

CRIME STOPPERS

WINDSOR & ESSEX COUNTY

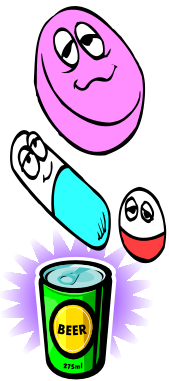
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TAKE BACK YOUR DRUGS 6/3



For the second year in a row, Crime Stoppers will be collecting unused and expired drugs and prescriptions at the **Tecumseh Mall**. We will also be collecting empty beer and wine bottles and beer cans. In addition, you can bring any old documents and papers you want professionally shredded for only \$10 per box.

For additional information call Leigh Ann at 519-255-6700, x4497 OR email Leigh Ann at windsorsex@catchcrooks.com and see page 3.



CRIME STOPPERS GOLF TOURNAMENT AUG. 24TH

The Crime Stoppers Golf Tournament will be held at Kingsville Golf & Country Club on Thursday, August 24th. Kingsville has 3 courses (starting points) - Red/White, White/Gold, Gold/Red.

We can accommodate a total of 42 foursomes (168 golfers). On our website the registrants can choose their tee time/course. The tee times start at 11am and go until 12:37pm. Cost is \$175 per golfer or \$700 per foursome. There is also Mulligans for those who wish to participate.

There is VIP bag drop off provided by the course. The golfers pull up, drop off their bag and the course places it on the cart for them. In their registration package, golfers are given 25 raffle tickets. Golfers are issued a voucher for lunch in the registration package.

Because there are 3 courses, if we provide a game (longest drive, hole-in-one, closest to the pin), we have to do it for all 3 courses to make it fair for all golfers.

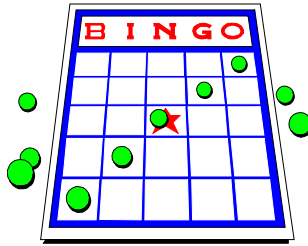
The putting contest is at the end of the tournament for golfers once they finished their round and before going in for dinner.

Dinner is selected by the golfers during online registration and given a ticket in their registration package. They have the choice of perch, pickerel, steak, chicken or ribs. The meal also comes with a garden salad, pasta marinara, roasted potatoes, and fresh vegetable medley. Golfers then get to use the ticket to redeem dinner whenever they want. There is no set dinner time. The food is also fantastic! For additional information call Sarah at 519-255-6700, x4497 OR email Sarah at sarah@catchcrooks.com. Flyer is on page 11.



BINGOS

Please remember to arrive roughly 15 minutes early to sign in and get set up. All bingos are held at the Paradise Gaming Centre (G.C.) located at 2340 Dougall Ave..



June 6 th - 10:00Pm	Tuesday	8:00 Pm
June 17 th	Saturday	4:00 Pm - 6:00 Pm
June 24 th	Saturday	4:00 Pm - 6:00 Pm
July 1 st	Saturday	10:00 Pm - 12:00 Am
July 18 th	Tuesday	12:00 Pm - 2:00 Pm
July 29 th	Saturday	12:00 Pm - 2:00 Pm
August 8 th	Tuesday	2:00 Pm - 4:00 Pm
August 12 th	Saturday	2:00 Pm - 4:00 Pm
August 18 th	Friday	6:00 Pm - 8:00 Pm

Call Leigh Ann at (519) 255-6700 x4497 to volunteer for any session or any other event.

WELCOME

We welcome Jeremy Renaud as our largest new Board Member. Jeremy was a finalist applicant for our Events Coordinator position. He so impressed the Board during his interview, the Board decided to ask him to join the Board which he has done.

Hopefully he will find being a Board member rewarding experience. We are all looking forward to working with him.

