Bringing you up to date with the news released by all Australian Police agencies on Tuesday, 16/05/2017.

The following are media releases from the past 24 hours by their respective agencies, beginning with the most recent article.

**Impersonate police officer, break and enter charges - Birmingham Gardens**

**New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 18:00 AEST**

A man has been charged with impersonate a police officer and break and enter offences following an incident at Birmingham Gardens last month.

About 3am on Friday 21 April 2017, two men were awoken by a knock at the door of their King Street
A man dressed in a suit allegedly told the men he was a police officer and asked to check their passports and entered the unit.

The well dressed man then went to a nearby house in King Street, again waking up the residents and allegedly announcing he was a police officer. He asked to enter the home; however, he was refused entry and left the house.

The two incidents were reported to Newcastle Police station and an investigation commenced.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (189 words)

Four men rescued from sinking boat off Port MacDonnell

South Australia Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 17:55 AEST

Four people have been rescued off a boat before it sank off the coast of Port MacDonnell today.

The alarm was raised about 6.30am on Tuesday 16 May when the boat, the Port Princess, experienced mechanical issues and started taking on water about 11 nautical miles due south of Nene Valley.

A local crayfishing boat, the San Miguel, left Port MacDonnell to assist in the rescue and located the sinking vessel.

The three men and a woman on board were safely rescued and brought onto the crayfish boat. They were brought to shore at the Port MacDonnell boat ramp, where paramedics assessed them for minor injuries. The boat has sunk about six nautical miles off shore.

Police wish to thank everyone involved in the safe rescue of the crew.

Source: South Australia Police (129 words)

Sexual assault charge, Mermaid Waters

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 17:53 AEST

Detectives from the Gold Coast Child Protection Investigation Unit (CPIU) have closed a sexual assault investigation from 2007.

A 51-year-old Burleigh Waters man was arrested and charged today after he allegedly sexually assaulted a 16-year-old Brazilian male student in a Markeri Street car park in Mermaid Waters on December 13, 2007.
Gold Coast CPIU, Officer in Charge Detective Senior Sergeant Troy Penrose said it was a satisfying result.

“As a result of dedicated police work and modern technology that wasn’t available at the time of the offence police were able to solve this crime.

“We hope it brings closure to the victim and his family to know that police worked diligently to produce this outcome,” Detective Senior Sergeant Penrose said.

The man has been charged with two counts of sexual assault and one count each of rape, deprivation of liberty and going armed so as to cause fear.

He is due to appear in the Southport Magistrates Court tomorrow.

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Source: Queensland Police Service (216 words)

Police investigate Hillside aggravated burglary

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 16:42 AEST

Melton Crime Investigation Unit detectives are investigating an aggravated burglary and assault which occurred in Hillside this morning.

Investigators have been told two men broke into the Speargrass Drive home sometime after 11am.

A 55-year-old woman was assaulted and sustained serious injuries in the incident.

Police believe she may have been restrained by the men but are still to talk to her in hospital.

The men fled from the scene in the victim’s car,a champagne VW Passat, registration VAK 158.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (100 words)
Warrant issued for Ebony Bell

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 16:13 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Ebony Bell.

Warrants have been issued for the 20-year-old’s arrest after failing to appear at court.

She is believed to be living in the Heidelberg area and is known to frequent Melbourne’s northern suburbs.

Investigators have released an image of Bell in the hope someone may have information on her current whereabouts.

Bell is 160cm tall, has a thin build and a dark complexion.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (102 words)

Update: Fatal traffic crash, Woodhill

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 15:50 AEST

The Forensic Crash Unit continues to investigate a fatal, multi-vehicle traffic crash which occurred in Woodhill this morning.

Just after 8am, eight vehicles were involved in a crash on the Mount Lindesay Highway including two trucks, five cars and a motorcycle.

The motorcyclist, a 43-year-old man from Ascot died at the scene.

A 40-year-old woman and a 16-year-old boy were transported to the QEII Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

The Highway remains closed in both directions between Undullah Road and Mahoney Road while investigations continue.

