



NEW ORLEANS POLICE DEPARTMENT

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THE OFFICIAL NOPD EMPLOYEE NEWS LETTER

November 5, 2010

Letter from the Superintendent:

The goal of the New Orleans Police Department is to make significant strides in reducing overall crime in a concerted effort to make our streets safe for all who live, visit and conduct business in the City of New Orleans:



- The reduction of violent crime remains our highest priority. We recognize that building new and invigorating existing partnerships with members of our community and Criminal Justice System partners is critical to our success.
- We believe that by enhancing the overall satisfaction of the community, we serve and assist in heightening the performance and response level of the men and women of our Department.
- Increased satisfaction and restoring the confidence of the community in the NOPD will result in lower crime rates and more successful prosecution of those who commit crime in our community.
- As a direct result of our recent reorganization and consolidation of departmental functions, we are poised to provide more accountability and efficiency in managing the daily operations of the New Orleans Police Department for years to come.

As we move forward, we do so with a relentless focus on transparency, accountability, collaboration and integrity. I am proud of the hard work and dedication of the men and women of this department.



Happenings:



Award Letters and Unit Citations

The following officers will be awarded one of the following, Letters of Commendation, Letters of Lifesaving, Unit Citation for Achievement, and a Unit Citation Meritorious.

An Information Bulletin and NopdAll will be forthcoming to inform these officers when they will receive their award.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Gail Sandifer in the Public Affairs Office at 658-5861 or e-mail gmsandifer@cityofno.com.

Letters of Commendation

SERGEANT OCTAVIO BALDASSARO
SERGEANT SHAUN D. FERGUSON

SERGEANT PETER HANSCHÉ
SERGEANT KEVIN IMBRAGUGLIO

SERGEANT ROY PHILLIPS

SERGEANT RONALD RUIZ, JR.
SERGEANT AVERY THEARD

POLICE OFFICER CHAD GAGNON
POLICE OFFICER TRAVIS WARD
POLICE OFFICER ARMAND CLAVO
POLICE OFFICER LAKEITH JERNIGAN
POLICE OFFICER CLAUD DANIEL

POLICE OFFICER STEPHANIE GEORGE
POLICE OFFICER BRANDON HOLTON
POLICE OFFICER DONALD SHARP
POLICE OFFICER TANYA B. WATSON
DETECTIVE LANDRIES JACKSON
DETECTIVE ANDREW ROCCAFORTE
DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENT DENNIS BUSH
POLICE OFFICER DWAYNE BASTIAN

POLICE OFFICER JASON CROSS
POLICE OFFICER MIQUEL CHARLES ALBERT
POLICE OFFICER AARON GERARD WITZ
POLICE OFFICER ARMARD PATRICK CLAVO
POLICE OFFICER RODNEY PAUL VICKNAIR
POLICE OFFICER DANIEL HIATT
POLICE OFFICER LEONARD MARLBOROUGH
POLICE OFFICER MATTHEW ROWLEY
DETECTIVE JERRY BALDWIN
DETECTIVE ROBERT HURST
DETECTIVE DANIEL MALO
POLICE OFFICER ATHENA T. MONTELEONE
POLICE OFFICER KELLY MOREL
POLICE OFFICER ERNEST J. BRINGIER
POLICE OFFICER ROY GUGGENHEIM
POLICE OFFICER JUNE GAINES
POLICE OFFICER AMY ROBINSON
POLICE OFFICER SHONDELL FIELDS
POLICE OFFICER CARL WILSON

POLICE OFFICER JASON CROSS



Letters of Lifesaving

POLICE OFFICER MICHAEL G. ASEVEDO

*POLICE OFFICER JOSEPH CAMINITA
POLICE OFFICER REGINALD GAINES*

*POLICE OFFICER LEONARD
MARLBOROUGH*

POLICE OFFICER KEVIN RICHARDSON

Unit Citation Achievement

SERGEANT FRANK YOUNG

*DETECTIVE DAVID
BEAN*

*DETECTIVE JEFFREY
GIROIR*

DETECTIVE DAVID LEMOINE

DETECTIVE DESMOND LOCKART

DETECTIVE JULES MARTIN

DETECTIVE JEFFREY YOUNG

*DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENT CHARLES
HOLMES*

*DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENT BRIAN
MARIANA*

*DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENT KEN
SOLEK*

*DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENT VINCE
SALTAFORMAGGIO*

DETECTIVE JEFFREY YOUNG

Unit Citation Meritorious

SERGEANT KEVIN IMBRAGUGLIO

SERGEANT ROY PHILLIPS

SERGEANT JEFF SISLO

DETECTIVE LARENZO CARTER

DETECTIVE LANDRIES JACKSON

POLICE OFFICER KRISTI BAGNERIS

POLICE OFFICER MICHAEL DALFERES

POLICE OFFICER CHRISTOPHER HENLEY

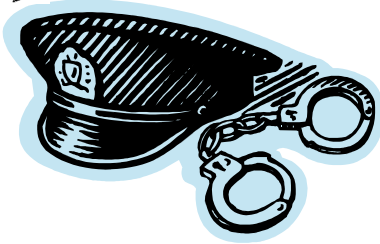
POLICE OFFICER ANDREW ROCCAFORTE

POLICE OFFICER STEPHEN RODRIGUE

POLICE OFFICER ANTHONY ROME

POLICE OFFICER MICHAEL DALFERES

Congratulations!



