



1-800-222-8477 (TIPS)

January is Crime Stoppers Month

What is Crime Stoppers :

Crime Stoppers provides citizens with a vehicle to anonymously supply the police with information about a crime or potential crime of which they have knowledge. Cash rewards are offered to people who call the program and their information leads to an arrest.

There are over 1,700 local Crime Stoppers programs in more than 32 countries around the world.

How Does Crime Stoppers Work :

The Crime Stoppers tip line is staffed by trained personnel who receive, process and pass on tip information to investigating officers. Callers are given a code number which is used in all subsequent calls and callers do not have to identify themselves.

A reward of up to \$2,000 is offered to anyone providing information which leads to an arrest for a crime. Rewards may also be made for information leading to the recovery of stolen property, the seizure of illegal drugs or an arrest on an outstanding warrant.

The media is a very important component of Crime stoppers. An unsolved crime may be re-enacted and shown on television or may be publicized in a newspaper or aired on the radio. The media also brings the program to the attention of the public.

How is the Crime Stoppers Program Funded :

Crime Stoppers is a Community Project supported by donations of money, goods or services. Contributions from individuals, corporations, clubs, retailers and social groups keep the Crime stoppers program functional. All donations to Crime Stoppers are tax deductible.

There are three ways to Contact Manitoba Crime Stoppers and

Provide information **anonymously on any unsolved crime in rural Manitoba:**

CALL: Manitoba Crime Stoppers toll free at **1-800-222-8477 (TIPS)**

SUBMIT: a secure tip online at www.manitobacrimestoppers.com

TEXT: "TIPMAN" plus your message to CRIMES (274637)

We want your information, not your name.