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Source: Queensland Police Service (141 words)

Police investigate fatal crash - Marulan

New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 15:44 AEST

Police are investigating a fatal crash in Marulan this afternoon.

About 2.10pm (Tuesday 16 May 2017), emergency services were called to the Hume Highway at Marulan, following reports of a crash.

Initial investigations suggest a truck and a sedan travelling north on the Highway collided.

Following the collision the truck left the roadway and crashed into a tree.

As a result of the crash, the driver of the truck died at the scene.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (128 words)

Police investigate Warnambool collision

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 15:24 AEST

It’s believed a vehicle has attempted to move into a turning lane on Raglan Parade about 1.50pm.

The vehicle has struck a female pedestrian, however it did not stop and left the scene.

A woman aged in her 60s has been transported to hospital.

The vehicle is described as a silver 4WD, possibly a Toyota Prado.

Police are keen to speak to anyone who witnessed the collision or has information on the driver.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (93 words)

Located – Missing man, Kirwan

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 15:20 AEST

The man reported missing from Kirwan has been located safe and well this afternoon.
Police would like to thank the public and the media for their assistance.

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**Changes to footpath access along William Street**

**Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 15:09 AEST**

Police wish to advise that the northern side of William Street, between Margaret and Alice Streets (opposite 1 William Street), will be permanently fenced off from Wednesday, May 17.

Temporary fencing and concrete barriers will be installed along the roadway on the northern side of William Street from the corner of Alice Street to Margaret Street.

The fencing installation will occur overnight on Tuesday, May 16 from 7pm to 5am Wednesday, May 17.

The footpath closure will now be in effect for the remaining duration of the construction of Queen’s Wharf Brisbane.

Pedestrians are reminded to remain vigilant when crossing streets and to obey pedestrian signals.

Pedestrians are urged to adopt the following safety tips:

Only cross at traffic lights when a green walking figure appears. Do not begin to cross the road if there is a red figure – flashing or stationary.

Do not walk on the road to get around blocked sidewalks. Cross to the other side of the road at the nearest traffic lights.

If there is no signed road crossing within 20 metres, cross by the shortest and safest route such as using a traffic island.

Avoid being distracted by talking on your phone or listening to music.

At pedestrian crossings – if there is more than one lane to cross, be sure that all approaching traffic has seen you.

For more information visit www.queenswharfbrisbane.com.au
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Allan Bausch wanted on warrants

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 14:44 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Allan Bausch.

Warrants have been issued for the 47-year-old’s arrest after failing to appear at court.

He is believed to frequent Oakleigh, Clifton Hill, Flemington and Wonthaggi.

Investigators have released an image of Bausch in the hope someone may have information on his current whereabouts.

Bausch is a Caucasian man, about 165cm tall, with a fair complexion.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (66 words)

Man charged following fatal CBD assault

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 14:02 AEST

Melbourne Crime Investigation Unit detectives have today charged a 26-year-old man following a fatal assault in Melbourne's CBD earlier this month.

The assault occurred on Russell Street near the corner of Flinders Lane on Saturday 6 May about 11.45pm.

A 22-year-old Werribee man was allegedly punched and fell to the ground before being taken to hospital where he died last Friday 12 May.

A 26-year-old Ocean Grove man has been charged with manslaughter, intentionally cause serious injury and recklessly cause serious injury.

He will appear at the Melbourne Magistrates’ Court this afternoon.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (150 words)
Three charged following Mornington assault

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 14:02 AEST

Detectives from Mornington Peninsula Crime Investigation Unit have charged three men following an alleged assault in Mornington last weekend.

A 26-year-old Mornington man and two 24-year-old men from Mount Martha have all been charged with affray.

The trio have been bailed to appear at Frankston Magistrate’s Court at a later date.

The incident is alleged to have occurred about 1.50am on Sunday, 14 May on Main Street.

A 34-year-old South Australian man was taken to hospital following the incident with facial injuries.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (82 words)

House fire - Newcastle West

New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 13:44 AEST

About 9.50pm yesterday (Monday 15 May 2017), emergency services were called to a unit on Bellevue Street, Newcastle West, in relation to a house fire.

