

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAMS
2013**

Neighborhood Watch

The Marshfield Police Department has assisted with the coordination of Watch Programs for a number of city neighborhoods. The members of the watch groups identify the concerns of the neighborhood and the amount and type of participation needed. Their involvement may be as simple as reporting suspicious persons/activities or performing citizen patrols of the neighborhood. The watch group members may also host meetings, during which the Neighborhood Watch Coordinator Officer Meek is available to discuss recent crime trends, answer questions, or provide “training” to new members. There are a total of 198 residences in Marshfield that are active participants in the program, having posted numerous watch signs within the city.

Apartment Watch

The Apartment Watch Program is intended to act as a “neighborhood watch” for many apartment complexes located within the City of Marshfield. Although the program is not limited to the elderly communities, it has traditionally targeted apartment complexes designed to house the elderly. This program focuses not only on violent crime prevention, but also on telemarketing scams and other fraud prevention.

Carrier Alert Program

The Marshfield Police Department and your local postal service have joined together to offer the City of Marshfield residents the Carrier Alert Program.

This program is designed primarily for the elderly and handicapped who reside alone. Carrier Alert is available free of charge to city residents who live alone and may have difficulty reaching vital services in the event of an accident or sudden illness. If living alone worries you or a loved one, the Carrier Alert Program can offer peace of mind. Your letter carrier will call for help if it appears that it is needed.

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
FRED BEELL HONORS AND SERVICE AWARDS
2013**

Fred Beell Honors Award

The Fred Beell Honors award is presented to members of the Marshfield Police Department for acts of bravery beyond the member's basic duty which subject the member to a high risk of serious injury.

Members of the Marshfield Police Department may be nominated by a coworker or a citizen by submitting a detailed account of the incident to the Chief of Police for consideration. A five member panel then reviews submissions to determine if the award criteria are met prior to making a recommendation to the Chief of Police for final approval.

Recipients are presented with a commemorative coin with a depiction of fallen Marshfield Police Officer Fred Beell and the words "Service Over Self" inscribed on it. The presentation is made at the department's annual honoring of Peace Officer Memorial Day in May of each year.

There were no Fred Beell Honors Awards presented in 2013.

Fred Beell Service Award

The Marshfield Police Department also addressed the need to formally recognize members of the department who honorably served the community for more than 25 years with the creation of the Fred Beell Service Award. This commemorative coin of similar design is also presented to deserving recipients at the Peace Officer Memorial Day service.

The Fred Beell Service Award was presented on May 14, 2013 to Sergeant Duane Nothnagel for his 30 years and 9 months of service, PSLO Haldan Woolworth for his 29 years and 1 month of service, and Sergeant James Hiller for his 28 years and 1 month of service.

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
MULTI MEDIA EDUCATION COMMITTEE
2013**

In 2013 committee members continued their efforts to assist citizens to become more informed about various laws and topics of interest.

Committee members are: ,

- Administrative Assistant Peggy Lindner, Chairperson
- Staff Services Supervisor Lorrie Krokstrom
- Lieutenant Darren Larson
- Lieutenant Richard Gramza
- PSLO Christine Giacomino
- PSLO Rochley Gross
- Officer Dan Salacinski
- Ordinance Officer Bob Larsen
- Records Specialist Cindy Gaetz

Committee members met regularly throughout the year to draft weekly “POLICE PLAIN TALK” articles. Every week a topic is addressed, and when possible, the topic is presented at a time of year when it is most valuable.

The “Police Plain Talk” appears in the Marshfield News Herald, and the articles are also available on the City of Marshfield web site.

The committee welcomes input from department personnel and citizens on what topics to be addressed in observance with its goal of keeping the public better informed about new and current laws as well as other issues that make Marshfield a safe community.

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORDINANCE CONTROL
ANIMAL CONTROL FUNCTIONS
2013**

In 2013 dogs and cats available for adoption were featured on the Marshfield Area Pet Shelter (MAPS) website <http://marshfieldpetshelter.org> and Facebook. Stray cats are impounded at the Park View Pet Motel and stray dogs at a private kennel, while advertisements are placed in the Marshfield News Herald in an effort to locate the owners of these animals. Other animal types that ordinance handled in 2013 included ferrets, birds, muskrats, owls, ducks, woodchucks, snakes, and opossums.