District / Division News

First District NONPAC – October 19, 2010



Captain Robert Norton and members of the First District





First District Community Crime Walk October 27, 2010



Chief Marlon Defillo and Officer Shannon Reeves with the Young Pinstripes

To: Robert E. Norton
Cc: Melody Young
Sent: Wed Oct 27 22:33:17 2010
Subject: 2nd Line Against Crime

Tonight's Parade of Peace was an overwhelming success. Hundreds walked with 1st District N.O.P.D. officers and many more came out of their homes to see what was happening.

Two bands showed up. The Warren Easton High School band led the charge and the Young Pinstripes followed the crowd. The two bands got together for an impromptu performance after the walk while participants danced. Smiles were abundant. The Parade of Peace turned into a 2nd Line Against Crime.

The Faubourg St. John Neighborhood Association was well represented with 7 members joining the march. In attendance were Ali James, Dean Burridge, Pushpa Ramaiah, Mike Luke, Jim Danner, and Brenda & Charlie London.

Check out the 7 minute film where you can see the tremendous support for the Parade of Peace. Please be sure to have your speakers turned on.
<http://business.fsjna.org/2010/10/2nd-line-against-crime/>

If you missed this 2nd Line Against Crime, you really missed a good one! Tonight's walk was an opportunity to bring diverse interests together walking toward a common goal - peace in our city.

The community sent a clear message that the 7th Ward supports the N.O.P.D. 1st District.

<http://business.fsjna.org/2010/10/2nd-line-against-crime/>



Sixth District Community Crime Walk – October 27, 2010





October 10, 2010 – October 16, 2010



S.O.D. Task Force Unit Booked 23 Suspects Last Week

The Special Operations Division Task Force Unit investigated 144 complaints, made 23 arrests for 29 Felonies, 65 Misdemeanors and 3 Municipal violations. Officers conducted 70 vehicle stops and made 1 Traffic arrest. The unit made 1 Narcotics case, conducted 97 wanted checks and made 146 pedestrian contacts. They wrote 93 reports and confiscated 1.0 gram of Crack Cocaine. These results are from October 10, 2010 thru October 16, 2010.

Chief Serpas said, "The devotion these officers display for their work can be measured in the totality of the results they obtain".

On 10/11/10, Officers conducted a traffic stop in the 3000 block of General Pershing Street. Officers checked the driver's name, 44-year-old **Janet Mimitte**, and learned she had an outstanding warrant from Jefferson Parish and was placed under arrest. Once at Central Lockup, a more thorough search by a female Deputy discovered that Mimitte had concealed on her person, three wrapped plastic bags which contained an off-white rock like substance. The substance was field tested and determined to be crack cocaine. Mimitte was charged with **Possession of Crack Cocaine, Fugitive from Jefferson Parish, and Possession of Contraband in Jail.**

On 10/11/10, a known 16 year old **African American male** was wanted for Simple Robbery at 4835 Corinne Street on 10-8-10. He was arrested at 5316 Michoud Blvd.

On 10/13/10, 35-year-old **Shawne Jackson** was wanted by the Sex Crimes Unit for Forcible Rape and Oral Sexual Battery at 2000 Lakeshore Drive on 4-11-00. Jackson was additionally charged with Forcible Rape in a separate incident which occurred at 2500 Pauger Street on 8-18-00. DNA testing identified Jackson as the perpetrator. Jackson was arrested at 7304 Mistletoe Street, Metairie, La.; he was booked in Jefferson Parish and then

transported to New Orleans.

On 10/13/10, 21-year-old **Michael Williams** was wanted by the Sex Crimes Unit for Forcible Rape at 5131 Bundy Road on 5-12-10. Through their investigation the Violent Offenders Warrant Squad Detectives located Williams, who is currently enlisted in the Army at Fort Knox Army Base. The military police were notified and Williams was taken into custody.

On 10/14/10, 24 year-old **Kenneth Clark** was arrested by the Violent Offenders Warrant Squad and U.S. Marshals for murder in Jefferson Parish. He was located at 1110 L.B. Landry Street and turned over to the Jefferson Parish Sheriffs Office.

On 10/14/10, 45-year-old **Trent Bunn** was wanted for Aggravated Battery at 6000 Chef Hwy Apt# 247. Bunn turned himself in at lockup and was booked accordingly.

On 10/15/10, 19-year-old **Kentay Lamothe** was wanted for Attempted Murder in the 1900 block of Shady Tree Lane on 8-5-10. Lamothe was arrested at 6364 Woodland. On 10/15/10, 21-year-old **Dylan Rosevear** was wanted by the Sex Crimes Unit for Simple Rape at 6401 Willow Street on 10-10-10. Rosevear was arrested at 934 Lowerline Street.



On 10/15/10, Members of The Special Operations Division Tactical Platoons conducted an undercover operation in the 200 block of North Miro Street. Officers were in the alley of 214 North Miro Street, when they observed a 15 year old African American male, walking towards them from Bienville Street. The juvenile approached them and asked them what they were doing. One undercover officer stated "nothing". The juvenile asked "what are ya'll waiting for"? The undercover officer stated "nobody". The juvenile then proceeded toward the rear of the residence at a quick pace. One of the undercover officers observed that the juvenile had a semi-automatic handgun in his left hand behind his back. By this time one of the undercover officers was in front of the residence on the sidewalk. The second undercover officer had also walked up to the location. The juvenile then showed the undercover officer the gun and in a threatening matter stated "What's up".



