

The Informant



Calendar of Events:

- June 11th—General Meeting @ 7pm
- June 16th—Juneteenth Parade
- June 10th BPD/CPAAA Picnic
- July 7th—Hot Nights, Cool Tunes
- July 9th—General Meeting @7pm



Brenham Police Department ushers in a new era with the Swearing-In of it's new *Police Chief, Louis Allwin Barrow Jr.* Chief Barrow took his Oath of Office on May 14th, with the Honorable Judge Robert Wright officiating. Present were family, friends and his new BPD Family (shown below). More on Page 5.



Sgt. Chris Jackson retires from the Brenham Police Department after 20 + years with the City and almost 25 years in Law Enforcement. More on page 4. *Good Luck Chris!*

Happy Birthday Brenham PD

- Misty McCowan** 6-3
- Sgt. Lloyd Powell** 6-13
- Chief Allwin Barrow** 6-23
- Det. Kevin Mertz** 6-26
- Det. Michael Davis** 7-2

*Remember Dad
June 17th*



Citizens on Patrol

May was another busy month for our COP's and we'd like to give a HUGE

THANK YOU to all of our hard working volunteers:

May 10th - Blinn College Graduation Parking/Traffic Assignment: [Ron Upchurch](#), [Laura Sparks](#), [Dorothy Antkowiak](#), [Bob Cothorn](#), [Tex Davis](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Stan Ford](#), [Dale Green](#), [Rosie Langford](#), [Howard Mead](#), [Corina Smith](#), [Mark Smith](#), [Annette Tiemann](#).

May 18th - Motorcycle Club Downtown Safety Assignment : [Rosie Langford](#), [Sherry Parker](#), [Clarence Steinfeld](#).

May 22nd - 4th Grade Local History Day Safety Assignment : [Annette Tiemann](#), [Sue Braun](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Rosie Langford](#), [Rob Aguilar](#).

May 22nd - Brenham Church of Christ Drive-Thru Traffic Assignment : [Rosie Langford](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Albert Green](#), [Harry Jones](#).

May 24th - 4th Grade Local History Day Safety Assignment: [Rob Aguilar](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Rosie Langford](#)

May 24th - Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Escort: [Rob Aguilar](#)

May 26th - Call Out to 36 N at Hwy 290 W for Traffic Control Assignment: : [Rob Aguilar](#), [Tex Davis](#), [Albert Green](#).

May 26th - BHS Graduation Parking Assignment : [Tex Davis](#), [Dorothy Antkowiak](#), [Annette Tiemann](#), [Wayne Miller](#), [Albert Green](#), [Ron Upchurch](#), [Dale Green](#), [Patricia Badough](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Rosie Langford](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Wanda Aguilar](#), [Rob Aguilar](#).

May 26th—BHS Project Graduation Safety Assignment : [Rob Aguilar](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Ron Upchurch](#), [Annette Tiemann](#), [Patricia Badough](#), [Rosie Langford](#), [Dorothy Antkowiak](#), [Albert Green](#),

May 31st—Movies in the Park Safety Assignment : [Rosie Langford](#), [Richard Jares](#), [Patricia Badough](#).

June 1st—First Friday Farmers & Artisans Market Safety Assignment : [Richard Jares](#), [Ron Upchurch](#)

Hope I didn't forget anyone!

Photos in this issue taken by: [Rosie Langford](#), [Sue Braun](#), [Wanda Aguilar](#), [Doug Feist](#), [Alyson Tofel](#) and [Rob Aguilar](#). Thanks Guys!