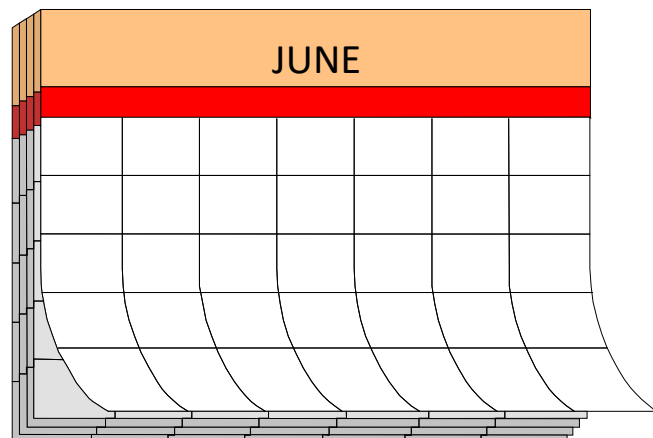
SAIL TO LAND CROOKS IN JAIL

Unfortunately, our Sail To Land Crooks In Jail dinner at the Hellenic Cultural Centre had to be cancelled due to the lack of participation. Thank you to those who did buy tickets.

CRIME STOPPERS RAFFLE CALENDAR

The Crime Stoppers raffle calendar is now in play. Prize winners will be picked daily during the month of June and called to make arrangements to get their prize. Winners will also be posted to the <https://catchcrooks.com> web site.

Good luck to everyone who purchased a calendar!



WELCOME

One of our newest Crime Stoppers Board member is **Denise Pelaccia**, our former Events Co-ordinator.

We are so lucky to have her join the board! No one has the incite into the running of our day to day office routine like she does.

As a result of Denise joining the Board we advertized for a new Events Co-ordinator.

After reviewing the many applications we narrowed it down to the top eight after which we interviewed each.

Then the group was narrowed down to the top two who were then interviewed by the Board on May 8th.

The Board then selected **Leigh Ann Riberdy** who had previously been one of our WPS Police Coordinators for several years and is now retired.

Hopefully Both Denise and Leigh Ann will find working with us both enjoyable and rewarding.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

**TAKE BACK YOUR DRUGS, BOTTLES
& SHRED YOUR DOCUMENTS**

DRIVE-THRU DROP OFF LOCATED IN FRONT PARKING LOT OF TECUMSEH MALL

10AM-3PM



FREE DROP-OFF



\$10/BOX



DONATE



TECUMSEH MALL
It's right here.



WWW.TECUMSEHMALL.COM

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR ACTIVE ATTACKER DAYS

The Windsor Police Service is looking for 2-4 volunteers for their Active Attacker Training Days and would like to see if our volunteers would be interested. They will be every Tuesday from now until the week of June, 2023 and will start up again in September, 2023.

This will be on a first come, first serve basis by clicking on the link below to sign-up:

<https://doodle.com/meeting/participate/id/eVvz7xOe>

If you participate, you will need to sign a waiver prior to arrival.

Please do not email our contact at Windsor Police, Cst. Gratton, or myself that you will be attending. Book a spot by clicking on the link above only.

If you clicked you could attend and can no longer attend prior to the day of, please email me u can no longer attend on the day of, please email Cst. Gratton.

Those who are a no-show on the day of will no longer be considered for the volunteer positions going forward.

Please read the email below with instructions from Cst. Gratton on where you will be and what you are expected to do on these days. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to send me an email and I will get back to you when I am in office.

Thank you so much & hope to see some of our volunteers out there representing! :)

Please arrive at 1245hrs and report to the rear entrance of the STAG located at 3735 King St. Once all have arrived report to the Community Safety officer's vehicle and advise them to contact the safety officer inside. The safety officer will then conduct safety checks and issue the safety brief. They will then make their way inside the building. All personnel are required to either have eye protection or full face protection during the scenarios. A mask will be provided to the actors.

I would recommend wearing clothing that they wouldn't mind getting dirty as they will be playing our wounded victims (laying on the ground etc.). The STAG can be cold, bring any weather dependent clothing like coats and gloves. Leave all tools, knives and use of force at home.

*Do not enter the premise unless escorted by a safety officer and safety checked.