The fire was extinguished by Fire & Rescue NSW officers, after causing minor damage to a kitchen.

A male occupant was treated at the scene for smoke inhalation but refused hospital treatment.

Several residents self-evacuated due to strong smoke and were not injured.

The fire is not believed to be suspicious, and was caused by a cooking misadventure.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (83 words)

Police appeal for information on 2013 serious assault in Buchan

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 13:32 AEST

East Gippsland Crime Investigation Unit detectives are seeking public assistance to help solve a serious assault that occurred in Buchan in 2013.

A 51-year-old man was left in an induced coma after he was assaulted at an industrial premises on Bruthen-Buchan Road sometime between 5am and 6.30am on Tuesday, 22 January.
The Buchan man had just arrived at work when he was violently attacked by an unknown offender.

He suffered multiple fractures to the head and body.

East Gippsland CIU detective Senior Constable Brett Campbell said they believed there were members of the public that held the key to solving the crime.

Read the rest at [Victoria Police](https://www.vicpol.vic.gov.au) (216 words)

**Escapee - Glen Innes Correctional Centre.**

**New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 13:29 AEST**

Editors note An image of the escapee will be posted on the NSW Police Facebook page.

Police are searching for a man who escaped from a minimum security correctional centre in the New England region of New South Wales last night.

Sometime during the night of Monday 15 May 2017, 33 year-old Richard Norrie, escaped from the Glen Innes Correctional Centre on the Gwydir Highway at Glen Innes

He is believed to have run off from the centre and has not been seen since.

Norrie is described as being of Caucasian appearance, with black hair, medium build, and is 171cm tall.

Read the rest at [New South Wales Police](https://www.nswpolice.nsw.gov.au) (119 words)

**Man charged following alleged indecent assault of teenager - Lismore**

**New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 13:29 AEST**

A man will face court today after allegedly indecently assaulting a teenage girl in the state’s Northern Rivers region.

About 5pm yesterday (Monday 15 May 2017), a 13-year-old girl was walking along Dudley Drive, Goonellabah, when a man allegedly approached the girl and indecently assaulted her.

Police have been told the girl ran away, with the man continuing to follow her, before he indecently assaulted her again.

Officers attached to Richmond Local Area Command were contacted and attended the scene.

A short time later, a 39-year-old man was arrested and taken to Lismore Police Station where he was
charged with aggravated indecent assault and offensive conduct.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (124 words)

Appeal for information following aggravated burglary at Tarneit

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 13:21 AEST

Armed Crime Squad detectives are currently investigating the circumstances surrounding an aggravated burglary that left a man with a gunshot wound and three others injured early this morning.

Detectives have been told two or possibly four offenders wearing masks entered the Conway Street residence armed with a baseball bat and firearm about 4.20am.

A 31-year-old man received a gunshot wound to the back and remains in hospital in a stable condition.

A 34-year-old man, a 23-year-old woman and a 32-year-old woman were also taken to hospital with assault related injuries; all are in a stable condition.

The exact circumstances surrounding the incident are being investigated

Read the rest at Victoria Police (149 words)

Thomas Barry wanted on warrants

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:31 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Thomas Barry.

The 34-year-old has several outstanding warrants for his arrest after failing to appear in court.

Barry is believed to be living in the North Melbourne area but is known to frequent the northern suburbs.

Police have released an image of Barry in the hope someone can provide information on his whereabouts.

He is described as 175cm tall with a thin build, fair complexion, red hair and blue eyes.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (107 words)

Sime Govic Wanted on Warrants

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:31 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Sime Govic.
The 24-year-old is wanted by police for to failing to appear at court in relation to multiple thefts.

Investigators have released an image of Govic in the hope someone may recognise him or have information on his current whereabouts.

He is known to frequent the Northern Suburbs.

Anyone who sees Govic is urged to contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or make a confidential report at www.crimestoppersvic.com.au.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (80 words)

**Ransomware reported in NT**

*Northern Territory Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:29 AEST*

The Northern Territory Police cybercrime unit has received reports that four Northern Territory businesses have been affected by the global ransomware incident (Wanna Cry).

