



Events:

- National Night Out August 7
- First Day of School (BUSD) August 13
- Police Commission Meeting August 15
6:00 P.M.

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BURBANK POLICE DEPARTMENT

Community Newsletter | August 2018

Burbank Police Host 'Coffee With a Cop'

On the morning of July 18, Burbank Police Officers, along with members of the Burbank Police Command Staff and Burbank Police Foundation hosted another round of "Coffee With a Cop," an increasingly-popular event that encourages casual conversation with local law enforcement in a relaxed atmosphere.

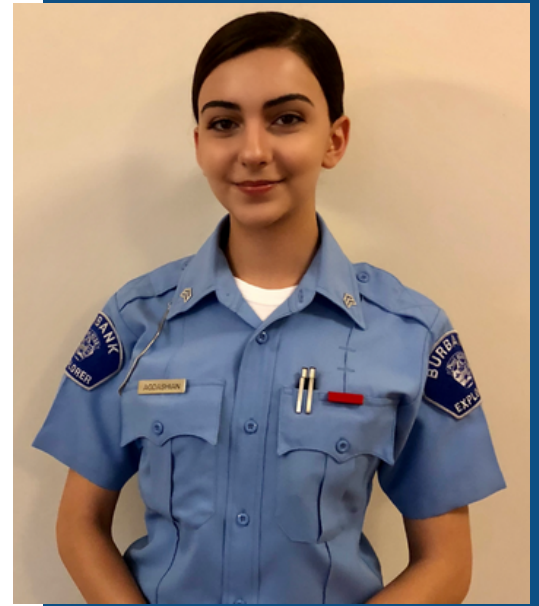
For over two hours, community members enjoyed complimentary coffee at Café de Olla, a family-owned restaurant serving homemade Mexican cuisine. Citizens had the opportunity to ask questions, voice concerns, and network with other residents, business owners, and of course, police officers.

Coffee With a Cop has started alternating between weekdays and weekends to include as many community members as possible. Keep an eye on the Burbank Police website and social media pages for information on the next Coffee With a Cop event.



Spotlight: Burbank Police Explorer Diana Agdashian

Diana Agdashian was born and raised in Glendale, California and attended the renowned Ribet Academy in Los Angeles. Before entering high school, Diana joined the Burbank Police Department's Youth Academy after her mother, Anna Arakelian, learned about the program while enrolled in the Department's Community Academy. Sergeant Cindy Guillen, an advisor for the Youth Academy at the time, became a role model for Diana through her leadership and active involvement with all of the students. After Diana successfully completed the Youth Academy, she joined the Burbank Police Explorer program.



During her freshman year, Diana completed the L.A.S.D. North Explorer Academy and became an official Explorer with the Department. Throughout her time as a Police Explorer, Diana used the skills and discipline she learned to help her become an active member of many different community organizations and activities. Diana served as President of her school's Associated Student Body, Team Captain of the varsity volleyball team, was a competitor in speech tournaments, an intern for Congressman Adam Schiff, and a competitor in the Los Angeles County and California State Science Fairs. She also promoted to the rank of Explorer Sergeant of the Burbank Explorer Post.

From a very young age, Diana has wanted to continue her education and pursue a law degree. Diana recently graduated from high school and was named class Valedictorian. She will now be moving to Cambridge, Massachusetts to attend the prestigious Harvard University. Diana attributes much of her career path and successes to her participation and experiences in the Burbank Police Youth Academy and Explorer programs.

The Burbank Police Explorer program is a career development program for young men and women who are interested in law enforcement. The program is open to those who are ages 14 to 21. For more information on joining the Burbank Police Explorer program, contact Officer Angela Burrows at (818) 238-3223, or by e-mail, at aburrows@burbankca.gov. You can also visit www.BurbankPD.org/programs/explorers.

Officer Bruce Slor Celebrates Retirement

On July 11, current and retired members of the Burbank Police Department came together to celebrate the retirement of Officer Bruce Slor. Officer Slor joined the Burbank Police Department in 1993 as a lateral transfer from the California State University at Northridge Police Department.

Having spent his entire career in patrol, Officer Slor excelled in conducting field investigations of drivers suspected of driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs. During his career, Officer Slor's training and expertise led to more than 500 arrests for D.U.I. Most recently, Officer Slor served as a Field Training Officer.

Officer Slor received dozens of commendations from citizens over the years, who took the time to recognize his caring, compassionate, and professional approach to law enforcement and in serving the community of Burbank. Officer Slor is looking forward to enjoying retirement with his family.



Chief Scott LaChasse presents Officer Slor with a City of Burbank tile, recognizing his retirement after 25 years serving Burbank.



