



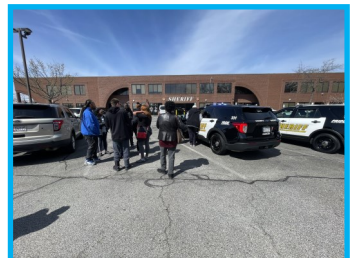
COMMUNITY DISPATCH

April 2024

COMMUNITY OUTREACH



The Community Engagement Unit would like to thank the Blessed Lambs Pre-school and the Charles County Courthouse for allowing us to come out and conduct our Citizens Response to Active Shooter Events (C.R.A.S.E) training with their employees. The goal of this training is to enlighten employees as well as providing tips, suggestions and game planning in case an active shooter incident arises at their workplace. If anyone wishes to have a (C.R.A.S.E) presentation conducted, please contact the community organizer to schedule it. Email: COMMUNITYORGANIZER@CCSO.US or 301-932-3080.



We always enjoy getting requests from community groups and organizations, to tour our CCSO district stations. We had the pleasure of welcoming members of Cerenity Inc. Cerenity Inc. is an organization that provides services to those with intellectual disabilities, such as seeking employment, volunteering opportunities, as well as participating in developmental programs. This wonderful group got to see several areas within our station and inside of our police cruisers. There were lots of enthusiastic questions in which we were happy to answer. They even got some cool CCSO swag items at the end as well! This is one of many fun assignments the Community Engagement Units participates in throughout the year!



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Just a Friendly Reminder

Sheriff Troy Berry and members of the Charles County Sheriff's Office Community Services Section are hosting the annual

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH KICKOFF

APRIL 10, 2024
7 PM
at
AMERICAN LEGION POST 82
6330 Crain Hwy., La Plata, MD 20646

Representatives from the Charles County Government will give presentations on current programs and resources available to our senior community, information about our youth programs and our Charles County Community Cleanup day!

A great opportunity to ask questions and voice your concerns



Please RSVP to Gus Proctor by April 5.
Call 301-932-3080 or email Proctora@ccso.us.

The purpose of the event is to raise awareness about crime prevention and discuss strategies to keep our communities safe.



The CCSO Community Services Section is excited to host its first of many community events throughout the year. On April 10, we will be hosting our annual Neighborhood Watch Kickoff Meeting (Crime Watch Kickoff). This meeting will take place at the American Legion Post #82, 6330 Crain Highway, La Plata, MD 20646. The purpose of this meeting is to provide our community members with helpful information, as well as sharing our community events for the upcoming year. Our guest speakers at this year's meeting will be representatives with the Charles County government who will give presentations on what services they have to offer. These services will include Community Clean Up Day, youth programs and senior community services. We would love for you to join us. If you can make it, please reach out to our community organizer and RSVP before April 5 at proctora@ccso.us or 301-932-3080



We would like to thank the Bridge Church for inviting us to their second annual Indian Head EGGciting Adventure event!. The Community Engagement Unit enjoyed joining local vendors and groups, as well as residents of Indian Head, at the Village Green Pavilion for an exciting day of family fun!. We enjoyed seeing everyone's faces and we even got to pass out some tasty treats and CCSO swag items. A fun time was had by all!!!

WELCOME



BUSINESS WATCH PROGRAM IN FORCE

WE IMMEDIATELY REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS PEOPLE & ACTIVITIES TO THE SOUTH PASADENA POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Business Watch Program is designed to enhance the communication between businesses and the Charles County Sheriff's Office. The purpose of the Business Watch Program is to support businesses through proactive collaborative efforts to actively reduce and prevent crime impacting the business community, using communication, education, and enforcement. Information regarding current crime trends and crime prevention tips will be sent through an e-mail chain from the Charles County Sheriff's Office Community Engagement Unit to the business owners and business supervisors who wish to participate. To register your business please contact the Community Organizer at proctora@ccso.us / 301-932-3080.

TRAFFIC COMPLAINT LINE: 301-932-3062 or trafficoperations@ccso.us



Questions, comments, complaints?

Please contact our Civilian Community Coordinator
Mr. Gus Proctor: (301) 932-3080 / proctora@ccso.us