These businesses have suffered significant impact that in some cases is continuing to prevent them from operating.

“The ransomware incident highlights the need for all businesses to ensure that their systems are up-to-date with the most current patches and they have back-up procedures in place,” Detective Sergeant Craig Windebank said.

“If your computer system has the most recent patches installed you are safe from this incident.”

Advice about how to prevent a ransomware incident is available on the Australian Cyber Security Centre website (www.acsc.gov.au).

Affected businesses should report on www.acorn.gov.au or through the Australian Cyber Security Centre number 1300 CYBER1 (1300 292371).

Source: Northern Territory Police (128 words)

**Serious crash Kangaroo Island**

*South Australia Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:15 AEST*

Initial reports are that a person has serious injuries and police are asking motorists to avoid American River Road and use an alternate route.

Major Crash investigators have been notified and are making their way to the scene to assist with the
investigation.

Source: South Australia Police (43 words)

Fatal Portland crash

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:09 AEST

The single-vehicle crash happened about 6am at the intersection of Dougherties Road and Heath Road.

The man, who was the sole occupant of the four wheel drive, died at the scene.

Police are investigating the exact cause of the crash and preparing a report for the Coroner.

Anyone who witnessed the collision or has any information is urged to contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or submit a confidential crime report at www.crimestoppersvic.com.au

Read the rest at Victoria Police (74 words)

Three children found in stolen car - Taree

New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 12:00 AEST

Police are investigating after three Queensland children were found in a stolen 4WD at Taree yesterday.

Officers were called to a service centre on Bucketts Way, Taree South, about 4pm (Monday 15 May 2017), after a 4WD – which had been reported stolen from the Gold Coast – was seen parked outside.

Police from Manning-Great Lakes Local Area Command found a 15-year-old girl in the driver’s seat, with two other girls, aged 13 and 12, as passengers.

Police will allege the eldest girl had driven to Taree in the 4WD; it had been reported stolen earlier that day.

Inquiries by police are continuing; the children are in the care of the NSW Department of Family and Community Services.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (129 words)

Harley Cartright wanted on warrants

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 11:50 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Harley Cartright.
The 23 year-old from Sunbury is wanted on outstanding warrants of apprehension in relation to theft, drugs, affray, failing to appear on bail and driving offences.

Cartright is described as about 175cm tall with a thin build, brown hair, blue eyes and fair complexion.

He is known to frequent the Sunbury area and may travelling between Victoria and New South Wales.

Investigators have released an image of Cartright in the hope someone may have information on his current whereabouts.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (118 words)

Task Force Lincoln launched

South Australia Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 11:35 AEST

Detective Superintendent Des Bray, the officer in charge of the SAPOL Major Crime Investigation Branch, was in Port Lincoln today to detail the launch of Task Force Lincoln, a dedicated team of investigation and intelligence experts who will be assisted by Port Lincoln CIB and Crime Stoppers.

The targeted campaign features five patrol cars being turned into mobile billboards highlighting the case, along with the distribution of posters and coasters, seeking information from the public.

“We believe this murder is eminently solvable,” Detective Superintendent Bray said.

The disappearance of Ms Goodwin on 19 July 2002 has been subject to a full case review as part of an ongoing cold case campaign by SAPOL called Operation Persist.

The review has evaluated all the evidence gathered by police through fresh eyes and had led to several new lines of inquiry in relation to the disappearance of the then 39-year-old.

“Our experienced investigators believe the answer to this case lies in the local community,” Detective Superintendent Bray said today.

“We want to ensure everyone on the lower Eyre Peninsula is aware of this case, and the fact that even the smallest detail may provide the breakthrough we need.

“We believe that she was murdered and that her body has been disposed of within a 30km radius of this town.

“To that end we have taken the unusual step of branding this case onto marked police cars and producing a series of posters and coasters which we will be distributing to businesses and local residents alike.

“We are asking that everyone consider where they were 15 years ago – did you know Susan? Did you see anything unusual? Do you have information that could bring this woman back to her family?”
A reward of up to $200,000 is available for information that leads to the recovery of Ms Goodwin’s remains or the conviction of those responsible for her disappearance and suspected murder.

