

CIVILIAN OF THE MONTH - MAY 2015 - CSA DANIEL SANCHEZ

Daniel Sanchez began working with the Police Department in September 2014 as a Community Service Aide after transferring from Parks and Recreation and has continued to excel each month in his new position. Danny is proactive and a constant presence in the business district and residential neighborhood. He is professional, courteous, eager to learn, optimistic and great representative of the Town of Surfside.

Danny consistently takes on additional responsibilities and recently took on a new role as Quartermaster in addition to his regular duties as a Community Service Aide. He attends daily roll calls to keep informed of what is occurring in the department and the community. Danny also oversees the Police Explorers Program and is always willing to lend a hand with community events such as the Citizens Police Academy, Dog Safety Expo, Bring Your Child to Work Day and the Women's Self-Defense classes. Danny participated in the Bike Safety Rodeo in Bay Harbor Islands and has received praise from neighboring Police Chiefs and police officers for his assistance on traffic problems, crashes, and for his overwhelming positive attitude. In addition, he assisted Surfside Police Officers on two separate arrest situations in May.

Community Service Aide Daniel Sanchez is recognized and thanked for his outstanding effort and recommended for Civilian of the Month for May because of his positive outlook, professionalism and integrity.

HIGH ACHIEVERS – MAY 2015

Officer Campbell Officer Gabriel Officer Gentile Officer Leonard Officer Lorente Officer Luke Officer Mesa Officer Smith Parking Enforcement Officer Melendez

OUTSTANDING WORK IN MAY

I want to thank all of you for the good work in May. There were increases in almost all enforcement categories. Officers made 21 arrests, issued 1200 parking citations and 917 traffic citations and traffic warnings, completed 14 suspicious persons stops/ interviews and conducted 12 community or crime prevention events in May. Keep up the good work and thanks for keeping Surfside safe!

SPECIAL INFORMATION/COMMUNITY INITIATIVES/LAW ENFORCEMENT EVENTS

The supervisory staff meeting is June 11th at 5:00 pm in the training room.

The annual Police Summer Teen Camp program runs from June 11th – July 30th, on Thursdays. If you are interested in participating, contact EA Dina Goldstein or NRO Dianna Hernandez who will oversee the camp.

A Crime Watch meeting will be held on June 15th at 7:00 pm at 9025 Abbott Avenue. Chief Allen and NRO Hernandez will be attending.

The Police/ Prosecutor meeting is June 17th at 2:00 pm. Sgt. Matelis will assign a detective to attend.

The Regional Criminal Investigations Unit intelligence meeting is June 18th at 10:00 am at the Bal Harbour Police Department. The Criminal Investigations Unit will attend.

SPD will host a mobile Department of Motor Vehicles visit on June 18th from 9:30 am - 2:30 pm in the training room. Residents will be provided a variety of services including license renewal.

The monthly Bike with the Chief Ride is June 24th at 5:00 pm. All are welcome to participate.

A representative from ADT Security Systems will be hosting a residential and commercial safety seminar on June 24th at 6:30 pm in the training room. Residents and business persons are invited. Contact EA Dina Goldstein for further information.

SPD will host a community blood drive on June 25^{th} from 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm. The blood mobile will be in the Town Hall lot.

The monthly Starbucks – Coffee with the Cops is June 26th at 10:00 am. Residents, business persons, and visitors can meet with the Chief and his staff over coffee to discuss community issues or provide feedback on the Police Department.

TRAINING

Leadership in Police Organizations – Captain Yero Building Search Training- all sworn personnel Crisis Intervention Training- Communications Operators Burnell and Filiberto Firearms Training and Qualifications - all sworn personnel Emergency Operations Plan - all personnel