



## 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

October Meeting	Thu, 4 October	7:00-8:00 PM	Bettendorf City Hall, Council Chambers
Halloween Parade	Sat, 27 October	7:00 PM	Jaycees' Lighted Halloween Parade
November Meeting	Thu, 1 November	7:00-8:00 PM	Bettendorf City Hall, Council Chambers

## Getting to Know You, Getting to know all About You



**Name:** Delores 'De' Davis

**Resides In:** Bettendorf

**Place of Birth:** Creston, Iowa

**Occupation:** Crossing Guard

**Family:** Husband of 57 years, three children, four grandchildren and two great grand children + five children, adopted, by the heart, and not by the law.

**Favorite Foods:** Lobster, but really love home baked bread, butter and a good cup of coffee.

**Famous person living or dead, I'd like to meet:**

John Wayne

**In my spare time, I like to:**

Raise my grandchild

**I wish I knew how to:**

Play the piano

**Favorite Household Chore:**

None really, but I do love to polish the furniture

**What element in your home is the perfect manifestation of your personality?**

600-700 cookie cutters, hence the name 'cookie lady', plus several hundred cook-books

**One thing on your nightstand?**

Lamp

**One thing on a wall in your living room?**

Pictures of children and grandchildren

**Fill in the blank: I can't live without my**

Family

**If you had to save one 'thing' from your home, what would it be?**

My mother crochet two dresses for me when I was about 6 or 7. I have them framed on black velvet and they have a special place in my living room

**What music have you been listening to at home or in your car lately?**

Danny O'Donnal—a little country and a little spiritual.

**What reading material would we find in your home?**

People magazine and the newspaper

**Do you have a favorite movie?**

The Sting

**One thing people would be surprised to know about you:**

Love to sit in my comfortable chair and watch golf tournaments.

**What characteristic do you most admire in a person?**

Honesty

**What characteristics do you least admire in a person?**

Dishonest

**Favorite room in your house and why?**

Kitchen—it's our gathering place where my family and friends like to congregate

**What currently does not work in your home that you have yet to fix:**

Light switch in bathroom

**If we came unexpectedly, would be find your bed made?**

Probably not.

**What are your other volunteer opportunities ?**

Help at school and the IQCCPA



## POLICE BLOTTER

### Lights, Camera, Action

Each squad is or will be furnished with a digital camera capable of recording various incidents with replay more effective than the current method.

Once recorded and downloaded at the station, the supervisor, patrol captain, chief or the officer can view the 'footage'. Many incidents, such as when a police officer interrupts the normal traffic light signals, will automatically activate the camera and record the proceedings plus many more features. Digital has arrived.....and is in use.

### Bono, reports for duty in October

Bono, the Belgian Shepherd Dog will become part of the Bettendorf Police staff, and will have the ability to be on patrol for narcotics, tracking and aggression. Josh Paul is in training with Bono and will be in service the early part of October. Belgian Shepherd dogs come in four varieties—the long haired Groenendael and Tervuren, the short haired Malinois, and the rough coated Laekenois. Bono is a Malinois. Members agreed we would purchase a badge for Bono, as we did for Dan. As an aside: Dan has moved on with his trainer to the MEG unit and should the need arise, Dan would be available for Bettendorf work if called into service.

### Call for Crossing Guards

Cross Guard position, either full or part time, are available and applications can be obtained from the Bettendorf City Hall. Payment in the amount of \$9.33 per shift will be paid. If you're interested and would like more information, contact Judy Welch.

### The first Tuesday of the month is Chief's Meeting

The president, vice president and secretary meet with Chief Redington, Captain Trudell and CSO Judy Welch to discuss the IQCCPA and its impact on the city and the police department. Issues such as new volunteer opportunities, how can the department aid us to accomplish our mission, 'tools' to make our job easier and efficient, etc. are discussed with the understanding that the meeting is two way—each group identifying and addressing issues and or successes.

**IQCCPA Volunteers are out early Sunday morning to aid the QC Marathon group.**



Happy Birthday to all **OCTOBER** birthday ladies and gentlemen, especially

**Ed Ercegovich      Reg Shoemith**

**Judy Welch**

Congratulations to those who celebrate an anniversary in **OCTOBER**

**Susan and Greg Trudell**

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

**Sue Nohr**

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

**ACTIVITIES**

**CLERICAL opportunities**

Bettendorf needs help with clerical volunteering.

