



Oswego Police Department

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Photos of the Month



Wall of Honor

This past month Oswego had the honor to host the Middle East Conflicts Wall of Honor at the Village Hall. This included eleven days of events and activities including a street dance, car show, patriotic concerts, and the Memorial Day Parade.

The wall included the 7,200 names and faces of the fallen servicemen or servicewomen killed in action during Desert Storm, Desert Shield, and the current conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Viewing the Wall of Honor is an emotional experience for many, and it serves to remind us of the sacrifices that were made for the freedoms we enjoy today.

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Summer Crime Prevention

The Oswego Police would like to remind you that when the temperature rises, burglaries to motor vehicles and motor vehicle thefts do as well. Summer has proven time and time again to be the top season for car theft and break ins.

Criminals will always exist, but there are things you can do to help your car from being targeted:

- Do not leave your car running unattended.
- Do not leave your keys in your car.
- Make sure to lock your car doors.
- Do not leave valuable in plain site or in your car outside over-night.
- Try to park in well-lit areas.



These are just a few precautions you can use this summer or any time of year. Using these tips will allow you to work on your tan and not getting your valuables back.

Police Department Roster Updates

Detective Terry Guisti retired on May 21st after 27 years of dedicated service as a police officer. Det. Guisti served as a Patrol Officer, School Resource Officer, Field Training Officer and Detective. He was also a member of ICAC, a child exploitation task force for 13 years. Det. Guisti also formed [Cops for Cancer](#), a nonprofit organization providing financial relief for cancer patients.

We thank Detective Guisti for his service and dedication to the residents of this community and wish him and his family well in his retirement! He will be sorely missed!

Officer Cassie Weyenberg was sworn in on January 12th then graduated from the Police Academy on April 29th. She is back at OPD currently working through 800 hours of training, covering 5 phases of classroom and "on street" experience as part of our Field Training Program.

Officer Samantha Rodriguez was sworn in on May 4th as our newest Patrol Officer. She is currently attending the Police Academy and will also be required to complete the Field Training Program before taking to the streets of Oswego solo.

We are very excited to welcome them to the Oswego Police Department!

Special Events

June 3rd – Movies in the Park
1010 Station Drive – 7PM
[Movies in the Park](#)

June 6th – Oswego Country Market
Sundays | June 6 – Sept 26
9:00AM – 1:00PM
[Oswego Country Market](#)

June 17-20 – [Prairiefest Carnival](#)

June 20th – Happy Father's Day!

