CHICO STATE POLICE

- Located at the corner of 2nd Street and Chestnut

- State certified police officers and 911 dispatchers are on duty 24/7/365

- Authority no different than municipal or county peace officers

- Primary duty is the enforcement of state law on the grounds or properties owned, operated, controlled or administered by the California State University.
UNIVERSITY POLICING IN AMERICA

- Dates to the 1960s and 1970s

- Public universities began to lobby their state legislatures for the authority to establish their own police forces

- A campus police force would be more in tune with the student body…our community.
CAMPUS POLICING IS DIFFERENT

- Focus on community caretaking
- Different enforcement options
- Focus on prevention
- Must work well with young adults
- Undergo different training
IS CHICO STATE SAFE?
PERSONAL SAFETY

- Become familiar with resources
- Take extra precautions at night
- Always lock up
- Maintain privacy on social media
- Be careful when getting into your car
- Know where you are going
- Understand your environment
- Learn how to defend yourself
- Have safety supplies nearby
University Police can be reached 24/7 at 530-898-5555.

This summer work with your student to get UPD’s number programmed into their phone and highlighted as a favorite.

The University Police Dispatcher can serve as your student’s bridge to all available campus resources.
CHICO STATE ALERTS

- The University sends alerts to students in the event of a serious incident that would jeopardize the health and safety of the campus community.

- Your student entered information into the Alert system as part of the on-line registration process.

- This summer log in to the Chico State Alerts Portal and check to see that all entered information is indeed correct.
IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

- Summer is a great time to ensure that your student has ICE info on their phone.

- Your student should always have their phone locked with a passcode or touch ID but there is a way public safety personnel can access emergency contact information when needed.
ICE ON AN IPHONE

- Tap on the Health App
- Tap on Medical ID
- Enter health data as needed
- Enter emergency contacts
- Tap on “Show When Locked”
The “In Case of Emergency” and “Medical ID: In Case of Emergency” apps provide public safety personnel access to emergency contracts from the locked screen.
CHICO STATE APP

- Encourage your student to download the campus’ mobile app.
- Quick access to resources
- Helpful on-line campus map
The University has a comprehensive protocol for responding to reports of missing students.

- UPD is notified immediately when an on-campus housing student is missing.

- Summer is a great time to talk to your student about who they want to be their missing person emergency contact.
BIKE AND PROPERTY REGISTRATION

- In the previous academic year the campus experienced 94 bike thefts. 21 of those bikes were recovered.

- Bike registration is a powerful protection against theft.

- Bike registration services will be available at Housing move-in.

- Write down the make, model and serial number of all valuable property that is coming with your student to campus.
PROPERLY LOCK YOUR BIKE

- At times an all too familiar site on and around the campus!
This summer is going to be exciting, busy and stressful for you and your student.

Use the summer months for some frank and open talk about expectations and possibly avoid difficult situations later when you realize that you, or she, made some assumptions.

Good communication now will also lay the foundation for continued quality communication once your student is here on campus.
QUESTIONS?