



NEWS

YEAR IN REVIEW
Campbell, Ca

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

As we all navigate the ever-changing landscape we live in, the Campbell Police Department has made significant progress as we continue to re-establish our pre-pandemic operations. While the core essence of policing has remained the same, the manner in which our services are provided, and the corresponding expectations have changed dramatically over time. We continue to focus on being a modern and effective department. We are committed to the principle of continuous improvement, constantly striving to make ourselves better and providing the highest levels of service.



Our continued success can be attributed to our department's remarkably dedicated staff. We have committed to hiring only the very best and are proud that the women and men of the Campbell Police Department display a passion for service unparalleled in policing. In addition to our amazing staff, state-of-the-art technology and training is part of the Campbell Police Department's ongoing commitment to providing outstanding police services.

Campbell is a diverse and dynamic community. As we continue to grow, our focus is to sustain professionalism, increase service levels, use resources effectively, encourage teamwork, and preserve a people-centric approach to policing. Maintaining and enhancing relationships is a job that is never done. By working together, we will continue building a safe and healthy community, not only today but also into the future.

Policing any jurisdiction is a cooperative effort. We strive to create an environment that fosters the development of partnerships with our community, and we're always seeking new and innovative methods to better serve Campbell. I am pleased that we have so many caring community partners. I can't thank you enough for the support you have shown our department over this last year

**CHIEF
GARY BERG**

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CRIME IN CAMPBELL

Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) is a nationwide law enforcement submission of statistics by agencies throughout the country to the Federal Bureau of Investigations. The FBI's UCR Program divides offenses into two groups - Part I and Part II Crimes.

Part I Crimes:

Offenses that are more serious crimes by nature and/or volume.



Part II Crimes:

Crimes other than those defined in Part I and include crimes such as fraud, forgery, vandalism, alcohol-related crimes, drug offenses, weapons violations, etc.



HIGH PROFILE ARRESTS



Just after midnight on July 9, 2021, a community member called to report a suspicious man seen on his security camera prowling the area of his work. Officers quickly responded and stopped the vehicle driven by the suspect, Wesley Martines. Inside the vehicle, officers found multiple weapons, including two illegal AR-style rifles, ammunition inscribed with sayings “To a widow from the Grim Reaper,” and “A Good Start,” a journal with racist and antisemitic writings, and pipe bomb components. Martines was arrested and booked into Santa Clara County Main Jail on numerous charges.

A 14-year-old victim reported that she was contacted on social media by an unknown male who claimed to be a prolific computer hacker. The suspect coerced the victim into sending him pornographic videos of herself by threatening to hack and delete all of her social media accounts if she didn't comply. The suspect later threatened to release the compromising videos to the victim's family and friends unless she sent him additional videos. Campbell detectives positively identified the suspect who used multiple online profiles on Instagram and Snapchat in addition to identifying numerous additional underage victims. It was also determined that the suspect and the other underage victims were high school students in Southern California. Our detectives coordinated with a sex crimes detective in Southern California who took over the case, identified several additional victims, and arrested the suspect.



On July 9, 2021, three suspects burglarized Geoffrey's Diamonds and Goldsmith in downtown Campbell. The suspects took a substantial amount of diamonds and jewelry. Based on evidence during an investigation, a suspect was identified. On September 9, 2021 the search warrant was executed where stolen jewelry and clothing worn during the burglary was located in the room of suspect, Kelvin Tso. K9 Koa, cross trained to detect firearms and ammunition, assisted in the search. During Koa's search, a 9mm ghost gun with a loaded magazine and several rounds of ammunition were discovered in addition to a jig used to manufacture ghost guns. Tso was arrested, who was out on bail on a previous case for shooting a ghost gun at a sideshow event in San Jose.



USE OF FORCE IN PERSPECTIVE

In 2021, the Campbell Police Department had a total of 31,666 service incidents. The vast majority of our police officers' interactions with the public do not result in use of force. Use of force occurred in less than 0.14% of the total calls for service.

NEW AXON TECHNOLOGY

The Police Department has moved to implement several technological advancements in training and equipment that will keep us at the forefront of law enforcement technology over the next ten years. The Department has used Axon products for well over a decade in one capacity or another and during that time Axon has become the leader, nationally and internationally, in the law enforcement technology space.

Products such as in-car cameras, interview room recording systems, tasers, and digital evidence management have streamlined the way that law enforcement agencies collect and manage digital evidence.

The Department engaged in a ten-year contract with Axon this year for the Axon OSP 7+ suite of hardware and cloud based software, and Axon Computer Automated Dispatch and Records Management System. Once we have completed the two-year implementation process, we will have effectively placed all of our systems on one platform removing information silos that have led to inefficiencies and loss of staff time.

