MEMPHIS POLICE DEPARTMENT

PROMOTING COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND ENGAGING OUR YOUTH
Memphis Police Department
Crime Prevention/COP

Programs Overview

The Office of Crime Prevention is a unit governed under the division of Special Operations for the Memphis Police Department. Crime Prevention was implemented May 2011 to create, organize, coordinate and manage all community-oriented and community outreach initiatives affiliated with the Memphis Police Department.

Crime Prevention Mission Statement
To strengthen, empower, and cultivate proactive partnerships within the community utilizing innovative crime prevention techniques and educational programs.

Crime Prevention Vision
We vision a solid level of trust, confidence, and mutual respect with the community as we together develop positive alternatives and solutions to improve the quality of life for all Citizens of Memphis.
CRIME PREVENTION BUREAU
COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

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**Crime Prevention Unit**

**COP Programs**

**IDENTIFICATION**
- Forms — Citizen Contact, Surveys, Citizen Complaint
- Blue Crush Data

**ENFORCEMENT**
- Patrol
- Call & Talk
- Enforcement Details
- Frayser Police Joint Agency
- Truancy (T.I.P.)
- Parades/Walks & Festivals
- Police Matters
- Police Training — NW, Youth Violence
- Community Centers
- School Crossing Guards
- Escorts

**EDUCATION**
- Safety Lectures
- Knowledge Bowl
- Clergy Academy
- Citizen Police Academy
- Youth Crime Watch/Conference
- Boxing/Outside the Box
- Ride Outside the Box
- Summer Youth Camp
- NW / National Night Out
- Gun Buy Back
- Motorcycle Awareness Fair
- Boy & Girl Scouts
- H.O.P. Academy
- 3 on 3 Basketball
- Holiday (Thanksgiving, Christmas, Healthy Halloween
- Hoops Challenge/Real Talk
- Senior Programs
- Explorers

**SUPPLY DRIVES**
- Cool Cop — Air Cond.
- School Supply
- Food Pantry — Summer and Cop a Lunch
- Food Programs
- Holiday Programs
- Coats For Kids
C.O.P.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM
C.O.P. Education

Youth Crime Watch Workshop

Stranger Danger

Backpack Give Away

Car Restraint Safety Class

C.O.P. Pantry
“Don’t Follow Me” Prison Program

Clergy Member Event

Youth Crime Watch

MPD Explorers

City of Memphis & Kroger Veteran Food Basket Giveaway

Christmas Shop W/a COP
MPD LOCATIONS WITH YOUTH PROGRAMS

- CRIME PREVENTION-COP
- AUSTIN PEAY STATION
- RAINES STATION
- MT. MORIAH STATION
- CRUMP STATION
- TILLMAN STATION
- NORTH MAIN STATION
- AIRWAYS STATION
- TRAINING ACADEMY
• APS Block Party at Trezevant
• AutoZone & City Gear Fellowship
• APS Movie Night
• Corvette with Kids
• Juvenile Mentoring Program
• APS Trunk or Treat
• Turkey Trot
• Thanksgiving Basket Giveaway
• Frayser & Raleigh Christmas Parade
• Knowledge Bowl
• Easter Extravaganza
• Frayser & Raleigh Christmas Parade
• Blue Path/Leaders Program in High Schools
• Thankful Thursdays
• Secret Santa
• Ridge Grove Neighborhood Watch Clean-up
• Summer Lunches
Corvette with Kids

APS Movie Night

Easter Extravaganza

Juvenile Mentoring Program
RAINES STATION

COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

- TN Youth Leadership Conference
- Whitehaven Parade
- Academy Youth Empowerment Black History Honors Program
- Leaders of Tomorrow Teen Safety Night Event
- Healing Races
- Boy’s Club Fundraiser
- Havenview Clean Up
- Leaders Of Tomorrow Girl’s Retreat
- Leaders Of Tomorrow Boy’s Retreat
- Raines Station Trick or Treat Event
- 911 Responders
- Cotton Makers Jubilee Cotillion
- Youth Tours
- Chickasaw S.P.E.D Tour of Raines Station GIB
- Harvest Festival
- Escape Room Team Building Event
• Whitehaven Business Reception
• Graceland Community Conference
• Fuller Park Fest and Nature Hike
• Youth Team Building Activity

Cotton Makers Jubilee Cotillion

Fuller Park Fest and Nature Hike

Youth Team Building Activity at Raines Station
MT. MORIAH STATION

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BUILDING A STRONGER COMMUNITY TOGETHER THROUGH V.I.S.I.O.N.

