

BLUE LINE BULLETIN

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This publication is a quarterly newsletter provided by the Riverside Community College District Police Department (RCCDPD).

Our Mission

Our mission is to provide a safe and secure learning environment for our students, staff, faculty, and community; to enforce the law respectfully and appropriately with compassion and integrity; to safeguard the lives and property of our colleges and surrounding neighborhoods; and to build strong relationships with the members of our diverse community.

Safety Tips

- COVID-19 trainings are now available on Target Solutions.
- Transmission of COVID-19 is as low as 1.5% with masks.
- Appointments for COVID-19 testing in Riverside County can be made at (800)634-1123

Summer Retirements

Sergeant Henry

After serving The RCCD Community for 16 years, Sergeant Henry takes his badge off for a final time. He came to RCCDPD after retiring from a 20 year career with LAPD. Hired as a Sergeant with RCCD he has been assigned to all 3 colleges and served them equally.



Senior Officer Beckham

Senior Officer Beckham, a true RCCDPD veteran, retires after serving for 31 years. When Beckham started at RCCD our department was not Police but Security. He has seen us



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though the switch to Police and has represented our badge honorably for 3 decades. Before his career here, Beckham served in the Army as a Paratrooper in Airborne Infantry. Beckham's willingness to serve the community and his great sense of humor will be missed by all.



Valeree Metroka

Valeree Metroka has retired after 18 years with RCCDPD. Although she finished her career as our Records Clerk, she began at RCCD as a dispatcher. She has seen our department through many changes and during that time has worn many different hats for us. Thank your for your many years of service!



Coronavirus Info

Self-Check Daily

All employees must selfcheck daily for any symptoms of COVID-19 prior to leaving home and entering the workplace.

Symptom Checker

CDC Guidelines: Employees who have symptoms when they arrive at work or become sick during the day should be immediately sent home.

Employees with the following symptoms may have COVID-19:

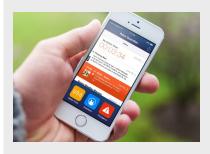
- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- chills
- muscle pain
- Sore throat
- Loss of taste or smell
- GI symptoms like nausea, vomiting, or gastrointestinal distress.



Important COVID-19 information and resources added to RAVE Guardian:

- County of Riverside info line
- Coronavirus Testing appointment center line
- COVID-19 Funding (for students)
- RCCD COVID Webpage
- County of Riverside Public Health Information
- Testing sites in the County of Riverside
- Info from the State of California
- Info from the Center for Disease Control
- CDC travel restrictions.

*Don't have RAVE Guardian? download the app today.



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A Hero Remembered Never Dies



Frantz loved doing most, aside from keeping the campuses clear of snakes of course! Senior Officers Beckham and Frantz were life long friends. They grew up in the same neighborhood and attended the same high school. After graduating, they both served in the same branch of military and went on to the same career at RCCDPD. They were both Senior Officers and range masters (pictured below) together. They were supposed to retire together. Vinny, as Frantz was know to his friends,



Senior Officer Frantz

life of Senior Officer Frantz. One of his proudest

accomplishments was serving

as a Police Officer with us for 24

years. Another, was his time in the Army as Airborne Infantry.

These two things were what

RCCDPD celebrates the



will be greatly missed by all. No one had a bigger heart or louder voice. Frantz is survived by his two children, Michael and Jessica Diaz, both of whom work for RCCDPD.

> End of Watch 05/25/2020