

Community Newsletter

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Emergency

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Community Outreach

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Records Division

541-440-4463

Civil Processing

541-440-4468

Patrol Division

541-440-4457

Investigations

541-440-4458

Drug Activity Tip Line

541-440-4474

Search and Rescue

541-440-4448

Marine Patrol

541-440-4447

Douglas County Jail

541-440-4440

Animal Control

541-440-4327

Concealed Handgun Licensing

541-957-2021

Your Sheriff's Office



In your last newsletter you probably read that I was appointed by the Board of County Commissioner's to serve Chris Brown's remaining term. In essence, I will be your sheriff for the 2008 calendar year unless one of the three candidates seeking the elected position gets 51% of the vote in the May primary.

Previous to my appointment to sheriff, I was the undersheriff serving as Sheriff Brown's assistant. My job as undersheriff was to manage the day-to-day operations of the organization while Sheriff Brown worked with local leaders and legislative connections to ensure our laws represented the best interest of our citizens and that funding for the fight against drugs continued to flow to Douglas

County.

At some point recently, in respect to my 25 year law enforcement career, I transitioned from being a full-time cop to a law enforcement manager. I think somewhere along the way I thought I had some insight as to what made law enforcement organizations great and I wanted to share that in a meaningful way. I prepared myself for a transition to management by acquiring Bachelor and Master Degrees in Organizational Management.

Today, I manage with the ideals of producing a professional, accountable and responsive organization. I have very high expectations of the men and women of the sheriff's office because I know they can deliver—and they have. The employees have been given ownership of this organization and they are driving it toward the vision they have been given by Chris Brown and I. After all, I cannot manage or lead this organization without the help of each and every employee. Additionally, I know that I am not the smartest person in the organization; but, I am gifted with the knowledge that I have the smartest people working for me. A gifted manager or leader must use that precious, and often overlooked, knowledge to the benefit of the organization.

Let me share just one example of how the employees have taken ownership of the organization. Each division in the organization has their own hiring team that reviews applications, conducts interviews and selects top candidates for hiring. Once a candidate is selected for a position he/she undergoes a thorough background investigation. If they pass the background investigation they progress to physical and psychological testing. If they pass those processes they are then scheduled to meet with the hiring team for a final interview. During the final interview, the hiring team presents our expectations to the applicant. The applicant must agree to the terms of the expectations before they are offered the job.

Each member of the five person hiring team now has an investment in the success, or failure, of a new employee. They know the actions of an employee, good and bad, is very reflective of the organization as a whole and they are very careful to make sure we get the very best—for us in the organization and you, the citizens we serve to protect.

I am not alone in demanding the best from the employees in this organization. Every employee has a stake in this organization's reputation and that of the law enforcement career field. I am proud that this organization has developed a culture that does not accept or condone immoral or unethical behavior. This is a demanding job and a demanding organization. I demand the best from the employees and I truly believe they demand the best from each other.

I hope this insight gives you as much comfort as it does me knowing that your public safety is being delivered by the very best employees.

Spay Day USA



To show support for "Spay Day USA", the Douglas County Sheriff's Office Animal Control Division will be offering discounted Spay/Neuter vouchers on Tuesday, February 26, 2008 from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. at the Sheriff's Office located at 1036 SE Douglas Ave, Justice Building Room 210 in Roseburg.

Citizens taking advantage of this program will pay the Voucher cost listed below ranging from \$15.00 for a male cat to \$55.00 for a female dog over 80 pounds. The County will donate from \$17.50 for a male cat to \$32.50 for a female dog over 80 pounds and the contracted Veterinarians will accept this voucher for a paid in full Spay or Neuter.

ANIMAL - VOUCHER COST - COUNTY DONATION - Voucher Benefit

Cat Neuter (male) - \$15.00 - \$17.50 - \$32.50

Cat Spay (female) - \$30.00 - \$20.00 - \$50.00

Dog Neuter (male)

Up to 40 lbs - \$25.00 - \$30.00 - \$55.00

41 - 80 lbs - \$35.00 - \$30.00 - \$65.00

81 or more - \$45.00 - \$30.00 - \$75.00

Dog Spay (female)

Up to 40 lbs - \$35.00 - \$30.00 - \$65.00

41 - 80 lbs - \$45.00 - \$30.00 - \$75.00

81 or more - \$55.00 - \$32.50 - \$87.50

The vouchers will be accepted by any of the listed contracted veterinarians only:

Bailey Veterinary Clinic 248 NW Garden Valley Blvd Roseburg, OR 673-4403

Companion Animal Clinic 736 W. Military Ave Roseburg, OR 673-1345

Countryside Veterinary Clinic 221 Half Circle Ln. Days Creek, OR. 325-3399

Oakland Veterinary Clinic 204 NE First St. Oakland, OR 459-1854

Parkway Animal Hospital 2655 NW Edenbower Roseburg, OR 672-1621

River Valley Veterinary Clinic 8993 Hwy 99 South, Dillard, OR 679-7151

Sutherlin Veterinary Hospital 702 W Central Ave. Sutherlin, OR 459-9577

Veterinarians may charge an additional amount if there is a considerable difference between the weight of the dog and the voucher purchased.