VOLUNTEERS INSPIRING & SERVING IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD
COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

- Linking Literacy and Law Enforcement
- Officers and community partners read in a classroom once a month
- Neighborhood association can adopt a school or classroom
- Read Across America – South Park Elementary
- Mt. Moriah Station Roadrunners
- Breast Cancer Awareness
- Donuts, Cops & Kids Program
- Mt. Moriah Station Backpack Giveaway
- Neighborhood Cleanup
- Feed The Needy Thanksgiving Baskets
- Mt. Moriah Station Movie Night
CRUMP STATION

COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

• Talked to students at Perea Elementary about gun safety.

• Booker T. Washington students were afforded a tour of the Crump Station and discussed the daily life of an officer.

• Participated in the Back to School event at St. Mark Baptist Church, handed out safety materials and talked to kids about making smart choices in life.

• Engaged with kids at a summer camp after speaking to them about gun safety and drugs.

• Participated in the fall festival at Southside COGIC by engaging with the youth and speaking to them individually about life choices.

• Hosted a Haunted House along with COPS and provided safety materials, games and food, and spoke to kids about gun safety.
• Jack & Jill participants enjoyed a day learning about the daily life of a Police Officer. They were given a tour of the station and learned about the various pieces of equipment an officer uses.

• Hosted 70 Special Olympics Olympians for an entire day by providing food, games and Special Ops demonstrations.

• Provided Christmas gifts to several daycares in the Crump Station service area.

• Hosted a Christmas Gala for several destitute kids from Rozelle Elementary.
• Spoke to the students at the Memphis Scholars School discussing how important community service is and how an officer serves the community.

• Homeschoolers were given a tour of the precinct, viewed the equipment an officer uses, discussed how it is used and had a meeting with ATF Agent Jordan and K9 Molly.

• Talked to kids that patronized Home Depot. Spoke to them about gun safety and provided gifts and literature.

• Passed out sack lunches to needy kids during Covid-19 pandemic.

• Hosted and engaged with students at Crump Station’s summer camp by providing a lecturer and field trips daily for 2 weeks.
• Delivered Valentine’s gifts, love and hugs to students at Rozelle Elementary.

• Delivered Valentine’s gifts, love and hugs to daycares.
TILLMAN STATION
COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

• Carpenter Art Garden Holiday Bike Parade & Pie Social
• Girls Rock Program
• Career Day
• Jacobs Ladder After Care Precinct Tour
• Boys Scout Precinct Tour
• Black Knowledge Bowl
• Coats for Kids
• Easter Egg Hunt
• Trunk or Treat
• Reading to Kids
• Tillman’s Boys Camp
• Tillman’s Girls Camp
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Tillman Girls Camp

RTCC

Juvenile Court

Easter Egg Hunt

Coats for Kids – Lester Com Ctr
COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

• Bickford Community Center
• Booker T. Washington High School
• Boys & Girls Club of Greater Memphis
• Cathedral of Faith Community Collaborative
• Dave Wells Community Center
• Girls Inc. of Memphis
• Grizzlies Prep Charter School
• Humes Preparatory Middle School
• Manassas High School
• Neighborhood Christian Center
• Oasis of Hope
• P.A.L.
• Vance Youth Development Center
• Whole Child Strategies
RIDGEWAY STATION
COMMUNITY YOUTH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

• Youth Crime Watch - Kirby High School  Each Week
• Girls Rock - Bluff City High School  Twice a month
• Future Visionaries - Kirby High School  Once a month
• Girls Rock – Kirby High School  Twice a month
• Celebration 100 days of School – Bell Forest Community School  Once a year
• Black History – Kirby High School  Once a year
• Knowledge Bowl – Kirby High School  Once a year
• Teen Dating – Power Center Academy  Once a year
• Drive through Graduation for Kindergarten – Crump Elementary  Once a year
• Drive through Graduation for 5th grade- Crump Elementary  Once a year
• Drive through Graduation for 12th grade – Kirby High School  Once a year
• K.S.C. C.D. Program food give away with youth  Once a year
• Community Park clean-up Raines Park  Once this year
Organized an Academy tour for a fellow Firefighter (Officer Daniels) who was visiting Memphis (Ronald McDonald House) while his 8 year old son was receiving treatment for Cancer at St. Jude Research Hospital. The Training Academy also showered him with MPD gifts donated by staff and the Fire Training Academy.
• Hosted a tour of the Academy, FTU and Aviation at the request of the MPD Legal Office for the Memphis Police Department’s Summer Youth Interns.

• Honored, coordinated and completed tours of the Training Academy, FTU and Aviation with the Criminal Justice Explorer/Blue Path Program participants.

• Organized a tour with Jabberblabber INC (Jabberblabber-puppet) for informative youth interviews and videos at the Academy and other units with the Police Department.
The Memphis Police Department alone cannot effectively reduce and prevent crime. COP is a valuable unit that will truly make a difference, but it will take the participation of the entire community of Memphis to enhance the quality of life of its residents, businesses and visitors.