The second undercover officer observed what was happening and called for additional units. The known juvenile observed marked police units approaching and fled on foot towards the rear of the house at 214 North Miro Street. After a brief foot pursuit, Officers apprehended the juvenile. Officers recovered the weapon and found it to be a blue steel **Lorcin, 32 Caliber** loaded with seven .32 caliber rounds. Officers checked the weapon thru N.C.I.C. and learned that it was reported stolen in Jefferson Parish. The juvenile was charged with **Illegal Carrying of a Weapon, Aggravated Assault (2 counts), Resisting Arrest and Possession of Stolen Property.**

On 10/16/10, 22-year-old **Kevin Mundy** was wanted for Residence Burglary at 5501 Tullis Dr. Apt H 107 on 9-18-10. Mundy agreed to meet officers at 5501 Bundy to surrender himself. Mundy was placed under arrest and transported to lockup.

Since July of 2010, Officers investigated approximately 2,011 complaints, executed approximately 11 search warrants, made approximately 256 Felony cases, conducted approximately 857 vehicle checks, issued approximately 79 citations, made approximately 56 Narcotics cases, confiscated approximately 37 guns and numerous amounts of Illegal Substances.

Proactive Districts Narcotics and Task Force Units **Weekly Success**

The Proactive Narcotics and Tasks Force Units reported that they investigated approximately 1,531 complaints. They conducted 8 search warrants, investigated 78 felony cases, 606 vehicle checks resulting in 291 citations, and 43 narcotics cases. They confiscated 8 guns and numerous amounts of crack, marijuana, crack cocaine, powder cocaine, and heroin.

Serpas said," we will continue to use a proactive approach in the city to fight crime. This approach by our Districts Narcotics and Tasks Force Units has and will continue to make our city a safer place to live."



First District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 181 complaints, and made 57 cases for Felony, Misdemeanor and Municipal arrests. The units wrote 44 reports, made 231 pedestrian contacts, 23 field interviews, stopped 120 vehicles, wrote 45 citations and made 15 traffic arrests. They made 1 Narcotics case, and confiscated 6 and half pounds of Marijuana, and illegal pills (Diazepam pills).

Second District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 361 complaints, made 36 arrests including 2 juveniles for 42 Misdemeanor, 4 Municipal violations and 1 curfew violator. They made 366 pedestrian contacts, 38 field interviews, wrote 47 reports, conducted 215 vehicle stops, issued 46 citations and made 18 traffic arrests. The units conducted 8 wanted checks, made 2 narcotics cases, and confiscated Marijuana.

Third District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 158 complaints, 1 hot line complaint, arrested 27 persons for 2 Felony, 31 Misdemeanors, 5 Municipal, 3 curfews and 1 truant violator. The units made 44 pedestrian contacts, 98 field interviews, and wrote 34 reports. They made 82 vehicle stops, issued 79 citations, made 17 traffic arrests and conducted 4 wanted checks.

Fourth District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 235 complaints, arrested 44 persons for 46 felony, 76 Misdemeanor, and 4 Municipal violations. They conducted 78 vehicle stops, issued 32 citations, made 11 traffic arrests and wrote 79 reports. They conducted 84 field interviews, 99 pedestrian contacts, conducted 2 wanted checks, made 11 narcotics cases, and confiscated 1 gun, Cocaine, Crack Cocaine, Marijuana, and seized \$20.00 in cash.

Fifth District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 29 complaints, 1 hot line complaint, made 2 Felony, 12 Misdemeanor, and 5 Municipal cases resulting in 18 arrests. They conducted 6 vehicle checks, issued 29 citations, made 6 traffic arrests and wrote 28 reports. The units made 81 pedestrian contacts, and 75



field interviews. They made 4 narcotics cases and confiscated Marijuana and Crack Cocaine. Officers J. Taylor and T. Burrell received a tip of narcotics activity. The officers relocated in search of the suspect. The officers observed the suspect in the 1800 block of North Tonti Street. The officer conducted an investigation and discovered the suspect in possession of 3.32 grams of Marijuana. **Sixth District Narcotics and Task Force Units** investigated 183 complaints, 2 hot line complaints, made 11 Felony, 19 Misdemeanor, 4 Municipal and 3 juvenile cases. They conducted 45 vehicle checks, issued 13 citations, made 5 traffic arrests and wrote 35 reports. The units conducted 7 wanted checks, conducted 3 search warrants, made 81 pedestrian contacts, and 35 field interviews. They made 11 narcotics cases and confiscated Marijuana, Crack Cocaine, and illegal pills. Detectives conducted surveillance at 1830 Seventh Street and observed 26-year-old Taron Webb engage in several hand to hand transactions. Detectives secured a search warrant for the residence and upon executing the warrant located 1 gram of Crack Cocaine and a .38 "Rossi" revolver. Webb is currently on parole for attempted Possession with Intent to Distribute Cocaine until 2012. Detectives conducted a controlled purchase from 1515 LaSalle Street apartment "D". Upon execution of the search warrant Detectives located 8.2 grams of Crack Cocaine and \$275.00 in cash. The main target of the search warrant, 32-year-old Michael Williams has an extensive arrest history for narcotic violations as well as several violent crime arrests. Officer Lucretia Gantner stopped a vehicle for traffic violations at Washington and Magazine Street. The driver, Wayne Mayo had 2 handguns hidden in his car, a 45 automatic and a 9mm automatic. Mayo was arrested for Illegal possession of firearms and traffic violations. One of the guns, the 9mm automatic, was possibly used in an incident which occurred on Sunday, October 10th, 2010 at Second St. and Annunciation. Officers Lucretia Gantner and Jon Burnette observed three juvenile subjects attempting to break into a



vehicle at 9th St. and Chippewa St. The three juveniles were apprehended, and have been involved in several auto burglaries in the area over the last several months.