Family Fun & Games

Community Awareness

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AUGUST 7, 2018



★ **Burbank Police Officers**

★ **Face Painting**

★ **Bike Safety Course**

★ **Police Vehicle Displays**

★ **Food & Refreshments**

★ **Exhibitors**

★ **Giveaways & more!**



America's **Night Out** Against Crime

Tuesday, August 7, 2018 from 5:30 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.
Chandler Bikeway - Between Keystone St. & Lincoln St.

For More Information, Call Burbank Police Community Outreach at (818) 238-3235



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*Parking for this event will be available on the Edison Elementary School playground. Enter off of Keystone St.

Newest Burbank Police Officer

Officer Sevada Hosepian graduated from the Rio Hondo Police Academy on July 12, 2018. In his free time, Officer Sevada enjoys reading, hiking and cooking. He is excited about beginning his new assignment in the Patrol Division.



CRIME STATS: June 2018

Robbery	Aggravated Assaults	Burglary	Petty Theft	Auto Theft
5	18	20	223	12

Total Calls for Service: **4,354**

Avg. Response Times (Emergency Calls): **3:12**

Avg. Response Times (All Calls): **17:20**

Traffic Citations: **768** | Arrests: **337**

For a complete listing of FBI UCR crime reporting statistics, please visit burbankpd.org or <https://ucr.fbi.gov>.



Los Angeles County Police Chiefs Don Pink Patches in Support of Breast Cancer Awareness

Recently, several members of the Los Angeles County Police Chiefs' Association (LACPCA) gathered in front of the famed Hollywood sign to show their support in the effort to raise public awareness about the importance of early detection and treatment of breast cancer. Burbank Police Chief Scott LaChasse was one of many police chiefs in attendance who wore Burbank Police Department pink patches as part of the "Pink Patch Project," a nationwide campaign supporting breast cancer awareness.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month officially kicks-off in October. It is estimated that approximately one in every eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime. This disease can have a profound impact on the patient and her loved ones. However, upon early detection, breast cancer can be effectively treated with surgery, radiation therapy, hormone therapy and chemotherapy. This year, the Burbank Police Department has unveiled their own pink patch to help raise money and awareness.

For details on how to donate and purchase a pink patch, contact Sherre Nakamura, at snakamura@burbankca.gov.



Police Chiefs of Los Angeles County gather in front of the Hollywood sign wearing pink shoulder patches in support of breast cancer awareness.



2018 CONCERT SEASON
**STARLIGHT
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JULY 4 THRU AUGUST 11

JULY 4 HIGH STREET BAND

PRECIOUS BYRD

BIG BAND & TODAY'S HITS

JULY 14 MIRAGE

THE PETTYBREAKERS

*VISIONS OF FLEETWOOD MAC &
TOM PETTY & THE HEARTBREAKERS TRIBUTE BAND*

JULY 21 THE FAB FOUR

THE ULTIMATE BEATLES TRIBUTE

JULY 28 ONE MORE FROM THE ROAD

FORTUNATE SON

*PREMIER LYNRYD SKYNYRD &
THE ULTIMATE CCR EXPERIENCE*

AUG 4 DOG 'N' BUTTERFLY

BEST SHOT

*THE ULTIMATE TRIBUTE TO HEART &
THE PAT BENATAR EXPERIENCE*

AUG 11 UPTOWN FUNK

THE ANSWER

*HITS OF BRUNO MARS &
CLASSIC ROCK BAND*

SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT

AUG 18 & 19 Thomas Anders, Bad Boys Blue, Fancy, Lian Ross



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Back to School Traffic Safety

With the new school year upon us, the Burbank Police Department would like to remind the community that traffic safety around our schools is everyone's responsibility. By following a few simple rules and tips, parents and students can assist the Burbank Police in creating a safe environment for everyone near our schools.

The Do's & Don'ts

DO:

- Be patient, especially in heavy traffic. Slow down, plan ahead, and arrive early.
- Use the safe delivery/valet drop-off areas when and where available.
- Always remember to pull to the curb when dropping children off at school.
- Have your children exit your vehicle on the right (sidewalk side), away from traffic.
- Stay alert and refrain from using cell phones or anything else that might distract you.
- Park your vehicle in the appropriate areas, obeying all posted parking restrictions.
- Obey all traffic laws.

DON'T:

- Park or leave your vehicle unattended in the delivery/valet drop-off area.
- Block driveways or stop/park in red zones.
- Stop your vehicle in the middle of the street to let your child in or out of your vehicle.
- Walk between vehicles in the drop-off areas.
- Allow your child to cross the street outside of designated crossing zones.
- Pass vehicles on the wrong side of the road.

Additional Tips:

- Consider parking your vehicle away from congested areas and walk your child to school.
- Always cross the street at the corners and use crossing guards for assistance.

