

# PATROL NEWS

September/October 2016

“85 YEARS OF SERVICE & PROTECTION”



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# From the Staff ...

Lieutenant Colonel Sandra K. Karsten



There are moments in our lives that we recognize as significant and that we remember with great emotion and clarity—the day we marry, the day a child is born, the day a loved one passes, the day we started or retired from the Patrol. Like any memorable event, we know from that day forward it would be difficult (and detrimental) to forget. So it is with the Patrol’s 85th Anniversary.

In this case, we remember those past, present, and future generations impacted by the Patrol. Looking over Patrol history, we can see four generations of honorable employees. Each generation has had their own unique approach to Patrol service. Each generation has its own label—The Greatest Generation (traditionalists) saw the advent of telephones, 45 rpm records, drive-in theatres, and flat tops. The Baby Boomer generation saw color TV, junk food, and bell bottoms. The Generation Xers have been influenced by video games, cell phones, cable TV, and personal computers. The Millennial Generation has had access to constant information and social media, which has shaped them into tech savvy individuals. Each of these generations are an integral part of the organization and Patrol history.

For all of those named differences between the generations, some areas are still the same. What binds us together are the shared sense of service, the shared value of human life, and the shared hope for a brighter future. We are bound by the legacy of service of those who have come before us. As we remember the generations of service, we must never forget the legacies left by those who have given the ultimate sacrifice in service to the state of Missouri.

September 14, 2016, marked a milestone in the life of the Patrol as an organization. As we reflect on the past 85 years, I challenge each of you to ask yourself, “What will my legacy be?” The answer is: What you choose for it to be. For each moment is a gift and what we choose to do with that gift becomes our legacy.

*Happy 85th Anniversary!*

*Sandra K. Karsten*

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## Social Media Snapshot

**Missouri State Highway Patrol**  
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The Missouri State Highway Patrol got 11th place in the Best Looking Cruiser Contest! This means we earned a spot in the 2017 America's Best Looking Trooper Cruisers calendar. They are available at: <http://www.statetroopers.org/get-your-2017-calendar>. Thank you everyone for voting!

Like Comment Share

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*The American Association of State Troopers' Facebook page hosted a "Best Looking Cruiser Contest." Forty-nine states competed through votes (likes) from the public. The winners' photos are placed into the 2017 Best Looking Cruiser Calendar. Thanks to your support, the Missouri State Highway Patrol will appear in the 2017 calendar!*

## Cover

*Commercial vehicle enforcement is critical to the Patrol's mission of service and protection. Every day, employees like CVO Sprv. I Michael Morris, Troop E, inspect commercial vehicles and answer questions regarding laws and regulations. "CVO Morris has always demonstrated a strong work ethic and dedication to commercial vehicle enforcement and safety," said Lt. Sean Moore, Troop E. "He is personable and has distinguished himself as a great representative of the Highway Patrol for over 26 years of service." (insert) Auto. Tech. III Danny Gabriel, Troop H, had some down time, so put Bumper on a lift and gave him a thorough examination. Apparently, Bumper is a little ticklish, but he's a good patient and "didn't complain a bit." Bumper does have his quirks ... "If there's not a puddle underneath him, there's something wrong," Auto. Tech. III Gabriel said with a laugh.*

# There's An App For That!

The Patrol's mobile app launched in May 2016. Users have quick access to the Patrol's emergency line and a Locations button provides addresses, phone numbers, emails, and web pages for all nine troop headquarters. The mobile app also provides instant access to send and receive information through several portals. You can use the MSHP mobile app to pinpoint your exact location, in order to inform emergency services when you call for help. This app is available to the public for both Android and Apple products. When downloading the MSHP app, select "public access." No password is required. The Patrol reminds the public that mobile technology should not be used while driving. Please use the MSHP mobile app—and all mobile technology—responsibly.



Sgt. Jason Pace explains the new Missouri State Highway Patrol app during an interview with KY3 news.

## MSHP Negotiators Place 3<sup>rd</sup> At MACN Challenge

*By Sgt. Scott B. White, Troop F*

On June 2, the 2016 Missouri Association of Crisis Negotiators' Challenge Event took place at The Crossing Church in Columbia, MO. The Patrol's lineup combined members of the Troop F and Troop C negotiation teams for the one-day event. The challenge was a unique opportunity for crisis negotiation teams from throughout Missouri and the Midwest to experience the hands-on application of crisis negotiation skills. Ten teams participated in the scenario-driven competition.

The primary purpose of the challenge was to practice negotiation skills as a team in a competitive environment. The competitive environment was meant to enhance teamwork, attention to detail, strategy development, intelligence and information management, communication, and risk management. Judges represented federal, university, and municipal law enforcement agencies; the military; corrections officers; and professional trainers, who evaluated the teams in 10 different areas of expertise.



The Patrol's combined negotiation team pose with their 3rd place plaque: (l to r) Cpl. Diana Hutzler, Troop F, Tpr. Jason A. Ashby, Troop C, Cpl. Dwade Isringhausen, Troop C, Tpr. Jason Akers, Troop C, Cpl. Bruce McLaughlin, Troop F, and Sgt. Michele Coon, Troop C.

The Patrol's team accepted a plaque for their 3rd place finish after the competition concluded. Cpl. Hutzler said, "We've worked together the past couple years and function really well as a team."

*Congratulations to this year's team:*

- **Primary**—Trooper Jason A. Ashby, Troop C
- **Secondary/Phone Log**—Corporal Dwade F. Isringhausen, Troop C

- **Recorder**—Corporal Diana P. Hutzler, Troop F
- **Intel/RFI Log**—Trooper Jason A. Akers, Troop C, and Corporal Bruce A. McLaughlin, Troop F
- **Team Leader/Risk Assessments**—Sergeant Michele L. Coon, Troop C

# Governor Nixon Recognizes McGinnis, Primm



Governor Jay Nixon (center) congratulated Sgt. R. Brooks McGinnis (left) and Sgt. Greg D. Primm (right) during a special ceremony in the Governor's Office. The two troopers were named Missouri State Employees of the Month for June 2016. Also present to recognize Sgts. McGinnis and Primm were (far left) DPS Director Lane Roberts and (far right) Col. J. Bret Johnson. The recognition is a result of the sergeants' successful interdiction efforts in the Troop A area. In 2015, they conducted 671 traffic stops, conducted 159 searches, and found contraband during 128 of those searches. They also lend their time and expertise to fellow troopers and officers from other agencies. (Related news: Sgt. McGinnis and Sgt. Primm were named DPS Employee of the Month for May 2016. See story on page 10 of the July/August 2016 Patrol News.)

# Gov. Nixon Signs Memorial Highway Legislation



On June 24, 2016, Governor Jay Nixon signed into law Senate Bill No. 1009. It was a solemn affair in Colonel J. Bret Johnson's office at General Headquarters. The bill amended Chapter 227 RSMo. and designated a section as "Trooper James M. Bava Memorial Highway." Described as, "The portion of state highway FF in Audrain County beginning at Elmwood Drive in the city of Mexico and extending west to County Road 977," this tribute to Tpr. Bava will honor his memory forever. Present at the ceremony were (l to r) Sgt. Cody H. Fulkerson, Troop I, Cpl. Bruce A. McLaughlin, Troop F, Lt. Col. Sandra K. Karsten, Q/ASO, Sgt. Doug B. McPike, Troop F, Col. J. Bret Johnson, Mr. Jim Bava, Mrs. Alyce Bava, Ms. Alyssa Bava, and Mr. Tyler Schneider. Col. Johnson presented a copy of the signed legislation to each member of the Bava family.