Seventh District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 174 complaints, 5 hot line complaints, and 1 previous complaint. They made 13 arrests for 5 Felony, 8 Misdemeanors, and 2 Truant violators. They made 122 pedestrian contacts, 87 field interviews and wrote 15 reports. The units stopped 31 vehicles, wrote 4 citations, and made 1 traffic arrest. They conducted 12 wanted checks, executed 3 search warrants, made 3 narcotics cases confiscating, Marijuana, and seizing \$110.00 in cash. Officers Curtis Barre and Torey Mathieu arrested 18-year-old James Mosley for Possession With the Intent To Distribute Marijuana 66 grams (2nd Offense), at Dale Street and Prentiss St. Mosley observed the officers on patrol in a fully marked police unit; and attempted to be discreet, as he discarded a

clear plastic bag filled with (10) medium size clear plastic bags, containing vegetable matter, which later tested positive for Marijuana. A search incidental to arrest, the officers located a concealed fully loaded 9mm caliber Glock handgun (Not Stolen) in Mosley's waistband. Detectives executed a search warrant at 7071 Yorktown. The detectives arrested 33-year-old Arthur Hubbard, for possession of marijuana and felon with a firearm. The detectives confiscated 68 grams of marijuana, 1 pistol, live rounds, and 111.00 cash.

Eighth District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 149 complaints, arrested 11 persons for 1 felony, 6 Misdemeanor, 5 Municipal violations and issued 7 summonses. They conducted 165 field interviews, 80 pedestrian contacts, wrote 7 reports, conducted 29 vehicle checks and issued 43 citations.

The Narcotics and Task Force Units began in July of 2010 and have investigated approximately 19,796 complaints, executed approximately 109 Search Warrants, made approximately 740 Felony cases, conducted approximately 6,715 vehicle checks, issued approximately 2,942 citations, made approximately 615 Narcotics cases, confiscated approximately 137 guns and numerous amounts of Illegal Narcotics.

October 17, 2010 – October 23, 2010

NOPD'S Special Operations Division Task Force Unit Booked 22 Suspects Last Week

New Orleans- In one week's time the Special Operations Division (S.O.D) Task Force Unit investigated 192 complaints, yielding 22 arrests for 23 Felonies, 59 Misdemeanors and 2 Municipal violations. Officers conducted 77 vehicle stops and made 9 Traffic arrests. The unit made 6 Narcotic cases, conducted 60 wanted checks, and made 165 pedestrian contacts. They wrote 79 reports and confiscated 34.31 grams of Marijuana.





“These results could not have been this successful without the involvement of citizens who want to live in neighborhoods free of crime. We will continue to respond to their calls until everyone gets the message that crime will not be tolerated and criminals will be caught and suffer consequences for their actions” Said Superintendent of Police Ronal Serpas.



On 10-14-10 Officers conducted a traffic stop in the 3300 Block of Olive Street. A check of the driver's name, 22-year-old **Anthony Knighten** revealed that he was driving on a suspended driver's license. Officers placed Knighten under arrest. A search incidental to arrest revealed Knighten to be in possession of three (3) bags of marijuana. Knighten was charged with **Possession of Marijuana** and traffic violations.

On 10-18-10 Officers conducted a traffic stop in the 1000 Block of Esplanade Ave and smelled the burning marijuana coming from the vehicle. Officers ordered the driver, 22-year-old **Jacquan Davis** out of the vehicle. As Davis exited the vehicle, he discarded a plastic bag containing marijuana to the ground. A search incidental to arrest revealed another plastic bag containing marijuana in Davis' right front pants pocket. The marijuana was purple marijuana. Davis was arrested and charged with **Possession of Marijuana and traffic violations.**

On 10-20-10 56-year-old **Kenneth Jones**, was located and arrested. Jones was wanted by the NOPD Child Abuse Unit for Sexual Battery (2 counts victim 1 – 1 count victim 2) the incident occurred on 8-30-10.

On 10-21-10 18-year-old **Kamal Watts**, was arrested at 14612 Beekman Street. Watts was wanted by the 7th District for an Aggravated Battery by Shooting at 13410 N. Nemours Street on 10-16-10.

On 10-21-10 17-year-old **Terrell Muse**, was arrested at 3136 Orleans Street. Muse was wanted by the 7th District for an Aggravated Battery by Shooting at 8800 Bunker Hill Street on 9-8-10.

On 10-21-10 22-year-old **Deshonte Felo**, was arrested at 5301 Forest Park Lane. Felo was wanted by the 4th District for an Aggravated Battery by Shooting at 3719 Timber Bluff Lane on 10-16-10.

On 10-21-10 a known 16 year old **Juvenile** was arrested. The known juvenile was wanted for a Simple Burglary and an

Aggravated Assault in the 6400 block of Lafaye Street. He broke into a police officers vehicle and pointed a handgun at the officer as the officer exited his home.

