Current Meeting Notice:
Tuesday, February 19
Speaker: Investigator Judy Hash
Topic: Fraud and Economic Crimes

Next meeting:
Tuesday, March 19th 7:00 PM
Speaker: NPD Homicide Department
Topic: Cold Case Squad Update

Please bring your favorite dish to share at our refreshments table.

Happy Birthday To You

1 - Margaret Anne Craig
1 - Rebecca Luce
14 - Leigh Shreckhise
20 - Karen (Pennington) Peek
24 - Mickey Giles
24 - Jeannette Stover
27 - Frank Craig (Pete)

Spring 2013 Citizens Police Academy
Free and open to the public, the Citizens Academy is a 13-week course held on Thursdays from 6:30 to 9:30PM. The Spring 2013 session will start on March 28th and ends June 20th. Please share this information with your friends, family or civic league. To sign up, contact Officer Miles Warren or M.O. Sarmiento at 664-6921, e-mail miles.warren@norfolk.gov. You may obtain further information and download an application by going to the cpaaan.org website and clicking on the “About the Citizens Police Academy” link. Complete, sign and return the application to Norfolk Police Department Citizens Academy, 2500 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, VA 23502.

Thought For Today:

"EVEN IN THE STORM, DON'T STOP TRYING TO FLY"    BIRDS DO ... 
Mohammed Sekouty

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Congratulations to the Norfolk Police Department officers and civilian employees who were recently honored for their outstanding work in 2012. Also honored were four citizens who made a positive impact within the Department. The Annual Awards Ceremony took place on Thursday, January 31, 2013, in the auditorium of Norview High School.

Please recognize along with me, the following recipients of this year’s annual awards and thank them for their service.

**Civilian of the 1st Quarter 2012**
Ms. Terry Carothers
Central Records Division

**Civilian of the 2nd Quarter 2012**
Ms. Terry Carothers
Central Records Division

**Civilian of the 3rd Quarter 2012**
Ms. Karen Parker-Chesson
Public Information

**Civilian of the Year 2012**
Ms. Terry Carothers
Central Records Division

**Officer of the 1st Quarter 2012**
Officer G. D. Dajero
Second Patrol Division

**Officer of the 2nd Quarter 2012**
Officer D. W. Lefleur
Third Patrol Division

**Officers of the 3rd Quarter 2012**
Officer J. M. Baron
Second Patrol Division

**Officers of the 4th Quarter 2012**
Officer J. R. Berry
Third Patrol Division
Officer J. C. White
Third Patrol Division

**Officer of the Year 2012**
Officer G. D. Dajero
Second Patrol Division

**Distinguished Service Medal — 1st Qtr 2012**
Officer E. A. Ortiz
First Patrol Division
Sergeant C. J. Scallon
Homeland Security/K-9
Officer W. E. Collard
Homeland Security/K-9

**Distinguished Service Medal — 2nd Qtr 2012**
Officer S. F. Barrett
Third Patrol Division
Officer B. C. DeMartino
Third Patrol Division
Officer L. L. Scarbor
Third Patrol Division
Officer N. A. Robertson
Third Patrol Division
Officer A. A. Lopez
Third Patrol Division
Officer C. A. Hudson
Third Patrol Division
Officer J. M. Baron
Second Patrol Division

**Distinguished Service Medal — 3rd Qtr 2012**
Officer S. F. Barrett
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Officer B. C. DeMartino
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Officer N. A. Robertson
Third Patrol Division
Officer A. A. Lopez
Third Patrol Division
Officer C. A. Hudson
Third Patrol Division
Officer J. M. Baron
Second Patrol Division

**Distinguished Service Medal — 4th Quarter 2012**
Officer K. O. Aldrich
First Patrol Division

**Citizen Service Medal - 1st Quarter 2012**
Mr. Jason Benning
Mr. Joshua Moore

**Citizen Service Medal - 2nd Quarter 2012**
Mr. Chris Bradshaw
Mr. David Rosenthal

**Life Saving Award - 1st Quarter 2012**
Officer R. L. Miller
Officer A. M. Barrera
Second Patrol Division
Second Patrol Division

**Life Saving Award - 2nd Quarter 2012**
Officer K. S. Cole
Officer A. Stevenson
Officer T. Huptich
Officer C. S. Amos
Officer G. R. Moore
Officer T. B. McClain

**Life Saving Award - 3rd Quarter 2012**
Officer J. M. Hlebinsky
First Patrol Division
Officer J. F. Mahar
Homeland Security Division/K-9 Unit

**Police Commendation Award - 2nd Quarter 2012**
Officer T. Huptich
First Patrol Division
Officer D. W. Lefleur (PO 2nd Qtr)
Third Patrol Division
Investigator M. C. Pederson
Vice and Narcotics