# Troop H: Honoring A Tradition

*By Lt. D.J. Hedrick, Troop A*

On June 28, 2016, several Troop H personnel gathered for the 16th Annual Sergeant Robert G. "Bob" Kimberling trash pickup at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and Interstate 29. This yearly event honors the service and sacrifice of Sgt. Kimberling, who was killed in the line of duty on October 6, 1999, near this interchange. The weather was hot and the weeds were tall, but those who participated remained motivated. Lieutenant Scott E. Meyer even had a motorist stop and tell him that he appreciated our efforts. The motorist thanked us for taking the time to keep the shoulders clean. The Troop H personnel who participated in the trash pickup were retired Sergeant Dale A. Chenoweth, Captain Jim E. McDonald, Lieutenant Shawn P. Skoglund, Lieutenant W. Shane Sims, Lt. D.J. Hedrick, CVO Chief Martha A. McCartney, CVO II Dennis S. Kelley,

Admin. Office Support Asst. Marilyn J. Gilmore, and Clerk Typist III Alicia D.

Nelson. Thanks to each of you for honoring a Troop H tradition!



*Pictured are: (front row, kneeling) Lt. D.J. Hedrick; (second row, standing): Lt. Shawn Skoglund, Clerk Typist III Alicia Nelson, CVO Chief Martha McCartney, Admin. Office Support Asst. Marilyn Gilmore, and Lt. Shane Sims; (back row, standing): CVO II Dennis Kelley, Lt. Scott Meyer, retired Sgt. Dale Chenoweth. (Not pictured: Capt. Jim McDonald, who was taking the picture.)*

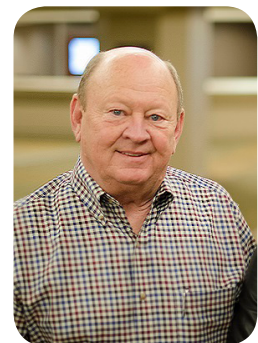
## The MASTERS' Corner

*By Mrs. Elaine Libla  
Secretary, The MASTERS*

We were deeply saddened by the death of our longtime Troop B director and dear friend Walter "Wally" J. Malins on July 15, 2016.

Wally was a charter member of The MASTERS and was elected to serve on the board in 1987. From 1993 to 1995, he served as president of The MASTERS. He has filled various officer positions over the years, most recently as treasurer 2013-2015. Wally

was a dedicated member and director of The MASTERS and a loyal supporter of the Missouri State Highway Patrol. Along with his family and many friends, we will greatly miss him. Funeral services for Wally were held on July 21, 2016, at the Delaney Funeral Home in his hometown of Marceline, MO. He is survived by his wife, Kaye; his son Tyler (and Tyler's wife Susanne); and grandson, Rush.



*Mr. Wally Malins*

# Area LE Recognize Driver's Achievement

By Sgt. Cody H. Fulkerson, Troop I

On Monday, July 18, 2016, Troop I area law enforcement honored Mr. John Reichel, who reached a milestone driving for Wal-Mart Distribution Center: He has driven three million crash-free miles. Wal-Mart Distribution Center 6869 Safety Manager Brent Kinstler shared that achieving such a milestone is rare in the trucking industry, and that the trucking industry needs more examples like Mr. Reichel to promote safety upon the roadways. Part of the ceremony included Mr. Reichel accepting the keys to a new custom built 2017 Peterbilt 579 honoring his accomplishment. State Rep. Tom Hurst, District 62, congratulated Mr. Reichel and presented him with resolutions from the Missouri Senate and Missouri House of Representatives. Members of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, Phelps County Sheriff's Department, St James [MO] Police Department, St. James [MO]



Area law enforcement attended a ceremony honoring Mr. John Reichel (center) for reaching three million miles driven without a crash.

Mayor Jim White, St. James City Administrator Harold Selby, MO Trucking Association President/CEO Tom Crawford, MoDOT Director of Motor

Carrier Services Scott Marion, and Wal-Mart Distribution Center 6069 General Manager Kent Morris also participated in the presentation.

## WEAR YOUR SEAT BELT

*"On July 27, 2003, I was northbound on Missouri Highway 39 north of Jenkins, MO, in Barry County. I checked the speed of two southbound vehicles and determined they were in violation of the posted 55 mph limit. I activated my emergency lights and siren and turned around. As I caught up to the second vehicle, I moved left into the northbound lane and attempted to pass. The driver attempted to turn left into a driveway just north of a small bridge and steered directly into my path. I evasively steered left and struck the left front of the violator's vehicle with the right front of my vehicle. My vehicle continued off the left side of the roadway and struck a dry creek embankment head-on at approximately 50 mph and a measured impact of 13.9 Gs (G-Force information obtained from vehicle computer download).*

*My vehicle turned over end-to-end and came to rest partially on top and partially on the driver's side. Due to the extent of damage to the front and interior of the vehicle, I was trapped. First responders and firefighters arrived on scene and after approximately 1½ hours, I was removed from the vehicle and transported by helicopter to Mercy Hospital in Springfield. As the vehicle crushed into the passenger compartment, the lower dash struck my right knee and forced the ball of my hip out of the rear of my pelvis. The lower dash struck the shin of my left leg and tore the posterior cruciate ligament in my left knee. The right half of my lower lip was torn off and my right lower jaw was broken (presumably by the airbags). I spent four days in the hospital and 14 weeks on crutches. I was off work for six months rehabilitating and had to have*



*my left posterior cruciate ligament replaced in December 2014. There is no doubt I would have been killed in this crash if I hadn't been wearing my seat belt properly!"*

— Sergeant John H. Lueckenhoff  
Troop D

# CRD Hosts First 'Youth Academy'

By Sgt. D. Brad Haggett, Q/CRD

The Career Recruitment Division in partnership with Three Rivers College hosted its first Youth Academy on July 29, 2016. The 10 high school aged cadets were challenged physically and mentally throughout the academy. Cadets participated in physical fitness training as well as drill and marching exercises. Patrol personnel instructed the youth in the following subjects: Patrol history, ethics and integrity, firearms safety, and use of force issues. The cadets participated in stop and approach scenarios, and attended a variety of presentations.

The cadets were given a pretest and posttest during the event. The class average score on the pretest was 59%, the class average score on the posttest was 78%. During the debriefing sessions the cadets indicated they enjoyed the program. All reported they were physically as well as mentally challenged. One cadet, who had attended the American Legion Cadet Academy at the Patrol's Law Enforcement Academy, reported this Youth Academy was more demanding and challenging. He indicated the smaller group size made it "difficult to hide in the crowd" and therefore he was encouraged to excel. All of the cadets reported the experience taught them leadership and team building skills. Several of the cadets have goals of becoming troopers or federal law enforcement officers. All indicated the

Youth Academy was "tougher" than they expected it to be, but they were glad to have been selected for the program.

The event culminated on Sunday, July 31, 2016, with a graduation ceremony attended by approximately 60 people. Sergeant D. Brad Haggett served as emcee; guest speakers included Captain Roger D. Whittler, Bishop Ron Webb, and Senator Doug Libla. Capt. Whittler and Sen. Libla presented a certificate to each of the cadets to celebrate their involvement in the program.