On 10-21-10 Officers conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Newton and Vallette Streets. Officers observed 20-year-old **Kevin Thomas** attempt to conceal a bag containing marijuana behind the front seat in the passenger compartment of the vehicle. Thomas and his aunt, 23-year-old **Ishacoyah Adeyanju** were ordered out from the vehicle and placed under arrest. A search incidental to arrest located an additional bag containing marijuana in the center console and a **Smith & Wesson .40 caliber handgun** near the driver's seat. A second weapon, a **Ruger .9mm handgun**, was discovered in the back seat. **Adeyanju was charged with Possession of Marijuana and Illegal Possession of a Firearm During Crime** (narcotics). Thomas was charged with **Possession of Marijuana.**

On 10-22-10 an Officer conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Canal and Elks. A check of the driver's name, 26-year-old **Tyrone Watts** revealed that he was wanted by Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office. Watts was placed under arrest. A search incidental to arrest revealed a white piece of paper containing marijuana in Watts' front pants pocket. Watts was charged with **Possession of Marijuana and traffic violations.**

On 10-22-10 Officers observed a vehicle bearing a Mississippi license plate, parked in front of 7223 Bunker Hill Road. As they approached the vehicle from the rear, officers observed an unknown black male, later identified as 20-year-old **Jermaine Mills**, exit the front passenger side of the vehicle. As he noticed the officers, Mills' appeared startled and became nervous and he quickly discarded a clear plastic bag to the ground. Officers detained Mills and retrieved the plastic bag from the ground. Upon closer examination the Officer observed the clear plastic bag to be open. Inside the bag were (5) five individual clear plastic bags each



containing marijuana. Mills was placed under arrest. A search incidental to arrest discovered an additional clear plastic bag inside the bottom of Mills' sock. That bag included six (6) individual clear plastic bags containing marijuana. Mills was charged with **Possession of Marijuana**.

On 10-22-10 Officers conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Haynes Blvd and Trapier Street. One of the passengers, later identified as 20-year-old **Armand Williams**, was in possession of a

Ruger 44 Magnum revolver. The weapon had an obliterated serial number. Williams was placed under arrest and charged with **Possession of a Firearm with an Obliterated Serial Number**.

On 10-22-10 47-year-old **Carl Primas**, was located and arrested. Primas was wanted by the Child Abuse Unit for Sexual Battery and indecent Behavior with a Juvenile from 12-15-06.



Since July of 2010, Officers investigated approximately 2,203 complaints, executed approximately 11 Search Warrants, made approximately 279 Felony cases, conducted approximately 934 vehicle checks, issued approximately 91 citations, made approximately 62 Narcotics cases, confiscated approximately 40 guns and numerous amounts of Illegal Substances.

NOPD's Narcotics and Task Force Units Investigate 48 Felony Cases, and Confiscated Six guns in One Week

NEW ORLEANS - In one week's time, the New Orleans Police Department's Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated approximately 2,041 complaints. As a result the NOPD's Task Force Units, conducted 11 Search Warrants, investigated 48 Felony cases, and conducted 903 Vehicle Checks resulting in 373 citations, and 58 Narcotics cases. They confiscated six guns and numerous amounts of Crack, Marijuana, Crack Cocaine, Powder Cocaine, and Heroin.

"We are responding to an increase number of complaints made by citizens who want to live among law abiding citizens. We will continue to respond to each complaint until everyone understands that criminal behavior is unwanted, it is policeable and criminals will suffer consequences said Superintendent of Police Ronal W. Serpas.

First District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 351 complaints, and made 64 cases for Felony, Misdemeanor and Municipal arrests. The units wrote 52 reports, made 390 pedestrian contacts, 49 field interviews, stopped 227 vehicles, wrote 85 citations, made 21 traffic arrests and recovered one stolen vehicle. They made 15 narcotics cases, and confiscated Marijuana, Heroin, Crack Cocaine and illegal pills (Diazepam pills).

Second District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 484 complaints, three hot line complaints, made 46 arrests

for seven Felony, 33 Misdemeanor, and six Municipal violations. They made 355 pedestrian contacts, 67 field interviews, wrote 66 reports, conducted 153 vehicle stops, issued 55 citations and made 20 traffic arrests. The units conducted six wanted checks, one search warrant, made eight narcotics cases, confiscated Marijuana, Crack Cocaine, Heroin, illegal pills (Xanax) and seized \$19,658.00 in cash.

Third District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 209 complaints, three hot line complaints, arrested 37



persons including six juveniles for one Felony, 28 Misdemeanors, nine Municipal, and had three curfew and three truant violators. The units made 72 pedestrian contacts, 139 field interviews, and wrote 38 reports. They made 139 vehicle stops, issued 86 citations, made 20 traffic arrests and conducted three wanted checks. Officers Max Schuler and Ron Zoller responded to a call of a subject breaking into a house at 2773 Pressburg Street, and upon their arrival located the subject inside of the residence which was under renovation. When the subject realized that officers had arrived on the scene he attempted to flee from the residence via an upstairs window. Upon seeing the officers outside of the residence the subject went back inside of the residence. He then fled to the roof of the house where officers entered the roof area and apprehended him without further incident. The officers discovered the subject had been cutting copper from the electrical wiring inside of the house. The officers found four rolls of copper that he had already cut before they arrived. The subject was arrested for Simple Burglary.

Fourth District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 224 complaints, arrested 45 persons including one juvenile for eight felony, 79 Misdemeanor, and four Municipal violations. They conducted 71 vehicle stops, issued 24 citations, made six traffic arrests, wrote 82 reports and issued two summonses. They conducted 85 field interviews, 118 pedestrian contacts, conducted one wanted check, made 12 narcotics cases, and confiscated one gun, Cocaine, illegal pills, and seized \$1,172.00 in cash.

