

Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers Rap Sheet

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MODIFIED OPERATIONS !

Even though our tip line, 258-8477, continues to operate as normal, COVID restrictions and our inability to have our normal fund raising events has made it necessary to modify our operations.

Our Events Co-ordinator, Tyler Lamphier, has volunteered to reduce his office hours to 8 hours on Mondays and Wednesdays plus 4 variable hours as needed. The Board sincerely appreciates his dedication and support of the program during these trying times.

We have had 3 Board meetings since the last news letter, the last of which was indoors, masked and socially distanced.

At the last meeting we had a new President, Don Cyr, who is replacing Lina Busico, who has left the program due to health reasons.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Karen Sinnaeve, our O.P.P. Coordinator, who recently retired. Best wishes for a long, happy and healthy time ahead.

BEST WISHES

Board Member and President, Lina Busico, has left the Board due to health issues. We wish her a speedy recovery and happiness throughout her future.

We thank Lina for her years of dedicated service and leadership throughout. She will be missed!

1ST EVER YARD SALE

Saturday, September 26 was the date of our 1st ever Indoor Yard Sale. It was hosted at the UNIFOR Local 195 Hall on Somme and was quite the success.

Crime Stoppers thanks ALL wonderful and generous donors who provided the items we received to make this even such a success! Other than one incident,

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everyone followed the COVID-19 restrictions in place for the event: masks and social distancing and 25 persons at a time. Custom masks were being sold by Helen Jacques for those who wanted washable and reusable masks.

Thank you to Local 195 and all the volunteers who sorted, priced, transported, loaded, unloaded, and set up the hall with merchandise for the public to view our . Pictures are on page 6.

CRIME STOPPERS

LOOKING FOR GOOD PEOPLE

Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers are looking for a few good people who would like to join our organization' Board.

In addition to attending monthly Board meetings on the second Monday of the month at 6 pm, you would also be required to work on events and fundraise.

Under normal circumstances Reoccurring events include Bingos, Chuck a Puck, the Annual Game Dinner, Bail or Jail, Parades, Drug/Medication Collection and Document Shredding, Grocery Packing Days and various other occasional events.

Candidates should have Board experience, and potentially lots to offer the organization. You are also required to pass a police clearance. Applications are available by calling Tyler at 519-255-6700 x4497, or at catchcrooks.com.

2ND YARD SALE

Crime Stoppers
2nd Indoor Yard Sale
was hosted by The
Moose Lodge on
Tecumseh West. It was
open Saturday October 24th

and Sunday the 25th. There was a steady stream of customers throughout Saturday.

We offered baked goods at this event and that turned out to be a great addition.

Once again masks were available and

COVID-19 rules were followed without incident.

This time we also had an raffle table with about 10 items that visitors could enter to win.

Sunday was not as busy as Saturday but did add to the weekend income. All in all the weekend revenue just exceeded \$2,000, which included a \$500 donation.

Crime Stoppers thanks everyone who came out and supported the Yard Sales, The Moose lodge and Dan for his ongoing generous personal support for our program.

Pictures are on page 6.
Remaining items were

auctioned off at

https://maxsold.maxsold.com/auction/windsor-ontario-canada-seller-managed-charityfundraising-online-auction-tecumseh-road-west-26087/bidgallery/

PLAQUE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

After years of debate, Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers has finally established an ongoing financial sponsorship program that should appeal to local businesses and supporters of all types.

Anyone wishing to support Crime Stoppers can now have a 12 by 10 inch oak plaque with a gavel mounted on it to display in a prominent place at their location. The inscription reads: "Our company is proudly committed to being a 5 year sponsor of Windsor And Essex County Crime Stoppers "Make The Call That Helps Us All"". The Plaque is pictured here.

Sponsorship consists of a \$200 per year commitment for 5 years. Each year the sponsor receives a year plate to mount on the plaque.

All sponsors will be featured at our major events, on our web site and on social media whenever possible.

Anyone can be a sponsor: business, a retailer, a company, even individuals.



BIKES FOR SALE

Crime Stoppers has received the proceeds from 18 used bicycles that have been recovered by the Windsor Police as stolen merchandise and sold at https://www.govdeals.ca/ Check out this site for more deals.





2020/21 BOARD

EXECUTIVE

President - Donald Cyr V. P. - TBA Secretary - Kelly Shelson Treasurer - Cher Fahringer Past Pres. - Charlie Hotham

DIRECTORS

Dianne Bako Rev. Ernie Harris * Rene Jacques Kris McInnis Moe Susa

COORDINATORS & STAFF 255-6700

TBA, OPP, x4496 Tim Harrington, WPS, x4493

Program Manager Tyler Lamphier, x4497





CHALLENGING TIMES

COVID-19 is impacting everything and everyone we know.

