



**City of Oshkosh**  
**Auxiliary Police**  
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## AUGUST 2014 NEWSLETTER

Oshkosh Auxiliary Police meeting, **Wednesday AUGUST 13, 2014, 7:00 PM** at the South Park small pavilion on Georgia Street. Pizza, beer and soft drinks will be served.

### EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST & SEPTEMBER (Oshkosh, Wisconsin's Event City)

August 15,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (Scrimmage-Titan)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	2-3 APO's
August 16,	Saturday	Pathfinders Parade	1:45 PM – 3:15 PM	AMAP
August 17,	Sunday	Race the Lake (Bike race around Lake Winnebago)	5:45 AM – 8:45 AM	AMAP
August 18,	Monday	Outlet Mall Concert-MKTO (Bike Patrol & Traffic)	2:30 PM – 6:30 PM	4-6 APO's
August 22,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (vs Wild Rose)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	2-3 APO's
August 22,	Friday	O.N.H.S Football (vs Kimberly)	7:30 PM – 10:30 PM	4-6 APO's
August 22,	Friday	Waterfest Finale (Leach Amphitheater – America)	9:00 PM – 11:30 PM	2-3 APO's
August 29,	Friday	O.W.H.S. Football (vs Appleton North)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	4-6 APO's
August 29,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (vs Shiocton)	7:30 PM – 10:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 4,	Thursday	Lourdes Eucharistic Procession	8:45 AM – 11:30 AM	1-3 APO's
Sept. 5,	Friday	O.N.H.S. Football (vs Wi. Rapids)	6:30 PM – 9:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 6,	Saturday	Cops Gone Wild (Buffalo Wild Wings)	11:00 AM – 2:00 PM	2-4 APO's
Sept. 6,	Saturday	Cops Gone Wild (Buffalo Wild Wings)	5:00 PM – 9:00 PM	2-4 APO's
Sept. 12,	Friday	O.W.H.S. Football (vs Wi. Rapids)	6:30 PM – 9:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 19,	Friday	O.N.H.S. Football (vs Stevens Point)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 19,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (vs Deerfield)	7:30 PM – 10:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 19-20	Fri-Sat	Dragon Boat Overnight Security	9:00 PM – 6:00 AM	1-2 APO's per shift
Sept. 20	Saturday	Dragon Boat Race (Leach/Riverwalk Patrol)	9:00 AM – 4:00 PM	2 APO's per shift
Sept. 20	Saturday	Special Olympics Semi Convoy	9:00 AM – Noon	4-6 APO's
Sept. 26,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (vs Unknown)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	4-6 APO's
Sept. 26,	Friday	O.W.H.S. Football (vs Hortonville – Parents Night)	7:30 PM – 10:30 PM	4-6 APO's
October 3,	Friday	Lourdes Homecoming Parade	5:00 PM – 6:15 PM	4-8 APO's
October 3,	Friday	O.W.H.S. Football (vs Fond du Lac)	4:30 PM – 7:30 PM	4-6 APO's
October 3,	Friday	Lourdes Academy Football (vs Markesan – HC)	7:30 PM – 10:30 PM	4-6 APO's
October 9,	Thursday	Special Olympics Run-from-the-Cops (Kids)	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	4-6 APO's
October 9,	Thursday	Special Olympics Run-from-the-Cops (5K)	8:00 PM – 10:00 PM	4-6 APO's
October 10,	Friday	O.N.H.S. Football (vs O.W.H.S. - HC)	6:30 PM – 9:30 PM	6-8 APO's
October 17,	Friday	O.W.H.S. Football (vs Stevens Point – HC)	6:30 PM – 9:30 PM	6-8 APO's

## **Personnel:**

### **Luke Olson:**

Luke resigned from the Unit July 6th. Luke has obtained employment with the Fond du Lac County Sheriffs Office starting July 14th. We sincerely thank Luke for his dedication, and service with our Unit since October 2012; and wish him much success with his law enforcement career.

### **Jacob Decker:**

Jacob resigned from the Unit July 18th. Jacob will be transferring to UW-Madison and moving out of the area. Jacob has serviced with our Unit since January 2014; and we wish him well with his future endeavors.

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## **Recent Call-outs & Special Assignments:**

### **Aircraft Incident**

Auxiliary Officers were requested to assist at the site of a plane crash near the Oshkosh Prison on Wednesday July 30th. Sgt. Ron O'Bright and Officer Matt Kirby responded to assist from 5:00 PM until they were released from the scene.