All volunteers must sign a waiver before participating.

ANNUAL BOARD ELECTIONS

At our April 3rd meeting, elections took place resulting in:

President	Moe Susa
Vice President	Rene Jacques
Treasurer	Kelly Shelson
Secretary	Mellissa Petz
Past President	Cher Fahringer

Since then Cher, Kelly and Mellissa have all resigned. We want to thank each of them for their dedication and all of their contributions to the Board during their years of service. We wish them success in all their future endeavours.

Elections will be at the June 12th meeting.

GAME DINNER OCT. 13, 2023

For all of our supporters who have been asking "When is the game dinner?", the date has been set: for Friday, October 13th.

Since COVID and we have been working hard to get it back on track. Since it is still in the planning stages, more details will be outlined in the next newsletter and on the web site: <https://www.catchcrooks.com/>
Check there for when tickets will become available.

This is a major fund raiser for us and we plan to have lots of tasty game dishes, raffle and auction items for your entertainment.

Don't miss out. Plan now to attend.

SOUTHERN FOOTPRINTS

The Southern Footprints run/walk was held Sunday, April 23rd at Point Pelee National Park. There were 413 runners on a day that was perfect for running. This was the largest turnout ever!

As a result the event generated \$10,000 for Crime Stoppers. THANK YOU TO SOUTHERN FOOTPRINTS!

Thank you to everyone who participated in the event and to the organizers and volunteers that made the day a success!



THE PLAQUE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers has 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 on the next page.

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

Anyone can be a sponsor: business, a retailer, a company, even individuals. All sponsors will be featured at our major events, on our web site and on social media whenever possible. See below for current sponsors.



CURRENT 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 below 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:

Bob Pedler Real Estate Limited
 Firestone - Kipling Tire & Automotive
 Ouellette Ave & Tecumseh Rd
 Hub International Ontario Ltd.
 Pender Wealth Management

Cathy Harris (Rev. Ernie Harris)
 Rene Jacques
 Tepperman's
 UNIFOR Local 240

You can add your name to this list by contacting any Board Member or

Leigh Ann in the office at 519-255-6700 x 4497.

POLICE K9 CHARITY CALENDARS

Crime Stoppers has produced a September 2023 to December 31st, 2024, Law Enforcement Canine Calendar. It features all the area Agencies Services dogs: Windsor Police Services, Chatham-Kent Police Services, Ontario Provincial Police, Canada Border Services Agency and Correctional Services of Canada.

A special thank you to Team Goran at RE/MAX Care Realty for sponsoring the calendars and to Katie Panasiuk for all the marvelous photos.

The calendars are only \$10 each and will be sold at the Woof-a-Roo Pet Fest, through our web site <https://www.catchcrooks.com/20232024-k9-calendar-1> and at future events.



WOOF-A-ROO PET FEST

Woof-a-Roo Pet Fest is a fun filled festival for "Pets and Their People" featuring live presentations, such as Dock Diving, Dog Agility, Lure Coursing, and Dog Races! It has Specialty Vendors, Charity Contests and much more.

Woof-a-Roo will be held Saturday, June 24th, - Sunday, June 25th from 9:30 am – 5:30 pm both days at The Libro Sports Complex, 3295 Meloche Rd. in Amherstburg.

All Friendly Pets Are Welcome To Bring Their Responsible Owner!

Visit the <http://www.woofaroo.com> web sit for more details.

