Iowa Quad Cities Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association Newsletter

We’ve come together as an alumni association to volunteer our services to the law enforcement agencies of the Iowa Quad Cities and Scott County. Our Mission is to assist those agencies in various projects that will help preserve their services for the betterment of our communities.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Getting to Know You, Getting to know all About You

Name: Carmen Minor
Resides In: Bettendorf
Occupation: Retired but was Real Estate Agent, Aerobic Instructor, Secretary
Place of Birth: Cleveland, Ohio
Family:
Widow, with 2 sons in Chicago, a mom who is 92, sister in Arizona, brother in Cleveland and another brother in Alabama (I'm third in line), and three grandchildren, one girl and two boys.
Favorite Foods:
Asian
Famous person living or dead, I’d like to meet:
Mother Theresa
In my spare time, I like to:
Dance (Ballroom), garden and snow ski.
I can't stand someone who:
Is dishonest and people who are always late.
I wish I knew how to:
Fly a jet fighter
Favorite Household Chore:
Cooking
What Element in your home is the perfect manifestation of your personality?
Cats—Nutmeg is sweet and Mitten is feisty.
One thing on your nightstand?
Alarm Clock
One thing on a wall in your living room?
Clock presented to me by my son.
Most high tech gadget or appliance in your home:
Computer
Fill in the blank: I can’t live without my
Car
If you had to save one ‘thing’ from your home, what would it be?
Family photos
What music have you been listening to at home or in your car lately?
Rock
What reading material would we find in your home?
Mysteries and the Bible
Do you have a favorite movie?
Lord of the Ring and Harry Potter Series
One thing people would be surprised to know about you:
I have a black belt in Tae Kwan Do
What characteristic do you most admire in a person?
Honesty, Loyalty and being prompt
What characteristics do you least admire in a person?
Dishonesty
Favorite room in your house and why?
Family room because everything I need is there.
If we came unexpectedly, would we find your bed made?
Absolutely!!!!!!
What are your other volunteer opportunities?
Meals on Wheels, Birthright and Eucharistic Minister
ITS 90+ DEGREES OUTSIDE BUT WOULDN’T A COOL, REFRESHING DIP IN THE LAKE BE GREAT?

DID I FORGET TO MENTION THAT IT’S IN OCTOBER THE POLAR PLUNGE

I (Kerie Seaver) was wondering if I could ask your assistance in getting volunteers from the Citizen Academy Alumni for this year’s Polar Plunge. The event is at West Lake Park in Davenport on October 27th. Registration is schedule to start at 1100 hours.

Special Olympics is requesting approximately 10-12 volunteers to assist with set-up, registration and tear down.

But I also want to encourage the Alumni to develop their own team. There only needs to be a minimum 10 members per team, and the teams can be made of family, friends and co-workers. Each team member is responsible for raising $60.00 for anywhere. The teams have a theme, dress according to their theme during the event and run in and then directly out of West Lake Park. A sign up sheet will be available.

Kerri Cooper, Davenport, daughter of Jordy Cooper, Davenport, and the late Gary Cooper, is engaged to Brett Luchsinger, Davenport, son of Greg and Jane Luchsinger, Asbury, Iowa.

They will exchange marriage vows on the 18th of August, 2007

Kerri is a member of the Board of Directors plus an active member of our Association.
4th of July was a smashing success, both traffic control and the IQCCPA Sales booth.

Another year for Kyle to be Uncle Sam and he looks good in the role. Thanks Kyle.

Thanks to Milt for the sign stand which provides a very visible, eye catching advertisement for our group.

Our Sincere Thanks to all who help either in the background planning the event or those who spent part of their 4th to aid our group in its fund raising program.
Happy Birthday to all AUGUST birthday ladies and gentlemen, especially

Jordy Cooper       Jim Vanscoy
Anita Mallette

Congratulations to those who celebrate an anniversary in AUGUST

De Davis          Milt and Robin Moorman
Phil Redington    Barb and David Roeder

Good health to those recuperating from a hospital stay or illness.

Condolences to those who suffered the loss of a loved one.

ACTIVITIES
CLERICAL opportunities
Various Administrative Duties

PEOPLE
An IQCCPA grand welcome to returning member Nicki Nelson, a 2005 Alumni graduate.
Still looking for a co chair for the Traffic Control Committee.

INFORMATION

QUESTIONS

PEOPLE

EDUCATION

PLANNING

TRAFFIC CONTROL
QC Marathon and Run with Carl are upcoming events.

HIPPLER has a meeting with the Webmaster at City Hall to discuss our site and deter-
mine what is necessary to load information.

WE BROKE A RECORD.
A TOTAL OF 654 HOURS FOR JUNE.

Cape not required to be a Hero. Home-
town Hero Days were organized with the Expedition and mem-
bers participating.

The 2008 National Citizen’s Police Academy 2008 Confer-
ence will be April 28- May 2 in Baton Rouge, LA

Another successful & profitable 4th of July Fund Raising event. Thanks to Robin and all the member who aided in this event.
Hometown Hero Day was held on Sunday, 15th July at the Bettendorf Family Museum.

Participating with his squad car was Jeff Nelson with the Bettendorf Police Department, a recycle vehicle and a city employee, a garbage truck with a city employee plus a EMT vehicle with a technician and of course, our Expedition sponsored by our members.

Each group ‘explained’ the function of the vehicle and the function of the person operating the vehicle.

Many, many children and adults alike enjoyed all aspect of each vehicle especially the vehicles where they could operate the lights atop the vehicle plus where they could use the speaker system to ‘blast’ the crowd with comments such as “pull over”, “show down”, “IQCCPA volunteers stand up and work the crowd”, and “Simon says”.

Hero’s are flesh and blood people, not those you see in the comic books or in the game boy electronics. They’re men and women mothers, daughters, grandmothers, father, sons and grandfathers, aunts and uncles, your next door neighbor, they’re people who aid the citizens of your community in various capacities.
Volunteer Hours -2005 through current year

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Night Out Goals

The goal of America’s Night Out is to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness.
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime efforts.
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships.
- Send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

The retail chain Target has been the major sponsor for National Night Out. “Target is sponsoring National Night Out because we share the same commitment - to promote safeness and strengthen families in our local communities, said Laysha Ward, vice president, community relations, Target. "Our partnership helps National Night Out further spread their message of safety awareness to neighborhoods across the country.”

What roles will our volunteers play:

- Help with the kids and adult activities
- Help with the baseball throw
- Help with the bouncy balloon
- Help with the tables which have pamphlets and pass-out material
- Help with the hot dog roast
- Miscellaneous game and support activities

A sign up sheet will be available at the August meeting. They could use all our help. We discussed having a night out against crime in the Bettendorf area but there is a great deal of pre planning so our group thought of helping another group and learn from them, for a possible local night out next year.
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Upcoming Events:
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♦ Night Out Against Crime
♦ Run with Carl
♦ September Meeting
♦ QC Marathon