Fifth District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 205 complaints, one hot line complaint, made 29 arrests including one juvenile for three Felony, 31 Misdemeanor, six Municipal violations and six curfew violators. They conducted 137 vehicle checks, issued 62 citations, made 12 traffic arrests and wrote 40 reports. The units made 157 pedestrian contacts, 75 field interviews, three wanted checks, two search warrants, and made six narcotics cases confiscating Marijuana, Crack Cocaine and



seized \$132.00 in cash. Officers Jermell Taylor and Tony Burrell received a tip of narcotics activity in the 2400 block of Gladiolus Street. The officers located the suspect and conducted an investigation and discovered the suspect in possession of 14.00 grams of Marijuana. **Sixth District Narcotics and Task Force Units** investigated 191 complaints, one hot line complaint, made seven Felony, 28 Misdemeanor, 10 Municipal, three juvenile cases and 3 curfew violators. They conducted 50 vehicle checks, issued 15 citations, made five traffic arrests and wrote 44 reports. The units conducted 10 wanted checks, three search warrants, made 77 pedestrian contacts, and 38 field interviews. They made nine narcotics cases and confiscated Marijuana, Heroin, illegal pills and seized \$2,138.00 in cash. Sixth District Detectives conducted a controlled purchase from 1930 Sixth Street. Detectives successfully executed the warrant and apprehended the main suspect of the investigation 27-year-old Riley Scott. Detectives successfully confiscated 2.8 lbs of Marijuana, packaging materials, and seized \$778.00 in currency. Officers Lucretia Gantner and Jon Burnette received several complaints about a residence located at 2322 Saint Thomas Street that was possibly involved in drug activity. Neighbors reported a large amount of foot traffic in and out of the house, which was in disrepair and possibly abandoned. The officers conducted a short surveillance of the location and observed a subject walking out of the house. When the Officers checked the suspicious subject, they found in his possession 3grams of Crack Cocaine and a Crack pipe. The subject, Terrence Pollard, was on probation for possession of Crack Cocaine and had two outstanding warrants from JPSO.

Seventh District Narcotics and Task Force Units investigated 187 complaints, three hot line complaints, and five previous complaints. They made 14 arrests for four Felony, 14 Misdemeanors, one Municipal and 11 Truant violators. They made 92 pedestrian contacts, 94 field interviews and wrote 17 reports. The units stopped 106 vehicles, wrote 28 citations,



and made five traffic arrests. They conducted one wanted check, executed three search warrants, made four narcotics cases confiscating Marijuana, and seizing \$110.00 in cash. On Thursday, October 21, 2010, Task Force officers responded to an armed robbery at 4608 Flake, and later learned the correct signal was an Aggravated Burglary. The officers learned the perpetrator went into the cousin's residence without permission and robbed him at gun point of \$400.00, car keys, and clothes, then fled out the residence. Officer Bronson Gettridge located the wanted subject moments after the call was received. The suspect fled in a vehicle, then on foot; where he was apprehended in an abandoned apartment. The officers also learned the arrested subject was in a vehicle that was reported as "Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle" from Saint Tammany Sheriff's Office.

Eighth District Narcotics and Task Force Units



investigated 190 complaints, six hot line complaints, arrested 26 persons for two felony, 21 Misdemeanor, and 17 Municipal violations. They conducted 129 field interviews, 89 pedestrian contacts, wrote 22 reports, conducted 20 vehicle checks and issued 18 citations. They conducted 17 wanted checks, made 4 narcotics cases confiscating Marijuana and Crack. The units responded to six Crimestopper's complaints with no activity to report. They made four buy bust narcotic cases and made several prostitution arrests along with the narcotics arrest. The Municipal arrests were the result of persons running scams on tourist as they entered Bourbon Street.

The Narcotics and Task Force Units began in July of 2010 and have investigated approximately 21,837 complaints, executed approximately 120 Search Warrants, made approximately 788 Felony cases, conducted approximately 7,618 vehicle checks, issued approximately 3,315 citations, made approximately 673 Narcotics cases, confiscated approximately 143 guns and numerous amounts of Illegal Narcotics.





From the District Attorney's Office:

Week of October 10, 2010 through October 16, 2010

High Profile Trials:

Section B – *David Davis* was tried for the ***Second Degree Murder*** by stabbing Elizabeth Chapman, which occurred on December 28, 2007 at Saint Louis and North Front Street (Eighth District). Davis was found guilty of ***Manslaughter***. The case Detective was Sergeant Nick Gernon.

Section F – *Herbert Nicholson* was tried for ***Aggravated Rape (Two counts), Attempted Aggravated Rape, Second Degree Kidnapping, and Aggravated Oral Sexual Battery***, which occurred on January 1, 1991 at North Galvez Street and Saint Bernard Avenue (First District). Nicholson was found guilty as charged on all counts.

Note: In 1971, Nicholson was convicted of carnal knowledge of a juvenile. In 1973, Nicholson was found guilty of aggravated rape, and was

sentenced to death. That sentence was overturned. Nicholson is eligible for a life sentence without parole. The case Detective was Sergeant James Kelly.

Section J – *Roger Richards* was tried for the ***Aggravated Rape of a child under 12 years old***, which occurred on April 16, 2008 in the 300 block of Thalia Street (Sixth District). Richards was found guilty as charged. He is awaiting sentencing. The case Detective was Journeed Ross.

Section K – *Issah Mayes* was tried for the ***Attempted Murder of a Police Officer***, which occurred on March 22, 2009 in the 1400 block of Iberville Street (First District). During jury selection, Mayes pled guilty as charged. He is awaiting sentencing. The investigating supervisor was Sergeant Elphamous Malbrue.



