



MEMBER IN THE SPOTLIGHT: DAVID HARDY



Thank you for your time and valuable work to our association!

David Hardy was born in Riverside, CA where his dad was stationed at March Field. He and his wife, Donna, moved to Lakeland in 1980 from Pittsburgh, PA. David worked for the Polk County Board of Commissioners in the data processing department for five years before joining the Tampa staff at GTE Data Services. He retired in November 2003.

David enjoys football, baseball and hockey. He is a collector of eagles – statuettes, belt buckles, pictures, etc. He is active with Marty's Men, which is an organization started in 2005 for Lutheran men that promotes God's Word and Love through service, fellowship and leadership.

David has always had an interest in law enforcement and after retiring found time to attend the LCPA. He enjoyed all of the classes and found each topic interesting, and encouraging as well as informative. David believes that there is a lot that we all can do.

He graduated from the LCPA in 2004 (Class 19). He is very proud of the accomplishments of the LPD and the fact that our department is nationally recognized for its abilities. He believes the LPD is definitely an asset for our community.

David has been very instrumental on our Policies and Procedures and Bylaw committee. Thank you, David, for your help and all the hard work that has gone into establishing these guidelines for our organization.



Upcoming Events

February 10th: Kiwanis Annual Pancake Breakfast

February 13th: General Members Meeting LPD 2nd floor mtg room 7:00pm

February 27th: Board of Directors Meeting LPD 3rd floor mtg room 7:00pm

March 13th: General Members Meeting LPD 2nd floor mtg room 7:00pm

March 17th: LPD Open House

March 27th: Board of Directors Meeting LPD 3rd floor mtg room 7:00pm

****Check out the Event Calendar for more upcoming events!****

Message From The President: *The LCPAAA Renaissance*

It is a great honor and privilege to serve as your President again for 2007. I would like to thank the members and volunteers for their continuous support, service, and dedication to the LCPAAA. We are off to a fast start for 2007. Our membership is currently at 106 members and growing. It is important that we continue to recruit former graduates of the Citizen Police Academy and communicate to them the resurgence of our Alumni Association. We must also continue to maintain a presence within the community as we recruit participants for the Class of XXII. John F. Kennedy once said, "If not us, who? If not now, when? Let us continue to shape the LCPAAA into the best Alumni Association in the country.



Justin Troller, CPAAA President

I look forward to working with you and I encourage you to take a pro-active role in getting involved in the Association by submitting articles, participating in our workshops, and serving on committees. I also encourage you to take an interest in the governance of the Association by proving feedback and suggestions for the betterment of the Association.

Congratulations to the following members who were elected to the Board of Directors: Sharon Munson-Secretary, Stacy Herbolzheimer-Director, and Wayne Miles-Director.

HAPPY FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY'S TO
CPAAA ALUMNI MEMBERS



- 2/03 Mike Wills**
- 2/10 Angela Resmondo**
- 2/17 Robert Jones**
- 2/17 Carolyn Tanner**
- 2/21 Ernestine Callier**

Official CPAAA Caps

At the next general membership meeting Dave Munson will have CPAAA ball caps available for \$ 11.00. Please make checks payable to "LCPAAA" !!

Get yours while they last!!

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School Resource Officer Profile: Walter Dennis
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SRO Dennis with LHS student Tyler Grantham

Officer Dennis was raised in New Orleans, LA and moved to Lakeland in 1991. He graduated from McMain Magnet High School and attended the University of Louisiana at Lafayette and earned a B.S. Degree in Criminal Justice. Upon arriving in Lakeland Officer Dennis started his career with the Lakeland Police Department as a patrol officer and also worked as a motor officer and accident investigator before becoming a School Resource Officer in 2002. His first assigned school was Lakeland High School but left temporarily in 2003 to assist Lakeland Highlands Middle School for one school year. Officer Dennis returned to Lakeland High School where he has been ever since. His duties include working as a liaison between the Lakeland Police Department and the school. He also fosters positive relationships with the student body and staff. When not working on school campuses Officer Dennis also assists his fellow colleagues in the field. On February 5, 2007 Officer Dennis will be receiving an award for assisting the Polk Sheriff's Office with the apprehension of several robbery suspects. When Officer Dennis is away from work he enjoys salt-water fishing, motorcycling and spending time with his girlfriend Mary. Officer Dennis would eventually like to move up the ranks within the department and continue to be a positive influence within the community.

