



FIGHT FOR LIFE *"To Serve and to Heal"*

The 14th Annual "Fight for Life" boxing event took place on Friday, November 30, 2007, at the Los Angeles Sports Arena. A crowd of nearly 3,500 spectators attended this fundraiser that raised \$40,000 for medical research at City of Hope Cancer Center. The men and women officers from the boxing teams of the Los Angeles Police Department, Los Angeles City Fire Department (LAFD), and the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department (LASD) stepped into the ring to raise funds for the City of Hope's ongoing efforts in cancer research.

City of Hope is a bio-medical research and treatment center dedicated to the prevention, treatment, and cure of cancer and other life-threatening diseases. "City of Hope appreciates the dedication of the fighters and volunteers who work so hard to make this event a success," said Trish Devine, Director of Development, City of Hope Cancer Center. "People all over the world benefit from the research at City of Hope."

Opening ceremonies included a special tribute to Commander Jim Tatreau, who was honored for his support and dedication of this event since its inception. Commander Tatreau's wife and brother, a Lieutenant with the LASD, were in attendance.

FIGHT NIGHT RECAP

LAPD fared well this night. The fight card featured ten bouts scheduled for three boxing rounds, three minutes each.

First on the card was Suzie Gras, Rampart Division, against Mary "Speedy" Vasquez, Century Regional Detention Facility, in the 132-lbs. category. After warming up to each other, Vasquez went to the canvas in the second round on a strong punch from Gras. The third round was a barrage of blows, one of which knocked back the head of Vasquez. Gras picked up the first win of the night for LAPD.

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Chief's Message ... William J. Bratton, Chief of Police



As we begin a new year, I not only feel good about where we are going, but where we have been. The past year was a very good one for the Los Angeles Police Department. We continued our efforts to re-establish the LAPD as the leading law enforcement agency in the nation,

raising the bar of professional standards for ourselves and for our colleagues in law enforcement. We delivered declines in crime for the residents of the City of Los Angeles for the sixth year in a row, furthering a history-making success streak that is making local, national and international headlines.

By the time you read or see this, the Department will have begun the process of evaluating the end of year crime numbers for 2007. While the preliminary numbers are not yet in, certain trends are apparent and can be used as indicators of what we will likely see once all the statistics are finalized. What is very clear is that you, the men and women of the Los Angeles Police Department, are doing what some critics say can't be done: having a direct impact on crime. I continue to champion the fundamental idea that cops on the street equals fewer crimes. Quite simply, cops count, police matter. And more cops will mean an

even safer city. For a brief overview, look at this: projected at less than 400 for 2007, the number of homicides will be the lowest it has been since the early 1970's. In addition, there were fewer shooting victims in 2007 than in the previous year. Overall per capita crime is down to a rate lower than it has been since the early 1950's. Los Angeles is increasingly a better place to live, to work, and to visit. While we are still calculating, it is possible that

for 2007 we will have some of the most significant crime declines in the entire country for any major city.

The good news forecasting also includes our efforts at reducing gang crime. By identifying and targeting eleven of the most dangerous and active gangs, we have been able to decrease their overall crime by 11% so far in 2007, while increasing the number of arrests of those gangs' members by 20%. Several of our other gang initiatives have been successful as well, including the top ten most wanted gang members list, the increased involvement of patrol officers in gang injunction enforcement, gang awareness training for communities, and the creation of the South Bureau Criminal Homicide Group. Combined, these efforts have helped to reduce overall gang crimes at the time of this writing by 4.5%. Again, all of these statistics will be updated when we have finished the end of year evaluations, but these results mean that we are continuing to expand our anti-gang tactics and strategies with increasing effectiveness. There is more work to be done this new year but we have shown that when we focus the efforts of the entire law enforcement community and work with our city residents, we can and do reduce gang violence.

As encouraging as these trends look, there are a couple of indicators that are of concern and I want to address them here at the beginning of the year so they will be squarely on everybody's radar. First, burglary/theft from vehicles is up citywide, and has been for quite some time. We continue to

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Fight for Life

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The second fight put Jose Arellano, Van Nuys Division, against Adrian Rendon, LASD, Transportation Services, in the 135-lbs. category. Coming out punching and maintaining strong stamina for three rounds, Rendon picked up the first win for LASD. Rendon dedicated his victory to LASD Officer O'Dell, Transportation Services, who is battling cancer.

The next fight got the crowd on its feet as Paul Cullen, LAFD, faced off against Jose Arias, LASD, Twin Towers Correctional Facility. This fight was a three round slugfest, packed with powerhouse punches that left no room for jabs. In what came down to a very close decision, Cullen picked up the first victory for LAFD.

