

## OPP investigating multiple break-ins in Mono subdivision north of Hwy 9

Dufferin OPP officers have been investigating multiple residential break-ins in Mono's new Fieldgate subdivision north of Highway 9 and east of First Line EHS.

The detachment said in a release Wednesday that the culprits are entering through basement windows and once inside stealing cash and jewellery.

Police are offering the following tips:

Who is your contact (key holder) for: alarms, thefts, weather damage or animal problems? Do you have their contact information numbers? Are they friends/neighbours?

Your insurance company may give you a deduction if you have one.

Secure your windows and doors and close window curtains or blinds.

Record serial numbers of anything of value left behind.

Consider installing motion sensor lights on the exterior of your home.

Consider installing security cameras and/or a burglar alarm.

Be advised that Provincial Cst. Paul Nancekivell is a trained Safeguard officer and can attend by appointment to speak to individual homeowners or small groups to offer low cost suggestions on how to better secure your home, the release said, adding:

Members of the Dufferin County Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police are committed to public safety, delivering proactive and innovative policing in partnership with our communities. Officers value your contribution to building safe communities. If you have information about suspected unlawful activity, please contact the OPP at 1-888-310-1122 or visit Crime Stoppers at: [www.crimestoppersdm.com](http://www.crimestoppersdm.com) or call 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).