Hopefully everyone is being cautious, following the rules and remaining healthy.

If you do NOT have symptoms and need a COVID-19 test here is the web address to book one:

h t t p s : / / access.eforms.shoppe rsdrugmart.ca/COVID19/

Results are sent to: h t t p s : / / covid19results.ehealth ontario.ca:4443/agree

With symptoms call your doctor and/ or the hospital at 519-973-4443 or https://www.wrh.on.ca/OnlineBooking

LETTER CAMPAIGN

Following the cancellation of all of our normal fund raisers, we decided to do a letter campaign to all of our known supporters and service clubs in the area.

Over 800 letters were sent out and so far we have received just under \$10,000 in donations.

Sincerest thanks to ALL those who have responded to our request for support during these desperate times.

2021 EVENTS

GAME DINNER

COVID-19 is impacting next year's fund raising events. At this time the Game Dinner is being postponed unless the virus situation is behind us.

BAIL or JAIL

Police Week is already cancelled for 2021. We normally have Bail or Jail at the Mall at the same time. Once again this is due to COVID-19.

BINGO

At this time there has been no news regarding the resumption of volunteers working our Crime Stopper bingos.

NEW COIN BOX LOCATIONS NEEDED

If **you** know a business owner willing to have a coin box displayed in store, have them call 255-6700 x 4497. Cash businesses where change is likely to be given are the best locations.

Coin boxes should be placed near the cash register and secured in place using the metal cable.

Homestyle Deli 1375 Grand Marais W
All Dollars 1399 Grand Marais W
Yorktown Home Hardware Jackie's Variety 1355 Grand Marais W.
1998 Wyandotte E.

3 Gyros 217 Sandwich St S, Amherstburg
Esso Gas Station 12219 Riverside Dr. E. Tec.
Tecumseh Variety 1100 Lesperance Rd.
The Planet Windsor Court House

Please frequent these vendors and thank you to each of them.

THANKS!

Thanks to the Ontario Provincial Police and Windsor Police Service who recently held a can and bottle recycle drive in support of Crime Stoppers.

The event raise \$500 which is greatly appreciated in these desperate times.

CRIME STOPPERS PLAQUE SPONSORS

The following individuals and businesses have signed up for the Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers Plaque Program. This means they have agreed to donate \$200 a year to Crime Stoppers for the next five (5) years. In return we provide them with the plaque pictured on page 3 which they can display prominently at their location. In addition Crime Stoppers will be promoting our sponsors at all our events, on the web site and on social media whenever possible.

We ask that you support these sponsors:

RECENT ADDITIONS

NONE

Current Plaque Owners

Alpine Construction BioPed Blackburn Radio Bob Pedler Real Estate Limited Bradley Eizenga Carswell Chiropractic & Massage Dan Kane **Delaney Financial Services** Dr. Butler Dr. Christopher Mattiuz Downtown Windsor BIA **Fahrhall Mechanical Contractors** Firestone - Tecumseh Rd Firestone - Ouellette Ave FirstStop Services Glen's Business Hub International Ontario Ltd. JAD Auto Center Lucier Glove & Safety Products Men In Kilts Middaugh Financial Services Nexgen Controls Inc. Oggi Hair Salon

Paper Heroes Comics Pender Wealth Management Pinsonneault Financial Services Reaume Chevrolet Buick GMC Rene Jacques Riviera on Central Roth Mosey & Partners Scotia McLeod You can add your Sunrise Bakery name to this list by Tepperman's contacting any **Transit Logistics UNIFOR Local 195 Board Member or UNIFOR Local 200** Tyler in the office at **UNIFOR Local 240** 255-6700 x 4497.

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UNIFOR Local 444

UNIFOR Local 2458

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FACEBOOK www.facebook.com/catchcrooks

INSTAGRAM — catchcrooks

STATISTICS SUMMARY

	Oct. 2020	This Year	To Date
Arrests	8	51	6,911
Cases Cleared	4	42	10,304
Property Recovered	\$2,440	\$200,803	\$13,245,001
Drugs seized	\$6,000	\$663,738	\$53,161,701
Rewards Authorized	\$850	\$19,075	\$1,227,860

LOCAL 195 9/26 BELOW THE MOOSE 10/24-25 BELOW













With fund raiser restrictions, these are challenging and desperate times.
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Neither do we!

Call 1-800-222-TIPS (8477)

Webtips at

www.catchcrooks.com

Windsor & Essex County Statistics Since 1985

Tips Taken - 56,710

Arrests - 6,918

Cases Cleared - 10,306

Drugs Seized - \$53,185,431

Property Recovered - \$13,245,001

Cash Rewards Approved - \$1,229,460

Crime Doesn't Pay, But

Crime Stoppers Does!

UP TO \$2,000 REWARD