The fourth bout put Tom Gutierrez, Foothill Division, against Rashaan "All Purpose" Harrison, LASD, North Facility. Filled with hard hitting punches from both opponents, Harrison was given a standing 10 count in the second round. The fight was stopped before the end of the second round for the health and welfare of the fighter. Gutierrez was declared the winner by TKO.

Fifth on the card in the 205-lbs. category was a face off between Ivan Garcia, Newton Division, and Eric Nelson, LAFD. The first two rounds had each boxer strategically throwing punches. Nelson, who was visibly tired, maintained an aggressive barrage of punches in the final round that helped him secure the second win of the night for LAFD.

In the 195-lbs. category, Joel Ruiz, Newton Division, took on David "The Beast" Apodaca, LASD, Twin Towers

Correctional Facility. 39 seconds into the first round, Apodaca delivered a strong punch that knocked down Ruiz. Apodaca was declared the winner by TKO.

In the second female bout, with a very visible height difference, Ria Garcenile, Harbor Division, squared off against Julie Pertrelli, LASD, Inmate Reception Center. Each fighter strategically boxed each round. In a split decision, Pertrelli was given the win.

Jerry Mejia, Foothill Division, took on Jesse "The Gentleman" Venegas, LASD, Inmate Reception Center, in the 160-lbs category. Venegas dominated the first round, leaving Mejia with a bloody nose by the end of the round. Venegas continued dominating into the second round, knocking out Mejia, to secure LASD its fourth win.

In what turned out to be the most exciting fight of the night, John "El Conquistador" Negrette, Rampart Division, took on Oscar "Boom Boom" Rodriguez, LASD, Court Services LAX, in the 210-lbs. heavyweight division. Rodriguez got a standing 10-count in the third round, with the win going to Negrette.

The main event featured crowd favorite Rudy Barragan, Metro Division, against Joe "The Baby Face Assassin" Caamal, LASD, Inmate Reception Center. In a fight that did not disappoint spectators, Barragan captured the win after a very close decision.

A crowd of nearly 3,500 spectators attended the event and a total of \$40,000 was raised for medical research at City of Hope Cancer Center.

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7th Annual Lapd Angels Toy Drive Kicks Off Strong

Last month saw the return of the annual LAPD Angels Toy Drive for its seventh season. The toy drive was kicked off at a lively news conference held in the cafetorium of Para Los Niños, the non-profit organization whose core services include child development and education, a Charter School, after-school enrichment, youth diversion, delinquency prevention, and youth workforce services. In attendance were 80

kindergarten students from Para Los Niños Charter School, as well as members of the press, and several dignitaries.

This time around, the Department had the help of some well-connected friends to help start it all off with a bang. Los Angeles Police Foundation Chairman Jim Wiatt is also CEO of the William Morris Agency, the legendary talent agency that is home to many of Hollywood's biggest stars. It just

happens that the agency counts

Hasbro Toy Company as one of its clients. Mr. Wiatt thoughtfully secured a generous donation of 1,000 toys from Hasbro for the Department's Area stations to deliver to families in need during the holidays. Chief Bratton, along with Mr. Ronny Bensimon, Chairman of Para Los Niños; Karen Wagener, President of the Los Angeles Police Foundation; Mr. Wiatt, and several members of LAPD Centurions Baseball Team passed out many of the toys to 80 kindergarten students from Para Los



Chief Bratton addresses the crowd



The Chief and Mr. Wiatt hand out gifts

Niños Charter School. Every year, the Department and the communities we serve join forces for the toy drive, a community relations initiative that unites us all in a common cause

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caution the public to be careful with what they leave behind in unattended vehicles, and I ask that each of you do the same in your interactions with members of the community. It's pretty simple: you wouldn't leave a hundred dollar bill on the dashboard of a car, so why leave purses, laptops, phones, or other valuable items in plain sight of a thief? As you well know, the theft of these personal items may lead to other more violent crimes including burglaries, robberies and even rape.

