



MARINE CORPS AIR GROUND COMBAT CENTER: VALENTINE'S DAY

Crime Prevention is an active approach utilizing public awareness and preventive measures to reduce crime.

The focus for the month of February is **Valentine's Day**. As we all know Valentine's Day is a special day where you are able to get your loved one gifts and to show love through different meaningful ways. Although, most think that Valentine's Day is a chance to cherish, there are multiple crimes to be watchful for and here are tips associated with each.

Domestic Altercation/Assault: Do not allow yourself to be overtaken by any type of "lack of control," which may result in physical harm to your loved one. Prevent behaviors that may lead to circumstances involving assault. If a friend finds themselves in need, do not be afraid to help out to assist in preventing an assault.

DUI: If you choose to drink, ensure you have a plan. Do not find yourself getting behind the wheel after any amount of alcohol consumed. Being under arrest during Valentine's Day is not any view of love.

Theft/Fraud: Do not find yourself inappropriately obtaining items due to lack of money. If you choose to purchase items online or in-person, make sure that it is a safe website and that you are safeguarding your credit cards and personal information.

Murder: The last horror anyone should want is being the victim or suspect of a murder. Do not place yourself in a situation that could lead to that crime.

Overall, spend time with your loved one, get them a flower, chocolate, or stuffed animal and show your love the best way you can. Enjoy Valentine's and the month of February!

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