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01 Community/Agency Partnerships

During the month of April, Dunbarton Police Officers participated in or continued the following community/agency partnerships and/or events:

- Assisted with a safety drill at the Dunbarton Elementary School.



Officer Gorman was given this **thoughtful note** from a thankful child of a motorist that he stopped to assist when they ran out of gas!



LEAD[®]
LAW ENFORCEMENT AGAINST DRUGS & VIOLENCE

"On the Street and in the Classroom"

Approximately 30 6th grade students at the Dunbarton Elementary School ("DES") graduated from the **LEAD - Law Enforcement Against Drugs and Violence's "Too Good for Drugs" ("TGFD")** program on Friday, April 12th 2024. This marks the third class at DES to graduate since the program was implemented during the 2021-2022 school year. To

date, over 100 Dunbarton students have graduated from the program.

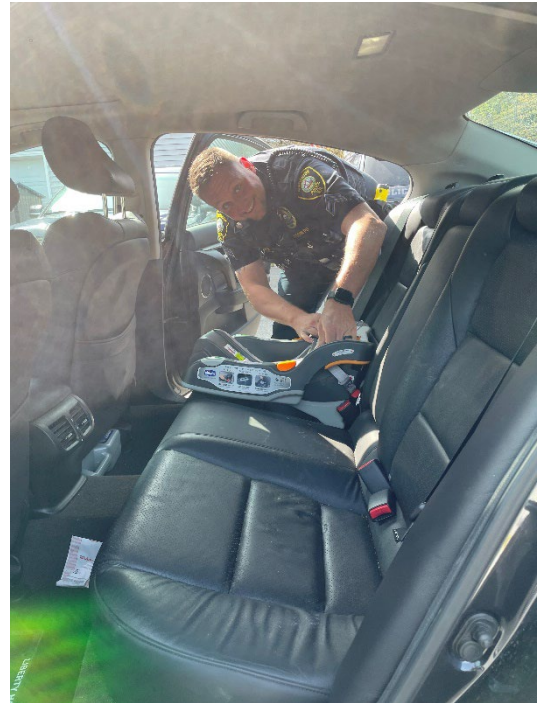
Over the past several months, we taught a total of ten (10) lessons which included the topics of setting reachable goals, making responsible decisions, identifying and managing emotions, effective communication, bonding and relationships, the effects of alcohol, tobacco and nicotine, the safe use of prescription and over-the-counter medicines, and the dangers of street drugs.

The goal of the TGFD program is to build children's social-emotional skills and empower them to be strong learners, make healthy choices, and be more resistant to peer pressure and peer influence. Children who learn and use the skills taught in this program are more likely to have a positive attitude, make good decisions, get along with their peers, and do better in school.

To celebrate their hard work and dedication, each student was given a graduation certificate and LEAD graduate sticker. The graduation was topped off with a cupcake and cookie party! We would like to thank all of the faculty and staff at DES that provided assistance as well as the Dunbarton Elementary PTO for their continued support of this program. To learn more about the LEAD program, please visit this [link](#).



The Dunbarton Police Department participated in the **Drug Enforcement Administration's National Prescription Drug Takeback Day** on Saturday, April 27th. Residents had the opportunity to turn in their unused, unwanted, or expired medications, no questions asked. The proper disposal of medication helps reduce unauthorized access, theft, abuse and damage to the environment. Another event will be held in October, 2024.



Sergeant Brian Tyler is a **Child Passenger Safety (CPS) Technician**. As a CPS Technician, Sergeant Tyler can inspect child safety seats to ensure that they are properly and safely installed to the manufacturers' specifications. To arrange for a free inspection and/or installation, please e-mail Sergeant Tyler at bt Tyler@gsinet.net. To learn more about the CPS program, please visit this [link](#). We have also partnered with the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth (CHaD) and have a **limited supply of free child safety seats** for those in the community that may need them. Please e-mail Sergeant Tyler for more information.



The Dunbarton Police Department is proud to offer **vacant property checks**. Whether you're going away

for the weekend or several weeks, we'd be glad to keep an eye on your house to give you some peace of mind. To learn more and access the request form, please visit this [link](#).



The Dunbarton Police Department has partnered with OfferUp! We have installed this sign in our parking lot at 18 Robert Rogers Road to encourage residents to use this location for **internet purchase exchanges**. A highly visible and public location for these exchanges eliminates the need to meet at a private residence and reduces the overall risk of victimization and crime.



The Dunbarton Police Department is pleased to offer a new community policing program: **Project Good**

Morning! Project Good Morning is a program designed to assist community residents who do not have regular daily contact with relatives, friends or neighbors. The program allows for residents to make scheduled contact with the Dunbarton Police Department to ensure that they are OK, and further allowing for their independence and ability to stay in their homes. This program allows family, friends and neighbors the security of knowing the enrolled individual is having regular daily contact with someone.

The Project Good Morning Application Packet, which includes more information about the program, may be found [here](#). Questions about Project Good Morning may be directed to Office Administrator Linda Marcoux at dunbartonpd@gsinet.net or by calling (603) 774-5500.



