



REYNOLDSBURG DIVISION OF POLICE

MISSION STATEMENT

**THE POLICE AND COMMUNITY,
IN A COOPERATIVE EFFORT,
WILL WORK TO PROMOTE
A SAFER REYNOLDSBURG
THROUGH EDUCATION, PREVENTION
AND ENFORCEMENT.**

VALUES

PROFESSIONALISM:

Providing police service in a competent, efficient and honest manner.

TEAMWORK:

**Working together within our Division, and with the Community,
with mutual respect, trust and pride, to achieve the goal of a
safer Reynoldsburg.**

DEDICATION:

**Committing individually, and collectively, to a course of action
necessary to fulfill our mission statement.**

EMPLOYEES HIRED IN 2007

Police Officer	Jamie Burr
Police Officer	Dan Downing
Police Officer	Scott Marshall
Police Officer	Kevin McCrady
Dispatcher	Mandi Griffin

EMPLOYEES WHO LEFT IN 2007

Police Officer	Brett Blake
Police Officer	David Moredock
Police Officer	Tom Tharp
Dispatcher	Carrie George
Animal Control Officer	Shelly Hofmann
Court Liaison Officer	Rick Keys
Accreditation Manager	Rod Lininger

Statistical Information

	2005	2006	2007
OFFENSE REPORTS	4,328	3,827	3,745
TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORTS	984	808	859

ALARMS	2005	2006	2007
ALARM CALLS	1,512	1,479	1,440
ACTUAL ALARMS	41	31	8
TOTAL ALARM PERMITS IN CITY	2,660	2,810	2,944

MISCELLANEOUS

	2005	2006	2007
JUNK CAR COMPLAINTS	1,802	1,638	1,665
PARKING CITES ISSUED	589	402	442
WRITTEN WARNINGS-PARKING	728	724	1,186
SALVAGE TITLE AFFIDAVITS FILED	189	118	71
COURT ORDERED IMMOBILIZATION	105	116	72
COURTESY WARNINGS-TRAFFIC	874	538	616
PRISONERS THROUGH OUR JAIL	518	670	860
CRIMINAL AFFIDAVITS	1,685	1,686	1,899
LOCK OUTS ON VEHICLES(opening locked vehicle doors for residents)	500	416	612
SPEEDING CITATIONS	2,279	2,363	3,174
OVI ARRESTS	581	471	397
EMPLOYEE COMMENDATIONS	81	48	108

CITIZEN COMPLAINT INVESTIGATIONS, DISCIPLINE INVESTIGATIONS, INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATIONS	2005	2006	2007
TOTAL INVESTIGATIONS	43	28	26
OUTCOME OF ALL INVESTIGATIONS			
UNFOUNDED/NOT SUSTAINED/CLOSED/PROPER CONDUCT/EXONERATED	31	9	12
DISCIPLINE/COUNSELING/TRAINING ISSUED	12	19	11
PENDING	0	0	3

3 YEAR CRIME COMPARISON			
PART I CRIMES	2005	2006	2007
MURDER	0	1	0
RAPE	6	6	20
ROBBERY	46	45	48
BURGLARY	208	193	156
ARSON	6	3	3
PART II CRIMES			
STOLEN AUTO/UNAUTHORIZED USE	139	94	111
ASSAULT	315	236	272
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	182	129	127
THEFT	1,028	964	1,037

Special Operations Unit

During 2007, the Special Operations Unit carried out 24 missions in the following categories:

- 20 high risk narcotic search warrants
- 2 narcotic knock and talk operations
- 1 high risk fraud search warrant
- 1 high risk counterfeit search warrant

SWAT officers were also utilized numerous times on patrol for potential high risk situations that did not result in a full scale callout.

SWAT officers were also used for:

- surveillance on narcotic locations and high crime areas
- plain clothes arrest warrant details
- back up and/or security for controlled narcotic purchases

SWAT officers were shot at while executing 2 of the narcotic search warrants in 2007.

Narcotics

During 2007, our narcotics investigations* resulted in the seizure of the following types and amounts of controlled substances:

TYPE OF DRUG SEIZED	2005	2006	2007
MARIJUANA	67.84 lbs	244.28 lbs	146.0 lbs
POWDER COCAINE	119.88 grams	2,422.10 grams	121.48 grams
CRACK COCAINE	276.89 grams	254.62 grams	22.26 grams
ALL OTHER SCHEDULE 1 AND 2 DRUGS	101.98 grams	61.74 grams	55.06 grams

*These totals reflect the results that have been returned from BCI&I testing. They do not include pending items or items that were in-house tested. Figures as of 11/28/07.

