Hello & Goodbye

We have a new Patrol Captain at 77th Street Area

Captain I John Shah left us for our neighboring division to the north-Southwest. We would like to thank him for all his hard work and dedication to the citizens and officers at 77th Division.

We would like to welcome our new Captain I Michael Odle. We look forward to working with you Sir.

We would like to wish you and your family a happy & safe Labor Day Weekend!

Follow us on Twitter @LAPD77thSt

Sign up for our newsletter, send an email to 77thCommunity@lapd.online

Important Numbers
Police/Fire/Medical emergencies call 9-1-1
Non-emergency police dispatch (877) ASK-LAPD (5273)
77th Street Community Telephone Directory
To report any non-emergency crime
Front Desk (323) 786-5077
77th Street Area Jail 323-786-5541
77th Street Area Gang Unit 323-786-5469
77th Street Area Vice Unit 323-786-5184
For prostitution, gambling, and alcohol related complaints
Detective Desk (323) 786-5420
Community Relations (323) 786-5012
Senior Lead Office (323) 786.5040
77th Street Area Official Police Garage
Al’s Towing
6180 St. Andrews Pl.
Los Angeles, CA 90047
323-778-4903
For impounded or recovered vehicles
For crime information in your area go to: www.crimemapping.com

CARNIVAL 2019
Loopy Bros/Classic Rides
SEPT. 20,21,22
On Broadway between Florence & 79th

7600 S. Broadway Los Angeles, CA 90003

77th Street Area
Community Newsletter

September 2019

Back to School

Welcome to our new Patrol Captain!
It’s Carnival Time!!!

77th P.A.L

CARNIVAL 2019

Sept. 20, 21, 22

Games • Rides • Food • Entertainment

Presale sold at Police Station

On Broadway between Florence & 79th
NATIONAL NIGHT OUT WAS A HUGE SUCCESS!

A huge thanks to the Matthew2535F Foundation & Dave Anderson for your generosity towards the youth of the 77th Street Community at "Shop with a Cop Day" at Staples. The entire store was filled with smiles from the youth.

Thank you to all those who attended!
Community Corner

Congratulations to our New Cadets that graduated from the Leadership Academy Class 8-19

Are you between the age of 13-17 yrs old and want to be part of the 77th Cadet Program?
Contact Officer Cook via email 39210@lapd.online

Over the past two weeks our SLO and CRO Officers have participated in multiple “Walk with a Cop to School”

Thank you to all the parents, teachers, staff and students who made those days so much fun!
**77TH GANG HOTLINE IS NOW TAKING CALLS**

The 77th Gang Enforcement Unit wants 77th residents to know that they are now accepting calls, *Stop the Violence! 323-786-5420*

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**Safety Tips to Help Prevent Robberies**

- Don’t openly display or “flash” jewelry in an unsecured environment
- Walk in groups when you can
- Pay attention to your surroundings
- Your cell phone is CASH to a thief! Don’t walk around talking or texting!
- Don’t keep your cell phone in your back pocket, where it can be easily “snatched”
- Avoid poorly lit areas and overgrown shrubs when walking.
- When conducting cash transactions, don’t “flash” your money. Be discrete!
- Most importantly, call the police if you observe suspicious activity. Be sure to get license plate information and detailed descriptions when doing so.
Avoid Scams!!!

You owe the IRS a lot of money. Pay with Google play or iTunes gift cards— or risk arrest and prosecution!

Grandma, I am whispering because I’ve been kidnapped in a foreign country! Please help! Buy Home Depot gift cards and send them to the kidnappers or I’ll get hurt!

You’ve won the million-dollar lottery from our country! To claim your prize, send a money order to cover the processing cost, agency release surcharge, Anti-Terrorist Act of 2019 mandatory fee, foreign lottery winner toll, and the local ordinance tariff to: 877-555-1212.

***FRAUD ALERT*** FRAUD ALERT*** FRAUD ALERT***

Billions of dollars are lost each year due to scams. Be informed, remain vigilant, and stay safe.

FTC: https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/blog/2018/10/scammers-demand-gift-cards
Giftcards.com: https://www.giftcards.com/gcgt/giftcard-scams
Get Involved!

Community Engagement Calendar

C-PAB meeting will be held on 09/12 at 6:00 PM @ 77th Street area

9/14 Peace March

8th Annual Wheelchair Basketball Tournament
Rita Walters Learning Complex
915 W. Manchester Ave, LA
9/7/19 9:00 am

World Special Federation
Contact: worldwsf@gmail.com 213-503-2007 323-819-1799

COMMUNITY PEACE MARCH
Pastor D. Keith Green, Head of the Clergy Council, and the 77th Street Area are partnering with our community to organize the 2019 Peace March. On September 14th we will walk alongside the community to spread the message of peace in South LA. Everyone is invited to take part in this event. Community Pride and Public Safety are shared responsibility.

Pastor D. Keith Green (310) 714-1695

TACO TUESDAY
09/24
TACO WITH COPS FUNDRAISER
DNA LIQUOR STORE
247 E MANCHESTER AVE
11:00 - 3:00 PM
Meet Senior Lead Officer Gary Verge

Officer Verge has been with the Los Angeles Police Department for 30 years. He has worked 77th Division for 28 of those years and is the longest tenured Senior Lead Officer, with 23 years in the unit. Officer Verge is ready to meet you at his next community meeting and assist you with your concerns.