The Dunbarton Police Department is a proud partner of **Project ChildSafe**, allowing us to distribute free gun locks to the community. Gun locks are available in our lobby during regular business hours or by calling (603) 224-1232. To learn more about this initiative, please visit this [link](#).



The Dunbarton Police Department is a member of the [Concord Regional Crimeline](#). Anonymous tips about criminal activity may be submitted through the Crimeline by calling (603) 226-3100 or by visiting the website. Cash rewards are available.



We believe that a strong partnership with the community is the best deterrent to crime. If you see something, say something by contacting our dispatch center at (603) 224-1232.

02 Upcoming Community Events

Our upcoming community events include:



Members of the Dunbarton Police Department will be joining law enforcement officers from all over Merrimack County on Thursday, May 30th 2024 for the **Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics**. The approximately 12 mile run will start at the Merrimack County Sheriff's Office in Boscawen and end at the State House in Concord. To learn more, please visit this [link](#).

Dunbarton Public Library presents

8th Annual "Touch a Dunbarton Truck"

Featuring

*Dunbarton's Finest Heavy Equipment
and Rescue Vehicles*



WHEN: 10:30 AM Wednesday, June 19, 2024

WHERE: Library Parking area/Band Stand area

Kids of all ages will have the opportunity to touch, feel and climb through each and every vehicle available. Meet a police officer, a fireman, and who knows who else?! Parental supervision is required, and cameras highly recommended!

Since the vehicles will be in the library's parking spots, and on the Common, we ask you to please park at the Dunbarton Elementary School and walk over. Thank you!

For additional info, please call the library—774-3546.



SUNDAY, AUGUST 25TH 2024 FROM 1P-3P @ THE DUNBARTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 7TH ANNUAL DUNBARTON POLICE BICYCLE RODEO

What is a Bicycle Rodeo?

This free, family-friendly event is open to all ages and levels of riding experience. Participants will have the opportunity to visit with their local police and fire departments, ride through a skills and agility course, discuss bicycle safety and enjoy a cold treat provided by the Dunbarton Elementary PTO!

Thanks to a grant from the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth (CHaD), the Dunbarton Police Department will be passing out a limited supply of free multisport bicycle helmets and bicycle safety equipment on a first come, first served basis. S&W Sports of Concord will also be conducting free bicycle safety inspections!



This free, family friendly event is being held at the Dunbarton Elementary School (20 Robert Rogers Road)

Stop by for free bicycle helmets, bicycle safety-related equipment, and popsicles!

This event is being held in partnership with the Dunbarton Elementary School, the Dunbarton Elementary Parent-Teacher Organization, the Dunbarton Fire Department and S&W Sports of Concord

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE EVENT?

Contact:

Chief of Police
Christopher Remillard
chrisremillard@gsinet.net
(603) 774-5500



BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS. ONE CUP AT A TIME.

Join your neighbors and police officers for coffee and conversation on National Coffee with a Cop Day.



Wednesday,
Oct. 2, 2024



School Street Cafe
1007 School Street
Dunbarton, NH 03046



11 AM - 1 PM

The mission of Coffee with a Cop is to break down the barriers between police officers and the citizens they serve by removing agendas and allowing opportunities to ask questions, voice concerns, and get to know the officers in your neighborhood.

THIS EVENT IS PRESENTED BY:

Dunbarton Police
Department & School
Street Cafe



QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT:

chrisremillard@gsinet.net
or call (603) 774-5500

coffeewithacop.com

WOMEN'S SAFETY CLINIC

Sponsored by the Dunbarton Police Department

Wednesday, Sept. 18th | 6:00pm-8:00pm

Held at the Dunbarton Elementary School,
20 Robert Rogers Rd, Dunbarton, NH

FREE TO ATTEND

Come join the **DUNBARTON POLICE DEPARTMENT** and **THE TRAINING STATION** for a night focused around safety and empowerment.

Phase 1 -

AWARENESS

Phase 2 -

AVOIDANCE

Phase 3 -

PREVENTION

Phase 4 -

FIGHTING BACK

The workshop will teach you basic moves and maneuvers for protecting yourself against an attacker. It will be taught by Christina Dow, co-owner of The Training Station.



Pre-Registration required:
Contact Chief
Chris Remillard at
chrisremillard@gsinet.net

SPONSORED BY:

THE TRAINING STATION
FITNESS & MARTIAL ARTS

03 Training Highlights

Ongoing training and career development is an important aspect of a professional law enforcement agency and promotes employee retention. In addition, properly trained law enforcement officers are better equipped to serve their community and reduce the Town's risk of liability exposure. April's training included, but may not be limited to:

- Minimal Facts for First Responders;
- Outlaw Motorcycle Gang Awareness;
- 2024 Collaborative Leadership: A Model for Public Safety Chiefs;
- Cybersecurity Basics;
- CNSOU Training; and
- Legal Updates.