New Orleans Police Officers on Military Leave



*Sgt. Wade Bowser
P/O IV Louis Faust
P/O II Jovan Washington
P/O I Kevin Battaglia
P/O I Alfred Beechem
P/O I Kevin Cloud
P/O I Eugene Cummings
P/O I James Doaty
P/O I Walter Fuquay
P/O Darnon Harper
P/O I Matthew Henderson
P/O I Johnny Magee
P/O I Andrew Mai*

*P/O I Robert Masters
P/O I Michael Melancon
P/O I Raymond Smith
P/O I Eric Thomas
P/O I Sebastian Trigo
P/O I Joseph Trippodo
P/O Joseph Tusa
P/O I John Walker
P/O I Gerald Young
P/O I Daniel Zapico
Jeffrey Powell
Christopher Pugh
Christopher Williams*





District Platoons Making A Difference



First District:

From: A Pleased Citizen
To: Robert E. Norton
Sent: Mon Oct 18 10:12:38 2010
Subject: FW: NOPD a positive story....

Major Norton, I am sending you a copy of an email I sent to Councilwomen Kristin Palmer telling her about my recent interaction with your officers. Your folks were great! By the way I serve on the Board of your neighbor, Covenant House, and I also appreciate all the help you and your officers do to keep the kids and staff at Covenant safe. If I can ever be of help to you or staff please don't hesitate to contact me.

From: A Pleased Citizen
Sent: Monday, October 18, 2010 10:03 AM
To: 'Kristin G. Palmer'
Subject: NOPD a positive story....

I just wanted to share with you a positive interaction I experienced with the First District Police. On Friday afternoon I was inspecting an apartment building on the 2300 Block of Canal Street. I had an out of town guest with me and she left her purse in my car. We walked to the side of the building and someone broke my window and stole my friend's purse. The police arrived soon after and in a short period a detective, an officer and a sergeant all came by to check on us. The police were both helpful and courteous. The detective drove around looking for the purse and the officer just could not have been more professional. Unfortunately there was no sign of the purse but we both were impressed with the show of force and the concern shown by the First District NOPD Police. I did not get the detective's name or the sergeant's name but the officer was Officer B. Frank. These days it seems people only want to talk about negative interactions with law enforcement personal I just felt I needed to share this with you.

Look forward to seeing you again soon.



Second District:



From: A Pleased Citizen
To: Bruce Little; John M. Montalbano; Ronald Laporte; Edgar Staehle
Cc: Faith_n@worthyemail.com <Faith_n@worthyemail.com>
Sent: Thu Oct 28 23:58:33 2010
Subject: 3113 louisiana ave pkwy

Just would like to say Thank You for the officers I encountered patrolling our street this AM morning.

Its refreshing and appreciated more than you know.

Please don't hesitate to let us know what we can do to enforce police and residents communication.

Sixth District:

From: A Pleased Citizen
To: Robert R. Bardy
Cc: noahpythian@netzero.com <noahpythian@netzero.com>
Sent: Wed Oct 27 11:31:44 2010
Subject: FW: Scan from MHSD Xerox WorkCentre - DO NOT REPLY

Major this is a copy of the report we filed about the young women and the incident which occurred at Grace Outreach Center(GOC). In case you can't open the file, the incident happened on October 7, location 2533 LaSalle Street, time about 10 p.m. A known patient decompensated on meds and became delirious and confused with violent aggressive behavior. She was PEC to University Hospital. Bob your guys were outstanding in terms of how they handled the situation and how they handled the patient. I was told that the patient did everything including punching them and spitting on them. They were so good that the Director of the program and I would like to give them some recognition. Our problem we don't know who they are. We would appreciate any help you can give us in finding them.

Sixth District Officers Identified:

On October 6th, 2010, at approximately 9:44pm, the units who responded to the call were: 609B (Officer Stephen Perkins), 611B (Officer Joshua Semke), 613B (Officer Joe Sousa), 630B (Sgt. James Young), and 604C (Officers Travis Stokes & Drew Deacon of the Night



watch early response car). The Officers arrived and as soon as the known patient learned that she had to be taken to the hospital, she bowed up to Officers Stokes and Deacon and the Officers verbally got her to calm down. A second time, after her counselor arrived and said that the patient needed to be admitted, she bowed up to the GOC staff and threatened to hit them. Again the Officers stepped in and verbally got the patient to relax and sit down. After 6512 arrived and it was abundantly clear to her that she was going to be transported to the Hospital to be committed, the patient threw her hands up in a provoking manner and stated to Officer Sousa, "I'm going to take your gun away and kill you!" Officer Sousa engaged with the patient trying to control her hands while she hit him in the side of the head with her fists. The other officers including 6512 all had a hard time controlling the very large and angry woman who was spitting and kicking in all directions. The patient was eventually subdued with a minimal amount of physical force and secured with leather straps before being loaded into the crisis unit for transport.



Keep up the great work!!!!



Domestic Violence

Awareness



L to R: Sally Ann Roberts, Attorney Allyson Dorsey with Catholic Charities and Domestic Violence Detective Karen Richardson speak about Domestic Violence awareness during the WWL morning show.





FYI:

The *Administrative Duties Division* office has moved to Room 522, directly across from the front elevators. The number remains (504) 658-5222. The fax number is still (504) 658-5223, but will not be operational until some time this week.

Reminder: Traffic and Municipal Courts will be closed on November 11, 2010 in observance of Veterans Day.

