



# WEST KELOWNA POLICE SERVICES

## 2023 Q4 REPORT



### Police Services Priorities

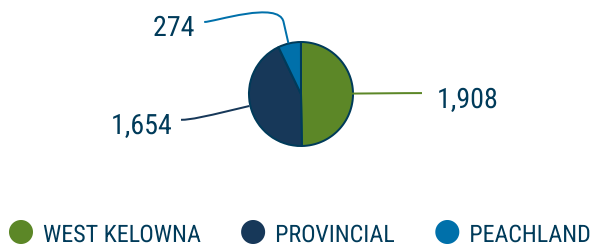
- \*Road Safety
- \*Violence in Relationships  
(Intimate Partner Violence Investigations)
- \*Police / Community Relations
- \*Crime Reduction

### West Kelowna Community Highlights

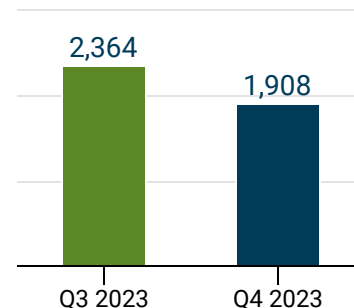
- A West Kelowna RCMP officer observed a well-known male offender sitting in a stolen vehicle. The male had numerous warrants out for his arrest. When the male noticed the officer, the male fled in the vehicle at a high rate of speed, resulting in a collision with a residential property. The male abandoned the vehicle and tried to escape on foot before forcibly entering a residence occupied by a male and an elderly female. The officer located the suspect, who continued to resist arrest before being taken into custody. The male was detained for court proceedings related to his outstanding warrants, and police have recommended numerous new charges.
- CRU executed a search warrant at a residence in Peachland that resulted in the recovery of thousands of dollars in merchandise obtained through the fraudulent use of a credit card.
- CRU arrested a male and female in a vehicle that was stolen from the Lower Mainland. The male was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- Officer of the West Kelowna RCMP deployed the services of Search and Rescue and the RCMP Air Services to rescue a man whose vehicle became stuck on a service road in the back country off the Okanagan Connector.

### CALLS FOR SERVICE

#### 2023 Q4 ZONE COMPARISONS



#### 2023 Q3 and 2023 Q4 COMPARISON FOR WEST KELOWNA



\*Westbank First Nation Calls for Service are included in the Provincial Count



### MEMBER STRENGTH (ESTABLISHMENT)

# OF RCMP MEMBERS	WEST KELOWNA MUNICIPAL	PROVINCIAL	PEACHLAND	INDIGENOUS POLICING SERVICES
60	36	17	4	3



ROAD SAFETY

2023 Q4 STATS WEST KELOWNA	IMPAIRED OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE
Drive While Impaired	17
Refusal	0
24 hour Suspension - Liquor	1
24 hour Suspension - Drugs	6
Warn - 3 Day	4
Warn - 7 Day	1
Warn - 30 Day	0
Fail ASD - 90 Day	11
Refuse ASD - 90 Day	1

2023 Q4 STATS	WEST KELOWNA	RURAL	PEACHLAND	TOTALS
VIOLATION TICKETS	23	12	0	35
NOTICE & ORDERS / WARNINGS	26	9	1	36
ELECTRONIC DEVICE	2	1	0	3
TOTALS	51	22	1	74



CRIME REDUCTION

### CRIME REDUCTION UNIT (CRU)

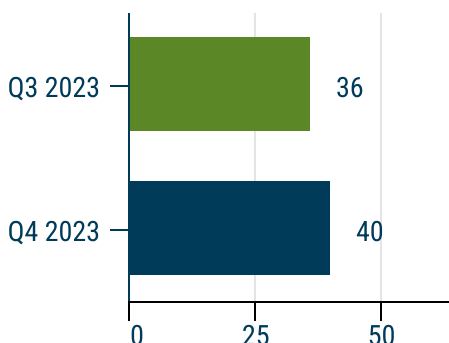
In this quarter The Crime Reduction Unit (CRU):

- Arrested a female that had a warrant for Prohibited Driving and Obstruction.
- CRU assisted the local MLA with relocating an illegal occupant from the premises.
- Assisted CFSEU in executing a search warrant on a houseboat by transporting the officers to the scene by boat.
- Issued 15 traffic violation tickets, 4 warnings, and an excessive speed impound.



