Vehicle Burglaries

Vehicle burglaries in parking lots on the Tempe Campus continue to occur with high frequency. This is a regional problem that has been observed throughout the Phoenix metropolitan area.

The ASU Police Department is working hard to reduce the number of vehicle burglaries on campus by conducting extra patrols, undercover surveillance and working with other local agencies to identify suspects and share information.

To increase our effectiveness, we are asking for assistance from the ASU community.

- Thieves often look inside vehicles before they break-in to see if there is anything good to steal! So, don’t leave valuables in plain sight. Take them with you!
- Watch for subjects loitering in the parking areas, someone looking into numerous vehicle windows and vehicles with 2 or more subjects just cruising the lots.
- Make it difficult to be a victim...Lock your doors, roll up your windows, consider an alarm or theft prevention device.
- If you see activity that seems suspicious or out of the ordinary, call the ASU Police Department immediately or use the yellow call boxes, marked by the blue lights.

The most valuable assistance you can provide is to be observant and call us immediately if you see suspicious activity in the parking lots.