Both here in Los Angeles and nationally, assaults against police officers are on the rise, another trend that gained momentum in 2007. By the beginning of December, the total number of LAPD officers shot was higher than it has been in 3 years. The number of non-hits was lower, but only by a few. Thankfully there were no LAPD officers killed in the line of duty. During the past five years we have shared many successes and I expect

other than law enforcement, and helps to build relationships between the Department and the people of our city. We ask our generous community members to donate gifts and new or gently used books to local underprivileged youngsters by dropping the off-unwrapped items to their Area stations in the month of December. Once collected, all the Department's police stations reach out to families in need within their own communities and distribute the gifts in the days before Christmas. Each year, LAPD officers give thousands of toys and books away for the holidays. □

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Foothill Area Senior Lead Officer Michelle Rodriguez

Foothill SLO Michelle Rodriguez came in second place, narrowly missing a slot on *Glamour* magazine's 2007 Women of the Year Awards list this past December, beating thousands of other entries in the national publication's survey. An annual tradition in its 18th year, *Glamour* has saluted "inspiring, high-achieving women" with this list, honoring celebrities, athletes, politicians, public figures, various professionals, and even organizations. The 2007 list includes the likes of actress Jennifer Garner, Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, clothing designer Donna Karan and Elizabeth Edwards, cancer survivor and wife of Democratic Presidential candidate John Edwards.

Officer Rodriguez was nominated for the award by Monica Cardenas, a community member who credits Rodriguez with changing her perception of police officers. Said Miss Cardenas, "I used to think police officers were sort of bullies, so when I

Glamourous in 2007



Cardenas, left, and Officer Rodriguez

went to meet her... I was totally taken aback... Officer Rodriguez has become a friend and is my inspiration. I'm even thinking about becoming a

police officer myself." Officer Rodriguez and Miss Cardenas met when Cardenas came to the station to discuss possible solutions to the crime in Foothill Area. The meeting resulted in a community relations initiative by Officer Rodriguez whereby local residents went on neighborhood walks to help prevent violence. Officer Rodriguez also helped establish lines of communication between her Area station and the community so concerned residents could contact the station directly with information about crime in the area. These initiatives have been characterized as effective and the Area has seen a decline in violent crime.

The Department salutes Officer Rodriguez for her hard work, her creation of successful community policing initiatives and for potentially having recruited a worthy candidate. □

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that will continue in this new year. As I begin my second five year term as your Chief, I will continue to direct the Department to focus its efforts on four major goals: reducing crime, achieving full compliance with the Consent Decree, significantly expanding terrorism prevention and preparedness, and growing the Department by 1,000 officers.

Along with these principal goals, my New Year's resolution for the

Department is to further research and acquire necessary technologies to facilitate your hard work. Real-time information-led policing is the direction our profession is taking in the information age, and is the key to our success in the future. LAPD will be the go-to department for many of these innovations. Delivering information to officers as soon as is feasibly possible is what is called for in the new policing paradigm of the 21st century. I expect that in

2008 the Department will see an increase in the use of technology as we look at ways of becoming even more efficient at fighting crime.

In closing, we find ourselves in a good position at the beginning of 2008. But with such great forward momentum, there is a need for even greater commitment. I expect continued annual crime reductions throughout the year. Keep doing your part, and I will keep doing mine. □

MESSAGE FROM OUR NEW POLICE COMMISSIONER

Robert M. Saltzman

Let me begin by saying “thank you” to so many Department employees who have welcomed me to the LAPD, and who have helped me transition into the role of a Police Commissioner. In my short tenure, you have already helped me learn a great deal about law enforcement in general, and about the LAPD in particular, but I know that so far I have only scratched the surface. I became a Commissioner with a healthy respect for the men and women in the LAPD; as I continue to learn the complexities of this unique profession, my respect for you has increased.

Although I am very new to the Police Commission, I can already tell that my fellow Commissioners and I each have unique perspectives, interests and goals as we look at the LAPD. Each Commissioner is very dedicated to helping the Department. Ranking high on my own list of goals for my time here is working to increase the number of officers on the street, and increasing the diversity of the force so that it is fully representative of this City. To that end, I am very interested in personnel issues, as I believe that a content and motivated workforce is an important tool in our recruitment efforts. Similarly, I am interested in working to help make sure that officers have the benefit of the most of modern technology available to assist in law enforcement.

Of course I am also interested in maintaining the momentum in reducing crime. Each member of the Department is to be commended over and over again for the impressive crime reduction achievements this year. It is extraordinary to think about the

number of individual people who were not victims of crime as the result of your hard work and dedication.

While I may not have the chance to meet each and every one of you, I welcome the opportunity to meet as many of you as possible as I visit various locations



Robert M. Saltzman,
Commissioner

around the Department. I have great admiration for your dedication to your unique and challenging assignments. I am honored and privileged to be part of a Commission that will support you in your outstanding work.

Thank you.