DETECTIVE BUREAU

Statistical information for the Bureau:

- 32 search warrants executed
- 227 Grand Jury packets prepared and delivered to the prosecutors in Franklin, Licking and Fairfield counties
- 67 referrals of suspected criminal activity investigated from organizations including Children's Services, MRDD Boards, Children's Hospital Advocacy Center and the National White Collar Crime Center
- The Bureau processed 66 background investigations for new hire candidates
- Detectives administered 47 CVSA's (Computer Voice Stress Analysis)
- 13 computer forensic evaluations, 5 of which were for other agencies (each takes approximately 1 week to complete)
- There were 18 video enhancements performed
- 403 cases were assigned
- 82 remain open
- 117 were closed by arrest
- 204 were exceptionally cleared
- 158 individuals were charged

COMMUNITY SERVICES

D.A.R.E.

In 2007, 640 students received D.A.R.E. instruction by one D.A.R.E. officer in the schools we serve.

CHILD SAFETY SEAT PROGRAM

The Reynoldsburg Division of Police is a member of the Central Ohio Safe Kids Coalition and is listed as a child safety seat fitting station. Forty (40) child safety seat checks were performed in 2007 at RPD and approximately ten (10) additional child safety seat checks were conducted during Safe Kids Coalition events attended by the D.A.R.E./Community Services Officer, to a total of 50. The number of appointments declined this year from previous years due to limiting appointments to Reynoldsburg residents only. This was done due to the growing demand by parents for this service from other communities around Central Ohio and limited manpower of RPD for this activity.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The D.A.R.E./Community Services officer participated in or attended various events during 2007 including:

- Christmas on the Town
- Children's fingerprinting and ID events
- Operation Gun Lock event
- Columbus Health Department/Central Ohio Safe Kids Coalition Child Safety Seat Events
- Block watch parties/meetings
- Stranger Danger/safety talks at daycare centers
- Senior safety talks at Senior Citizen Center or other similar facilities
- Business and residential security surveys
- Family Safety Day events at local businesses
- Red Ribbon Week events at St. Pius X School
- High School homecoming parade
- Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) speaking events at various Reynoldsburg City Schools
- Building tours and speaking events at Reynoldsburg Police Department
- Reynoldsburg Police Department open house event

SAFETY TOWN

In the summer of 2007, 48 children attended Safety Town, hosted by the Reynoldsburg Division of Police. Children were educated on issues such as seatbelt safety, animal safety, fire safety, safety around electric, and eye safety. Child identification was also held, as well as a K-9 search demonstration. The children demonstrated what they learned in "Safety City".

COURT LIAISON OFFICER PROGRAM

During 2007, 2 part-time court liaison officers, through coordination between 10 different courts and subpoenaed officers saved the Division of Police a **net** amount of \$50,973.38 in court overtime (2,604.5 hours).

When not coordinating court cases with municipal, juvenile, and common pleas courts in Licking, Fairfield, and Franklin counties, the court liaison officers attended Reynoldsburg Mayor's Court sessions on a weekly basis, serving as court runners.

Additionally, court liaison officers assisted in delivering evidence and court paperwork to the various prosecutors' offices and conducted weekly BAC Datamaster tests to ensure equipment was functioning properly.

BLOCK WATCH

The Reynoldsburg Division of Police is proud that many of the neighborhoods that have received block watch training have maintained an active status with their block watch groups. These groups serve as additional eyes and ears for the Division of Police.

Active Block/Association Watch Programs:

Quarry Park (off Waggoner Rd)

Quarry Cliff

French Run Apts.

Huber (Marvin Dr.)

Eastshire

Marabar

SHOP-WITH-A-COP

The Meijer store on East Broad St. hosted the 2007 Shop-With-A-Cop program. 10 local families were assisted with their holiday shopping by 6 Reynoldsburg Police officers. This has been an annual event for many years.

REYNOLDSBURG DIVISION OF POLICE RESERVES

The Reynoldsburg Police Reserve Unit donated 668 hours of service to the City in 2007, saving the City over \$20,150.00 in personnel costs.