The Youth Academy was made possible by the following sponsors: First Choice Insurance, Bluff Powersports, Cypress Creek Motorsports, Private Probation Services, Las Margaritas, Dexter Bar-B-Que, Pizza Inn, Subway, Kroger, Harps, and Sysco Foods. There was no cost to the youth attending the program.



*The Youth Academy cadets stand at attention, ready for class.*

Congratulations to the following Patrol personnel who made the first Youth Academy such a success: Capt. Roger Whittler, Sgt. Brad Haggett, Sergeant Bob J. Parr, all Q/CRD; Troop E employees Sergeant Grant N. Williams, Sergeant Doug M. McDaniel, Corporal Richard L. Ayers, Corporal David W. Crank, Trooper Conrad L. Purnell, Trooper Greg W. Ulm, Communications Operator III Adam E. Whitton, and Driver Examiner II Ashley D. Fowler; Sergeant Jeff D. Johnson, Q/DDCC; Sergeant Shawn L. Price, Q/AD; and Troopers Dennis W. McCormick and Kindel C. Ward, both Q/GD.

*Cpl. Richard Ayers, Troop E, provided attendees with information regarding marine enforcement.*



*Sgt. Shawn Price, Q/AD, explains the Aircraft Division's responsibilities to the Youth Academy cadets. (Tpr. Conrad Purnell is seen in the background.)*

*Cadets were challenged to become a team during the Youth Academy.*





# Boy's State Provides Opportunity

*By Sgt. Bill W. Lowe, Troop A*

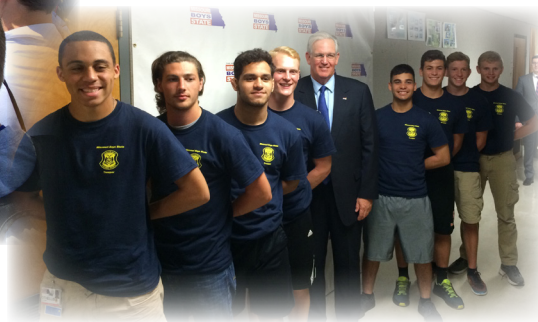
Every year, approximately 900 soon-to-be seniors converge on the campus of the University of Central Missouri to participate in the American Legion Missouri Boy's State. This year proved to be no different, with 985 young citizens (as they are referred to as at Boy's State) participating. Like in years past the law enforcement school of instruction had the most participants with 205 citizens. During the week the students were instructed on

*Sgt. R. Brooks McGinnis and K-9 Jampy explained how their partnership works and demonstrated K-9 Jampy's abilities.*



selected as the lieutenant colonel. Trooper Othellis Roper had the distinction of being named the most outstanding law enforcement officer for the week!

The culmination of the week included members of the Troop A SWAT team, Troop A K-9 Jampy, the Explosives' Deposal Unit, Troop D's helicopter, and the Dive Team displaying all the equipment they use in the execution of their duties and answering questions about their specific duties.



*Members of the Boy's State Highway Patrol stand with Gov. Jay Nixon for this photo during his visit.*

*The Explosives Disposal Unit display was quite popular.*

the history of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, search and seizure, ethics and professionalism, and courtroom testimony. Since we had the attention of 205 teenagers, Sgt. John H. Lueckenhoff, Troop D, gave a distracted driving presentation, which included viewing the Patrol's newest traffic safety video "Don't Violate The Trust."

In order to provide a safe environment, eight citizens were selected as Boy's State troopers. Justice Daniel, Elias Vaoifi, Kaleb McMillen, Jacob Pavlica, Arthur Betts, Shawn Pennell, Othellis Roper, and Curtis Martinez enforced Boy's State laws and represented the Patrol in a professional manner. Curtis Martinez was selected as the colonel and Justice Daniel was



*This billboard located off U.S. Highway 54 near the Lake of the Ozarks promoted a boating community approach to safety on our lakes.*

# Patrol's First LPO Instructors Complete Training

*By The Training Division*

Employees who've completed the IACP's Leadership in Police Organization three-week course were eligible to participate in a 10-day LPO Faculty Development Workshop. Six current Patrol employees were selected for the LPO Faculty Development Workshop. This train-the-trainer course taught LPO's philosophy of dispersed leadership.

The volunteer instructors will be required to teach the curriculum according to the LPO philosophy and be required to teach at least two LPO sessions while being observed by an LPO master instructor. After being approved by the LPO master instructor, the newly trained LPO instructors are required to make an ongoing, long-term commitment to teaching the LPO curriculum to Patrol employees. The Patrol's first LPO course utilizing in-house instructors began in July 2016. The Training Division plans to hold two LPO classes per year. An LPO course consists of three weeks over approximately a three-month time period. The Patrol has already hosted two LPO classes utilizing IACP master and national instructors.

Congratulations to the new LPO instructors Sgt. Bill Lowe, Troop A, Sgt. Andy Henry, Troop A, Capt. Vince Rice, Q/TND, Lt. Ryan Burckhardt, Troop C, Section Chief Corey Chaney, Q/ICTD, and Lt. Dottie Taylor, Q/TND!



*Pictured left to right are: Sgt. Bill W. Lowe, Troop A, Mr. Rodney Manning, LPO master instructor and retired Pennsylvania State Police captain, Sgt. Andy A. Henry, Troop A, Capt. Vince S. Rice, Q/TND, Lt. Ryan A. Burckhardt, Troop C, Section Chief J. Corey Chaney, Q/ICTD, Lt. Dottie E. Taylor, Q/TND, and Lt. Col. Sandy K. Karsten, Q/ASO.*

## LETSAC Honors Tpr. Engelhart

*By Capt. Scott A. Shippers, Troop A*

Congratulations to Trooper Aaron A. Engelhart, Troop A, who accepted the 2016 Law Enforcement Traffic Safety Advisory Council Officer of the Year award. Tpr. Engelhart graduated from the Patrol's Academy in January 2013. During his first full year as a trooper, he arrested 109 intoxicated drivers, made 700 additional arrests, and issued nearly 1,400 warnings. During 2015, Tpr. Engelhart made 175 DWI arrests, the highest number of DWI arrests in a single year by a member of the Patrol. In addition, Tpr. Engelhart made 291 hazardous moving arrests, 127 non-hazardous moving arrests, 23 seat belt arrests,

and 19 drug-related arrests, and issued 920 warnings last year. He also investigated 27 traffic crashes in 2015.

Tpr. Engelhart is a young officer who quickly established himself as a leader among his peers. His enforcement activities create an extreme amount of paperwork, yet each report is of the highest quality. Tpr. Engelhart is also a valuable zone mate and responds to his share of reactive calls for service and assists other officers when needed.



*Tpr. Aaron Engelhart accepted the LETSAC Officer of the Year award at the organization's annual conference in July 2016.*

Tpr. Engelhart is a living example of the Patrol's vision, mission, and core values.

# HIGH SPEED CHASE YIELDS VALUABLE LESSON

**By Ret. Cpl./Pastor LeRoy Tucker**

It was an early fall night and I was assigned to the graveyard shift (11 p.m. to 7 a.m.). It was a bright moonlit night; not much traffic on Route 66 before it was turned into Interstate 44. So quiet and peaceful I decided to pull into one of my favorite places to work radar. The truth be known, I was probably thinking of taking a quick nap—not really, for I never slept on duty. One other important piece of information: I was the only trooper on in our troop.

