As a reminder, the Camarillo Police Department offers "Kid Print", child fingerprinting and identification events in the Police Station's community room. This program dubbed "Walk in Wednesdays" is offered on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM, is free of charge and open to all children. Parents may bring their children to have their fingerprints, photograph and essential information digitally recorded and printed on a two-sided vinyl card. The card will allow parents the security of having a current picture, necessary personal information and a readable fingerprint available, in the event the child is lost or abducted. No appointment is necessary.

Both of the above services can also be utilized for caretakers who care for adults who suffer from dementia or Alzheimers. Even though the FBI app was designed for missing children, the information entered into the app is the same information law enforcement would need should an adult go missing as well.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the below listed e-mail and/or phone number. Thanks.

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