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NEWS RELEASE

APD NEWS RELEASE:

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Incident: Crime Prevention: Drive Thru Club Event- March 24, 2018

The Abbotsford Police Department invites Abbotsford residents to drop by Sevenoaks Shopping Centre (access off Gladwin Road by The Bay) on Saturday March 24, 2018 for APD's "Drive Thru Club Event". **Pre-2007 vehicles are targets for vehicle thieves**. The APD is offering a FREE steering wheel club to Abbotsford residents who drive 2007 or older model year vehicles.



Bring your vehicle registration and get your FREE club! Join us and help combat auto crime in our community!

Our Mission:
To make Abbotsford the safest city in B.C.

Want to know which vehicles are the most appealing to thieves? According to police reports, the following were the most popularly stolen vehicles in 2016- older styles of:

- 1. Ford F Series pickup trucks
- 2. Honda Civic & CRX
- 3. Dodge pickup trucks
- 4. GMC/Chevrolet pickup trucks
- 5. Ford E Series vans
- 6. Jeep Cherokee/Grand Cherokee
- 7. Acura Integra
- 8. Toyota Corolla
- 9. Honda CRV
- 10. Dodge Caravan

Visit the <u>ICBC</u> website for even more tips on preventing auto crime.

Please report suspicious activity and look out for your neighbours! Report crime and suspicious incidents to the Abbotsford Police Department at 604-859-5225 or text us on your mobile phone at 222973. Want to remain anonymous? Contact Crimestoppers at solvecrime.ca or 1-800-222-TIPS.