I was watching to see if anyone would come by, but at this time no vehicles had passed my point. My patrol radio was silent, but the car radio was on Nashville station listening to good old country music.

Finally, a vehicle approached from the east. I watched it pass by and I began to notice something strange. I

turned my radar unit on and pointed it at the car, 35 mph. Strange. So, I did what any good trooper would do. I pulled out behind it and followed it for some distance at 35 mph, and decided I should stop this car and see what was wrong with the driver. I activated my red lights, but the car did not stop. So, I activated my siren and turned the spotlight on. I just saw one person in the car: the driver. He did not stop. I tried to pass to get ahead of him and force him to stop, but each time I tried this he tried to ram my car. This went on for some time.

I radioed troop headquarters and the police were still on duty in the next town. They set up a road block, but he got through it. County deputy sheriffs set up another one and he got through it. He then crossed the median and was going west in the eastbound lane ... me, too, with red lights and siren on. I noticed a car catching up to me in

the westbound lane and then I heard a gunshot. I jumped and tried to figure out where I had been hit. I wasn't, but the fleeing car came to a complete stop. The driver was arrested.

One of the city officers asked him why he did not stop for me and he replied, "I saw his red lights, I heard his siren, but I thought he was only having fun with me." Needless to say, he spent many days in jail.

Life is like that. We see the warning signs, but ignore them. Our life gets out of control and we don't know what to do. The Holy Spirit tries to guide us and bring us under control, but so often we don't listen to Him. Finally, we come to a crushing halt and our life changes—sometimes for the good and other times not. We need to let our conscious or the Holy Spirit lead us to bring us back into focus. Watch for the warning signs and take the necessary action.

## High School Students Study MSHP



*Students from the Herndon Career Center's Law Enforcement/CSI class participated in a week-long Patrol Student Alliance Program. The morning and afternoon classes consist of students from the following high schools: Truman, Van Horn, William Chrisman (Independence, MO), Lee's Summit, Lee's Summit West, Raytown, Raytown South, Grandview, and Center. Both classes and Patrol personnel enjoyed the week. Retired Lieutenant Jim Ripley (seen with the afternoon group) is an instructor at the center. Sgt. Collin M. Stosberg, Troop A, is seen with members of both classes.*



# MOORE, Larimer Honored By Peers

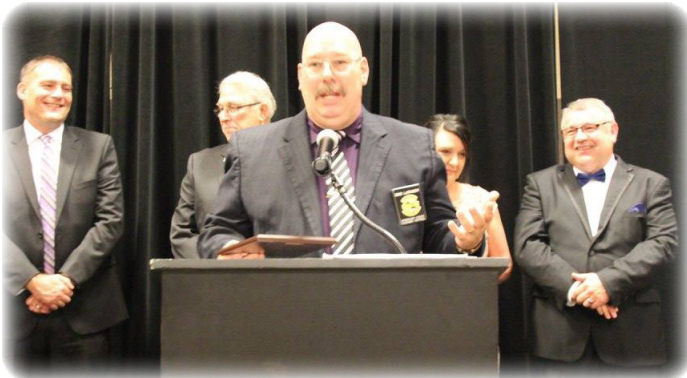
## Chief Oper. Roger D. Martin, Q/CommD

During the annual Missouri Public Safety Communications Conference (MPSCC) Recognition Banquet statewide winners of the Public Safety Communications Professional awards were announced. The MPSCC is hosted by the state chapters of the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials and the National Emergency Number Association; the Missouri 9-1-1 Director's Association, and the Communications Interoperability Section of the Missouri Department of Public Safety. Two Highway Patrol communications professionals were recognized for their outstanding performance during this past year.

- **Supervisor of the Year:** Chief Operator Dawn M. Moore, Troop E, Poplar Bluff, was recognized for her outstanding achievements in management and leadership at a frontline communications center.
- **George Major Trainer of the Year:** Communications Operator Bob P. Larimer, Troop D, Springfield, was honored for providing exceptional initial and continuing education training within the southwestern region of the state as well as for Missouri State Highway Patrol communications operators.



Section Chief J. Corey Chaney (l), Q/CommD, and Chief Operator Roger Martin (r), Q/CommD, who is also president of MOAPCO, were present to congratulate Supervisor of the Year award recipient and Chief Operator Dawn Moore, Troop E.



Comm. Oper. III Bob P. Larimer, Troop D, accepted the George Major Trainer of the Year Award. Standing behind Comm. Oper. III Larimer are (l to r) Shawn Johnson, Priority Dispatch; Richard Boetcher, APCO International East Coast Board of Directors member; April Tarrant, MPSCC Conference Chair; Chief Operator Roger Martin, Q/CommD, who is also president MOAPCO.

## Trooper Ward To The Rescue!

### By Troop D

Trooper Andy Ward, Troop D, was flagged down by a houseboat operator while patrolling Table Rock Lake. He found that an immature bald eagle had landed and claimed the houseboat as its home. The eagle was obviously ill/injured and in poor condition. "I attempted to transport the bird, but quickly it was determined the eagle was not a fan of the boat ride," said Tpr. Ward in a Facebook post. "I wrapped him in a towel for the remainder of the ride. The eagle was released to the Conservation Department." Tpr. Ward handed the eagle off to an agent who then released it to a zoo for rehabilitation. "Just all in a day's work," said Tpr. Ward.

*Tpr. Andy Ward helped rescue this injured bald eagle after it landed on a houseboat on Table Rock Lake.*



# Slow Speed Gets Trooper's Attention

By MVI III Charles G. McMillan, Troop D

Sergeant Mathew K. Funderburk, Troop D, was on routine patrol eastbound on Interstate 44 east of U.S. Highway 65 in Greene County when he observed a Ford Expedition traveling eastbound in the driving lane at a slow speed. He pulled out into traffic and caught up to the Expedition and paced it doing 60 mph in a 70 mph zone. When a vehicle passed the Expedition, the vehicle weaved onto the shoulder.

Sgt. Funderburk followed the vehicle as it pulled off the interstate at Missouri Route 125 in Strafford, MO, and into the truck stop. He made contact with the driver and explained the lane violation. The driver said he had been driving a long time and he was tired. The passenger indicated he couldn't drive as he was suspended.

Sgt. Funderburk returned to his vehicle and ran the information through Troop D communications. The response showed both subjects as suspended and with criminal histories.

The driver was asked to have a seat in the patrol vehicle. Sgt. Funderburk noticed he appeared nervous and avoided eye contact. At this time, Sgt. Funderburk asked if there was

anything illegal in the vehicle. The driver said that there wasn't anything illegal and consented to a search of the vehicle.

The sergeant had the driver open the rear hatch. He noticed two plastic clasps on the floor near the third row seats which normally secure the seat covers to the seats. Sgt. Funderburk pulled the corner of the seat up revealing a square cellophane wrapped bundle inside. He put handcuffs on the driver saying that he believed the bundle contained drugs, then returned him to the seat in the patrol car.

Sgt. Funderburk made an incision in one of the bundles and discovered marijuana. He placed the driver under arrest and read him his Miranda rights, which he indicated he understood. While waiting for backup, the driver admitted that there were 100



*Sgt. Matthew Funderburk's sharp eye noticed things weren't as they should be, leading him to find 100 bundles of marijuana in a vehicle.*

pounds of marijuana in the seats and that the passenger had no knowledge the drugs were there.