04 Calls for Service/Incidents as Reported

Some of our activity during the month of April includes, but isn't limited to:

91-A/Report Request: 4
Animal Complaint – Dog at Large: 6
Animal Complaint – General/Other: 4
Animal Complaint – Lost/Missing Dog: 1
Arrests: 19
Assist EMS/Medical Emergency: 5
Assist Fire (Alarms, Hazards, Fires, Etc.): 5
Assist Other Agency – Bow Police: 1
Assist Other Agency – General/Other: 4
Assist Other Agency – Goffstown Police: 5
Assist Other Agency – Hopkinton Police: 1
Assist Other Agency – Weare Police: 3
BEAS Referral: 1
Business Check/Walkthrough: 6
Car Seat Check: 2
Court: 2
Criminal Trespassing: 1
Directed Patrol – General/Proactive: 29
Directed Patrol – Rec Area Check: 11
Directed Patrol – Traffic Enforcement: 37
Drill (Safety, Fire, Etc.): 1
False Information to Secure Firearm: 1
Fingerprint Service: 3
Firearms Related Complaint: 3
Follow Up: 11
Found Property: 1
Illegal Dumping/Littering: 2
Juvenile Involved/Incorrigible: 1
Law Enforcement Against Drugs Lesson: 1
Mental Health: 2
Motorist Assist/Disabled Vehicle: 6
Motor Vehicle Collision/Vehicle off the Road: 5
Motor Vehicle Complaint: 4
Motor Vehicle Lockout: 1
Motor Vehicle Stop: 336
Neighbor Dispute: 2
Noise Complaint: 1
OHRV Related Complaint/Issue: 2
Paperwork Service – Other: 1
Paperwork Service – Warrant: 1
Pistol/Revolver License Application: 4

Police Courtesy/Citizen Assist: 13
Police Information – Other: 7
Project Good Morning Application: 1
Restraining Order – Information Only: 1
School Zone/Patrol: 27
Search Warrant: 6
Sex Offender Registration/Update: 3
Suspicious Activity: 6
Suspicious Vehicle: 3
Theft/Fraud/Scam: 2
Traffic Hazard/Conditions: 4
Vacant Property Check: 44
Vacant Property Check Request: 4
Vandalism/Property Damage: 1
Vehicle Check/Log: 9
VIN Verification: 2
Wires/Trees Down: 19
Welfare Check: 5
Total: 693

Note: Training and administrative tasks are not included.

05 Motor Vehicle Enforcement

During the month of April, Dunbarton Police Officers completed the following traffic enforcement efforts:

336 Motor Vehicle Stops Conducted
39 Motor Vehicle Citations Issued

- 21 Non-Inspection Citations
- 6 Unregistered Vehicle Citation
- 4 Speed Citations
- 3 Yellow Line/Highway Marking Citations
- 2 Operating Without a Valid License Citations
- 1 Misuse of Plates Citation
- 2 Following Too Close Citations

*Some citations may have been issued in conjunction with an arrest.

Extra Patrols

To request extra traffic enforcement patrols in your neighborhood, please call (603) 224-1232 or e-mail dunbartonpd@gsinet.net.

Portable Speed Signs

We are intermittently deploying our portable speed signs around Town. Please slow down and drive safely!

06 Contact Information

Our contact information is as follows:

Dispatch

(603) 224-1232. Please use this number to request police assistance, report an incident, etc. Our dispatch services are provided by the Goffstown Police Department. If you have an emergency, always dial **911**.

Office Line (Non-Emergency)

(603) 774-5500. If your call is not answered after five (5) rings, you will automatically be transferred to our dispatch center for assistance.

Office Fax

(603) 774-5600

General E-Mail

dunbartonpd@gsinet.net. Please do not e-mail us to request police services. Instead, call dispatch at (603) 224-1232.

Mailing & Physical Address

Public Safety Building
18 Robert Rogers Road
Dunbarton, NH 03046

Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 7 AM – 2 PM, generally. If you arrive at the station and the door is locked, we are most likely out on patrol or handling a call for service. Please call our dispatch center at (603) 224-1232 to request to meet with an officer.

Website & Social Media

dunbartonpolice.weebly.com
facebook.com/dunbartonpolice

Paperwork Drop Box

Individuals can quickly and securely drop off paperwork in the paperwork drop box next to the police station door. Pistol/Revolver License Applications, Vacant Property Check Request Forms,

Written Statement Forms, Report Request Forms, and more can be found on our website under the "Community Policing & Forms" tab.

Administrative Service Requests

To request to be fingerprinted for employment, licensing, etc. or to request a VIN verification, please call dispatch at (603) 224-1232.

Prosecution

The **Concord City Prosecutor's Office** prosecutes the Dunbarton Police Department's violation and misdemeanor-level offenses as well as Juvenile Petitions and Administrative License Suspensions (ALS) and may be reached at (603) 230-4990. The **Merrimack County Attorney's Office** prosecutes the Dunbarton Police Department's felony-level offenses and may be reached at (603) 228-0529.

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