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SOUTHERN SHORES POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Police Report

New Officer

The Southern Shores Police Department is proud to introduce our newest officer, Jamie Scott Hines, Jr.

Officer Hines is a native of the Outer Banks and was born and raised in Kitty Hawk. He attended Manteo and First Flight Schools graduating from First Flight High School in 2005.

After graduating, Officer Hines worked in a brokerage office, in landscaping and as a mechanic. He subsequently started his own cleaning/pressure washing business, which he stills operates on his days off.

But Officer Hines wanted to do something more so he attended Basic Law Enforcement Training at the College of the Albe-

marle and successfully completed the program in 2012.

Upon graduation from B.L.E.T., Officer Hines started his law enforcement career with the Kitty Hawk Police



Department but in the desire to move onward and upward, he came to work with the Southern Shores Police Department in July of 2017.

Officer Hines is married to

Carliegh Hines, a pre-school teacher at Kitty Hawk UMC. His parents are Wayne & Millie Byrum of Kitty Hawk, and Jamie & Kristen Hines of Wanchese. Wayne Byrum is retired Police Chief NHPD.

Officer Hines was selected from a pool of 15 perspective candidates. After an in-depth interview process, Jamie quickly rose to the top of the pool because of his hard work ethics, professional demeanor, honesty, and his sincere desire to serve in the community he was raised in. He also possesses a great desire to learn and grow as a police officer.

We are very pleased to have Officer Jamie S. Hines, Jr. As the newest member of the Southern Shores family and hope that you welcome him as a part of our community.

Officer Awarded Advanced Certification

Senior Patrol Officer Ryan Jones has been awarded his Advanced Law Enforcement Certification by the Criminal Justice Education and Training Standards Commission.

Advanced certification often takes an officer many years to obtain. Requirements include obtaining a Graduate or Professional Degree from an academic institution. Officer Jones has

a Master's Degree in Resource Management / Federal Law Enforcement.

Additionally, an officer must accumulate at least 320 hours of Law Enforcement Training. Some classes Officer Jones has attended are:

- Crime Scene Technology and Evidence Collection
- Criminal Investigations
- Interview and Interrogation
- Narcotics Investigation
- Solo Active Shooter Response

- Police Law Institute

And finally, an officer must have at least four (4) years of experience as a law enforcement officer.

Ryan has been with the Town of Southern Shores since June of 2013

Officer Jones moved to the Outer Banks in 2012 from the Pittsburgh area where he attended Slippery Rock University and obtained a Bach

Advanced Certification (continued)



elors and Masters degree in Resource Management/Federal law Enforcement. In June of 2013, he was employed by the Southern Shores Police Department and is currently serving as a Senior Patrol Officer. Ryan is also an Emergency Medical Technician.

In his spare time, Ryan and his wife, Caitlin, enjoy kayaking and camping trips. In July of this year, they expanded their family with the addition of twin daughters.

We congratulate Officer Ryan Jones

for his many accomplishments and are proud to have him as a member of our department and community.

Officer Obtains Traffic Certificate

We are pleased to announce that Officer Eddie McKeever has obtained his Traffic Certificate from the North Carolina Justice Academy.

This program is designed to recognize the achievement of law enforcement professionals who have dedicated themselves to making the highways safer for our citizens. Officers, upon completion of the program, will have mastered several important aspects of traffic enforcement and related topics, thus achieving a high level of professionalism for themselves as well as their department.

The requirements for the traffic certificate are 500 hours of classes in the area of traffic accident investigation and traffic enforcement.

Some examples of the training and certifications required by this program are:

- Introduction to Traffic Crash Investigation
- At-Scene Traffic Crash Investigation
- Accident reconstruction
- Criminal Investigation Thru Traffic Law Enforcement
- Intoximeter, Model Intox EC/IR II

- RADAR Operator
- Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST)

Officer McKeever has been employed by the Southern Shores Police Department since 2011 as a member of the Patrol Division concentrating on traffic enforcement and crash investigation.