After the vehicle was driven to Troop D Headquarters by Trooper Colton J. Beck, a search was made and 100 bundles were found. The driver was transported to jail and the passenger was released.

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## How Others See Us

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From: Patricia S. Haney  
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016

Good morning. My name is Patricia Haney, the grandmother of four. Our daughter, son-in-law, granddaughter (age 5) and grandson (age 3) spent the past weekend at Truman Lake camping, boating, and fishing. On Saturday, the Missouri [State Highway Patrol's] Water Patrol [Division] pulled up to their boat and gave each of the kids a T-shirt. In just a short visit with the officer, the kids learned that it's not only smart to always wear a life jacket, but it's also cool. It also provided them with an experience that told them water patrol/police officers are both friendly to kids and safe. What a great use of tax dollars and/or grant money! Please pass on our gratitude to all of your officers.

*Be safe.*

Patricia Haney  
Kansas City, MO 64158

# A Legacy Of Caring: The MASTERS & Ed Braschler

By The MASTERS President Fred M. Mills

Since MASTERS was formed in 1979, two things within our organization have remained constant. The first is the focus and an unwavering commitment to support the families of a trooper who dies in the line of duty. Yes, it has been far too often, but since 1979, each time a life was lost, The MASTERS was there.

To gain a historical perspective on The MASTERS, we don't have to look very far to find the answer. The other critical part of this equation is Mr. Ed Braschler, the longest serving board member in the history of our organization. He has served for over 37 years and counting. Ed has the distinction of being the last of the original board, of being the thoughtful and caring voice of reasoning. Ed's question was always simple and straight forward: Is this what's best for the families we serve? If the answer was yes, then Ed worked to make it happen.

Ed is also a charter member of The MASTERS. He was elected as the first treasurer in 1979, and served in that capacity until 1988, when he was elected as president and served in that position until 1990. He served two additional terms as treasurer since 1990. After 37 years of dedicated service, Ed resigned from his position on The MASTERS board in February 2016. Upon his retirement, the board voted to give him "emeritus" status where he will remain in an advisory role.

When Ed was asked to comment on The MASTERS, he replied, "I know I was fortunate to be in on the "ground floor" of the origination of The MASTERS as I was personally acquainted with Fred Weber, Tom Graham, and the Fabick brothers. I had the privilege of sitting in on most of the organizational meetings. It is not without much sorrow that I relinquish my position as an active director of The MASTERS. While it saddens my heart that we have such a great need for an organization such as

*Colonel J. Bret Johnson, superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, presents a Certificate of Appreciation to Mr. Ed Braschler for his 37 years of dedication to The MASTERS and the Patrol.*



*The MASTERS, it has also been a great fulfillment in my personal life. I have been rewarded with some of the greatest friendships and have met some of the finest people in Missouri. It has always been my belief that our Missouri State Highway Patrol is an organization of the most respected, accomplished, and exemplary individuals who are our public servants. We cannot return enough to earn their devotion and duty displayed daily. Each task given is accomplished with the most thorough efforts, both in planning and strategy. I, indeed, hold this group of individuals in the highest esteem."*

Ed was born in Doniphan, MO. Following graduation, he attended college at Arkansas State University and then began his banking career with Commerce Bank of Poplar Bluff. He worked his way up from the commercial loan department to executive vice president prior to leaving in 1982, to take the position of president of First Midwest Bancshares. Bancshares owned several banks in Southeast Missouri for which he supervised the operations and management. During his banking tenure, Ed served on various boards in the Poplar Bluff area which included serving as the president of the Chamber of Commerce and Poplar Bluff Industries. He was a 15-year veteran of the Missouri National Guard, an avid supporter

of Three Rivers Community College, and served on the board of the Raiders Basketball Booster Club.

Ed and his wife, Judy, have been married 52 years and are the parents of two children, Jennifer and Jon. They have three grandchildren, Jordan, Jayla, and Justin. Their "little guy" Legend (foster grandchild) is three and has control of their entire family. Most of Ed's time is spent overseeing the farm operations, doing chores for his grandchildren, visiting with friends, reading, and watching basketball.

Ed, we are truly blessed that from the very beginning your expertise and professionalism, along with a touch of grace and kindness, put The MASTERS on an unparalleled path of caring and support. We have all heard Ed say, "In the beginning, they needed a hand to get The MASTERS started, so I helped."

*Together, they have shown a legacy of caring ... The MASTERS and Mr. Ed Braschler.*

On behalf of so many, we thank you for all you have done for The MASTERS and wish you the best. We look forward to you being in "emeritus" status on the board, so that we may still call on you for future guidance.

# Missouri Troopers Travel To RNC 2016

*By Public Info. Spec. III Cheryl D. Cobb, Q/PIED*

For the first time in the nation's history, an Emergency Management Assistance Compact for a national convention was put into place. The compact covered additional law enforcement support for the 2016 Republican National Convention from July 18-22, in Cleveland, Ohio. Buses transported the troopers to and from the convention. The Missouri State Highway Patrol contingent was part of the 1,600 state troopers from 19 state highway patrol/police agencies that were part of the EMAC.

"Members assigned to this detail proudly served the Cleveland community during the convention," said Lt. Erik Gottman, Troop B. "It was an honor and privilege to represent the Missouri State Highway Patrol at this event."

The agencies worked together very cohesively and resolved any situation effectively. There were few arrests and only a few minor incidents during the event. The Ohio State Highway patrol provided leadership for all responding agencies. The Missouri troopers stayed in rooms at Case Western Reserve University, which also provided meals.



*Missouri troopers found themselves to be quite popular with convention attendees as well as Cleveland residents. Requests for photos with members of the MSHP detail occurred frequently.*

"It was impressive to see the leadership from all agencies work together and disseminate orders to the field troops to resolve any issues that developed," said Lt. Ryan A. Burckhardt, Troop C. "It was equally impressive to see troopers in the field employing community policing tactics and gaining full support of citizens in the area."

*After exchanging "fives," with this little one, Sgt. Christopher Drenon, Troop A, knelt down for a picture. It's never too early to recruit!*



*Members of the MSHP detail served as a mobile field force. Here, they secure the perimeter.*



# Gaming Commission Meets At Troop C

By Lt. Ed Aylward, Q/GD

On August 31, the Missouri Gaming Commission held its monthly meeting at Troop C Headquarters in Weldon Spring. Retired MSHP Lieutenant Colonel Bill K. Seibert is the current executive director of the Missouri Gaming Commission. Executive Director Seibert felt utilizing Troop C Headquarters was a good way to acknowledge the longstanding working relationship between the Missouri State Highway Patrol and the Missouri Gaming Commission, which began in 1994. The meeting location also allowed the showcasing of the Highway Patrol's most current troop headquarters, which was completed in the fall 2008.

Prior to the start of official business, Executive Director Seibert took the opportunity to speak about the history of the Patrol's relationship with the MGC and mentioned the MGC's ties to the troop. He spoke of his role as a former Troop C commanding officer, and current MGC Deputy Director Tim McGrail serving as a past Troop C lieutenant. Executive Director Seibert also took time to recognize the 10-year anniversaries of MGC Auditor David Climer and MGC Financial Investigator Larry Stitz. He finished the presentations by recognizing the



Sgt. Brad D. Ussary, Q/GD, provides information to the members of the Missouri Gaming Commission.

employee of the quarter which was awarded to a surprised Angie Rinker-Lugo, the senior office support assistant at River City Casino.