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
DOMESTIC ANIMALS AT LARGE			
Turned over to South Wood Co. Humane Society		7	4
Returned to Owner	72	61	58
Adopted	116	68	153
Euthanized	<u>34</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>19</u>
TOTAL AT LARGE	222	176	234
INJURED OR DOWNED	21	19	16
ANIMAL BITES	16	22	17
TRAP ASSISTS	73	96	92
OTHER COMPLAINTS HANDLED	<u>1,414</u>	<u>1,633</u>	<u>1,700</u>
TOTAL ANIMAL COMPLAINTS	1,524	1,770	1,825
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WARNINGS/CITATIONS ISSUED			
Warnings	101	85	102
Citations	<u>18</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>
TOTAL ISSUED	119	98	120
TOTAL FINE AMOUNT	\$2,115	\$1,671	\$2,127
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ANIMAL IMPOUND SERVICES			
Impounded Animal Fee Collected	\$1,080	\$1,140	\$1,239
Impound Dog Fee Collected	\$1,409	\$1,393	\$ 747
Impound Cat Fee Collected	<u>\$ 382</u>	<u>\$ 261</u>	<u>\$ 646</u>
TOTAL FEES COLLECTED	\$2,871	\$2,794	\$2,632
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Park View Pet Motel Fee	\$6,259	\$6,092	\$6,213
WCS Kennel (dogs only)		\$3,260	\$1,907
South Wood County Humane Services Fee		<u>\$ 210</u>	<u>\$ 140</u>
TOTAL FEES PAID	\$6,259	\$9,562	\$8,260

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORDINANCE CONTROL
PARKING REPORT
2013**

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Parking Citations Issued by Ordinance (includes part-time parking enforcement employee)	832	800	704	1,029
Parking Citations Issued by Patrol	1,084	803	535	913
Parking Citations Issued by St. Joseph's Hospital/ Marshfield Clinic	242	619	753	504
Total Parking Citations Issued	2,158	2,222	1,992	2,446
Suspension Requests to State	65	78	87	88
* Paid Suspension Fine	\$1,030	\$ 700	\$ 740	\$ 930

Program Funds Recovered by the City of Marshfield
* Includes payments of tickets issued from previous years

MONEY DEPOSITED WITH CITY TREASURER

Parking Tickets	\$44,051	\$29,497	\$27,014	\$36,005
Parking Permits	\$19,322	\$18,689	\$24,367	\$22,278
TOTALS	\$63,373	\$48,186	\$51,381	\$58,283

**MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS
2013**

<u>Full Time Guards</u>	<u>Served Since</u>	<u>Location</u>	
Mills, Pete (am)/Rhodes, Darlene (pm)*		Doege & Peach	
Suckow, Dennis	09/05	17 th & Palmetto	
Scheuer, John	09/98	St. Joseph & Upham	
Scheibe, Ron	08/93	17 th & Felker	
Cannon, Tom	10/07	14 th & Schmidt	
Christman, Steven	09/02	Walnut & Upham	
Berg, Denise	10/06	11 th & Adams	
Rhodes, Dennis	04/01	Becker & Peach	
Neuman, Todd	08/92	8 th & Peach	
 <u>Substitute Crossing Guards</u>			
Christman, Sandra	09/02	Rhodes, Darlene*	09/05
Weber, Eugene	12/08	Mills, Peter*	12/08
Oemig, Roger	01/13		
 Summer School 2013	Denise Berg/Todd Neuman Richard Siemers/Pete Mills	Upham & Walnut St Joseph & Upham	

Retirement: Richard Siemers 09/98 - 11/2/13

With the retirement of Richard Siemers, Tom Cannon was placed at 14th/Schmidt full time and substitute crossing guard Peter Mills was assigned to cover the morning crossing duty at Doege/Peach.

MARSHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICE AUXILIARY 2013

The Marshfield Police Auxiliary is made up of civic-minded community members who volunteer their time to assist the Marshfield Police Department with patrol and crowd management functions during times requiring increased departmental presence. These volunteers do not have arrest powers, but they receive training in many police tasks which allow them to assist in maintaining safe and orderly community events.

Members of the community wishing to become members of the Marshfield Police Auxiliary are asked to submit an application, which can be obtained from the police department. Applicants are subject to a background check and then asked to participate in an interview with current members. Successful applicants are then given probationary member status as they are trained by more senior members of the organization over a period of six months prior to becoming full members of the organization.

