



Council Update – Chief of Police

October 10, 2023

Coffee with a Cop – We extend our gratitude to each one of you who showed up for a cup of joe and some conversation! A special thank you to our local Starbucks manager, Danielle Jewell, and her staff! Danielle went above and beyond to accommodate our event. She and her staff were terrific to work with and made this event a big success.



Conference – Lieutenant Overly and Bexley Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association (BCPAAA) member, Linda Kopp, attended the National Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association (NCPAAA) Conference in Virginia Beach. In addition to valuable information obtained from the guest speakers, the networking each evening provided us with many creative programming opportunities that the Bexley Alumni Association can offer to our community. Many thanks to the Bexley Community Foundation for the financial support given to make this opportunity possible.

BCPAAA members Linda Kopp and Lin Duren were awarded the NCPAAA Member Achievement award.

Citizens Police Academy – Students participated in an OVI education class and in the most recent class, had the opportunity to spend some time on the shooting range utilizing various weapons that Bexley Officers carry.

CERT – Participants are in their 5th week of training. Last week, the topic Disaster Medical Operations was covered. This class taught how to bandage wounds, treating open fractures, and splinting.

HEARTSafe Bexley – The kick-off on October 1st was a big success. Fifty-three citizens have signed up to receive the training.



Detective Bureau – Detectives are wrapping up their background investigations for police officer candidates. They hope to finalize their investigations in the next couple of weeks.

Det. Briley and Det. Byrd are teaching CPR for the HEARTSafe Bexley campaign.

Sgt. Otte helped present at the Citizen Police Academy during the always fun OVI night.

Collectively, they also executed two search warrants on cell phones to help identify more suspects out of a burglary, issue one subpoena, and submitted eight cases to be presented to the Grand Jury for indictment.

Statistics:

Start Date	End Date	Calls for Service	Business Check	Total	Incident & Offense Reports	Arrest Reports	Crash Reports	Total	Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Burglary/ B&E	Robbery
1/1/2023	10/4/2023	14412	2621	17,033	744	282	152	1,178	194	39	49	7
1/1/2022	10/4/2022	9693	162	9,855	724	293	135	1,152	174	45	43	6
10/5/2022	10/4/2023	18011	3015	21,026	1,001	373	205	1,579	262	59	65	11
10/5/2021	10/4/2022	12598	162	12,760	1,019	426	189	1,634	269	59	66	6