One day prior to the meeting, gaming commissioners were treated to facility tours of River City Casino in South St. Louis County, and Hollywood Casino in Maryland Heights. The tours were led by property executives and included an entourage of MGC staff, Gaming Division staff, Captain Ron Johnson and Lieutenant Terry Potter



Retired Lt. Col. and current Missouri Gaming Commission Executive Director Bill Seibert presents the Employee of the Quarter Award to Angie Rinker-Lugo of River City Casino.

from Troop C, and members assigned to the respective properties. The commissioners saw firsthand many of the working procedures in a live environment of an operating casino. Seeing casino operations from a gaming agent's perspective provided the commissioners with a better understanding of gaming operations. The tour included full site access to behind the house operations as well as employee accommodations and culinary operations.

While the official business conducted during the meeting was fairly standard, the St. Louis trip was truly beneficial in reinforcing the importance of the Patrol/MGC relationship. The commissioners witnessed agents conducting line operations and ensuring the regulatory and statutory mission of the Missouri Gaming Commission is being fulfilled by ladies and gentleman who enforce the law.



Gaming commissioners preside over the August 31 meeting held at Troop C.



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# *Congratulations On Your Retirement!*

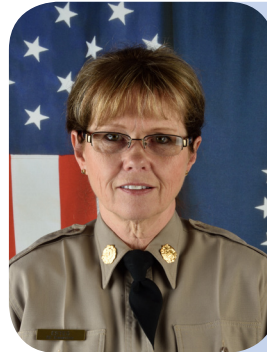
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**Mitzi A. Crump**  
Computer Info. Tech. III  
Q/RDD

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
Eight years, 11 months of dedicated  
service.*



**Raelene Estes**  
DE Sprv.  
Troop A

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
14 years of dedicated service.*

**Denise K. Henson**  
Chief CVO  
Troop C

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
29 years of dedicated service.*



**Van E. Ludwig**  
MVI Sprv.  
Troop C

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
31 years of dedicated service.*



**Greg G. Morgan**  
Sergeant  
Troop E

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
30 years of dedicated service.*



**D. Scott Nace**  
Sergeant  
Q/DDCC

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
19 years, seven months of dedicated  
service.*



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# *Congratulations On Your Retirement!*

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**Sid R. Popejoy**  
Assistant Director  
Q/CLD

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
33 years, nine months of dedicated  
service.*



**Diane R. Toms**  
CDL Examiner  
Troop A

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
27 years of dedicated service.*



**Kevin J.  
Turnbeaugh**  
Comm. Oper. III  
Troop C

*Retired August 1, 2016.  
21 years of dedicated service.*



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# *Thank You*

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On behalf of our family, we would like to thank everyone for the cards, prayers, and expressions of sympathy following the passing of our father, Michael C. Broniec. We would also like to thank those who were able to attend the funeral.

*Sgt. Michael E. Broniec, Troop C  
Cpl. Mark G. Broniec, Troop F  
Sgt. Matthew J. Broniec, Troop F*



The family of Lloyd Bigham would like to thank the Patrol for their support after his passing. The outpouring

of cards, letters, and calls received during this difficult time was deeply appreciated and will not be forgotten. May God bless each and every one of you.

*Ret. Section Chief Scott Bigham*



My uncle (Captain John Elliott, retired) and I, along with the rest of our family, would like to express our appreciation of the cards, prayers, and expressions of sympathy that we received after the passing of my grandmother (John's mother), Betty

D. Elliott. We were also appreciative of those who were able to attend the service. It was encouraging to see the support the Patrol family expressed during our time of loss. Thank you for taking the time to comfort and encourage our family.

*Sergeant Erik L. Hurst, Troop A*



My family and I would like to thank all those who sent cards and expressions of sympathy following the passing of my brother, Ronald Jones. Your kindness has been dearly appreciated. May God bless each of you.

*Ret. Sgt. Charles E. Jones & family.*

# 'Looking Beyond The Stop'

The following officers are to be commended for looking beyond the initial traffic/boating stop. Each of these officers made at least one arrest during the period of June 15 to August 5, 2016. (Editor's note: This column excludes DWI/BWI arrests, warrant arrests, and "plain sight" situations. Keep in mind that there must be information in the "miscellaneous" section of the radio report to be considered for this column. Rank and assignment reflect those at printing.)

## Troop A

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Tpr. T.A. Baxter, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.C. Belardo, 1 arrest  
Tpr. T.J. Black, 2 arrest  
Tpr. J.T. Cunningham, 1 arrest  
Sgt. J.W. Dick, 1 arrest  
Tpr. Q.L. DiNovi, 1 arrest  
Tpr. B.R. Dodson, 5 arrests  
Tpr. S.E. Dodson, 2 arrests  
Sgt. M.P. Fennewald, 2 arrests  
Tpr. M.J. Hanrahan, 1 arrest  
Tpr. J.M. Harrison, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.W. Hunter, 2 arrests  
Tpr. D.J. Jackson, 1 arrest  
Tpr. J.T. Langsdale, 1 arrest  
Cpl. D.D. Mathes, 6 arrests  
Sgt. R.B. McGinnis, 8 arrests  
Cpl. J.D. Owens, 2 arrests  
Tpr. N.A. Perez, 2 arrests  
Sgt. G.D. Primm, 4 arrests  
Tpr. B.M. Ryun, 7 arrests  
Tpr. B.R. Siercks, 4 arrests  
Tpr. E.J. Villanueva, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.D. Wohler, 1 arrest

## Troop B

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Sgt. N.D. Berry, 1 arrest  
Tpr. T.D. Crutchfield, 1 arrest  
Tpr. L.C. Ewigman, 7 arrests  
Tpr. A.J. Fish, 2 arrests  
Tpr. G.L. Gaines, 4 arrests  
Tpr. T.J. Haley, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.R. Henry, 3 arrests  
Tpr. A.M. Hitt, 6 arrests  
Tpr. K.M. Hoover, 1 arrest  
Tpr. J.P. Johnson, 4 arrests  
Tpr. C.R. Kottwitz, 7 arrests  
Cpl. K.E. Linear, 1 arrest  
Tpr. K. McGivney, 2 arrests  
Cpl. L.P. Quinn, 1 arrest  
Tpr. J.A. Rowe, 1 arrest  
Tpr. T.B. Ritter, 1 arrest

## Troop C

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Tpr. K.E. Alcorn, 2 arrests  
Tpr. B.M. Beard, 1 arrest  
Tpr. K.R. Bechaud, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.M. Bishop, 1 arrest

Sgt. J.R. Campbell, 2 arrests  
Tpr. R.R. Davis, 1 arrest  
Sgt. J.R. Diffie, 3 arrest  
Tpr. J.A. Dopplick, 1 arrest  
Cpl. A.D. Gadberry, 2 arrests  
Tpr. D.C. Highley, 1 arrest  
Tpr. H.H. Hoemann, 2 arrest  
Cpl. J.M. Hurt, 1 arrest  
Cpl. D.F. Isringhausen, 2 arrests  
Tpr. A.J. Mayer, 3 arrests  
Cpl. A.H. Michajliczenko, 2 arrests  
Cpl. D.B. Reed, 1 arrest  
Tpr. S.T. Roettger, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.J. Sanchez, 1 arrest  
Tpr. K.D. Scruggs, 1 arrest  
Sgt. W.B. Sevier, 1 arrest  
Cpl. A.L. Woods, 2 arrests

