Holly Jolly Safety
From the WC Office of Public Safety

Here are a few safety tips to keep in mind during your holiday shopping outings:

1. Use a single credit card... By using a single credit card, it is easier to cancel one card than several if your card is compromised.

2. Don't provide unnecessary Information... Some sales clerks will request your phone number, zip code, email address or other personal information before ringing your up your purchase. Smile and then politely decline. If they insist that it's necessary, insist a manager come over to override the register. The more information that store collects from you, the more likely that you will become a victim of identity theft.

3. Conceal Your Purchase... Thieves are always looking for easy targets of opportunity, and a vehicle full of visible shopping bags and presents give criminals an easy score. Lock you items in your trunk, under your seats, or cover them with a dark blanket. Criminals watch for shoppers who load up their vehicle with gifts and then return to the mall to continue shopping. Remember: Lock-it, Hide-it, and Keep-it.

4. Protect Yourself... Women should carry their purse close to their body and men should keep their wallets in their front pocket or in a coat pocket that deter pickpockets. Also shoppers should shop in groups if possible and watch for suspicious people and activity in or around vehicles and parking areas.

These are just a few of the many helpful hints that out there to keep you aware this special time of year. Have a very safe and wonderful season.
Happy Holidays

The Faculty/Staff Holiday Party
Will be held on
Thursday December 10, 2015
3:30 pm to 5:30 pm at Hynson Ringold House

The Children’s Christmas Party
Will be held on
Wednesday December 16, 2015 at 4:30 pm
Forms for this will start showing up soon in your mailbox

COMINGS AND GOINGS

Please welcome to the WC family the following staff members:
Warren N. Miller, Marianne L. Sade, Averie O. Sommerville
(if we have missed someone, please email us so they can be included in the next newsletter)