There are no restrictions for cats, however, dogs must be licensed in order to purchase a voucher and we must have, as close as possible, the weight of your dog. If your dog is 6 months old or older and not licensed, bring a current rabies vaccination and license your dog. You may then purchase a voucher. The license will be \$25.00 with \$19.00 refundable when the spay/neuter voucher is redeemed by the veterinarian.

There is a considerable savings every year toward a license for having an altered dog. An altered dog is only \$6.00 per year where an unaltered dog is \$25.00 per year.

Help us keep control of the pet population in Douglas County, take advantage of this offer and spay or neuter your pet.



Citizen Police Academy

The Douglas County Sheriff's Office, in partnership with the Roseburg Police Department and Umpqua Community College, will again be offering a 10-week Citizen Police Academy course this spring to the citizens of Douglas County.

What is the Citizen Police Academy?

The Citizens' Law Enforcement Academy program is designed to familiarize participants with various aspects of law enforcement, such as administrative philosophy, internal policies, and the guiding principles of law and ethical conduct governing the delivery of police services.



The program covers procedures from patrol and investigations, vehicle operations, DUI and narcotic enforcement, jail programs, police use of force and decision making, firearm procedures and communications / 911.

What are the Academy's goals?

The Academy's goals are to develop community awareness through education and develop a closer understanding and working relationship between the Douglas County Sheriff's Office, Roseburg Police Department and their communities served.

Participants are encouraged to ask questions and offer comments.

Where and when are the classes held?

Most of the sessions will be held at the Douglas County Sheriff's Office located at 1036 SE Douglas Ave., in Roseburg. The first class will begin March 20 and will go through May 22, 2008. Hours will be from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., every Thursday night. There will also be three Saturday classes that will offer hands on training and demonstrations.

What are the requirements to attend?

The academy is free, but space is limited to 20 participants. Potential candidates must meet the following requirements: Minimum age of 18 years, reside in Douglas County, and must be willing to attend all classes. Application finalists will be subject to a criminal history check.

Where can I get an application?

The application deadline is Friday, February 29, 2008. Applications can be obtained at the Douglas County Sheriff's Office, 1036 SE Douglas Ave., Room 210 or at the Roseburg Police Department located at 205 SE Jackson Street, Roseburg.

For more information or to obtain an application on-line please visit the Douglas County Sheriff's Office website at www.dco.com. If you have any questions, please contact Andrea Zielinski at 440-4486 or Sgt. Aaron Dunbar at the Roseburg Police Department at 673-6633.

Burglaries

16000 block HWY 38, Elkton
500 block Transfer Rd, Yoncalla
8700 block Hayhurst Rd., Drain
6300 block Flournoy Valley Rd., Roseburg
100 block Trust Ave., Roseburg
3900 block Melrose Rd., Roseburg
7300 block Lookingglass Rd., Roseburg
8800 block Nonpareil Rd., Sutherlin
100 block Union Gap Loop Rd., Oakland
200 block Summerwood St., Green
200 block Little Valley Rd., Roseburg
200 block Apricot Ln., Green
6300 block S. HWY 99, Green
400 block Rolling Hills Rd., Green
1900 block Pruner Rd., Riddle
200 block E Street, Riddle
600 block Stagecoach Rd., Canyonville
100 block North D Street, Riddle
300 block E Sixth Ave., Riddle
1000 block N. Pacific Hwy., Myrtle Creek
5500 block Azalea Glen Rd., Azalea

Thefts

3300 block Hayhurst Rd., Yoncalla
100 block Halo Trail Rd., Yoncalla
100 block Alder St., Yoncalla
600 block John Long Rd., Oakland
7800 block Hayhurst Rd., Yoncalla
200 block Date St., Drain
2800 block Garden Valley Rd., Roseburg
3300 block Melrose Rd., Roseburg
100 block Weyerhauser Dr., Roseburg
1400 block Tyee Rd., Umpqua
200 block River Place Dr., Green
14000 block S. HWY 99, Green
900 block Wagontire Dr., Myrtle Creek
200 block Grant Smith Rd., Green
3000 block Riddle Bypass Rd., Riddle
300 block Maple St., Riddle
1000 block Hill St., Myrtle Creek
1000 block Main St., Myrtle Creek
300 block W Pacific Ave., Glendale
400 block Bull Run Rd., Azalea

Thefts from Motor Vehicle

200 block West B Ave., Drain
3300 block Broad St., Roseburg
100 block Trust Ave., Roseburg
3600 block Carnes Rd., Green
100 block Chief Miwaleta Ln., Canyonville
200 block Pruner Rd., Myrtle Creek
200 block Creekside Rd., Canyonville
100 block Rust Ln., Myrtle Creek

Criminal Mischief

77000 block HWY 101, Gardiner
19000 block North Umpqua Hwy, Glide
100 block Rainey Dr., Drain
400 block Sterling Dr., Roseburg
5000 block NE Stephens St., Roseburg
700 block Garden Valley Blvd., Roseburg
2900 block Melrose Rd., Roseburg
4200 block S HWY 99, Green
1400 block Glengary Loop Rd., Green
400 block Beals Creek Rd., Days Creek
200 block May Creek Rd., Days Creek



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