**PEOPLE**

Two people have stepped forward and volunteered to assist the chairperson as co chairpersons:

- Dennis Van Zandt-Traffic Control
- Marilyn Hamilton-Life Savers

INFORMATION

QUESTIONS

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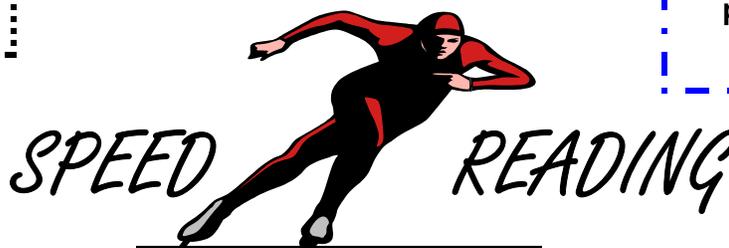
**PLANNING**

**TRAFFIC CONTROL**

Halloween Parade.

**EDUCATION**

- ◆ A CERT event is scheduled for early October.
- ◆ Sgt Streepy will talk about traffic control.
- ◆ When Bono, our new canine appears on the scene, he's invited to demonstrate his abilities.
- ◆ When the new jail is complete, a tour is planned.



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**OCTOBER 4TH LAUNCH OF THE IQCCPA WEB SITE.**

**Come to the October meeting and be part of the launch.**



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**We did it again, 432 hours, just shy of last months 443 volunteer hours.**



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Training— what training ideas do you have? We're trained during the academy and it shouldn't stop now. Talk to Ed or Keith.



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We've donated \$250.00 to the 2008 National Citizen's Police Academy Conf—you now have a vested interest-plan to attend.in Baton Rouge, LA.



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Bring one item of gift wrapping to the Oct, Nov or Dec meeting to help defray expenses of the Dec gift wrap fund raiser. We spent over \$100 last year on supplies.



Our Volunteers will be performing traffic control for:

Bettendorf's Jaycees'

Lighted Halloween Parade scheduled for Saturday, October 27 beginning at 7 p.m.

The parade will begin at the intersection of Middle Road and 23<sup>rd</sup> Street. It will cross Middle Road onto Spruce Hills Drive. Follow Spruce Hills Drive and turn left onto 18<sup>th</sup> Street. The parade will travel to the intersection of 18<sup>th</sup> Street and Middle Road, turning left on Middle Road and ending at the entrance to the Life Fitness Center/Splash Landing parking Lot.



The second CERT training class is scheduled for 6 & 7 October

Judy Welch has arranged a second session of the CERT Training Class. In the class the student will:

- ◆ Learn what to do in the first 72 hours
- ◆ Protect neighbors from Hazards
- ◆ Learn First Aid Training
- ◆ Learn how to use a fire extinguisher
- ◆ Receive Personal Protective Gear

October 6 & 7, 8:00 AM till 5:30 PM, Rock Island County ESDA, (Behind the Airport by Indian Bluff Golf Course) 6120 78th Avenue, Milan, IL 61264

What do we have here?

A high price electronics store—an Ultimate Electronics store, a Radio Shack, a Best Buy, au contraire, tis but our own communication and flashlight rack.



It's the new location of our radio's, both Motorola and police issue, stinger flashlights, and other miscellaneous electronic items.

Where, do you ask, can I find these items—right there in Judy's outer office. We're so fortunate to have manpower to design and implement the placement of this equipment which if you've been to the equipments previous location, this is so very efficient, plus smart looking.



Sgt. Rich Streepy will discuss traffic control procedures.

Yes, traffic control season is almost over, however we still have one more event in this Spring/Summer/Fall traffic control season and that's the Halloween Parade.

