

O'Fallon Police

Neighborhood Watch Newsletter – August 2019



August is an exciting month at OPD! The retirement of Captain Cavins created an opportunity for the promotion of THREE Officers.

- Officer **Bill Barlock** will be promoted to the rank of **Sergeant**
- Sergeant **Mike Mojzis** will be promoted to the rank of **Lieutenant**
- Lieutenant **Dave Matevey** will be promoted to the rank of **Captain**



Capt. Matevey

The newly-promoted Officers will be introduced to city officials at the regular monthly O'Fallon City Council Meeting on **Monday, August 5 at 7:00 PM.**

Residents are invited to attend all City Council meetings, which are held on the first and third Mondays of each month.



Sgt. Barlock



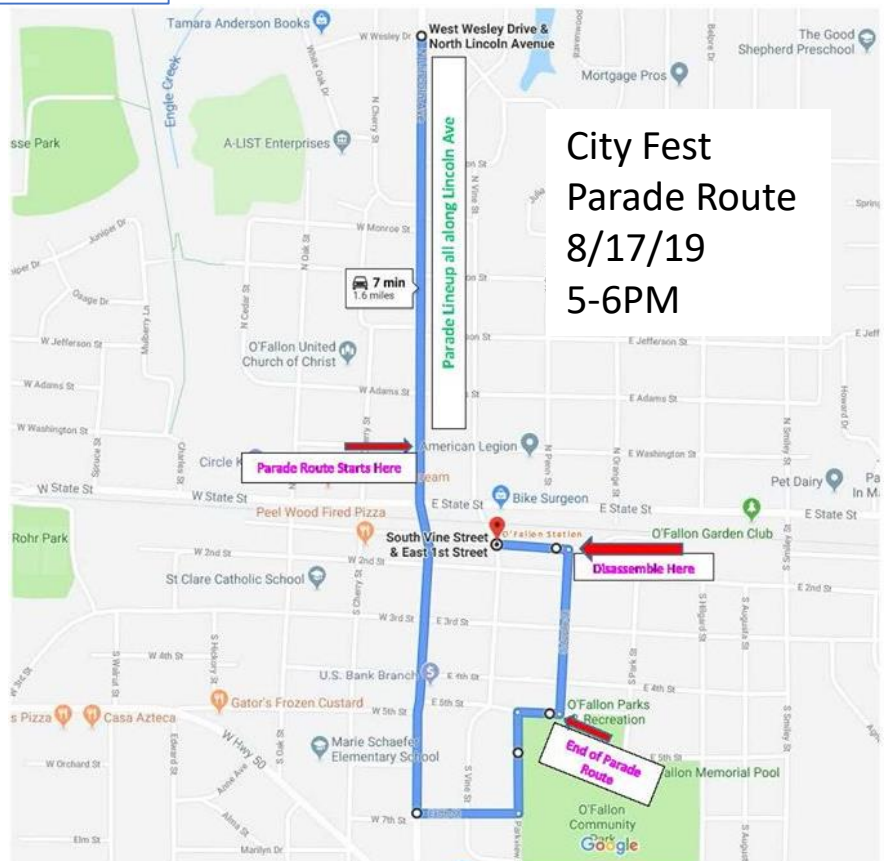
Lt. Mojzis



[O'Fallon City Fest](#) will be held in the Community Park at 401 E. Fifth Street on Friday, August 16 & Saturday, August 17.

Parking on side streets will be restricted as indicated by temporary signs. *Violators will be subject to tow at the vehicle owner's expense.*

Please be courteous to the residents who live in the area of the park. Don't park on private property without permission and don't leave trash behind.





Fundraising events for [Special Olympics Illinois](#) are in full swing! Members of the O'Fallon Police Department along with Illinois Department of Corrections Officers helped raise approximately **\$10,000** at [Texas Roadhouse](#) on July 26. Thank you to Texas Roadhouse and everyone who came out for your continued support of this great organization!

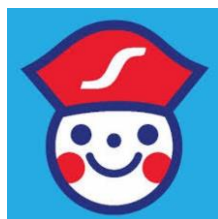


If you missed out on that event, don't worry! You can help us support our favorite athletes at these **upcoming August fundraisers**:

Special Olympic Merchandise Sales

(T Shirts, Hats, Lapel Pins, Harley-Davidson Raffle Tickets)

Friday, August 23 (12p-8p)
 Saturday, August 24 (10a-6p)
 Sunday, August 25 (10a-6p)



[Schnucks Seven Hills](#)

907 E. Highway 50
 O'Fallon, IL

Butterburgers & Badges

Culver's will donate 15% of their sales for the **ENTIRE DAY** to Special Olympics Illinois!

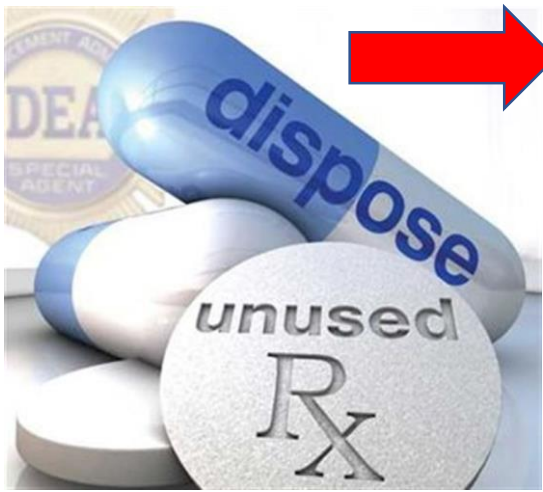
Thursday, August 29

Athletes and O'Fallon Police will be at the restaurant from 4 PM to 8 PM



[Culver's](#)

1702 W. Highway 50
 O'Fallon, IL



REMINDER! OPD hosts a **Drug Take Back Event** the first Saturday of every month in the lobby from 11AM – 1 PM.

Safely disposing of medications:

- Keeps the medication out of our water supply
- Keeps addictive and dangerous medicine from falling into the wrong hands

***We cannot take any needles, inhalers or liquids**



It's "Back to School" time and the O'Fallon Police Department would like to remind drivers that citations for **speeding in school zones** carry **heavier penalties** than standard tickets.

[625 ILCS 5/11-605](#)

In addition to a **mandatory court appearance**, violations of this Section are punishable with a **minimum fine of \$150** for the first violation and a **minimum fine of \$300** for the second or subsequent violation.

For the purpose of this Section, a school day begins at **7:00 AM** and concludes at **4:00 PM**.

Back to School Dates for O'Fallon Schools:

District 203 (OTHS)	August 13
District 90	August 14
District 104 (Central)	August 14
St. Clare	August 15
First Baptist Academy	August 19



SAVE THE DATE:

O'Fallon PD **Night to Unite**: October 1



Free Food!
 Free Goodie Bags for Kids!
 Free Raffles for Bicycles and Pizza!
 Police, Fire, and EMS Vehicles on Display!
 K9 Demonstration!
 Bounce Houses!
 Much More!

OPD Citizen Police Academy

Spots are still available for the 2019 session, which begins on September 4. Most classes are held from **6-9PM on Wednesday evenings**, with a couple bonus classes on other days.

Visit www.ofallon.org or click [HERE](#) for more details and [HERE](#) for the application.

Important Contacts

Police/Fire/EMS **Emergency – 911**
 Non-Emergency Police – 624-4545
 Non-Emergency Fire – 624-4515
 City Hall – 624-4500
 Neighborhood Watch Contact
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