MAY COP Hours

Rob Aguilar	96.5
Wanda Aguilar	16
Dorothy Antkowiak	33.5
Clyde Averitt	2
Patricia Badough	30.25
Kevin Braun	6
Sue Braun	25
Willie Brown	12
Robbie Gail Charette	2
Bob Cothorn	30.5
Michael Cowan	12
Tex Davis	56.75
Peter Emerson	2
Doug Feist	98
Stan Ford	8.25
Albert Green	54.75
Dale Green	26
Juanita Hickey	14.5
Richard Jares	40.75
Harry Jones	7
Dick Klein	12
Rosie Langford	40.5
Howard Mead	10
Wayne Miller	4
Sherry Parker	14
Carole Petzolt	5
Monroe Petzolt	2
Merlene Schumacher	2
Corina Smith	13.75
Mark Smith	12
Tony Smith	17
Laura Sparks	13.5
Clarence Steinfeld	12
Billy Sutherland	3
Annette Tiemann	50.75
Ron Upchurch	53.5
Catharine Wood	17.5
Chuck Wood	5.5

TOTAL 891.75

Thanks for everyone's hard work, it doesn't go unnoticed!!

NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

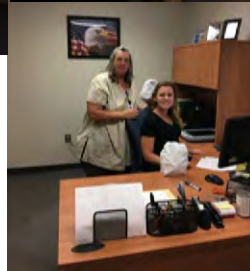


National Police Week
5/13-19/18

We honored our Boy's in Blue (and Ladies) with "goodie bags".

We handed out some of these bags (at right), but left the rest for each Officer to claim when they came on duty. Hope no one was left out!

Just one way to say THANK YOU for all that you do!



"ANNUAL BPD/CPAAA FAMILY PICNIC"

SUNDAY, JUNE 10TH, 2018

AT

FIREMAN'S PARK

2:00 PM TO 6:00 PM

(Please RSVP the number of people that will be attending with you to Jared Campbell or Alyson Tofel by Friday, June 8th)

Anyone that knows Sgt. Chris Jackson will tell you that he can surprise you with the things that he says and does. Well, in true Chris fashion, we were surprised once again; some of us were even shocked. He announced his retirement from the Brenham Police Department. His reasons for leaving are many and make a lot of sense. He will be leaving a large void in our department and in our hearts and minds. He has been such a good friend to so many; and has always been very professional in his interactions with people while on duty. He has also been quite the cut-up and prankster, both, on and off duty. As the Liaison Officer for our organization for almost 9 years; he means a great deal to most CPAAA/COP members. Chris says he will be going to the La Porte area to be closer to much of his family. This move will give him the opportunity to start a new career; and at his age, he will be able to retire a second time. He will most likely join the La Porte Police Department and continue in law enforcement, a career that he loves. The Department gave Chris a Retirement Party on June 4th; his last day was June 5th (some of the photos below are from that party, while others are of Chris doing his job and doing it well). I know that I speak for everyone when I say that he will be missed and we all wish him well in his future endeavors. He says that he will miss this Department, his fellow officers, friends, and all of his COP friends. Chris also says that he will come back and visit (we are going to hold you to that Chris). To Chris Jackson, all the best; you deserve it and Good Luck from everyone here!



