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News Release

Suspect Wanted for Burglarizing Businesses in Solvang **Public Assistance Requested to Help Locate Suspect**

Buellton - The Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office is requesting public assistance to help locate the suspect responsible for at least three burglaries in downtown Solvang, two of which occurred at the same business.

The first burglary occurred just before 2:00 a.m. on September 8, 2014 at the Greenhouse Café located in the 400 block of Atterdag Road. When Sheriff's deputies responded, they found the suspect had smashed the window to the business, pried open the cash registers and taken off with an undisclosed amount of cash. Sheriff's deputies with the assistance of a K9 unit searched the area but were not able to locate the suspect.

On September 10, 2014, just after 4 a.m. a suspect broke into the Pebble People located in the 1600 block of Copenhagen Road. When Sheriff's deputies arrived shortly after, they found the suspect had smashed the door to get in and three jewelry display cases. The suspect took off with an undisclosed amount of jewelry. Again, Sheriff's deputies searched the area but were not able to locate the suspect.

On September 19, 2014 at approximately 3:30 in the morning the Pebble People was burglarized again. A Sheriff's deputy who was on foot in the immediate area heard the alarm go off. The suspect fled with an undisclosed amount of jewelry before he could be apprehended.

If you have any information related to any of these burglaries, you are asked to contact the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office at 805-681-4100 or to leave an anonymous tip call 805-681-4171.

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