



President— Barry

Spoke Newsletter

Wednesday February 28, 2018

Attendance: 25 (56%) Attendance with make ups: 31 (64%)

Program Wednesday, March 07, 2018

Anthony Clemons, Assistant Director at the Genesis Health Club

Program arranged by Duane Tappe

Program Wednesday, February 28, 2018

Police Chief Bliemeister—Lincoln Police Department

Program arranged by Dale Lloyd



In April 2016, Jeffrey Bliemeister was selected as Lincoln's Chief of Police. "Jeff rose to the top of a very competitive field of six finalists, who were all highly-regarded and well-qualified candidates," Mayor Beutler said. "He shares my vision of maintaining our Police Department's reputation as an exemplary agency with strong connections to the community. The men and women of LPD provide excellent services in an efficient manner, and Jeff has the experience to build on those strengths."

Jeff Bliemeister has over 20 years of law enforcement experience. He began his career in 1996 with the Lancaster County Sheriff's Office (LSO) holding positions of deputy, sergeant and chief deputy under Sheriff Terry Wagner. During his time with LSO, he was involved with the patrol division, field training of officers/supervisors, division sergeant, tactical response unit, criminal investigations, narcotics, special services and training and personnel.

Jeff has a Bachelor's degree in Biology from Nebraska Wesleyan and a Master's degree in Management from Doane College. He is a Leadership Lincoln Fellow, serves on the board of the Boys and Girls Club, and volunteers at the Child Advocacy Center and Sheridan Lutheran Church.

Jeff started his presentation relating officer activities on a Saturday night/Sunday a.m.. Multiple 911 calls led to officers being dispatched to "O" street for an altercation with a knife, another incident with a brawl, and another incident of a parked car with a potential shooter involved. Also, a call to St. Elizabeth Hospital for an altercation in the emergency room when a violent individual proceeded to physically beat an officer to the floor before fleeing and arrested in the parking lot.

The Lincoln Police Department is committed to providing quality police services that promote a safe and secure community. Online reporting is provided for the convenience of the victim and is available for only a small segment of crime types. NOTE: If a crime is capable of being reported online by the citizen, it can also be taken by an officer through a dispatched call for service

A Rotary Thank You to Police Chief Jeff Bliemeister, for an excellent presentation on Police Officer activities & department management in the city of Lincoln

***Lincoln East Rotary Club
Meetings at Valentino's—70th & Van Dorn
Noon Luncheon starting @ 11:45 a.m.***

February 28, 2018

The Lincoln Police Department presently consists of approximately 471 total employees (328 sworn, 143 civilian). The department maintains a police garage, emergency communications center, weapons range, weight training facility, classrooms, computer lab and criminal justice library.

We seek applicants with diverse backgrounds and educational experience. The Lincoln Police Department is regarded as one of the premiere law enforcement agencies in the state, with on-site training and access to advanced technology. Our employees maintain a sense of pride as we continue to challenge ourselves daily and strive to better the community.

Candidates who are offered and accept employment with the Lincoln Police Department must undergo training at the Lincoln Academy which is 21 weeks in length. It is a classroom style academy that meets Monday-Friday. Recruits do not live-in and are not subjected to a boot-camp atmosphere.

New recruits are initially appointed as police trainees, and are paid \$2,600.00 a month while attending the academy. Those successfully completing the academy are appointed as commissioned police officers with commensurate salary and benefits, and begin a field training and evaluation program.

The field training and evaluation program takes approximately 22 weeks to complete. During this training phase, the new officers are assigned to work with a designated field training officer whose job is to train and evaluate their performance. New officers are rotated to a different field training officer every four weeks. New officers must reach an acceptable level in all performance areas by the completion of the program. Successful officers are then transferred to the Operations Division for solo team assignments.

Officer duties fall into four main categories: traffic, crime control, social control, and management which occur with considerable regularity and overlap into several different areas. The responsibility of traffic control encompasses traffic accident prevention, traffic law enforcement, and maintenance of orderly offenses and the apprehension of offenders. The duty of social control occasionally calls for an arrest or the application of the law as a means to restore order. Management includes tasks intended to ensure the efficient and effective application of resources in coping with identified police problems.

CALL REPORT FOR FRIDAY MARCH 2, 2018

Summary for FRIDAY, 03-02-2018	
Type of Call	Number
CANCELLED BEFORE ARRIVAL	31
01000 - ABND VEH/BIK	3
03000 - ACCIDENT	32
04000 - FALSE ALARM	11
05000 - ASSAULT	7
06000 - BURGLARY	4
08000 - WEAPONS VIOL	1
09000 - CHILD ABUSE	11
12000 - DISTURBANCE (Party calls: 2)	59
13000 - DOMEST. DIST	9
14000 - ALCOHOL CALL	12
16000 - FIRE	2
22000 - JUVENILE	2
23000 - LARCENY	15
24000 - MISC.	43
25000 - MISSING PERS	3
27000 - NARCOTICS	14
28000 - TRAFFIC HAZZ	6
29000 - FRAUD	4

31000 - OPS	8
35000 - PROWLER	22
38000 - SEX CRIMES	5
40000 - SPECIAL SERV	33
41000 - STOLEN VEH.	1
42000 - VANDALISM	7
48000 - CRIME PREV.	1
54000 - LOST ARTICLE	10
56000 - MED EMERG	16
61000 - PHONE CALLS	2
70000 - WARRANTS	4
82000 - PARKING	20
94000 - TRAFFIC	14
TOTAL CALLS	412



A special thank you to the Police Officers of Lincoln Nebraska for all they do to keep the citizens of Lincoln Safe.



Anniversaries & Birthdays

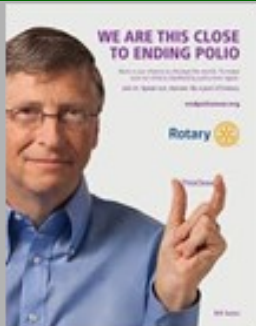
Weeks of —March 1—7

Birthdays:

John Duling—March 2

Dick Cumming—March 6

Anniversaries (Roses) Jason Smith & Steve Grosserode



Happy Dollars

Dale Lloyd	\$1.00
Jeff Bliemeister	\$2.00
Dennis Duckworth	\$1.00
Steve Grosserode	\$5.00
Duane Tappe	\$5.00
Paul Horton	\$2.00
Jason Smith	\$1.00
Jerry Christensen	\$5.00
Andrea Ahrens	\$7.00
Al Burdick	\$2.00
Wayne Casper	\$2.00
Barry Stelk	\$5.00
TOTAL	\$38.00



Greeter Duty

March Ed Stivers
April John Garrison

Make Ups

Blake Collingsworth	Another Meeting
Dick Cumming	Camp Kataki
Charles Erickson	Park Painting
Chris Klingenberg	Another meeting
Greg Schnasse	Younkers Project
Ed Stivers	Concessions F.B.



Cashier Duty

We need volunteers for the following:

March—OPEN

Please contact Dick Cumming

Guests & Visitors

Pat Grosserode	Steve Grosserode
Barb Roth	Gene Roth
Jeff Bliemeister	Speaker

NOTICE

*If you need a receipt for donations made to the
Lincoln East Rotary Foundation, contact
Ozzie Gilbertson*

Lincoln East Rotary Club—(March Speaker Schedule)

March 14—Kiersten Hill, Big Brothers Big Sisters—Rachel Martin

March 21—Todd Ogden, Downtown Lincoln Association—Rachel Martin

March 28—Angela and Teresa, Clinic with a Heart—Rachel Martin

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