

#### MARCH 2017 NEWSLETTER

Oshkosh Auxiliary Police meeting, Wednesday March 8, 2017, 6:00 PM at the Oshkosh Police Department.

# EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH, APRIL & MAY (Oshkosh, Wisconsin's Event City)

March 11,	Saturday	Shamrock Shuffle	9:30 AM – 11:30 AM	4-6 APO's
April 8,	Saturday	Egg-Citing Day at the Zoo	11:00 AM – 3:00 PM	2-4 APO's
March 28,	Tuesday	WPS Farm Show – EAA Grounds	8:00 AM – 2:00 PM	2 APO's
March 29,	Wednesday	WPS Farm Show – EAA Grounds	8:00 AM – 2:00 PM	2 APO's
March 30,	Thursday	WPS Farm Show – EAA Grounds	8:00  AM - 2:00  PM	2 APO's
April 8,	Saturday	Spring Pub Crawl	6:30 PM – 2:00 AM	AMAP
April 13,	Thursday	UW-O – LGBTQ Ally Day	6:15 PM – 7:15 PM	4-6 APO's
April 22,	Saturday	Run Away to the Bay	6:45 AM – 9:30 AM	4-6 APO's
April 30,	Sunday	Oshkosh Marathon	6:15 AM – 11:00 AM	AMAP
May 6,	Saturday	6th Annual Walk for Suicide Awareness	8:45 AM – 10:00 AM	4-6 APO's



# 58th Anniversary and Awards Dinner Primo Restaurant, Saturday May 6, 2017



Social Hour - 5:30 PM, Dinner - 6:30 PM Service awards presentation to follow

## ~ Buffet style dinner ~

Tenderloin tips, Deep Fried Haddock, Chicken Cordon Bleu Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Pasta Whole Kernel Corn Garden Salad and Rolls Ice-cream Desert

Selection of soda will be available with your meal

(We always attempt to hold this event in April, however the dinner is held in May this year as a result of some scheduling conflicts.)

Reservations accompanied by a \$20.00 deposit (refunded at the dinner) must be made by April 21st with **Deputy Chief Footit**. Each member and one guest are invited, no children please. This event is open to all members regardless of the number of events worked.

Per our social procedures, this will be the one annual social event funded by the Unit. It's important to use this event to recognize the history and tradition of our organization; acknowledge those who have achieved milestone years of service and highlight members who have served above and beyond. All members are encouraged to attend!

### **Personnel:**

Justin Strassburger has submitted his letter of resignation. Justin has taken a full time position in Public Safety at the Austin Straubel International Airport in Green Bay and is unable to commit to meeting the minimum 10 details per year requirement. He indicates he has enjoyed his years of serving with our Unit and thanks everyone for the positive experience and friendships he's made.

We thank Justin for his service with us and wish him much success as he pursues his career goals.

#### A note to all members...

We always encourage each of you, as active members, to spread the word that we are always looking for other community minded individuals who may want to volunteer with our Unit. If you have family, friends, work associates or others you feel may want to join our Unit, please contact Captain Vicky Schroeder for further information and membership material.

## **February Details:**

Our details at Millers Bay each February have become a significant part of our yearly events. Thanks to everyone that volunteered to work these events.

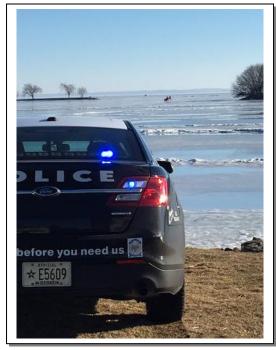
Weather was an odd factor this year. We experienced seasonal cold weather for the Otter Street Fisheree, unseasonal warm weather for the Polar Plunge (50+ degrees) and then cold seasonal weather and freezing rain for the Battle-on-Bago.

## Hours worked:

Otter Street Fisheree – 58 hours Polar Plunge – 106 hours Battle-On-Bago – 105 hours















Auxiliary Officers
Will Welch and Eddie Wick participate
with the Oshkosh Police Department Team
at Special Olympics Polar Plunge

#### Call-out:

The evening of Saturday February 25<sup>th</sup>, after finishing the last shift of the Battle-on-Bago detail, we received a call from OPD Lt. Leckner. Someone had crashed into the main control box for the traffic signals at the corner of New York and Jackson. This had occurred earlier in the afternoon and City Electrical Department was in the process of repairing the electrical connections. The repair was taking longer than originally anticipated so our Unit was requested to assist with lights and traffic direction until the traffic signals were functional again.

We were told to expect about four hours to complete the project. As it was a cold night and we'd need to rotate Officers, four APO's were needed for the detail.

No sooner than we had received response and had our APO's on the way, the Electrical Department was able to get the lights temporarily repaired and on flash for the evening.

THANK YOU to the APO's that quickly responded to assist with this call-out!

Capt. Chad Gutche – Lt. Ron O'Bright – Sgt. Will Welch – APO Stephanie Stegner

# Oshkosh Auxiliary Police Meeting Minutes February 8, 2017

Meeting was held in the training room at OPD with 16 officers plus OPD Sgt. Stenson and Harris attending. 5 officers were excused.

Training was a review of OAP Policies/Rules and Regulations presented by OPD Sgt. Harris. Officers signed up to work details

Meeting adjourned, Respectfully submitted by, Sgt. Mary Knudsen, Secretary

## **Next Ranking Officer Meeting:**

March 15, 2017. 5:00 PM - Oshkosh Police Department, Erickson Meeting Room

## **Next General Meeting:**

April 12, 2017. 6:00 PM - Oshkosh Police Department Training Room