Detective Superintendent Bray said that given the fact Port Lincoln is a small community, anyone with information can call Crime Stoppers (1800 333 000) and be put through to an investigator who can arrange to meet them in a discrete fashion.

“I know some people worry about being seen going into the local police station to provide information,” he said. “So we have made arrangements in order to ensure confidentiality in this matter.

“Please just call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 and can ask to meet with a ‘cold case’ investigator and we make further arrangements.”

Source: South Australia Police (415 words)

Junee man identified as Wagga Wagga victim

New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 11:14 AEST

Police have identified a man who died in suspicious circumstances near Wagga Wagga this morning.

Emergency services were called to French Place, Tolland, about 3.45am (Tuesday 16 May 2017), where they found a man lying in a driveway with a stab wound to his left thigh.

He was treated by NSW Ambulance paramedics; however, died at the scene.

Police from Wagga Wagga Local Area Command have identified the deceased as a 37-year-old man, believed to be from Junee.

Strike Force Bonarius has been formed to investigate the man’s death, and, about 10am today a 28-year-old man from Tolland was arrested and is assisting detectives with their inquiries.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (145 words)

Male wanted on warrants - Sean Dertilis

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 10:58 AEST

Police are appealing for public assistance to help locate Sean Dertilis.

The 41-year-old is wanted by police for to failing to appear at court in relation to theft

Investigators have released an image of Dertilis in the hope someone may recognise him or have information on his current whereabouts.
He is known to frequent the Sunshine, Braybrook and Footscray areas

Anyone who sees Dertilis is urged to contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or make a confidential report at www.crimestoppersvic.com.au.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (82 words)

**Missing Man - Maurizio Corica**

**Western Australia Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 10:29 AEST**

Police are seeking information regarding the whereabouts of missing 46 year old man Maurizio CORICA who was last seen at a school drop-off in Carine at about 8:00am on Monday 15th May 2017.

Mr CORICA did not attend an appointment at 1:00pm that afternoon, nor was he seen at school pickup time later in the day.

Mr CORICA’s vehicle has since been located at Warwick Shopping Centre.

He is described as fair/olive skinned, approximately 175cms tall, of medium build and black hair and brown eyes. Mr CORICA was last seen wearing a t-shirt, black pants and boot-style trainers.

Concerns are held for his welfare and Police would like to speak to anyone who has any information regarding his whereabouts.

Read the rest at Western Australia Police (133 words)

**Charges over alleged break-in, assault near Forster**

**New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 09:44 AEST**

Police have charged a man following investigations into an alleged break-in and assault of a woman in Diamond Beach at the weekend.

Police from Manning-Great Lakes Local Area Command were called to a home on Panorama Drive about 1.30am on Saturday 6 May 2017, after a man allegedly entered the home.

The man allegedly confronted a 77-year-old woman before assaulting her and fleeing the scene.

The woman was taken to Manning Base Hospital for treatment.

A crime scene was established at the woman’s home and officers from Manning/Great Lakes Local Area Command commenced an investigation.
Fatal traffic crash, Woodhill

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 09:30 AEST

Police are currently at the scene of a fatal multi-vehicle traffic crash in Woodhill this morning.

Initial information suggests at 8.05am, at least seven vehicles including two trucks, crashed on the Mount Lindesay Highway near Undullah Road.

One person was pronounced deceased at the scene.

Emergency services are currently working to free a male and a female who are trapped.

Motorists are being advised to avoid the area as the Highway is currently closed in both directions between Undullah Road and Mahoney Road.

The Forensic Crash Unit is investigating.

There is no further information available at this time.

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Source: Queensland Police Service (155 words)
Emergency services were called to the end of Kopps Road, Pacific Pines around 9.20pm after receiving reports of a vehicle fire. The fire was extinguished and a subsequent search located a fire arm and ammunition inside the car.

No one was injured during the incident.

Investigations revealed that the vehicle, a Chrysler sedan, had been stolen from a Gunther Street home on Sunday during a burglary where two men also allegedly assaulted a 30-year-old woman. The woman was treated at the scene for non-life threatening injuries.