In addition to completion of Basic Law Enforcement Training and numerous hours of in-service training, Officer McKeever an Associates Degree in Criminal Justice and intends to

pursue a Bachelors Degree sometime in the future.

Officer McKeever and his wife, Jessica, have been married since May of 2010 and she is currently employed at the Outer Banks Hospital as an Emergency Department (ED) Registered Nurse (RN). They have both lived on the Outer Banks for 10 years.

We congratulate Officer Eddie McKeever on this tremendous accomplishment and are please to have him as a member of the Southern Shores Police Department.



Halloween Safety

Everyone loves a good scare on Halloween, but not when it comes to child safety. There are several easy and effective behaviors that parents can share with kids to help reduce their risk of injury.

Walk Safely

- Cross the street at corners, using traffic signals and crosswalks.
- Look left, right and left again when crossing and keep looking as you cross.
- Put electronic devices down and keep heads up and walk, don't run, across the street.
- Teach children to make eye contact with drivers before crossing in front of them.
- Always walk on sidewalks or paths. If there are no sidewalks, walk facing traffic as far to the left as possible. Children should walk on direct routes with the fewest street crossings.
- Watch for cars that are turning or backing up. Teach children to never dart out into the street or cross between parked cars.

Trick or Treat With an Adult

- Children under the age of 12 should not be alone at night without adult supervision. If kids are mature enough to be out without supervision, remind them to stick to familiar areas that are well lit and trick-or-treat in groups.

Keep Costumes Both Creative and Safe

- Decorate costumes and bags with reflective tape or stickers and, if possible, choose light colors.
 - Choose face paint and makeup whenever possible instead of masks, which can obstruct a child's vision.
 - Have kids carry glow sticks or flashlights to help them see and be seen by drivers.
 - When selecting a costume, make sure it is the right size to prevent trips and falls.
- ## Drive Extra Safely on Halloween
- Slow down and be especially alert in residential neighborhoods. Children are excited on Halloween and may move in unpredictable ways.

- Take extra time to look for kids at intersections, on medians and on curbs.
- Enter and exit driveways and alleys slowly and carefully.
- Eliminate any distractions inside your car so you can concentrate on the road and your surroundings.
- Drive slowly, anticipate heavy pedestrian traffic and turn your headlights on earlier in the day to spot children from greater distances.
- Popular trick-or-treating hours are 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. so be especially alert for kids during those hours.

www.safekids.org



Kitty Hawk Elementary 2017 Fall Festival!

Saturday, November 4, 2017

10am - 4 pm

SSPD will be there with child fingerprinting, a bicycle raffle, bean bag toss and great giveaways! Come and see us!



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The Southern Shores Police Department supports the core of Community Policing, and accepts its definition as both a philosophy and an organizational strategy that will allow the police and the community to work closely together. Together, we will work to establish and maintain mutual trust among all entities to improve the quality of life while enforcing the law.

We are committed to being a leading community-oriented department.

We are committed to being recognized as leaders in our profession by providing quality, customer focused, problem solving services in partnership with the community we serve.

We are committed to ensuring that police and the community share the responsibility for finding workable solutions to problems that detract from community safety and security.

We are committed to have open and honest communications both internally and externally.

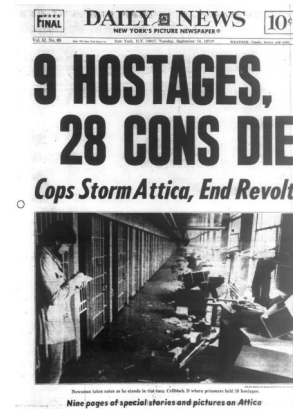
We are committed to making sure that with each contact with the public, we treat each person with dignity and a sense of professionalism.

We are committed to excellence in all professional endeavors, maintaining high ethics, and striving to be the best in all we do.

Important Dates in Law Enforcement History

September 1971

Seven Correctional Officers were killed during the riots at the Attica State Prison in upstate New York: William Quinn, Edward Cunningham, John D'Archangelo Jr, Richard Lewis, Carl Valone, Ronald Werner and Harrison Whalen.



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