

“Working together to keep our communities safe”

Deep River officers focus on community security by engaging in the Lock it or Lose it program.

Lock It or Lose It is a crime prevention initiative that encourages drivers and passengers to take precautions to protect their vehicles and vehicle contents from theft. Media campaigns and other educational means are used to reduce victimization. This program typically consists of officers/special constables examining parked vehicles to ensure that proper safety precautions have been taken. If vehicles are found to be unlocked, or valuables left in plain sight, a notice is placed on the vehicle informing the owner that these precautions were not taken. Owners are also provided with crime prevention tips for the future. If the vehicle is locked, and valuables are out of sight, drivers are left a notice recognizing their efforts for taking precautions.