VIOLENCE IN RELATIONSHIPS

### INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INVESTIGATIONS



POLICE/COMMUNITY RELATIONS

### SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER (SRO) INDIGENOUS POLICING SERVICES (IPS)

In this Quarter the School Resource Officer:

- Presented talks to students at various schools on: Internet, Halloween and Stranger Safety; Trust the Police; Career; Anger Management; Graffiti and Sportsmanship.
- Took students out for lunch as part of the Lunching with the Law program.
- Conducted a Kairos Blanket Exercise at the Kelowna Detachment for dispatchers.

## 2023 Q4 STATISTICS

	WEST KELOWNA		PROVINCIAL		PEACHLAND
		Provincial Not Including WFN	WFN	Total Provincial Area	
<b>TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE</b>	<b>1908</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>1654</b>	<b>274</b>
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted Murder	0	0	0	0	0
Violent Offences	128	31	53	84	9
Property Offences	245	53	216	269	28
Robbery	0	0	2	2	0
Assault w/ Weapon or CBH	17	4	4	8	0
Uttering Threats / Harassment	30	7	7	14	1
Common Assault	46	10	25	35	6
Violence in Relationships	40	6	17	23	5
Sexual Assault	1	4	2	6	0
B & E Business	24	2	11	13	2
B & E Residential	5	2	3	5	1
Stolen Vehicles	10	3	6	9	4
Theft from MV	31	27	3	30	3
Drug Investigations	7	4	2	6	0
Disturbing the Peace	42	4	22	26	4
Noise Bylaws	40	1	8	9	1
*MVI- Fatal	0	1	0	1	0
*MVI - Injury	13	4	14	18	4
*MVI - Over / Under \$10,000	53	62	35	97	18
Immediate Roadside Prohibitions	16	16	9	25	2
24 Hour Driving Suspension - Drugs	6	1	1	2	1
Liquor VT's Issued	11	2	9	11	2
Sudden Death	22	4	9	13	4
Missing Persons	14	3	2	5	1
Fraud	30	10	15	25	7
False Alarm	74	13	39	52	8
Mental Health	47	19	18	37	8
Dropped 911	65	12	16	28	4
Other Calls	891	494	307	801	151

Statistics prepared by the DSA - West Kelowna Detachment/Prime-BC: 2024-01-08

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## 2023 Q4 STATISTICS THREE-YEAR COMPARISON

WEST KELOWNA	2021	2022	2023
<b>TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE</b>	<b>2198</b>	<b>1973</b>	<b>1908</b>
Homicide	0	0	0
Attempted Murder	1	0	0
Violent Offences	145	108	128
Property Offences	300	247	245
Robbery	2	2	0
Assault w/ Weapon or CBH	8	8	17
Uttering Threats / Harassment	32	14	30
Common Assault	50	50	46
Violence in Relationships	46	47	40
Sexual Assault	15	4	1
B & E Business	19	9	24
B & E Residential	10	12	5
Stolen Vehicles	20	13	10
Theft from MV	56	40	31
Drug Investigations	10	11	7
Disturbing the Peace	62	50	42
Noise Bylaws	31	36	40
*MVI - Fatal	0	1	0
*MVI - Injury	18	9	13
*MVI - Over / Under \$10,000	112	83	53
Immediate Roadside Prohibitions	12	20	16
24 Hour Driving Suspension - Drugs	1	4	6
Liquor VT's Issued	15	20	11
Sudden Death	18	23	22
Missing Person	13	11	14
Fraud	27	35	30
False Alarm	90	101	74
Mental Health	47	49	47
Dropped 911	59	40	65
Other Calls	848	831	891

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