



Chief's Newsletter



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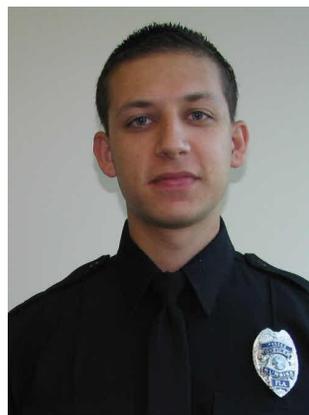
Chief's Message

There is excitement coming to the City of Sunrise. As you are all probably aware, the construction and progress that is moving forward in the area of 136th Avenue is finally headed toward fruition. American Express will be closing their offices in Plantation, Miramar and Brickell to merge and open their new headquarters here in Sunrise. Portico on 136th across from Metropica is nearing completion. Metropica is starting to rise from the ground up and is being projected as a city within a city that will surely stimulate change for the area.

This being said, the Sunrise Police Department will be dealing with additional issues of traffic and congestion with several traffic plans being pursued. I'm optimistic that we can handle the job at hand and look forward to working with these developers, other City Departments, new businesses and visitors alike.

John E. Brooks

Officers of the Year Award 2015



Officer Cory Gindlesperger and
Officer Michelle Twarkins

SUNRISE POLICE DEPARTMENT WELCOMES NEW OFFICERS



David Troccoli was sworn in on January 19, 2016



Alexander St. Preux, Carl Haller, Joshua Honig and
Jeremy Miranda were sworn in on March 14, 2016

Officers of the Month Award



Promotion

On January 29, 2016, Officer Luis Castro
was promoted to Sergeant
CONGRATULATIONS LOU



Congratulations

Officers Morgan Mosher, Devona Stevenson and
Octavio Blanco
January 2016



Congratulations

Officer Ryan Biro
February 2016



Employee of the Month - March 2016
Crime Scene Technician, Maggie Lardin



Congratulations

Detectives Michael White
and Christopher Piper
March 2016

SUNRISE POLICE
"PROFESSIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT"



Governor Rick Scott and Lieutenant Governor Carlos López-Cantera thanked Sunrise Police for their service at a Rick Case Kia event.

Welcome to our Sunrise Police Department Family!

- Saasha St. Fleur
- Andrea Brown
- Takeria Smith
- John Wolfe

Highlights

Sergeant Promotional Examination

A Promotional Examination/Assessment Center process will be administered to establish an eligibility list for the Rank of Police Sergeant.

Orientation will be held May 11, 2016 at 10:00am. Written examination will be held June 6, 2016 at 9:30am. The Assessment Center will be held June 28, 2016 (Test time is TBA). Location: Miami-Dade College School of Justice



First Women on Uniform Patrol

Betty Blankenship (L) & Elizabeth Robinson (R) began their careers with the Indianapolis Police Department. The two graduated from the Police Academy in 1967, and as partners, the following year, they became the first women assigned to patrol duties.

Their move marked a large shift in thinking among police. Previously women served in support roles and desk-bound duties.

In 2001, both women were recognized by the Indiana General Assembly as pioneers in law enforcement and equality for women.

<http://www.nleomf.org>
 National Law Enforcement Officers Museum Fund
<http://www.policeone.com>
 PoliceOne.com

Farewell, Thank you and Good Luck



Sergeant Steve Curran



Officer Robert Wallace



Officer Kevin Broderick



Officer David Lokaj



Officer Claudette Martin

Sam's Club Event



UPCOMING EVENTS



Join us as Sunrise Police Department Law Enforcement officers volunteer as Celebrity Waiters to raise money for Special Olympics Florida

Friday, April 1

11:00 am -2:00 pm

Chili's

12570 W. Sunrise Blvd, Sunrise

For Information Contact:

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Years of Honoring Heroes
National Police Week 2016

May 15, 2016 - May 21, 2016



Law Enforcement Torch Run April 28, 2016

The Law Enforcement Torch Run is coming to Broward County on April 28th, 2016. The Florida Law Enforcement Torch Run is the largest annual public relations and fund-raising event amongst the Special Olympics Florida and law enforcement agencies.

The Torch Run is a relay style event that ultimately spans throughout 66 Florida counties. The run will start at 8:30a.m. by escorting the "Flame of Hope" across approximately 30 miles of Broward County on April 28, 2016.

THIS IS THE CHARITY THAT ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT HAS BACKED FOR OVER 30 YEARS!

You can support the Special Olympics athletes by purchasing a Law Enforcement Torch Run dri fit t-shirts or hat.

Please contact Officer Michelle Eddy if you would like information about participating in the run or to purchase some of the items.

For more information or to make a donation, please visit their website at:

<https://specialolympicsflorida.org/get-involved/law-enforcement-torch-run/torch-run/>

Dri fit t-shirts \$20.

Baseball caps \$10 (black or camo).

Your support is greatly appreciated!



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