## Troop D

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Cpl. M.D. Adams, 1 arrest  
Tpr. B.W. Adamson, 13 arrests  
Tpr. T.A. Barrett, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.J. Beck, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.B. Blankenship, 4 arrests  
Tpr. B.L. Butler, 3 arrests  
Tpr. K.R. Copeland, 1 arrest  
Tpr. B.R. DeHaan, 3 arrests  
Tpr. R.W. Garrett, 1 arrest  
Tpr. G.T. Hackett, 2 arrests  
Tpr. T.L. Harmon, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.W. Henley, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.L. Johnson, 12 arrests  
Tpr. A.J. Kahler, 1 arrest  
Tpr. W.S. Lashmet, 4 arrests  
Cpl. J.L. Mason, 5 arrests  
Tpr. T.W. Meyer, 1 arrest  
Sgt. S.R. Monk, 1 arrest  
Tpr. L.E. Rawson, 3 arrests  
Tpr. A.S. Rice, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.R. Rorie Jr., 3 arrests  
Sgt. S.R. Rowe, 3 arrest  
Tpr. C.A. Stallcup, 2 arrest  
Cpl. T.J. Stevens, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.A. Sumner, 1 arrest  
Tpr. W.J. Wood, 2 arrests

## Troop E

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Tpr. J.K. Brooks, 1 arrest  
Tpr. R.W. Eakins, 1 arrest

Tpr. T.E. Erpenbach, 1 arrest  
Tpr. K.L. Huggins, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.E. Leach, 2 arrests  
Tpr. A.N. Miller, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.S. Palmer, 5 arrests  
Tpr. C.L. Purnell, 1 arrest  
Tpr. E.M. Reynolds, 5 arrests  
Tpr. B.L. Riefler, 1 arrest  
Tpr. M.L. Schlieff, 1 arrest  
Cpl. M.T. Turlington, 2 arrests  
Tpr. G.T. Ulm, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.J. West, 1 arrest  
Cpl. J.T. Wilson, 1 arrest

## Troop F

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Tpr. M.P. Acord, 2 arrests  
Tpr. N.J. Borgmeyer, 1 arrest  
Tpr. Z.A. Czerniewski, 4 arrests  
Tpr. R.R. Dowd, 1 arrest  
Tpr. T.C. Fick, 8 arrests  
Tpr. D.L. Fouch, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.W. Foust, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.W. Harlan, 1 arrest  
Cpl. D.P. Hutzler, 1 arrest  
Sgt. S.B. Johnson, 16 arrests  
Sgt. K.M. Kreftmeyer, 1 arrest  
Tpr. R.M. Malone III, 2 arrests  
Cpl. B.A. McLaughlin, 5 arrests  
Tpr. M.H. Mistler, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.B. Nelson, 1 arrest  
Cpl. C.J. North, 1 arrest  
Cpl. M.B. Patterson, 1 arrest  
Tpr. W.R. Plumley, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.W. Reichert, 4 arrests  
Cpl. M.L. Rice, 7 arrests  
Tpr. N.R. Schaffer, 2 arrests  
Tpr. D.T. Shikles, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.A. Winter, 1 arrest

## Troop G

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Tpr. M. Barron, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.P. Chatman, 6 arrests  
Sgt. J.A. Cravens, 37 arrests  
Tpr. J.S. Cunningham, 1 arrest  
Sgt. L.S. Elliott, 4 arrests  
Tpr. J.M. Heimsoth, 1 arrest

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Cpl. J.C. Howell, 1 arrest  
Cpl. A.D. Johnson, 1 arrest  
Tpr. A.R. Johnson, 1 arrest  
Cpl. D.J. Johnson, 3 arrests  
Tpr. C.A. Kimes, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.J. Mendez, 4 arrests  
Tpr. J.W. Philpott, 3 arrests  
Tpr. J.O. Prater, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.R. Roberts, 11 arrests  
Tpr. B.C. Rowden, 10 arrests  
Cpl. E.M. VanWinkle, 1 arrest  
Cpl. R.D. Vaughan, 1 arrest

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## Troop H

Tpr. K.J. Cool, 2 arrests  
Tpr. J.C. Daly, 1 arrest  
Cpl. B.R. Hilliard, 4 arrests  
Tpr. J.R. Johnston, 2 arrests  
Cpl. P.M. Kimball, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.A. Landi, 3 arrests  
Tpr. J.D. Maudlin, 5 arrests  
Tpr. V.R.E. McBride, 2 arrests  
Tpr. M.J. Miller, 1 arrest  
Tpr. B.R. Muck, 4 arrests  
Tpr. M.W. Neely, 2 arrests  
Cpl. S.E. Pritzel, 2 arrests  
Cpl. R.A. Sherman, 1 arrest

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## Troop I

Tpr. G.A. Ayres, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.M. Barclay, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.R. Capps, 2 arrests  
Cpl. L.D. DeClue, 5 arrests  
Tpr. J.L. Dunmire, 3 arrests  
Tpr. J.A. Ice, 1 arrest  
Tpr. D.W. Pfeifer, 4 arrests  
Tpr. G.S. Sloan, 1 arrest  
Tpr. N.A. Smith, 2 arrests  
Tpr. C.M. Stauffer, 1 arrest  
Tpr. T.D. Stewart, 1 arrest  
Tpr. C.W. Tierney, 1 arrest  
Tpr. P.V.J. Volkmer, 3 arrests  
Tpr. T.G. Zimmerman, 4 arrests

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Tpr. M.B. Foster, 3 arrests

# Looking Back ... in the Patrol News

### 40 years ago

*September 1976* — The cover showed Lieutenant Thomas Poindexter, Troop A, and Sergeant Roy Foss, Troop D, assisting entertainer Barbara Mandrell from her tour bus prior to her performance at the Missouri State Fair. The centerfold covered the National Republican Convention detail, which included 227 uniformed members.

### 30 years ago

*October 1986* — Trooper R.L. Cole, Troop C, couldn't believe it when a man removed his glass eye before taking the horizontal Gaze Nystagmus test. The test determined the man was indeed intoxicated. A photo showed Sergeant Tom Taylor and Corporal Richard Coffey standing with Governor John Ashcroft in Seoul, Korea. The centerfold told of the manhunt for Michael Wayne Jackson, who was wanted in connection with a string of murders, abductions, thefts, and other acts of violence. Jackson was found dead in an abandoned barn.

### 20 years ago

*September 1996* — Criminalists attended a basic Clandestine Laboratory Safety Training School at the Patrol Academy to learn about chemical, fire, and explosive hazards in clandestine drug labs. Troop D Satellite Laboratory moved to a new facility provided at no charge by Southwest Missouri State University. The 72nd Recruit Class entered the Academy.

### 10 years ago

*September/October 2006* — Articles celebrated Colonel Roger D. Stottlemire's and Lieutenant Colonel Bill Seibert's retirements. Tpr. Matthew Keeney was the May 2006 State Employee of the Month. The 85th Recruit Class graduated. A salute to "Our Keepers" highlighted Sergeant Howard A. Sardis, Q/GD, who was serving in Iraq with the U.S. Army military police.

# Deaths

## Riley Hodge



Riley M. Hodge Sr. died Monday, June 27, 2016, at the age of 78. Riley received his GED and served as a weight inspector with the Missouri State Highway Patrol for over 33 years before retiring. Riley was preceded in death by the love of his life, Frances Louis Skyles. He is survived by a son, daughter-in-law, and four grandchildren. The Patrol family extends its sincerest sympathy to the Hodge family. To learn more about Riley's life, visit the Null & Son Funeral Home website at [www.nullandsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.nullandsonfuneralhome.com).