We have already begun to see the benefits of these advanced technologies in the areas of officer safety, situational awareness, transparency, documentation and successful prosecutions. In addition to the direct impact this technology is making in the field, Axon has also developed virtual reality training that will help our officers be better prepared to de-escalate volatile situations, deal with people in mental health crises, and effectively use the least force necessary to reach a safe resolution.





ELECTRONIC CITATION GRANT

In July 2021, the Campbell Police Department applied for a grant to the California Office of Traffic Safety to begin an electronic citation program (E-cite). In October, we were awarded a grant amount not to exceed \$77,500. We are currently in the process of implementing the program which will allow officers to use smartphones, provided by the grant, to scan information from drivers licenses and registration cards. The information is automatically populated, and the citations are printed on small mobile printers which replace the currently used carbon copy citations that are handwritten. The information is transmitted to our existing records management system eliminating the task of data entry. The information is then sent to the traffic court electronically. The grant additionally provided

upgrades to our current collision reporting program allowing reports to be sent to the California Highway Patrol electronically. The E-cite program and software upgrades are expected to increase staff efficiency and get us closer to our goal of going paperless as an agency.



In July of 2021, the police department took delivery of our new Mobile Emergency Operations Center (MEOC). The MEOC was obtained through a State Grant that was spearheaded by Assemblymember Evan Low. The MEOC is a state of the art mobile command center with advanced onboard communications system and the ability to stand up an emergency dispatch center in the event of a natural disaster or other major incidents. The MEOC will also be used in critical incidents as the primary operations platform for our Crisis Negotiations Team. This vehicle replaces the tow behind trailer the Department has been using for over twenty years that was beyond end of usable life.

MOBILE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER





MEASURE O

NEW POLICE BUILDING

During the general election in November of 2018, a \$50,000,000 general obligation bond measure (Measure O) was placed on the ballot to fund a new police operations building and improve the library. The measure was approved by the voters by 69.5%. LPA, Inc. was awarded the design contract for the new police operations building that will include a 9-1-1 dispatch center and Emergency Operations Center (EOC). The new building will be located on the corner of First Street and Grant Street in an existing City parking lot. Construction is projected to begin around the Summer of 2022 with an estimated build time of sixteen to eighteen months.

The Explorer Program provides an opportunity for youth (14-21) who are interested in a career in law enforcement to learn first-hand about the job of a police officer and other law enforcement related

careers. An explorer is a non-sworn

volunteer who is affiliated with the Campbell Police Department to gain valuable interpersonal skills and practical experience. Many Police Explorers have gone on to become Police Officers, Dispatchers, and Community Service Officers in our department, including Chief Berg, Captain Livingston, and many others.

EXPLORER

PROGRAM



RACIAL AND IDENTITY PROFILING ACT

The Racial and Identity Profiling Act (RIPA) of 2015 was formed as part of California Assembly Bill 953. Part of the bill was to develop a stop-data collection process. RIPA began with a phased reporting requirement with the eight largest agencies in California having to begin collecting data starting July 1, 2018. Campbell is required to begin collecting data to submit to the California Department of Justice (DOJ) by January 1, 2022.

Among the information collected, officers must report the “Perceived Race or Ethnicity” of anyone detained, or when a search is conducted, based upon their initial observation. Campbell began testing public and private applications for RIPA reporting in late 2020, ultimately selecting a smartphone application based on its efficiency and ease of use. After a typical contact, the RIPA reporting takes approximately three to five minutes per person contacted. The information collected is used by the RIPA Board in the completion of their annual report.



CONTINUE THE CONVERSATION

We are committed to serving the Campbell community and strive to protect and serve with the utmost integrity. In order to be responsive to community needs, it is necessary to receive feedback from our community.

Let us know how we're doing, what we could be doing better, and your thoughts on how your police department can work more closely with the community it proudly serves. Email Community@campbellca.gov and your feedback will help CPD better serve our City.



SAVE A
LIFE



IT TAKES
ONE
PERSON
TO



STOP A
CRIME

You could be the one!

Join the team of dedicated police officers who protect and serve the City of Campbell.

Be the one to become a member of the Campbell Police Department where it's more than a career but also a family.

Be the one to make a difference in a community that supports our core values of Service, Justice, and Fundamental Fairness.

MAKE A
DIFFERENCE



CONTACT A RECRUITER TODAY!



