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Fall 2023

GAME DINNER NOV. 17TH

Bring Your Appetite! The Windsor & Essex County Crime Stoppers' Wild Game Dinner (Friday, November 17th, 2023) is back! There will be a gigantic spread of tasty game dishes along with auction items, and entertainment for attendees. As a signature fundraising event, this Wild Game Dinner has historically sold out annually, so don't be late and plan ahead! Tickets will be available for purchase online in the near future. Check our website https://www.catchcrooks.com/game-dinner often! **Please see page 4 for more information and menu details**.

2023 CRIME STOPPERS GOLF TOURNAMENT RESCHEDULED TO SEPT. 13TH



Although we were ready to play golf on August 23rd, mother nature had other plans. Due to torrential thunder storms over night the Kingsville Golf and Country Club was not playable because of the water. The event has been rescheduled to September 13th. We hope that everyone will be able to make it that day and that mother nature doesn't interfere again. See you there.!



WINDSOR OPEN STREETS SUN. SEPT 17TH 10AM - 2PM

Crime Stoppers will be participating in Windsor Open Streets once again on Sunday, September 17 (10am - 2 pm.)

The route will only open to pedestrians. People can walk, cycle, roller blade, etc. along the route while visiting eight locations along the way with musical entertainment and other activities for you to partake in. Businesses along the route will be promoting themselves for you to visit them as well. Come and visit us along the way.



VISIT US AT THE DOWNTOWN WINDSOR FARMERS' MARKET SEPT. 2ND

On September 2nd, from 8 am to 2 pm, Crime Stoppers will be at the Downtown Windsor Farmers' Market at Pelissier St. &, Maiden Lane W.

Come visit us, learn about our program, and pick up a 2023 K9 Calendar for only \$10.

MEET YOUR 2023 - 24 CRIME STOPPER BOARD

Front row L - R: Program Manager - Leigh Ann Riberdy, Treasurer - Tanya Van Dogen, Rene Jacques, OPP Coordinator - Sarah Werstein, WPS Coordinator - Lauren Brisco,
Back Row L - R: President - Moe Susa, Katheryn Clarke, Vice President - Greg Rumpel, Devin Lopez, Damon Boyko, Kevin Cosgrove, Secretary - Jeremy Renaud
Missing: Becky Davidson, Lisa Morse, Blair Spenser and Elsa Elliott

TECUMSEH MALL HALLOWEEN BROOMSTICKS & BRUSHES

CRIME STOPPERS FUNDRAISING EVENT

Crime Stoppers will once again be participating in the Tecumseh



Mall Brooksticks & Brushes Event. It is Saturday, Oct. 21st from (11am to 3pm) on a walk-in basis and while the 60 pumpkins to paint quantity lasts.

Up to 16 can participate at a time and have up to one (1) hour to paint their pumpkin masterpiece. The cost is \$10 per person.



Other elements to participate in include a raffle table and K9 2024 Calendars for purchase.

Don't miss out on your chance to be creative and have fun. See you there.

FRIDAY. SEPTEMBER 15TH 6:30PM

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Tickets available at:

www.scarehousewindsor.com/immersive-dinner-experience

SCARE HOUSE WINDSOR

Halloween is not complete without a visit to Scare House Windsor located at 1441 McDougall St, Windsor. You can even have an exclusive 90 minute Immersive Dinner Experience by signing up in advance. The experience includes a V.I.P. pass to the event. Cost is \$99 plus taxes and gratuity.

It is open to the public from September 15th through to October 31st. Get all the details and times at https://www.scarehousewindsor.com.

This year Crime Stoppers will be the charity benefitting from the Scare House Windsor event. Our sincerest thank you to all those who make this event possible and for making Crime Stoppers as this year's beneficiary.





Wild Game Dimner

MENU: VATER BUFFALO ELK KANGAROO BISON WILD BOAR OSTRICH RABBIT OCEAN PERCH VENSION ROASTED CHICKEN SALAD AND BUNS

NOVEMBER 17, 2023 DOORS OPENS AT 5PM DINNER SERVED AT 6PM AT COLASANTIS TROPICAL GARDENS, KINGSVILLE

RAFFLE PRIZES LOTTERY AND GIFT CARD TREES CASH BAR

TICKETS \$65 OR TABLES OF 8 SAVES \$5 A TICKET SAVE THE DATE TICKETS ON SALE SOON!

