



Oswego Police Department

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Photo of the Month

**CITIZENS
POLICE
ACADEMY**
Enrolling
Now



ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

The Oswego Police Department would like to invite you to attend our FREE Citizens Police Academy (CPA). The CPA is a unique chance to see and experience the inside workings of your Police Department. Various Oswego Police Officers will introduce you to their world by sharing their areas of expertise and interest. The CPA runs for 13 weeks from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm. The next Academy class will begin just as soon as we have a full class, so please enroll now if interested.

An application may be picked up at the Oswego Police Dept. or completed online. Additional information is available on our website at: [Citizen's Police Academy](#). Please contact Officer Stephen Bailey at 630-551-7364 with any questions.

New Overnight Parking Ban: 2-5 a.m.

Village ordinance prohibits parking on all streets in the Village of Oswego, except some specific locations in the Hometown subdivision and historic residential streets downtown, between the hours of 2 a.m. and 5 a.m. Read the full [Parking Ordinance](#).

The Village offers both temporary and permanent overnight parking exemptions for residents who do not have enough space in their garage or driveways to store vehicles. Learn more about [Parking Exemptions](#).

For more specific information on overnight parking and exceptions please read [Overnight Parking](#).

Comments or questions about this publication can be directed to Deputy Chief Kevin Norwood.

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COVID-19 Vaccination Update

The Kendall County Health Department is currently finishing vaccine distributions to Phase 1A and Phase 1B eligible recipients who either reside or work in Kendall County. They have launched a COVID-19 Vaccine Appointment Portal, accepting appointments **only** for eligible individuals who either reside or work in Kendall County. Appointments will fill up fast, but new slots will be added frequently so they encourage people to check back often.

For more information on COVID-19, the vaccine distribution, or to volunteer, please access their website at <http://www.kendallhealth.org/>.

Middle East Wall of Honor

Oswego will be hosting the Middle East Wall of Honor May 22nd through the 31st. This is a moving wall, similar to the Vietnam Moving Wall the Village hosted a few years ago. The wall honors the 7,200 fallen servicemembers who served and died for their country in the Desert Storm, Desert Shield, Iraq and Afghanistan conflicts. Your Honor Guard will be doing the firing party for both the opening and closing ceremonies. To read more about the Wall check out the Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/oswegohonorsveterans>

Money is being raised for the event, in part, with the sale of Wall of Honor t-shirts and hoodies. We have seen the finished product and they are nice shirts and a very nice-looking design on both the front and back. They also come in all the taticool colors: black, OD green, and coyote tan. In addition, you can add the logo of a branch of service to the sleeve. Check out the website below and purchase a shirt for an awesome cause!

<https://wallofhonor.itemorder.com/sale>



2021 Polar Plunge – March 12th



This year the Polar Plunge for Special Olympics will consist of virtual plunges throughout the state of Illinois. However, the Police Department and the Kendall County Sheriff's Department are having a contest on which department can raise the most money! The losing team

Captain, either the Chief or Sheriff will be the only member getting wet! The date of the "Plunge" is March 12th at 12:00 PM at the Oswego Police Department. The Fire Department is assisting with the water portion of the "Plunge" by supplying a port-a-tank of water or will have a hose stream for the loser to get wet. The method chosen will be dependent on the weather. Either way the loser will be very cold and very wet! The results will be live streamed on our Facebook page.

If you would like to join our team, please search "Oswego Police Department" at [Polar Plunge](#). Raise or donate at least \$100 to receive a Polar Plunge Sweatshirt which will be mailed directly to you by Special Olympics Illinois.

Special Events

March 12 – Polar Plunge for Special Olympics [2021 Polar Plunge](#)

March 14 – St. Patrick's Community Drive-Around [Scavenger Hunt](#)

March 17 – St. Patrick's Day!! Remember to **Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over!**

March 27 – Bunny Hop in Downtown Oswego [Bunny Hop](#)