Police believe the burglary was a targeted incident and the men were known to the residents.

Investigations are ongoing.

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**Body Worn Cameras**

**Tasmania Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 08:56 AEST**

This project is a significant step forward for Tasmania Police both in terms of providing a safe working environment and delivering operational efficiencies to officers on the frontline. The benefits include:

Video of Public Order incidents can assist in resolving cases where drugs or alcohol may impact on the recollection of witnesses and offenders.

The use of Body Worn Cameras has been shown to improve officer safety by changing offender behaviour, potentially reducing the incidents of assaults against police.

The cameras can be used to record statements at an incident.

Digital evidence from an incident will potentially increase guilty pleas by offenders, and reduce malicious
complaints against officers.

Read the rest at Tasmania Police (259 words)

**Update: Search and rescue, Beerburrum**

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 08:07 AEST

Police have received information that the missing 24-year-old woman in the Beerburrum West State Forest walked out by herself last night, around 12.50am.

She has now self-reported to the Woodford police station and is safe and well.

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**Search and rescue, Beerburrum**

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 07:57 AEST

A search for a missing bushwalker in the Beerburrum West State Forest will be coordinated by police this morning.

A 24-year-old woman called Triple Zero yesterday afternoon when she became disorientated after she set off on a walk around 4pm.

The woman is now uncontactable, as the battery on her phone is flat.

A land and aerial search was conducted late yesterday, however it was unsuccessful due to the lack of light.

The search will begin again at 8am with the assistance of the State Emergency Service.
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Inquiries underway into suspicious death near Wagga Wagga

New South Wales Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 07:29 AEST

An investigation is underway following the death of a man near Wagga Wagga this morning.

Emergency services were called to French Place, Tolland, about 3.45am (Tuesday 16 May 2017), where they found a man lying in a driveway with a serious injury to his left thigh.

He was treated by NSW Ambulance paramedics; however, died at the scene.

Police from Wagga Wagga Local Area Command are treating the man’s death as suspicious and have established a crime scene.

Detectives from Wagga Wagga LAC are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of the man, who is believed to be aged in his 30s.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (122 words)

Police investigate shooting in Tarneit

Victoria Police on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 06:37 AEST

Police are currently investigating the circumstances after a shooting and assaults in Tarneit this morning.

Police were called to a Conway Street address just after 4am.

A 31-year-old man was located with what is believed to be a gunshot wound and has been taken to hospital in a stable condition.
A 34-year-old man, a 23-year-old woman and a 32-year-old woman were also taken to hospital with assault related injuries; all are in a stable condition.

The exact circumstances surrounding the incident are being investigated.

Read the rest at Victoria Police (104 words)

**Robbery with violence charges, Southport**

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 05:57 AEST

Four boys have been charged following a robbery that occurred in Southport overnight.

Shortly after 9pm, three boys approached two men who were sitting at a table outside a restaurant on Nerang Street and the group became involved in an altercation.

As a result, one of the four allegedly threatened a 22-year-old man with a knife and took a glass from a table and assaulted one of the men with it before kicking him and stealing his phone.

The second man, a 27-year-old, was allegedly punched and kicked by the group and they have stolen a tablet computer and wallet before they fled the scene on foot.

Four boys were located a short time later by police and were taken into custody.

The 22-year-old man was transported to hospital with a laceration to his head and lacerations to his hand.

The 27-year-old was treated on scene for minor injuries.

A 16-year-old Upper Coomera boy has been charged with unlawful possession of suspected stolen property.

A 14-year old Surfers Paradise boy has been charged with two counts of robbery in company.

A 16-year-old Southport by has been charged with two counts of robbery in company and one count of wounding.

A 15–year-old Mermaid Waters boy has been charged with two counts of robbery in company.

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You can report information about crime anonymously to Crime Stoppers, a registered charity and community volunteer organisation, by calling 1800 333 000 or via crimestoppersqld.com.au 24hrs per day.
A woman will appear in court today after being charged over an alleged incident of child neglect in Sydney’s west late last year.