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De Anza
Forward/MidField #18



OFFICER VELICHKO

San Jose State
Offensive Line #75



OFFICER JOHNSON

University of Missouri
Track & Field



DETECTIVE NUNN

Lewis & Clark College
Running Back #26



AGENT MAGEE

Sacramento State
Safety #48



SERGEANT HEITZMAN

San Jose State
Judo



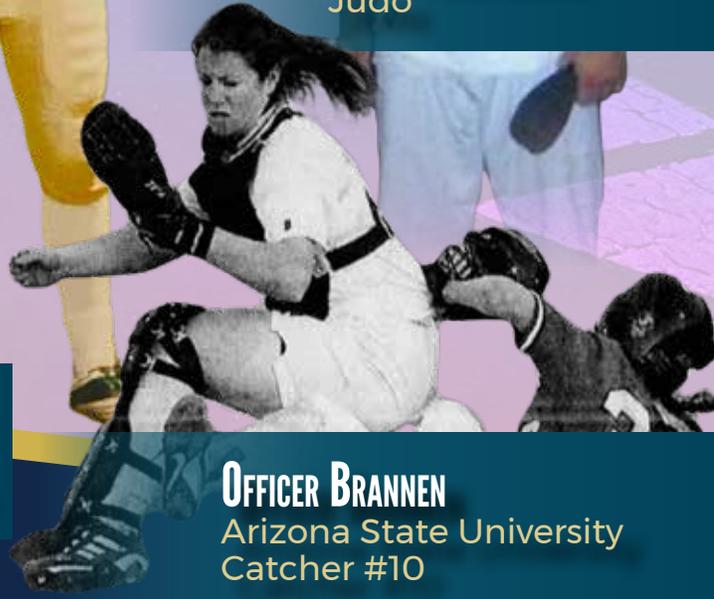
OFFICER BENDIXEN

San Jose State
Offensive Line #71



CAPTAIN WHITE

San Jose State
Offensive Line #72



OFFICER BRANNEN

Arizona State University
Catcher #10

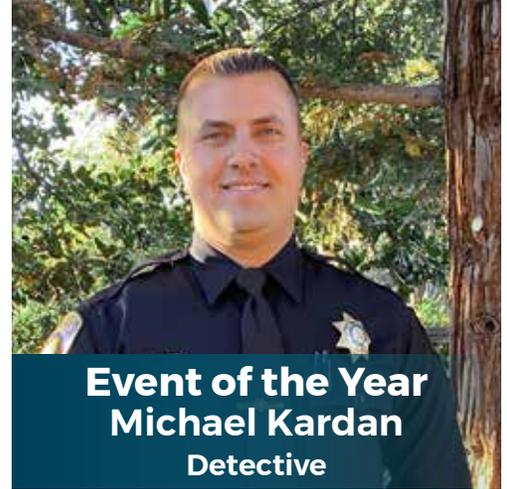
BEYOND THE BADGE

Being a collegiate athlete is not a requirement to become a CPD officer; however, there's a trend of many officers playing sports in college. **Take a look at a few of our officers during their college heydays.**

2021 AWARDS



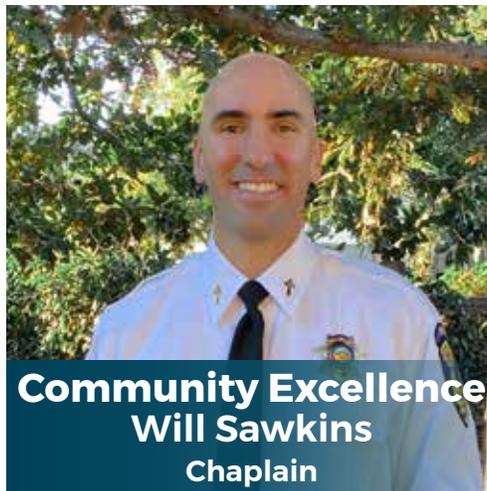
Outstanding Performance
Sonia Marques
Dispatcher



Event of the Year
Michael Kardan
Detective



Officer of the Year
Nate Velichko
Police Officer



Community Excellence
Will Sawkins
Chaplain



Records Specialist of the Year
Joanna Ho
Records Specialist



CIT Officer of the Year
Spencer Billman
Police Agent



Dispatcher of the Year
Ayanna Stephenson-Boyd
Dispatcher



Andrea Atkinson

is more than our Support Services Manager, she has a passion for wellness within law enforcement. Andrea currently coordinates peer support at Campbell PD. She has been involved in peer support since 1998 and has helped pioneer the development of programs in this field. She is currently finishing her Masters in Clinical Counseling with the goal of her education surrounding wellness and support. Her studies have helped to recognize the importance of employee wellness in proactive ways.



BEYOND THE BADGE



Officer Peckham

is pictured here as Snow White at one of her charity events. Officer Peckham's passion for helping others exceeds her position as a police officer. Outside of being a full-time officer, Officer Peckham helps run a nonprofit. Along with her co-founders, Officer Peckham established this non-profit in 2012 with the goal to provide financial support to charities and families in need within the Bay Area community. Her charity provides a variety of support for organizations such as Make-A-Wish, children's hospitals, animal rescues, military and veterans support and more.

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