Robert M. Saltzman,
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Animal Cruelty Task Force Recognized by City Council

On Friday, December 14, 2007, the Los Angeles Animal Cruelty Task Force (ACTF) was recognized by City Council for its outstanding work since its inception in July 2005. The Task Force became operational in October of the same year with the mission to break the connection between animal abuse and human violence while at the same time educating the community on the significance of animal abuse. Additionally, ACTF has provided information on the strong correlation between domestic violence and animal cruelty.

ACTF investigates complaints of animal cruelty, animal neglect, dog fighting, cockfighting, animal hoarding, animal sacrifice, and bestiality in the City of Los Angeles. The Task Force is made of a partnership between Los Angeles Police Officers and Detectives, Department of Animal Services Officers and Deputy City Attorneys. ACTF has investigated more than 400 cruelty against animal cases, 15 dog fighting rings and 35 cockfighting operations.

City Councilmember Tony Cardenas praised the success of ACTF, which has presented 167 cases to the City Attorney's Office and has filed 93 felony animal cruelty cases. The partnership between these city entities have saved hundreds of animals and arrested those who have neglected

and, in some cases, tortured their pets. Community Members can report cruelty against animals by calling (213) 847-1417.

The Department offers congratulations to the hard-working members of the ACTF who received this well deserved recognition. □



Councilmember Cardenas with ACTF members

ACTF



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HAPPY 139th BIRTHDAY, LAPD

By Glynn Martin, Executive Director, Los Angeles Police Historical Society



When the names of inventors, founders, or even creators are thrown about, Cristobal Aguilar is't regularly mentioned. More recognizable names typically come to mind.

Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Edison, Walt Disney and more recently Bill Gates are names associated with the beginnings of great inventions and great organizations. Odds are few would associate Aguilar with

starting something big. But he did.

It was the will of Aguilar that brought the LAPD into this world. When Aguilar took office in late 1868, the mayor of Los Angeles had two officials in the city's employ that were involved in law enforcement. William C. Warren was the Marshal, and S.H. Bryant was the Overseer of the chain gang. The records of late 1868 tell of Aguilar's start of something bigger. "On motion, resolved, that his Honor the Mayor appoint a City Police by and with the approval of the council to consist of four persons," read the records that now reside at the city archives.



Marshal William C. Warren, 1886

The records further identify the four who would join Warren and Bryant to form the first paid police force in early 1869. J.E. Reese, Robert Dobson, Jose Redona and

Joseph Dye were all approved for appointments as Policemen. They began drawing pay as the organized police force in January, 1869. The law enforcement function in Los Angeles had existed in a less organized

fashion prior to this time. The humble beginnings of a fully authorized and paid City police force came about on January 4, 1869, with the issuance of paychecks to those approved by the Common Council of the City of Los Angeles.

These were still the early days of Los Angeles. There were no uniforms to distinguish the earliest officers from the remainder of the city's horse riding residents. Officers' badges, eight pointed silver stars, were affixed to topcoats, vests or shirts of flannel. Neither was there uniformity in handguns or handcuffs. No procedural manuals existed. Bawdy houses and

liquor establishments were the roots of crime on the unpaved streets. This was a six-gun city now policed by a six-man force. A force that appears to have been officially born on January 4, 1869.

While the historical society doesn't know of any hoopla associated with this date, we are looking at some other significant dates, and significant ventures for this year. James Ellroy, the award-winning crime novelist, and great friend of the historical society has volunteered his time and talent for an evening benefit. We are currently in the planning stages, and hope to be spending a great evening with James in the first quarter of 2008. On May 18th, the historical society will participate in the annual Museums of the Arroyo Day. This was a highly successful venture for the museum last year, and we anticipate the same for the coming year. Come September, the historical society will host the annual Jack Webb awards, at the Sheraton Universal. Around the same time, the society will roll out an exhibit to commemorate the 100 year anniversary of the loss of Captain Walter Auble. In short, there are some ambitious plans for the coming year. As we look forward to another year of great success, we wish the same to each of you. □



BRONZE EAGLE LANDS AT C.A.M.P.

by Detective Charles Dempsey

The Detective Support and Vice Division (DSVD), Crisis Support Response Section (CRSS), Case Assessment Management Program (CAMP) was honored with the Bronze Eagle Award for being one of the top-three programs in Los Angeles County. It also received a Top-10 plaque and a Million Dollar Club Plaque. The awards were given at the 21st Annual Productivity and Quality Awards Ceremony and Luncheon held at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion on October 24, 2007. The County of Los Angeles Quality and Productivity Commission sponsored the ceremony. Honored with the CAMP personnel was the Department of Mental Health (DMH), Emergency Outreach Bureau.