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..



Sept 22 nd	Friday	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Sept 29 th	Friday	10:00 pm - 12:00 pm
Sept 30 th	Saturday	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Oct 10 th	Tuesday	10:00 pm - 12:00 pm
Oct 24 th	Tuesday	8:00 pm - 10:00 pm
Nov 4 th	Saturday	10:00 pm - 12:00 pm
Nov 11 th	Saturday	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Nov 29 th	Wednesday	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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

WELCOME

Welcome to our latest addition to the Board, Lisa Morse, who will attend her first meeting this month

She is a retired Police Officer who has supported the program for some time and will be greatly appreciated as a member of the Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers Board.

Hopefully Lisa will find working with us Crime Stoppers both enjoyable and rewarding.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Denise Pelaccia who went from being the Program Coordinator to being a Board member since our last newsletter.

Unfortunately for us, shortly afterwards, she left us to move on to bigger and better things.

We wish her all the best in her new and future endeavors.

TECUMSEH HOME HARDWARE FUNDRAISER

Thanks to the Tecumseh Home Hardware for hosting a BBQ fundraiser and Leigh Ann for arranging it with them. The event raised \$775.50.

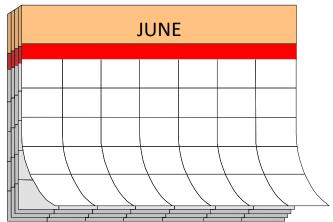


CRIME STOPPERS RAFFLE CALENDAR

Congratulations to the 30 prize winners of our June Raffle Calendar. All the prize winners were called the day of winning and their prize was delivered at their convenience.

The Calendar Raffle made Crime Stoppers \$4,681.24.

Thank you to everyone who purchased a ticket and to all those who sold the tickets.



E-TRANSFER NOW POSSIBLE

The ability for e-transfers has been activated for all events through our windsoressex@catchcrooks.com address. Donations; purchases from auctions, and other payments or donations can now be received through funds that are electronically transferred from you to Crime Stoppers using your computer or phone with thanks.

NEW COMPUTERS

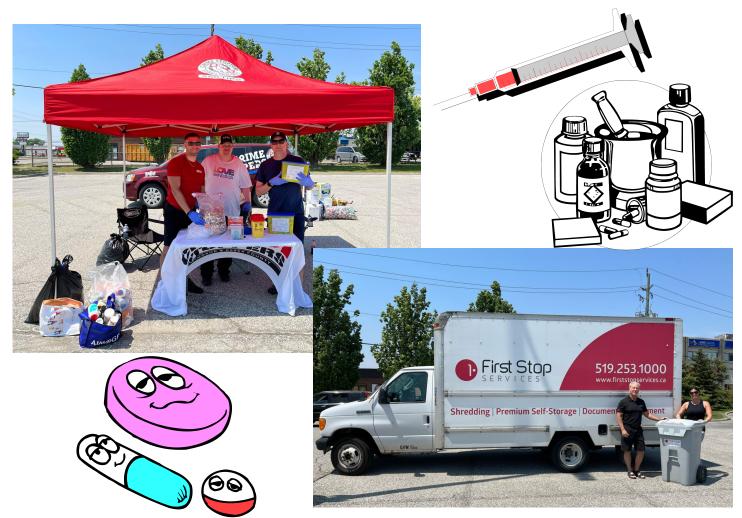
Through Lauren's efforts, she was able to have 2 new laptop computers donated to the program from Best Buy.

Thank you to Best Buy for their generous support and to Lauren for her contributions to our program.

JUNE DRUG & SHREDDING DAY

Thank you to the Tecumseh Mall for hosting our Take Back your Drugs and Shredding Day this past June. Additional thanks to First Stop for being our shredding partner for the day and all the volunteers that came out to help.

Although there was not as much traffic as our previous event, it was still a very successful day with lots of drugs being turned in to be destroyed.