Thank you for responding quickly to provide site security for this incident.

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## **Member Submitted Article:**

by Marti Steele

My son Jason is in "Special Olympics", He participates in volleyball, basketball, and track. This was the first year that he was on a volleyball team. His volleyball team made it to the State Competition.

On Saturday December 7th, 2013 his team took the "GOLD MEDAL" and was Wisconsin State Champs. He has participated in track many years; his best events are those where he's running.

His specific events are the 200 meter run and the 4-man relay. He made it to state for both of these events.



While at state on Friday, June 6th for the 200 meter run he took 6th place for a ribbon and on Saturday, June 7th his relay team another "GOLD MEDAL" and was Wisconsin State Champs for the 4-Man Relay. This is the first year that he has accomplished something so wonderful. I am very proud of him and his team mates.



# Victoria Australia to Oshkosh Wisconsin

**By APO Alex Williams**



Mark Dewey is a Senior Constable (Badge# 24545) with the Victoria Police Department in Australia. During his visit to the EAA last year I got to know the Constable and arranged a tour of OPD as well as a ride-along when he returned for AirVenture this year.

Our tour and ride-along was scheduled for Saturday August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Mark and I arrived at OPD 15 minutes before Sgt. Harris arrived. During this time I showed Mark the OPD fleet of Squads, marked, unmarked, and CSO trucks. He got a big kick out of the Parking Authority car because the position of the steering wheel was not out of place for him. The cage partitions separating the back seats of the squads were also of interest, in Australia they do not put people in the back of squad cars they have to wait for a police van to come and take them to jail.

When Sgt. Harris arrived, we began our tour of OPD. Among other things I showed Mark our new OAP radio room, and gave him a quick rundown of our radio procedures. At the conclusion of the tour Mark gave Sgt. Harris a Coffee mug from them Victoria Police Department. Sgt. Harris gave Mark an Auxiliary Coffee mug, an SFST booklet and some department stickers.

We left the department and Sgt. Harris drove past the Farmers Market and explained to Mark all the different events we have in the city. He then drove to the Wittman Airport terminal, where the Thunderbird F-16's were parked. We briefly looked at the jets lined up and got our picture taken with them. We then headed to the Main Street Best Western Hotel to begin the escort of the Thunder Birds pilots and crew. Mark and I both got our pictures taken with the pilots. Mark road with Sgt. Harris as the lead of the escort, I worked traffic light assignment and afterward met back up with them at the airport. Sgt. Harris took us to the new OPD command vehicle and gave mark a tour of it. We finished our day when we drove to the EAA Grounds. Sgt. Harris had to go to attend a safety meeting so I gave Mark a ride back to the department to end the day.

Mark made me an "Honorary" Victoria Police Officer. My title is Alex Williams Lead Senior Constable of International relations, Badge# 00055 (He's trying to get me a actual badge from his department)

Mark mentioned that if anyone from OPD...Officer, Auxiliary, or CSO comes to Australia they need to let me know and he will roll out the red carpet just as OPD did for him. He felt very welcome to our city and very safe. He is very impressed by the amount of professionalism and dedication our Auxiliary unit has, and is amazed that we do it all un-paid and un-armed. What we do is unheard of in Australia.

Thank You to Sgt. Harris and all who made this possible!



Senior Constable Mark Dewey and I wearing our department uniforms.



Senior Constable Mark Dewey and I prior to going target shooting. Mark is a firearms instructor for his department.

## Reminder:

### Torch Run T-Shirts

Anyone who placed and order for a Law Enforcement Torch Run T-Shirt should bring \$15.00 to the meeting. Cash or check made out to Mary Knudsen  
Mary will have the t-shirts at the meeting for those who did place orders.



### AirVenture 2014 – U.S.A.F. Thunderbirds:



## Minutes from the Oshkosh Auxiliary Police Meeting – June 11, 2014

Meeting was held in the OPD training room with 18 officers attending.

Due to a large number of officers working details and not able to attend the meeting, there was no training presented and only new details were discussed during the meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by,

Sgt. Mary Knudsen, Secretary

### Next General Meeting:

**September 10, 2014. 6:00 PM – South Park, Small Pavilion.**

### Next Ranking Officer Meeting:

**August 20, 2014. 5:00 PM – Oshkosh Police Department, Erickson Meeting Room**