CPAAA News

- **THE CPAAA HAS CREATED A WEBSITE**, hosted by the Lakeland Police Department. Make sure to check out the site!!

<http://www.lakelandgov.net/lpd/specialprogs/cpaaa.html>
- **THE CPAAA also has a Community Service Unit hotline!!** Members can call and get the latest information on upcoming events. Check it out by calling (863) 834-LOCK.
- The cookbook fundraiser is still in effect for \$ 5.00/book. Please get in touch with Justin if you would like to receive cookbooks to sell.
- If you would like a new photo ID name tag, please see Dave Munson after the next general membership meeting.
- Got empty ink cartridges? Please forward your empty ink cartridges to Janet LaFond. For each cartridge we recycle the CPAAA can earn up to \$ 3.00 per cartridge!
- The official LCPAAA polo shirts for men and women are available for the new price of only \$ 20.00!! Please see Dave Munson for more information.
- The monthly CPAAA newsletter is now available in e-mail format! Please let Dave Munson know if you would like to receive your newsletter by e-mail.

Alumni Members in Action

2007 Board of Directors

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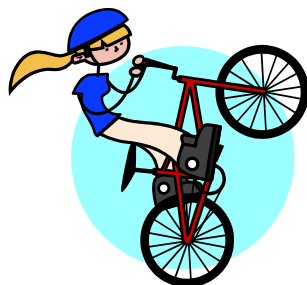
Captain Harry Katt
834-6908

On January 18, 2007 a bike rodeo was held at North Lakeland Elementary School. LPD School Resource Officer Doris Maddox presented a discussion on bike safety after which Cindy Sharp of the LPD Community Services Unit handed out helmets and bike safety books. All children were then tested on their ability to handle their bikes in a proper and safe manner. Also assisting with this event were Charlie Burdette, Mike Fellingner and Clarence Willard of the LCPAAA. As can be seen from the pictures, a great time was had by all at the rodeo!



Charlie Burdette assists in fitting helmets at the Bike Rodeo

Officer Maddox helps students properly put on their new bicycle helmets.



CSU Officer, Cindy Sharp adjusts the helmet for a perfect fit!

Questions or comments?
Let us know!

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Lakeland Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Event Calendar

February 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	Lincoln's Birthday 12  <i>Lincoln</i>	Gen'l Members 13 Meeting 7:00pm @ LPD meeting room Guest Speaker from K-9 Unit	Valentine's Day 14 	15	Pancake Breakfast 16 Set Up - Tigertown NEED VOLUNTEERS Deadline for newsletter articles	17 Kiwanis Annual Pancake Breakfast NEED VOLUNTEERS
18	President's Day 19 	20	Ash Wednesday 21 	Washington's Bday 22  <i>Washington</i>	23	24
25	26	CPAAA Board of Directors Meeting 7:00pm LPD 3rd floor 27	28	PLEASE CONTACT CHARLIE BURDETTE AT 619-8127 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER ANY AMOUNT OF TIME TO OUR CSU EVENTS.		

March 2007

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Daylight Savings 11 Time Begins 	12	Gen'l Members 13 Meeting 7:00pm @ LPD meeting room	14	15	16	St. Patrick's Day 17 LPD Open House VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
18	19	20	21	22	23 Deadline for newsletter articles	24
25	26	CPAAA Board of Directors Meeting 7:00pm LPD 3rd floor 27	28	29	30	31