**Police Commendation Award - 3rd Quarter 2012**
Investigator M. J. Geier
Vice and Narcotics Division
Officer J. M. Baron (PO 3rd Qtr)
Second Patrol Division

**Police Commendation Award - 4th Quarter 2012**
Officer J. R. Berry (PO 4th Qtr)
Third Patrol Division
Officer J. C. White (PO 4th Qtr)
Third Patrol Division
Officer T. S. Poole
Second Patrol Division
The meeting was called to order by Yvette Brown. Invocation was given by Mr. Clarence Holmes and Mr. Ronald McEntee led the Pledge of Allegiance. The minutes were seconded by Ms. Sharon Beaty. Ms. Edmonds gave the Treasurer’s report. Norfolk Chief of Police, Chief Michael Goldsmith, assured the members that he and his staff appreciate all that CPAAAN does for the Police department and that he is here to help support us also. Our guest speaker was Lt. Alexander McConnaghy, the Community Policing Coordinator. The philosophy is to provide information on how the community is progressing. The expectation of Chief Goldsmith is to “act as program manager for the Community Policing Activity” and the Community Resource Officer’s is to “provide general training, oversight and direction” and “act as department liaison with the other city departments to foster cooperative efforts”. Some of the programs mentioned were: Neighbors Building Neighbors, tutoring programs, mentoring, National Night Out and many more. CPAAAN’s Vice President, Mr. Marcus Powell, offered to donate five Crime Prevention Award Ceremony tickets to any CPAAAN member who recruited the most individuals to attend the Citizen Police Academy classes and become members of CPAAAN. President Y. Brown mentioned that dues are due every September and asked for volunteers to serve at the Police Annual Award’s Ceremony, Jan 31, 2013 at Norview High School at 6:30pm. The meeting was adjourned.

Recording Secretary
Magalene McKelvey
High Tech Tool for In-Service Training

NSO deputies are learning to fight fires with a state-of-the-art fire extinguisher simulator, and they don't even have to leave their workplace. The BullsEye extinguisher, on loan from the City's Emergency Operations Center, uses digital flames and a laser to simulate a fire and the fire will only extinguish when deputies have learned how to properly and effectively use a fire extinguisher. In January, NSO Fire Safety coordinator Paul Ballance rolled out the simulator for the first of what will be several in-service training sessions mandated for NSO deputies every two years. This latest fire training technology “responds to the trainees’ actions, putting the fire out only when the extinguisher is used correctly,” according to BullEx, the manufacturer. The simulator means all the extinguisher training can occur entirely indoors and hazards associated with conventional fire training are eliminated. BullsEye simulates class A (ordinary combustible) fires, Class B (flammable liquids) and Class C (electrical) fires. There are four levels of difficulty and trainees can be graded on their performances, as well. “We can do the training anywhere,” says Ballance who used to set small gasoline fires in remote areas to allow the deputies to experience extinguishing a blaze. Now, it’s not necessary and it’s a lot safer for NSO personnel.
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Congratulations NPD Class 91

After much effort and perseverance, the most recent recruit class graduated on December 20, 2012. The speech given by class President G. D. Winnie Jr describes the long and rewarding path of becoming officers of the Norfolk Police Department.

Ladies and Gentlemen, family and friends,

Thank you for coming to witness the commencement of the blood, sweat and perseverance required to graduate from the Norfolk Police Academy. Tonight is not only the graduation of 25 police recruits who, through the best training around, have survived the rigors of Norfolks’ high standards, but who have developed into a group of new officers ready to make a difference in the community to which we are swearing to serve.

During our time here we have learned a great deal regarding what it takes to become the best police officers we can be. Our training instructors have spent countless hours sweating with us in order to shape and mold our tactics and abilities. After 35000 rounds of ammo, hours of defensive tactics and countless pushups, we have been given the tools to become successful in our new roles. We found our unity as a class in overcoming the many academic and practical objectives that we were tasked with showing our proficiency in. The training staff has accepted nothing less than 100 percent of our commitment and capabilities. They pushed us further than many of us ever thought we could go and it is to them that we owe a great deal of gratitude and thanks.

None of us anticipated the level of fight drive, dedication, and will power that would be required in order to be successful, but we are here tonight because we have stepped up to that challenge and made it through. As the saying often went “The train stops for no one, you either figure it out or you get off”. Being a police officer is not a job, it is a calling which each of us has chosen to follow. Of the 25 men and women before you, there is one thing we all have in common, a willingness to sacrifice everything in order to bring peace and safety to the lives of others. We proudly recognize that in becoming part of this department, we are joining a brotherhood filled with officers who have the heart and courage to do what few people can do. This career is a call of duty and personal sacrifice of which few get the privilege to experience and we are all grateful for the opportunity to become part of those chosen few.

G. D. Winnie Jr., Class 91 President