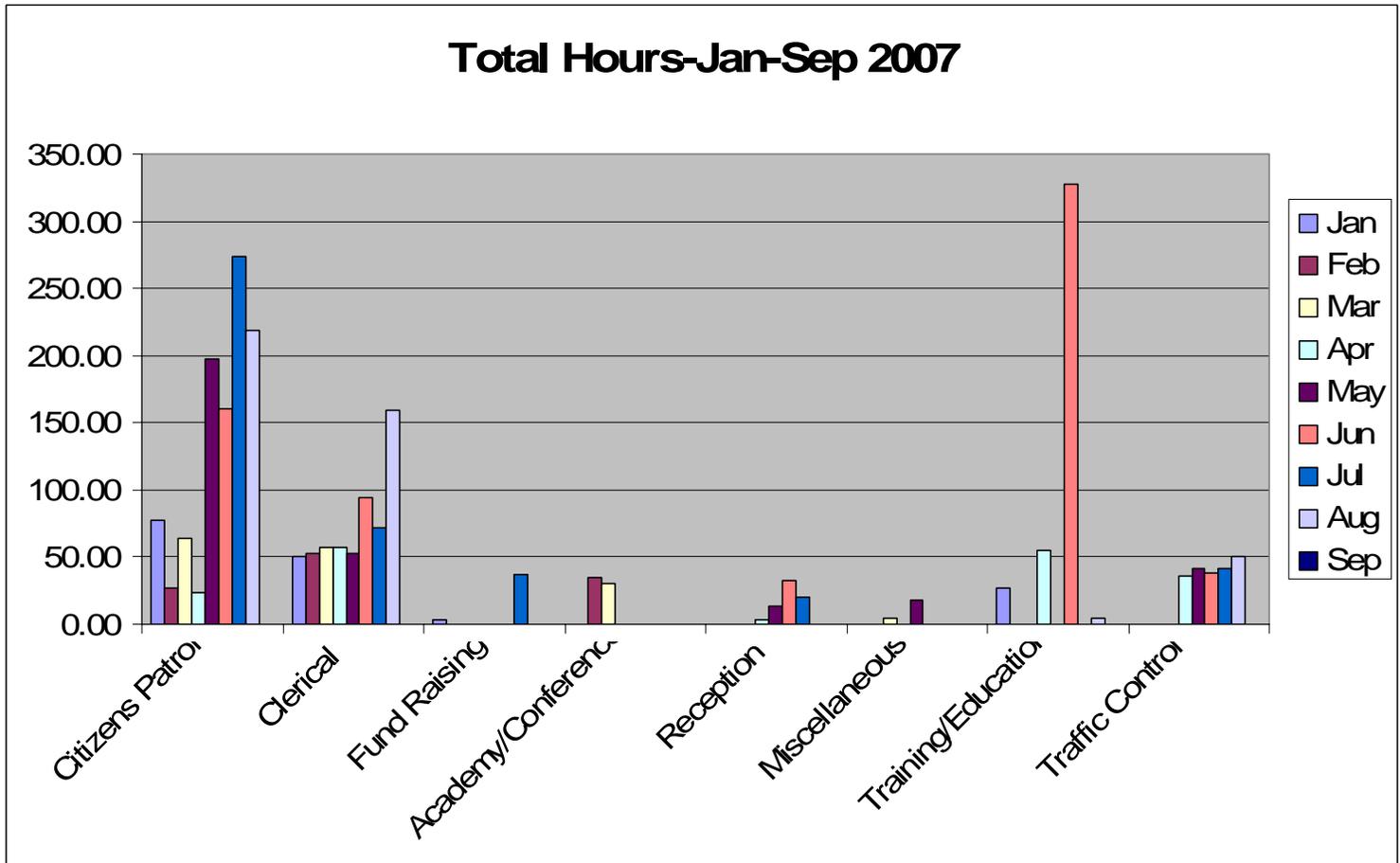
Secondly, we have additional personnel, recent alumni grads, who joined the ranks of traffic control volunteers and Sgt. Streepy's insight will be valid instructions for them plus reinforcing the information for those not new to the task

**Come to the meeting—be educated, informed and entertained.**



**Don't walk behind me, I may not lead. Don't walk in front of me, I may not follow. Just walk beside me and be my friend.**

Unknown, (often attributed to Albert Camus)



### IQCCPA Committees, Committee Chair and Co Chairpersons

#### CITIZEN PATROL

Fisher, Penny                      Chairperson  
 Joe Fischer                        Co Chairperson

#### CLERICAL

Nohr, Sue                            Chairperson  
 Myers, Beverly                    Co Chairperson

#### CLOTHING

Nohr, Sue                            Chairperson

#### HALL DISPLAY

Robert Hippler                    Chairperson

#### EDUCATION

Ercegovich, Edward              Chairperson  
 Ketelsen, Keith                    Co Chairperson

#### FUND RAISING

Moorman, Robin                    Chairperson  
 Milburn, Ron                      Co Chairperson  
 Wooldridge, Sandra              Co Chairperson

#### LIFESAVERS

Davis, De                            Chairperson  
 Hampton, Marilyn                 Co Chairperson

#### RECEPTIONS

Minor, Carmen                    Chairperson  
 Benson, Beverly                  Co Chairperson

#### SENIOR EVENTS

Mink, Lilian                        Chairperson  
 Davis, Helen "Mickey"            Co Chairperson

#### TRAFFIC CONTROL

Nohr, Daryl                         Chairperson  
 Van Zandt, Dennis                Co Chairperson

Telephone number and email address for these chair and co chair persons can be found in your Membership Directory.

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### **What's in your newsletter?**

- ◆ **Getting to know you**
  - ◆ **Police Blotter and QC Marathon**
  - ◆ **Speed Reading Page**
  - ◆ **Radio's, Training and Halloween Parade**
  - ◆ **Association Statistics**
  - ◆ **Committees—Chair & Co Chair**
  - ◆ **DIRECTORIES ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT EACH MEETING**
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