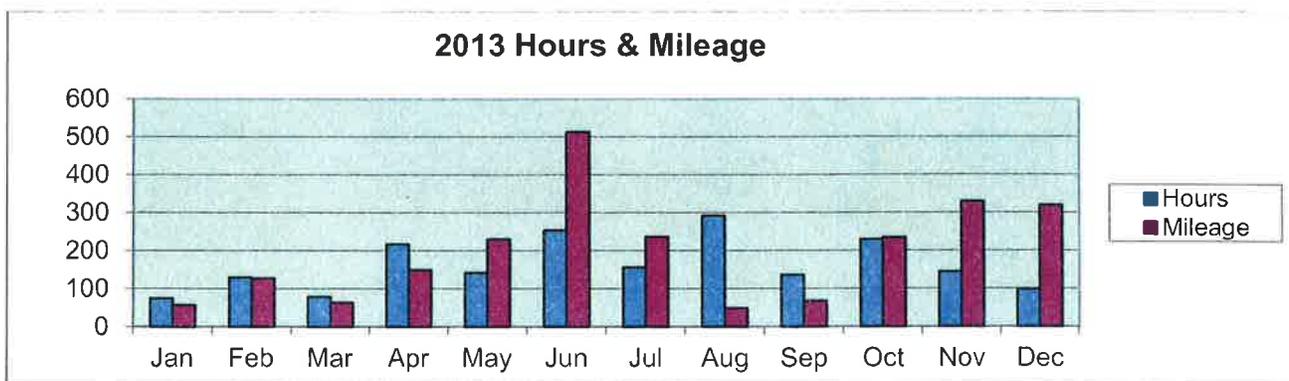
2013 Highlights

The Marshfield Police Auxiliary had a very good 2013! The organization kept membership relatively steady during its 36 years of existence in support of the Police Department. The highlight of the year was seeing Carolyn Witzel reach 30 years of service with the auxiliary in November. She continues to be one of the most active members.

We also saw the promotion of Steve Steingraber to the Director position, Karmen Gorman and Tom Witzel to Squad Leader, and the promotion of Robin Ogden and Brian Greenwald to Assistant Squad Leader.

Sergeant Dennis Keffer and Officer Jamie Kizer assisted the Police Auxiliary in 2013 as the police department's Auxiliary Liaison Officers.

The Police Auxiliary donated 2,191.75 hours of service to the Marshfield community and amassed 2,371.5 patrol miles in 2013.



Events and Activities

Monthly Meetings & Administrative Functions
High School Basketball
High School Wrestling
Role Play Assistance for Officer Training
Marshfield Children's Festival
Distracted Driving Course
Police Officer Memorial Day
High School Graduation
Memorial Day Parade
Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics
Dairyfest Picnic in the Park
Dairyfest Parade
Mike's Run
Traffic Control at Crash Scenes
Tractor Pull Event
Movies in the Park
Hub City Days Car Show
Relay for Life
Central Wisconsin Fair (227.75 hours!)
Maple Fest Heart Walk
Homecoming Parade
Trunk or Treat Event
Main Street Holiday Parade
Hot Chocolate Fun Run

General Patrol
YMCA Kids Day
Officer Ride Alongs
Traffic Assistance at Fire Calls
Car Seat Recycling Event
Police Auction Assistance
Traffic Control Training
Marshfield Sharks Football Games
Severe Weather Watch
Dairyfest Mayor's Breakfast
Dairyfest Cheese Chase
Hospital Candlelight Vigil
Car Cruise
4th of July Fireworks
United Way 5k
Hub City Days Duathlon
Hub City Days Beer Garden Patrol
Marshfield Kids Expo
High School Football
Senior Health Fair
Get Fired Up for Safety Event
Halloween Patrol
Turkey Trot Run
Rotary Winter Wonderland Traffic Control

Years of Service

30+ Years

Rick Witzel (34)
Carolyn Witzel (30)

20-24 Years

Len Nyen (24)

15-19 Years

Tom Witzel (16)

10-14 Years

Bill Meyer (14)

5-9 Years

Tony Wolf (8)
Sharon Frueh (5)
Steve Steingraber (5)

1-4 Years

Rick Slark (3)
Karmen Gorman (2)
Travis Schuld (2)
Josh Wecker (2)
Brian Greenwald (1)
Heather Kieffer (1)
Robin Ogden (1)
Mason Frost (1)

New Members

Mary Bauer
Nate Kieffer
Tony Kitowski
Jacob Schar
Todd Schonfeldt

Resignations

Adam Sternweis (9)
Rylie Potter (6)
Tammy Schmitt (3)
Jeremy Ruggles (3)
Alec Hannum (1)
Christopher Arneson (1)
Jacob Gehrett (1)
Caleb Herrin (1)

Organization Chart

Gary Jepsen, Chief of Police
Sergeant Dennis Keffer, Liaison Officer
Officer Jamie Kizer, Assistant Liaison Officer
Steve Steingraber, Director
Rick Witzel, Assistant Director
Sharon Frueh, Hours Secretary
Brian Greenwald, Meeting Secretary
Karmen Gorman, Treasurer
Tony Wolf, Training Officer

Carolyn Witzel, Squad Leader	Tom Witzel, Squad Leader	Karmen Gorman, Squad Leader
Len Nyen, Assistant Squad Leader	Brian Greenwald, Assistant Squad Leader	Robin Ogden, Assistant Squad Leader (TA)
Rick Witzel (TA)	Bill Meyer	Tony Wolf
Josh Wecker	Steve Steingraber (TA)	Sharon Frueh
Heather Kieffer	Travis Schuld	Rick Slark
Mason Frost	Caleb Herrin	Mary Bauer (P)
Nate Kieffer		Tony Kitowski (P)
Todd Schonfeldt (P)		

(P) indicates probationary member (TA) indicates Training Assistant

Respectively Submitted By



Sharon Frueh, Secretary

Approved By



Steve Steingraber, Director