2023 Events Calendar

2022/23 BOARD

EXECUTIVE

President - Moe Susa
 Vice President - * Rene Jacques
 Secretary -
 Treasurer -
 Past Pres. -

DIRECTORS

Damon Boyko
 Kathryn Clarke
 Kevin Cosgrove
 Becky Davidson
 Elsa Elliott
 Devin Lopez
 Denise Pelaccia
 Jeremy Renaud
 Greg Rumpel
 Blair Spencer
 Tanya Van Dongen

COORDINATORS & STAFF 255-6700

Sarah Werstein, OPP, x4496
 Lauren Brisco, WPS, x4493

Program Manager

Leigh Ann Riberdy, x4497

VOLUNTEER LEADER

Becky Davidson

* Rap Sheet Editor

June

Every Tues, Active Attacker Training, 3735 King St.
 June 3rd Sat Take Back Your Drugs, Papers, Bottles
 Tecumseh Mall 10am - 3pm
 June 6th Tues Bingo 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm, Paradise G.C.
 June 17th Sat Bingo 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 June 24th Sat Bingo 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 June 24th Sat-Sun June 25th Woof-a-Roo Pet Fest 9:30 am
 Libro Sports Complex, Amherstburg

July

July 1st Sat Bingo 10:00 pm - 12:00 am, Paradise G.C
 July 18th Tue Bingo 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 July 29th Sat Bingo 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm, Paradise G.C

August

Wednesday each week, Pasta, Riverside Sportsmen
 Aug 8th Tue Bingo 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 Aug 12th Sat Bingo 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 Aug 18th Fri Bingo 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Paradise G.C
 Aug 24th, Thurs, Crime Stoppers Golf Tournament
 Kingsville Golf and Country Club

October 13th, Fri, Game Dinner, Colasanti's

FOR ALL THE LATEST UPDATES check at
<https://www.catchcrooks.com>

Volunteer for an event, call Leigh Ann at 259-255-6700, x4497
 OR email Leigh Ann at windsorsex@catchcrooks.com

AUGUST PASTA NIGHT FUNDRAISERS

The Pasta Night fundraisers will be every Wednesday in August 2023 at The Riverside Sportsmen Club!

Enjoy all you can eat pasta and support Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers.



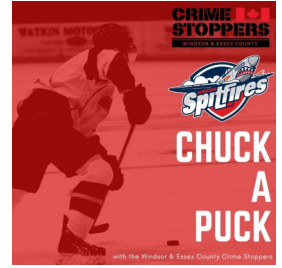
STATISTICS SUMMARY

	Apr. 2023	This Year	To Date
Arrests	3	24	7,082
Cases Cleared	7	22	10,420
Property Recovered	\$80,000	\$122,250	\$13,554,173
Drugs Seized	\$0	\$183,780	\$119,513,368
Rewards Authorized	\$1000	\$7800	\$1,264,935

OUR LAST 2023 CHUCK A PUCK

Our last Chuck A Puck for the season on March 15th brought in \$1,015. Thank you to all the volunteers who made this event and all those that preceded it so successful!

Pictured are the three winners at that game and our volunteer crew.



POLICE WEEK

Police Week was held Sunday, May 14th through to Saturday, May 20th at Devonshire Mall. During that time Crime Stoppers sold June Raffle Calendars, Dog Calendars and operated an Escape Room. As a result we made \$1360.30.

Thanks to all those who volunteered during this event .

We want to give a special thank you to Hidden Trail Escape Rooms at 3147 Tecumseh Rd E. (519-990-7054) for donating their escape room for the event.



DEVONSHIRE MALL RECYCLING DAY

On Saturday, April 22, we participated in the Annual Devonshire Mall Recycling Day. Although the weather was sometimes awful, we had a fairly good turnout of people turning in their unused medications and documents to be shredded.

Not many citizens chose to donate their empty wine bottles and beer cans this time.



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16TH ANNUAL

CHARITY GOLF
TOURNAMENT

Kingsville
GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

AUGUST 24TH,
2023

TEE TIMES
BEGIN AT
11AM

\$175/GOLFER
\$700/FOURSOME

PRICE INCLUDES:

"All-in" style pricing - 18 Holes of Golf (Scramble) With Cart, 4 Contests on the Course, 25 Raffle Tickets, Lunch and Dinner, \$25 Keg Gift Card & Tax Receipt.

REGISTER ONLINE AT: WWW.CATCHCROOKS.COM
OR EMAIL SARAH@CATCHCROOKS.COM OR
LAUREN@CATCHCROOKS.COM