Our new Police Chief, Louis Allwin Barrow Jr. was sworn-in on May 14th by the Honorable Judge Robert Wright. There was a reception that followed on the second floor lobby at City Hall where his wife, Kathleen (a Tax Attorney), was presented with a gift basket from City Manager James Fisher. A couple of his children and grand children were also on hand for the ceremony and festivities; as were several police officers, city officials and COPs (see photos below). His first day here in Brenham was a long one, as he was asked to come and speak at our CPAAA Meeting later that same evening. He graciously accepted my request and he introduced himself to the members gathered. He told us a great deal about where he came from and his background, especially his law enforcement credentials. He is a Texas boy from Beaumont who had aspirations of becoming an engineer like his father. While attending Lamar University in Beaumont he started looking for a night time job to pay for his education. The Beaumont Police Department was hiring college students as they were rapidly expanding their force. He was on the force for 18 months before his graduation from the Police Academy. He decided he loved police work, and stayed with the Beaumont PD for 20 years before retiring and going to Kerrville to become its Police Chief. He then spent 10 years as the Waxahachie Police Chief; before retiring again. After his retirement he was recruited by the Texas Police Chief's Association for an interim chiefs job. And he was called upon several times to fill in for chiefs all over Texas. After his move to Nebraska, he was a Law Enforcement Security Advisor; he says, he just needed a computer at home and a nearby airport to do his job. He also told us about his education and credentials. He has a Masters Degree in Criminal Justice Management from Stephen F. Austin University. He is a Master Peace Officer with well over 5,000 hours of management and specialty skills training. We found out that he has a great sense of humor, he loves to play golf and is very good on the links. He and his wife love to ride motorcycles (they both own Harleys); he used to race bikes in his younger days. I found out later that he helped organize the Texas Best Practices program; that we are a member of; and only 3 percent of departments are recognized by. I also learned that of his children, 2 are Surgeons, 1 is a lawyer, 1 is an Airline Captain, and 1 is an event organizer. I think he will be a great asset to our department and to Brenham.



2018 SPECIAL OLYMPICS LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN



Great day for a run !



Thanks to Ofcs. Ashley Burns-Batson, Marley Mayo, Jose Perez and COP Lt. Rob Aguilar for helping with the escort.





Cpl. David Dudenhoeffer chats with firefighter Aaron Markizer at a fire scene.

LOCK IT OR LOSE IT



HIDE YOUR VALUABLES



LOCK YOUR VEHICLE



TAKE IT WITH YOU

Be Smart. Stay Safe.

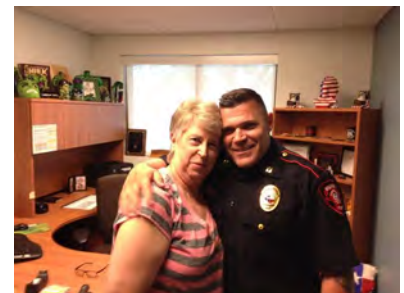
- Always keep your valuables out of sight or in the trunk
- Never leave valuables in unattended vehicles
- Always lock your vehicle
- Notify the police of any suspicious activity



At left: Albert Green directs traffic around the accident scene at Hwy 36 N and Hwy 290 W cloverleaf. Above right: Tex Davis is at the same scene on a different corner directing traffic. Rob Aguilar was also there directing traffic (and taking pictures). Tex was already patrolling and Albert and Rob were called at home to come out and assist Sgt. Steven Eilert with an oversized load that shifted, rolled and blocked the highway and cloverleaf.



Left to right: Annette Tie-mann, Dorothy Antkowiak, Wayne Miller, Dale Green, Albert Green, and Rosie Langford are preparing for the hundreds of vehicles that are about to converge on the Cubs Stadium Parking Lot for BHS Graduation. They were joined by Ron Upchurch, Doug Feist, Richard Jares, Patricia Badough, Wanda Aguilar, Tex Davis and Rob Aguilar. It was a warm, busy night of parking; followed by Project Graduation.



Guess who came by to visit BPD today? It is Ginger Bishop. I caught up with her in Captain (soon to be Sgt.) Gully's Office. She is doing fine, but her husband is recovering from a recent surgery. Good to see her!

Our new COP Candidates did what Mama told them never to do, they played in the street! When you read this, they will have all completed their COP Classes and will be in the ride-a-long stage of their training. *Richard Jares* has already completed his ride-a-longs and his 36 hours; he is now a COP! **Congrats!**



B.I.S.D. COP Appreciation Luncheon





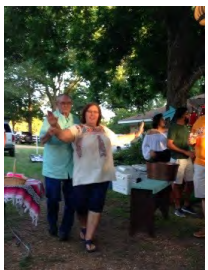
A BIG THANK YOU to all of the members that came out with baked goods to support our efforts. Some of our sales people are pictured above. The totals are in and our Annual Bake Sale Fundraiser netted us a tidy \$1313 this year. Again, THANKS for all of the support.