FBI Releases 2009 Statistics on Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted

According to information released today by the FBI, 48 law enforcement officers were feloniously killed in the line of duty last year; 47 officers died in accidents while performing their duties; and 57,268 officers were assaulted in the line of duty. The 2009 edition of *Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted* released today provides comprehensive tabular data about these incidents and brief narratives describing the fatal attacks.

Felonious Deaths

The felonious deaths occurred in 18 states and Puerto Rico. The number of officers feloniously killed in 2009 increased by seven compared with the 2008 figure (41 officers). The five- and 10-year comparisons showed decreases in the number of felonious deaths, down seven from the 2005 number (55 officers) and a decrease of three from the 2000 total (51 officers).

Officer Profiles: Among the officers who were feloniously killed, the average age was 38 years. The victim officers had served in law enforcement for an average of 12 years at the time of the fatal incidents. Forty-seven of the victim officers were male and one was female. Forty-two of the officers were white, three were black, two were American Indian/Alaskan Native, and one was Asian/Pacific Islander.

Circumstances: Of the 48 officers feloniously killed, 15 were ambushed; eight of the slain officers were involved in arrest situations; eight were performing traffic stops; six were answering disturbance calls; five were involved in tactical situations (e.g., high-risk entry); four were investigating suspicious persons/circumstances; and two were handling, transporting, or maintaining custody of prisoners.

Weapons: Offenders used firearms to kill 45 of the 48 victim officers. Of these 45 officers, 28 were slain with handguns, 15 with rifles, and two with shotguns. Three officers were killed with vehicles that were used as weapons.

Regions: Twenty-one of the felonious deaths occurred in the South, 13 in the West, seven in the Northeast, and five in the Midwest. Two of the deaths took place in Puerto Rico.

Suspects: Law enforcement agencies identified 41 alleged assailants in connection with the 48 felonious line-of-duty deaths. Thirty-three of the assailants had prior criminal records, and 13 of the assailants were under judicial supervision at the time of the felonious incidents.

Accidental Deaths

Of the 47 law enforcement officers killed in accidents while performing their duties in 2009, the majority of officers accidentally killed (34 officers) were the result of automobile accidents. The number of accidental line-of-duty deaths was down 21 from the 2008 total (68 officers) and 20 less than the 2005 total (67 officers); 36 fewer officers were accidentally killed in 2009 than in 2000, when 83 officers died in accidents.

Assaults

In 2009, 11,451 law enforcement agencies reported that 57,268 officers were assaulted while performing their duties. Of the officers assaulted, 26.2 percent were injured. The largest percentage of victim officers (32.6) were assaulted while responding to disturbance calls (family quarrels, bar fights, etc.). Assailants used personal weapons (hands, fists, feet, etc.) in 81.4 percent of the incidents, firearms in 3.5 percent of incidents, and knives or other cutting instruments in 1.5 percent of the incidents. Other types of dangerous weapons were used in 13.6 percent of assaults.

Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted, 2009, is available exclusively on the FBI's website at www.fbi.gov/ucr/ucr.htm. Printed copies of the publication are no longer available.



Congratulations:



L to R: Captain Rannie Mushatt, commander of the NOPD 7th District; Crescent City Lodge 1st Vice-President Walter Powers; Commander's Choice Award recipients NOPD Officers Megan Hoxsey and Stacey Sanders.

NOPD Officers Receive FOP Robert Williams Memorial Commander's Choice Award

NOPD 7th District patrol officers **Megan Hoxsey** and **Stacey Sanders** are the recipients of the FOP Robert Williams Memorial Commander's Choice Award for the month of October 2010. The award was presented at the FOP Crescent City Lodge No. 2 monthly membership meeting on October 14, 2010.

The award is named in honor of NOPD Officer Robert Williams who passed away in December of 2007 after a lengthy and arduous struggle with cancer. Robert was a dedicated police officer who refused to evacuate the city during Hurricane Katrina even while undergoing treatment for a dreaded disease. Upon his death his surviving spouse, Debbie Williams, successfully spearheaded a drive to have the City of New Orleans increase its Major Medical Insurance lifetime cap from \$500,000.00 to \$2,000,000.00.

The FOP Robert Williams Memorial Commander's Choice Award allows NOPD commanders the opportunity to select a member of their command for special recognition. NOPD 7th District Commander Captain Rannie Mushatt selected the team of Megan Hoxsey and Stacey Sanders, citing several arrests and investigations initiated by this hard working pair. Capt. Mushatt summed up by stating that their efforts and actions had a significant positive impact against crime in the 7th District.

Each officer received a commemorative plaque and a \$50.00 gift card.

Captain Mushatt also received a plaque from the Fraternal Order of Police recognizing his dedication and service to the New Orleans Police Department and to his community.



A Blast from the Past:



First Precinct Police Station was located at Saratoga Street and Tulane Avenue

Seventh Precinct Police Station and Patrol House located at Magazine Street and Napoleon Avenue

Presently the Second Police District at the same location.





**Fifth District Police Station
1964**

**12th Precinct Police and Patrol Station
(at Keller's Market)**

**The "12th Precinct" became the "6th
District".**



***Please send your photos, submissions and/or ideas to Officer
Hilal Williams at hbwilliams@cityofno.com.***



The New Orleans Police Department, under the leadership of Superintendent Ronal W. Serpas, is engaged in a complete transformation in its approach to ensuring that New Orleans is a safer place to live, work and visit. The police force, which currently employs 1,735 dedicated men and women, is committed to transparency, accountability, collaboration and integrity. To learn more about the NOPD and our services, visit

<http://www.cityofno.com/portals/portal50/portal.aspx> and visit us on Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/home.php>.