On Thursday 8 December 2016, a two-year-old boy presented Nepean Hospital with suspected poisoning after doctors were told he consumed paint thinner at a home on Chesterfield Road, South Penrith.

The child was airlifted to Sydney Children’s Hospital at Randwick a short time later when his condition deteriorated.

Forensic analysis and pathology testing revealed the child had consumed illicit drugs.

Detectives from the State Crime Command’s Child Abuse Squad commenced an investigation and executed a search warrant at the home, where a number of items were seized for forensic examination.

Read the rest at [New South Wales Police](http://trueblueline.net) (259 words)

Editors Note: A photo of the missing person is available via the NSW Police Facebook page.

Police are appealing for help to locate a teenager who was last seen leaving a hospital in Camperdown at the weekend.

Sharjarra Hughes-Hill, 14, was last seen leaving the medical facility on Missenden Road about 2.30pm on Sunday 14 May 2017, where she was being treated for a medical condition.

She is believed to be in the company of a 34-year-old woman who is known to her, and resides in Waterloo.
The young girl has been described to police as being Caucasian appearance with a medium build and a fair complexion with light brown hair.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (151 words)

**Missing man, Kirwan**

Queensland Police Service on Tuesday, 16/05/2017 00:21 AEST

Police are seeking public assistance to help locate a man reported missing from Kirwan.

David Hobbs, 24, was last seen around 5am on May 13 at an address on Joyce Street in Kirwan but hasn’t been seen since.

Concerns are held for his welfare as his behaviour is out of character.

He is described as Caucasian in appearance, around 180cms tall and has a proportionate build, brown hair and blue eyes.

Anyone who has seen Mr Hobbs is being urged to contact police.

If you have information for police, contact Policelink on 131 444 or provide information using the online form 24hrs per day.

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**Southern suburbs man arrested over child sex offences**

South Australia Police on Monday, 15/05/2017 23:19 AEST

Detectives from the Sturt Criminal Investigation Branch have arrested a 54-year-old man from the southern suburbs over child sex offences alleged to have occurred between 2011 and 2016.

The man was charged yesterday with two counts of persistent sexual exploitation of a child and one count
of gross indecency.

He was granted bail to appear in the Adelaide Magistrates Court on 15 June.

Source: South Australia Police (63 words)

Serious crash at Elizabeth North

South Australia Police on Monday, 15/05/2017 22:16 AEST

Police are investigating a serious crash at Elizabeth North this evening.

Just after 5.30pm, police and emergency services were called to the intersection of Womma Road and Stebonheath Road after two cars had collided.

A woman was taken to the Lyell McEwin in a serious condition, and traffic delays were in place for several hours.

Source: South Australia Police (55 words)

Man charged with murder following death of woman- Sylvania

New South Wales Police on Monday, 15/05/2017 22:14 AEST

A man has been charged after a woman’s body was located in Sydney’s south today.

About 6.45am (Monday 15 May 2017), emergency services were called to Florida Street, Sylvania, following reports of a concern for welfare.

Officers attended and located the body of a 55-year-old woman.

A crime scene was established and an investigation was commenced by detectives from Miranda Local Area Command and assisted by detectives from State Crime Command’s Homicide Squad.

Subsequently, a 28-year-old man was arrested by officers from Traffic and Highway Patrol Command on the Prince Highway, St Peters, after the vehicle he was driving was detected by Automatic Number Plate Recognition technology.

Read the rest at New South Wales Police (137 words)

Robbery with violence, Surfers Paradise

Queensland Police Service on Monday, 15/05/2017 22:10 AEST
Police are investigating a violent robbery that occurred this afternoon in Surfers Paradise.

Initial information suggests about 5.15pm, a 17-year-old woman was walking north along the Gold Coast Highway when she was assaulted from behind by three female offenders who had rode past on bicycles.

The victim was knocked to the ground after being punched to the head numerous times.

The three offenders fled the scene in a northerly direction with the victim’s phone and wallet.

The woman was transported to the Gold Coast University Hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening injuries.

Detectives are appealing to any members of the public who may have witnessed the incident or have information that may assist with identifying the three offenders.

Investigations are continuing.

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