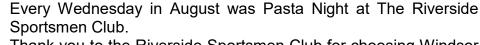


THE NORTHERN NATIONAL COLLECTORS' CONVENTION

The Northern National Collectors' Convention will be held Sunday, September 29th through to October 1st at the Augustus Tower at Caesars Windsor. Details regarding the event can be found at <u>https://www.thenorthernnational.com</u>.

A special thank you to Jeremy Renaud for arranging for Crime Stoppers to be there to sell our Dog Calendars and operate our Escape Room which was donated to us by Hidden Trail Escape Rooms at 3147 Tecumseh Rd E. Thank you to them and all those who have volunteered for this event.

AUGUST PASTA NIGHTS



Thank you to the Riverside Sportsmen Club for choosing Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers as their charity of the month and to everyone who came to support our charity fundraiser.

Each week guests enjoyed all you can eat pasta and supported



UPDATED BOARD ELECTIONS

Since our last publication, June elections took place resulting in the following executive appointments:

PresidentMoe SusaVice PresidentGreg RumpelTreasurerTanya Van DogenSecretaryJeremy RenaudPast PresidentRene JacquesCongratulations to everyone on their newly won positions.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Kevin Cosgrove for becoming the latest Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers Plaque Program supporter. See page #8 to see how you can become a plaque supporter.



Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers by entering a 50/50 draw, buying a ticket on a raffle prize or a Canine Calendar. Congratulations to all the winners.

The 5 raffles and 50/50s raised \$1278.50 for us. Proceeds from the pasta dinner sales are yet to be determined.

Thank you to all the volunteers and attendees who made each week a success.

THE PLAQUE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Windsor and Essex County Crime Stoppers has established an ongoing financial sponsorship program that appeals 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 below.

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.

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Our company is proudly committed to being a 5 year sponsor of Windsor & Essex County Crime Stoppers, Inc. "Make the Call that Helps Us All!" 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021	2022 2023 2024 2025 2026

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 above 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 **Kevin Cosgrove - NEW**

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 were 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 was held Saturday, June 24th, and Sunday, June 25th from 9:30 am – 5:30 pm both days at The Libro Sports Complex, **3295 Meloche Rd.** in Amherstburg.

Everyone who attended enjoyed a wonderful day with their pets. Thanks to all those who attended the event and to all the volunteers who made the day possible.

So far Crime Stoppers has sold \$1650 of calendars.

Calendars are still available at catchcrooks.com and all events.

2023 Events Calendar

September

Sept 2	Sat	Downtown Windsor Farmers' Market 8 am
Sept 13	Wed	C.S. Golf Tournament
-		Kingsville Golf & Country Club
Sept 15 th	Fri	Scare House Windsor opens 7 -10 pm
Sept 17 th	Sun	Windsor Open Streets 10am - 2pm
Sept 22 nd	Fri	Bingo 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm, Paradise G.C.
Sept 29 th	Fri	Bingo 10:00 pm - 12:00 pm, Paradise G.C.
Sept 29 th - (Oct 1st	Fri - Sun Northern National Collectors'
		Convention, Caesars Augustus Tower
Sept 30 th	Sat	Bingo 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Paradise G.C.

October

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Oct 10 th	Tue	Bingo 10:00 pm - 12:00 pm, Paradise G.C.
Oct 24 th	Tue	Bingo 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm, Paradise G.C.
Oct 31 st	Tue	Scare House Windsor last day 7 -11 pm

November

Nov 4 th	Sat	Bingo 10:00 pm - 12:00 pm, Paradise G.C	Program Manager
Nov 11 th Nov 17 th	Sat Fri	Bingo 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Paradise G.C. Game Dinner, Colasanti's	Leigh Ann Riberdy, x4497
Nov 29 th	Wed	Bingo 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Paradise G.C.	VOLUNTEER LEADER

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 windsoressex@catchcrooks.com

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INSTAGRAM — catchcrooks

FACEBOOK — www.facebook.com/catchcrooks

STATISTICS SUMMARY

	July 2023	This Year	To Date
Arrests	3	29	7,082
Cases Cleared	3	27	10,425
Property Recovered	\$0	\$122,250	\$13,554,173
Drugs Seized	\$0	\$183,780	\$119,513,368
Rewards Authorized	\$0	\$8650	\$1,265,735

EXECUTIVE

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