## James R. Davis



James R. Davis, 95, of Macon, MO, died July 7, 2016. After high school, James served in the U.S. Air Force from 1942-1946, flying and instructing in the C-47 aircraft. On July 1, 1946, he was appointed to the Missouri State

Highway Patrol and served in Macon, St. Joseph, and Jefferson City during his career. He retired as a captain on July 1, 1981. He is survived by a daughter and her husband, daughter-in-law, and two grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death in May 2016. The Patrol family extends its sincerest sympathy to the Davis family. To learn more about James' life, visit the Greening-Eagan-Hayes Funeral Home at [www.greeningeaganhayes.com](http://www.greeningeaganhayes.com).

## Thomas A. Buel



Thomas A. Buel, 72, of Jefferson City, died Sunday, July 17, 2016. He graduated from Jefferson City High School in 1961, and attended Lincoln University. He worked in the Crime Laboratory Division of the Missouri State Highway Patrol from 1965 until 1995, when he retired as a criminalist supervisor. Tom and his wife Carolyn were married 50 years; she survives. Additional survivors include two daughters and their husbands; a son and his wife; and seven grandchildren. The Patrol family extends its sincerest condolences to the Buel family. To learn more about Tom's life, visit the Houser-Millard Funeral Directors' website at [www.millardfamilychapels.com](http://www.millardfamilychapels.com).

## Bobbie E. White



Bobbie White, 85, of Kennett, MO, died July 18, 2016, at Twin Rivers Hospital in Kennett. Bobbie was a U.S. Air Force veteran. He served as a driver examiner with the Missouri State Highway Patrol for over 30 years before retiring. Bobbie's wife, Linda, preceded him in death. He is survived by two sons. The Patrol family extends its sincerest sympathy to the White family. To learn more about Bobbie's life, visit the McDaniel Funeral Service website at [www.mcdanielfuneralservice.com](http://www.mcdanielfuneralservice.com).

## Karl E. Reichman



Karl E. Reichman, 83, of St. Joseph, died Tuesday, July 19, 2016. He was employed as a driver examiner with the Missouri State Highway Patrol for three years before entering the Patrol's Law Enforcement Academy.

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# Deaths

## — Reichman

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Karl served and protected the citizens of Missouri for a total of 35 years, retiring at the rank of sergeant. Survivors include: Rose, his wife of 61 years; a son and his wife; two granddaughters; a great-granddaughter; and numerous other relatives. The Patrol extends its sincerest condolences to the Reichman family. To learn more about Karl's life, visit the Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory website at [www.meierhoffer.com](http://www.meierhoffer.com).

## L. Dean Cloud



L. Dean Cloud, 80, of Joplin, died Sunday, August 28, 2016, at Mercy Hospital in Joplin. He served in the U.S. Air Force after high school. Dean worked as a CVE inspector for the Missouri State Highway Patrol from October 18, 1958 until he retired as a CVE inspector supervisor on August 31, 1991. He is survived by his wife of 60 years Viola, a daughter, son, four grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. The Patrol extends its sincerest condolences to the Cloud family. To learn more about Dean's life, visit Parker Mortuary at [www.parkermortuary.com](http://www.parkermortuary.com).

# We Remember



**Tpr. Charles P. Corbin**  
End Of Watch: Sept. 15, 1943



**Tpr. Robert J. Kolilis**  
End Of Watch: Sept. 21, 1988



**Tpr. D. Kevin Floyd**  
End Of Watch: Sept. 22, 2005



**Cpl. Michael E. Webster**  
End Of Watch: Oct. 2, 1993



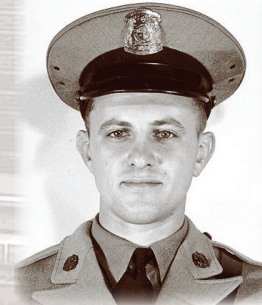
**Sgt. Robert G. Kimberling**  
End Of Watch: Oct. 6, 1999



**Tpr. Jesse R. Jenkins**  
End Of Watch: Oct. 14, 1969



**Sgt. Joseph G. Schuengel**  
End Of Watch: Oct. 15, 2010

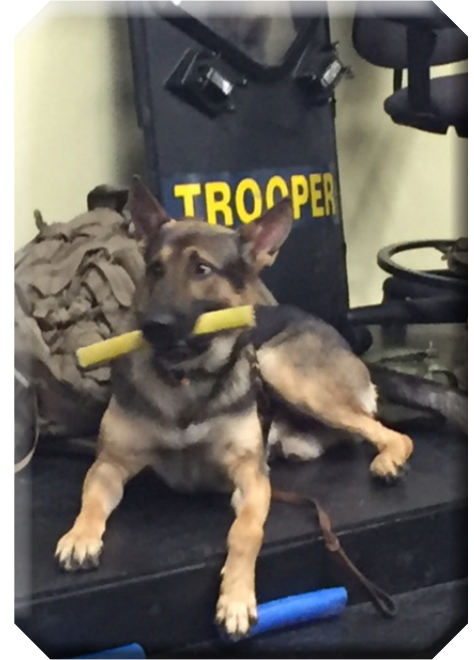


**Tpr. Wayne W. Allman**  
End Of Watch: Oct. 27, 1955

# Northland Career Center Hosts SAP



*Pictured with the troopers who taught them are 41 students from the Northland Career Center in Platte City, MO. The students completed a week-long Student Alliance Program in the fall 2015. Mr. Darrick Bruns, son of Cpl. Henry "Hank" C. Bruns, EOW 2/16/1987, is an instructor at the center.*



*K-9 Jampy demonstrated searches to the Northland Career Center students.*

## Sympathy

*Our deepest sympathy goes to the following personnel who have lost a member of their family:*

HR Analyst II Kari D. Hayes  
(Q/HRD) - mother-in-law  
Clerk Typist III Kim A. Adler (D)  
- father-in-law  
Ret. Sgt. Robert G. Mouser - wife  
Ret. Major Francis A. (Bud)  
Jones - wife  
Ret. Cpl. Jeff J. Everett - wife  
Ret. Sgt. Charlie E. Jones -  
brother  
Ret. Sgt. Harold M. Munsell -  
wife  
Ret. Tpr. Edward B. Spear - wife  
Lt. Col. Sandra K. Karsten -  
mother-in-law  
Ret. Sgt. Franklin E. Stephens -  
son  
Ret. CDL Examiner Jerry F.  
Thornton - brother

Sgt. Shannon W. Crouch (D) -  
father-in-law  
Ret. DE III Shirley A. Hardge -  
mother  
Asst. Chief Oper. Jessie R. Dillon  
(A) - grandmother  
Chief MVI Jeff A. Towns (C) -  
sister  
Tpr. Deryk A. Weber (C) -  
grandfather  
Lt. Mark A. Ott (H) - mother-in-law  
Ret. DE III Pam J. Leach - mother  
Ret. Major Dale A. Schmidt - sister  
Ret. Telecom. Sandy K. Gray -  
sister  
Admin. Office Support Asst. Sandy  
A. Stroud (D) - stepmother  
Tpr. Conrad L. Purnell (E) -  
brother

Chief MVI Daniel A. Gregory  
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