CAMP was developed in 2005 as a follow-up asset for critical incidents involving persons with suspected mental illnesses, and for those individuals who generate a high number of emergency responses. Patrol divisions, and Systemwide Mental Assessment Response Teams often identify these individuals during field encounters. The

individuals are referred to CAMP with the goal of getting them appropriate mental health services, thus reducing the potential that they will generate emergency calls for service.



LAPD and DMH Team members with the Star Wars Stormtroopers from the 501st Legion Southern California Garrison.

In the photo from left to right starting with the bottom row. Detectives Charles Dempsey and Teresa Irvin, Captain Ann Young. Next row, Detective Gil Escontrias, Eric Price LCSW, Dr. Mar Southard, Director Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Linda Boyd, RN, MS Program Head, Law Enforcement Programs, Maureen Reily R.N., Detective Doreen Wilson, Officer Greg Parker, Gisele Fountaine R.N., Clinician Dr. Pierro D'Ingillo, Tony Beliz. PhD, Deputy Director. Los Angeles County Mental Health, Detective Paul Scire, and Kevin Kondo, Public Information Officer Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health.

CAMP was one of 10 finalists vying for the coveted Golden, Silver and Bronze Eagle awards. Clearly, as demonstrated by their work, all of the programs were worthy of recognition.

The awards are given to those programs that have demonstrated superior creativity and innovation. To be named as one of the best programs in Los Angeles County is a great honor. Accepting the awards on behalf of the Department were Captain Ann Young, Detective Theresa Irvin, Detective Gilbert Escontrias, Detective Charles Dempsey, and CAMP DMH-LAPD team members. Representing the DMH were Director Dr. Marvin J. Southard, Deputy Director Dr. Tony Beliz, and Law Enforcement Mental Health Program Head Linda Boyd.

The theme for this year's awards ceremony, "Leading the Quest for Excellence," was in honor of the 30th Anniversary of *Star Wars*. The event captured the spirit of the thousands of men and women who play a role in carrying out the County's mission of enriching lives through effective and caring service.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL WERE COMMENDED BY THE COMMUNITY IN THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2007



RECENT ACTIONS BY THE POLICE COMMISSION

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Frank Camello
 Domingo Mairena
 Nancy Reeves
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NOVEMBER 13: The Commission approved the Digital In-Car Video System agreement with International Business Machines. While there were some delays due to bidder protests, the cameras will be installed in the South Bureau first.

NOVEMBER 20: The Commissioners bid farewell to Police Commissioner Shelley Freeman. All Commissioners expressed their gratitude for her more than two years of devoted service. She, in turn, thanked her fellow Commissioners and the department, and listed several accomplishments of this Commission, including increased transparency, streamlining the use of force investigation process, assisting the Chief with his goals, promoting active and diverse recruitment, moving toward compliance on the Consent Decree, striving toward improvement on Skid Row, improving the resources of the Inspector General, working through several high-profile cases, officer safety improvements, and the reappointment of Chief Bratton.

The Department's report relative to the Police Explorer Program was approved with the understanding that more information regarding the relationships between the Boy Scouts of America and Learning for Life be provided at a future Commission meeting.

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 JANUARY 2, 2008
 12:30 P.M.**

2007 CRIME REDUCTION
 NEWS CONFERENCE
 Watts Towers

**THURSDAY
 JANUARY 3, 2008
 9:00 A.M.**

PROMOTION AND
 SWEARING-IN CEREMONY
 Parker Center Auditorium

**FRIDAY
 JANUARY 4, 2008
 9:00 A.M.**

RECRUIT GRADUATION
 Elysian Park Academy

**THURSDAY
 JANUARY 10, 2008
 10:00 A.M.**

DEDICATION OF
 VALLEY BOMB SQUAD
 AND TRAINING FACILITY
 Valley Bomb Squad
 and Training Facility

**THURSDAY
 JANUARY 10, 2008
 4:00 P.M.**

2007 GANG CRIME REDUCTION
 NEWS CONFERENCE
 Penny Lane Family Center

**ROLL CALL
 OF EVENTS**

CRIME WATCH CITYWIDE (YEAR TO DATE - 12/1/02)

Homicide - 15.4%	▼	Burglary - 2.8%	▼
Rape - 13.2%	▼	Burglary/Theft from Vehicle + 1.3%	▲
Robbery - 6.3%	▼	Personal/Other Theft - 6.8%	▼
Aggravated Assault - 8.4%	▼	Auto Theft - 4.4%	▼
Total Violent Crime - 7.7%	▼	Total Property Crimes - 3.1%	▼
		Total Part I Crimes - 4.1%	▼

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