



## BURBANK POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - JUNE 2024



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### EVENTS

- Father's Day 06/16
- Juneteenth 06/19

### Fire & Police Service Day

On May 11th, the Burbank community came out to enjoy Fire & Police Service Day! This annual, free event included live demonstrations from police officers and firefighters, activities for kids, music, and fun for all.

The event also featured additional community displays and activities from Burbank Water & Power, LAZ Parking, U.S. Marines, U.S. Army, the Burbank Animal Shelter, Boys and Girls Club, Boy Scouts, and Kiwanis of Burbank, just to name a few.

### JOIN BPD - NOW HIRING

- Police Recruit / Lateral
- Jailer
- Dispatch

[www.JoinBPD.org](http://www.JoinBPD.org)



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# NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

In 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation designating May 15 as Peace Officers Memorial Day. Each year, the Burbank Police Foundation sends two Burbank Police Officers' Association members to the National Law Enforcement Memorial in Washington D.C. for National Police Week, a time period devoted to paying tribute and honoring those law enforcement officers who have given their lives in the line of duty.

This year, Sergeant Anthony Virzi and Officer Jason Embleton represented the Burbank Police Department in Washington D.C. and visited the Memorial Wall, where the names of over 23,000 fallen law enforcement officers are etched in stone.

The Burbank Police Officers' Association appreciates and thanks the Burbank Police Foundation's and Burbank Police Department's support each year for this meaningful trip.

[nleomf.org](http://nleomf.org)





# Police Unity Tour



The Police Unity Tour is an annual bike ride that begins in various cities along the east coast and concludes at the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial in Washington, D.C., marking the start of National Police Week. This year, over 3,300 riders participated from all over the country. Burbank Police riders started their 3-day route in Somerset, New Jersey, and rode over 250 miles through Pennsylvania, Delaware, and Maryland before arriving in the nation's capital. The culmination of the tour was when all riders had the honor of pedaling around the Law Enforcement Officers Memorial wall.

The Police Unity Tour motto is, "We Ride for Those Who Died."





# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

## RECAP: MAY 2024

### ☑ *Coffee with a Cop*

Community members connected with their local police officers over coffee and pastries. The Burbank police department partnered with Nordstrom Rack and Starbucks to put together this event.



### ☑ *Acasa Taco Truck*

Our wonderful and generous Burbank Hills community residents treated BPD officers and civilian personnel to a taco truck lunch from the Acasa food truck. They also put together an awesome basket of toys and treats for BPD K9's! Thank you for your generosity, support, and delicious food!





# Traffic Enforcement & Education

The Burbank Police Department is committed to ensuring the safety of the citizens in our community. Impairment, speeding, street racing, and other dangerous driving behaviors jeopardize the safety of other people on the road. We continue to enforce traffic laws with the goal of reducing collisions, educating the citizens in our community, and keeping our community safe. This is achieved through the establishment of preventative patrols to manage specific categories of unlawful driving behavior.



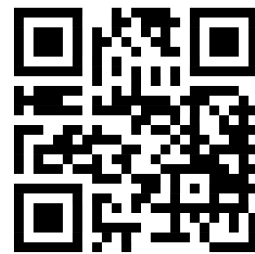
Traffic enforcement strategies are based on collision data, enforcement activity records, traffic volume, and traffic conditions. Several methods contribute to our overall goal: arrests, citations, warnings, and education. Through these methods and efforts, we strive to educate our community on the importance of safe driving and we aim to keep our community safe.

## Traffic Enforcement Stats: May 2024

<b>DUI ARRESTS</b>	→	<b>22</b>
<b>TRAFFIC CITATIONS</b>	→	<b>875</b>
<b>PEDESTRIAN COLLISIONS</b>	→	<b>5</b>
<b>BICYCLE COLLISIONS</b>	→	<b>0</b>
<b>TOTAL COLLISIONS</b>	→	<b>75</b>



# BURBANK POLICE DEPARTMENT **NOW HIRING**



## POLICE OFFICER - LATERAL

**\$99,986 - \$124,869 ANNUALLY**

**Plus Benefits & Incentives**

**APPLY ONLINE**

**[www.JoinBPD.org](http://www.JoinBPD.org)**



**Join Our Team. Wear Our Badge.**

**\$5,000 SIGNING BONUS**

## BENEFITS & INCENTIVES

- Medical, Dental and Vision insurance
- 3-day, 12-hour patrol work schedule
- Initial bonus incentive of 120 hours vacation time **PLUS** 120 hours of sick time upon academy graduation
- Additional 104 to 184 hours of vacation time awarded annually, based on years of service
- Ten (10) paid holidays per year, plus two additional "floating" holidays earned annually
- Lateral applicants who are classic CalPERS members retain 3% @ 50
- PEPRCA CalPERS retirement pension of 2.7% at age 57
- Monthly education pay for Associate, Bachelor, and Master Degrees
- Bilingual pay
- Up to 75% tuition reimbursement
- Annual uniform allowance
- CA P.O.S.T. certificate incentives
- Longevity pay (10, 15, 20 years)

## OPPORTUNITIES

### SPECIALTY ASSIGNMENTS:

- Field Training Officer
- Air Support
- S.W.A.T.
- K-9 Unit
- Investigations
- Traffic/Motors
- Community Resource Officer
- School Resource Officer
- Gang Enforcement
- Mental Health Evaluation Team
- Bicycle Patrol

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# YOUTH ACADEMY 2024



**APPLY NOW AT  
BURBANKPD.ORG!**

The course provides students an opportunity to learn how the Burbank Police Department operates, functions of police officers, and preparation for a career in law enforcement.

**Youth Academy Eligibility:**

**-Ages 14 to 17**

**-Resident or Student of Burbank**



Scan QR to  
sign up!



Classes will be on the  
following dates:

July 16 : Orientation

July 17th / 18th -Instructional

July 23rd / 24th -Instructional

Graduation: July 25th



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DEPARTMENT**

For more information,  
contact Officer Haratonian at 818-238-3235 or  
email at RHaratonian@burbankca.gov





# America's National Night Out Against Crime!

★ **BURBANK POLICE  
OFFICERS FUN**

★ **FAMILY  
ACTIVITIES**

★ **POLICE VEHICLES  
AND HELICOPTER**

★ **FOOD AND  
REFRESHMENTS**

★ **EXHIBITORS**

★ **GIVEAWAYS**



**Tuesday, August 6th from 5:30pm-8:30pm**  
**Johnny Carson Park**  
**400 Bob Hope Dr, Burbank Ca 91505**

For more information, contact the  
Burbank Police Department  
Community Resource Officer at  
(818) 238-3235



OUR  
BURBANK  
**311**

# DOWNLOAD THE OUR BURBANK 311 MOBILE APP!

***NEW UPDATE!***

**EASILY REPORT  
VEHICLES THAT HAVE  
BEEN ABANDONED OR  
PARKED MORE THAN  
72-HOURS**

**[311.burbankca.gov](https://311.burbankca.gov)**

Scan to download:



**USE THE OUR BURBANK 311 APP TO REQUEST:**

- ▶ **Bulky item pickup**
- ▶ **Street repairs**
- ▶ **Animal Services**
- ▶ **Code enforcement**
- ▶ **Access the Burbank Bus**



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