It's apparent that these ladies found their blouses at the same Mexican Market. How stylish and cute they all are!



Note: Unless necessary for officer safety, officers and communications specialist are to utilize "plain English" when communicating on our radio system. Signals and other 10 codes are still utilized for data entry and where officer safety is a concern. The approved 10 - codes are listed below:

- 10-4 : Acknowledgement
- 10-6 : Busy unless urgent (lunch, etc.)
- 10-33 : Emergency situation
- 10-94 : Secure radio
- 10-96 : possible mentally ill person
- 10-99 : wanted or stolen



At left: "Fred and Ginger" (Dale and Dorothy) give dancing lessons to the crowd at Country Shenanigans. Who knew they could be so graceful.

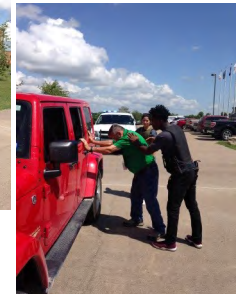
At right: Okay Wanda, now it's your turn. It's as easy as 1,2,3, 1,2,3, 1,2,3!!





At left: Brenham High School Senior, La'Javia Nicole Hopes was presented with the Officer Marsha Ellis-Ulrich Memorial Scholarship which is held here (far left) by CPAAA President Rob Aguilar. Ms. Hopes missed the ceremony, but received the award at a later date. Congratulations La'Javia!

City Manager James Fisher will speak at our July 9th General CPAAA Meeting. It should prove very interesting. Hope to see everyone there!



The above photos are of a "traffic stops" class at Brenham High School with BHS students and their teacher, BPD Res. Ofc. Bob Lawrence. Bob asked if COPs could assist with his class; myself and Doug Feist showed up with a COP vehicle, bullet proof vests, duty belts with cuffs and a rubber guns and a couple of hand held radios. The students conducted the stops including the squad car, calling in the offense with the radio and dealing with the offenders: Doug and Bob; I was the communications officer. It was fun!

As some of you may have heard, *Captain Trey Gully* has self-demoted himself to Sergeant effective next week. He will be the Patrol Sergeant taking Chris Jackson spot. Trey asked for this position way back in February, but Chief Pancoast insisted that he wait for the new Chief to be appointed to make that crucial decision. Trey says, "he misses the streets"; and anyone who listens to the police radio can attest to that fact. He also says that with his expertise and six years of experience as Captain he can mentor the other Sergeants as well as answer questions that arise around the department. I am sure that it can only improve what is already an awesome group of officers. As always, Trey thanked the COPs for all that we do and further, says he looks forward to working with us on the streets. It is not clear who the next Captain will be, or if there will be one as there may be some restructuring done soon ; we will all just have to wait and see. He is excited about hitting the streets and doing the best job that he can. *We are excited for him, and wish him the best!*

Local History Day for the 4th Grade was done on two different days this year; on Tuesday 5-22-18 and Thursday 5-24-18. If you have never worked a Local History Day, in your down time, try and listen to the history being told to the students. It is done in a very interesting way, the actors are telling the stories in the third person in an authentic manner which engages the listener and passes on important historical information. I learned a lot in those two days while I was waiting for the children in order to help them cross the streets. Below are some photos of Local History Day activities and at the bottom of the page are other photos of an Appreciation Party that the Local History Day Committee had for its volunteers. COPs that assisted at Local History Day were Rosie Langford, Annette Tiemann, Wanda Aguilar, Richard Jares, Doug Feist, Sue Braun, and Rob Aguilar. We were all at the Appreciation Party except for Sue. **Join us next year!**



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A Dad is

A Dad is respected because he gives his children leadership.

A Dad is appreciated because he gives his children care.

A Dad is valued because he gives his children time.

*A Dad is loved because he gives his children the one thing they
treasure most - himself.*

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY