The beginning months of 2020 have been tremendously busy for the Charlotte County Sheriff’s Office. My staff rose to every occasion and did so with honor and professionalism.

The roads of Charlotte County are also very busy. We can attribute this to our seasonal residents, the tremendous growth within the community, as well as many wonderful events that are hosted throughout the county. It is imperative that while traveling we remain cautious, patient, and considerate of other drivers, pedestrians, and cyclist.

If you choose to enjoy the beautiful scenery and trails, please remember to wear light clothing, reflectors, and lights. Make every effort possible to be visible and remember that a bicycle is legally defined as a vehicle and the bicyclist as the driver meaning cyclist must follow the rules of the road to stay safe. As a driver, it is crucial to give at least a 3-foot cushion when passing a bicyclist.

As the county expands, we have put tremendous effort into making these new areas safe. Inside the Babcock Ranch community, we implemented a temporary building for deputies to conduct their work. Our Community Affairs unit will also be hosting a Women’s Self-Defense class for ladies 16 years of age and older. This class has been around for the last 17 years thanks to our community partnership with Shuman’s ATA Black Belt Academy.

Within the jail facility, we have added many helpful programs for inmates to take advantage of. One of the newly added programs is Jobs for Life which focuses on employability. During the 8-week course graduates will understand the dignity of work, meet with local employers, prepare for job interviews, build a network, and even create a professional resume. Our goal by integrating this program is to prepare inmates for a successful future by giving them skills and confidence to reenter into the work force, lowering recidivism.

We are truly grateful to have the support of our community. You continue to cheer us on, rally behind us, and support our mission to keep Charlotte County a safe and enjoyable place to live.

Be Safe!

Sheriff Bill Prummell
Community Partnership Award
Dan & Jan Stuckey, The ARCHway Institute

The recipients of our pioneer Community Partnership Award are Dan & Jan Stuckey with the ARCHway Institute. ARCHway has been instrumental in the success of the CCSO Drug Recovery Initiative by providing funds that allow for services provided by Charlotte Behavioral Health Care. In just the last two years, their efforts have resulted in over $14,700 toward our initiative.

ARCHway was founded on the belief that recovery from the disease of addiction is possible through Awareness, Recovery, Community, and Health. Since its creation in 2013, ARCHway has grown to be active in seven states and has helped individuals find resources nationwide. They provide financial and clinical resources to those affected and seeking assistance, educate individuals, families, and communities on prevention and treatments, and work to eliminate the stigma associated with mental illness and addictive disorders.

We at the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office appreciate the work you are doing in our community and the resources you provide to those individuals seeking help through the Drug Recovery Initiative. We look forward to continuing our partnership in the years to come.

Our Community Partners, Sponsors and Winners of Various Awards
On Sunday, September 22, 2019, then-Corporal Ogden was on patrol with the STAR unit working in Punta Gorda. A female who had been in and out of the "system" for many years and had a substance abuse addiction saw Ogden at the local Circle K. She approached him asking for help. This female has had many dealings with Ogden and trusted him due to his professionalism, ethical demeanor and willingness to always go above and beyond to provide aid in any way.

This particular evening, this female had hit rock bottom and was now pregnant. She was asking for help in getting substance abuse treatment and assistance with locating a safe shelter. She had been living in the woods and been involved in abusive relationships from which she was now trying to escape. Ogden began calling local centers such as CSU, Riverside and Bayfront Health Punta Gorda, all of which turned him away stating they were not able to provide her with assistance. Ogden did not quit there though. He called Bayfront Health Port Charlotte and was told he could bring the female to their facility to receive lab work and evaluation prior to being taken to a rehab facility. Ogden transported her to Bayfront Health Port Charlotte for the initial treatment and screening. After arriving there, two locations that were recommended fell through and would not assist.

At this point, Ogden notified the Watch Commander and the Mental Health Unit's therapist was called out to assist. The female was admitted for the night to receive treatment and await further assistance for placement. Cpl. Ogden ended work late because of this, which was now 4:00 am.

The next day, his day off, Ogden began following up on his own time. He drove to Bayfront Health Port Charlotte to speak with staff and the female. He contacted First Step which is located near the Sarasota/Bradenton area and they told him she would be accepted into their facility. Cpl. Ogden drove the female to the facility and was told she would need to be medically cleared prior to her being accepted. He transported her to Sarasota Memorial Hospital where she was admitted for treatment and detox. Cpl. Ogden spoke with hospital staff there and confirmed that they would make arrangements to have the female transported back to First Step once cleared from the hospital.

Because of Cpl. Ogden's actions, this female now has received the help she was seeking. He went way above and beyond his duties, even following through on his own time, using his own means of transportation to provide assistance to a Charlotte County citizen in need. Sergeant Ogden is commended for his actions and his compassion. His commitment to the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office, the Sheriff's Drug Recovery Initiative, and concern for citizens in need leads to his recognition as member of the quarter. Congratulations!
Lieutenant Jessica Long has been the Support Services Commander for approximately 5 years. In that time, she has been responsible for many changes and enhancements for the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office and the Bureau of Detention. Her impressive accomplishments have been continuous and all focused on the efficacy of operations along with the enhancement of quality for staff.

This focus has never been more noticeable than her current project. Lt. Long brought an idea forward to enhance the old staff dining so that staff would have a nice place to decompress and enjoy a healthy meal. She brought some ideas to Command and asked for permission to pursue her vision. Understanding Lt. Long's capability and desire to complete this project, she was given autonomy with the project. Through this, she has created the Micro-Market with Aramark. She was able to have the entire old staff dining re-vamped utilizing a contract relationship with Aramark and creating efficiencies that allow for a cost-effective product to staff.

Lt. Long spent many hours painting and prepping the area for the Micro Market. She has delegated tasks to staff and vendors and has tirelessly followed through to hit deadlines. With her dedication, she has created a very nice, professional, and comfortable space for employees that has obviously increased morale and pride in the workplace.

This is only one of the projects that Lt. Long has brought home during this month. She has also completed a project with two inmates graduating the Jobs for Life program. In this, the inmates learned social setting skills along with job related skills to help them succeed post incarceration. This mentor-based program allows a support system post incarceration based on a religious orientation. She has created relationships with local business owners to initiate job opportunities and a potential for a positive work relationship for post incarcerated citizens of Charlotte County.

Lt. Jessica Long is tireless in her efforts and exemplifies the qualities of a caring leader along with the core values of the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office. It is for these reasons that she has been selected as the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office Detention Member of the Quarter. Thank you for all you do and well done.
While attending Shop with a Cop at the Kings Hwy Walmart location, Donnie Amrhein was involved in a conversation with a mom of one of the student shoppers. During that conversation TFO Donnie Amrhein, CCSO Community Affairs Trista Zimmerman and SRO DFC Hernan Morales learned that this single mom and her 9 and 15-year-old daughters lived just east of Lake Suzy (Desoto County) but the children attended Charlotte County Public Schools and the mom works in Port Charlotte. The mother expressed how thankful she was for her daughter's opportunity to participate in Shop with a Cop, as they were really struggling. As the conversation continued the mother asked to remind her daughter to buy toothpaste and toilet paper as they were almost out. They also learned the family's water heater was broken and the girls go to a neighbor's house to shower with warm water. One day, mom didn't have enough gas to get to work and no money to buy any, so her boss gave her a ride to work. She was given a turkey for Thanksgiving by DFC Morales and while she was appreciative, she didn't have a working oven to cook it in. After hearing this story, Donnie purchased a $50.00 Walmart gift card and gave it to the mom to use it for whatever she needed. After she and her daughter left, Donnie, Trista and Hernan developed a plan to help this family. Later that same day, Trista purchased Shell gas cards and was putting together items from her house to give to the family. She also spoke with the Manager of the Kings Hwy Walmart convincing him to give a donation to this family. Trista advised CPO DFC Lou Henyecz of the family's situation, and through his Community Policing contacts, had Titan Plumbing delivered and installed a new hot water heater at no cost. She also mentioned to Donnie the desire to get bikes for the girls, so he immediately spoke with Kevin West, General Manager of Fuccillo Kia of Port Charlotte. After Donnie advised him of the family's situation, he donated two bicycles without hesitation. Donnie purchased all necessary equipment for the bikes and brought them to the CCSO Hangar where aviation mechanics Dan and Nathan installed the kick stand and went over both bicycles to make sure they were safe for delivery. Donnie delivered the two bicycles to the D4 office where Trista said she would be picking them up to deliver to the family. Donnie, Trista, Lou, and Hernan's leadership, integrity and compassion highlights why our community trusts the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office. It is through dedication and compassion of our members, as well as the great relationships with community businesses, that this family was able to have a happy holiday.
Special Recognition  
DFC Matt Wedgewood

In November, members of the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to a residence in Port Charlotte regarding a prowler call. Information was called into Central Communications from a third party that a male juvenile called him to report he heard noises outside the residence. The juvenile was handicapped, home alone, and scared. DFC Matthew Wedgewood, while on duty, responded to the call and assisted in the investigation. When it was determined that the area was clear, DFC Wedgewood and other deputies made contact with the juvenile male. DFC Wedgewood established a good personal bond and calmed him down. He learned that the boy was hungry and had not eaten anything in quite some time. Asking what his favorite place to eat was, the boy told him Wendy's. Hearing this DFC Matthew Wedgewood took it upon himself to go to a nearby Wendy's and purchased the boy food with his own money. After delivering the food, DFC Wedgewood had to go back into service to handle calls for service, but later returned to make sure the boy was alright and being taken care of. DFC Matthew Wedgewood demonstrated great core values and compassion which is truly needed to be a law enforcement professional. He displayed a great example of what a Charlotte County Sheriff's Deputy needs to be and possess. DFC Matthew Wedgewood is commended with special recognition for his actions. Well done.

Lifesaver Award  
Cpl. David Musgrove & DFC Steven Sella

On November 22, Cpl. Dave Musgrove responded to a residential address for a 29-year old female who was reported to be unresponsive and not breathing. There was mention that the female was a recovering narcotics addict. Cpl. Musgrove was the first to arrive to the scene and due to the knowledge of a possible overdose, grabbed his agency-issued Naloxone. Upon checking for a pulse, none could be located. Chest compressions had already been started by the victim's family. Cpl. Musgrove administered 2 doses of his agency issued Naloxone to the victim. DFC Steven Sella had arrived at this point as well. After the issued Naloxone didn’t work, DFC Steven Sella was advised by Cpl. Musgrove to give a 3rd dose of Naloxone. After about 30-40 seconds of the 3rd dose being administered, the victim became responsive and alert. Fire/EMS arrived shortly after and transported the victim to the hospital. Due to their quick thinking and actions, the victim was expected to make a full recovery. We commend Corporal Dave Musgrove and DFC Steven Sella and present life saver awards to them today.
DFC Jonathan Schwartz responded to an emergency call for service in Englewood on December 1st regarding a subject who had accidentally cut an artery in his arm while working on his car. DFC Schwartz arrived quickly, assessed the situation within seconds, and applied a tourniquet to the subject’s arm. The tourniquet stopped the bleeding, and DFC Schwartz continued to monitor his condition and keep him calm until EMS arrived. The subject and his family had attempted, unsuccessfully, to stop the bleeding with a belt and towel. There was evidence of significant blood loss prior to DFC Schwartz’s arrival, and the subject was showing symptoms of going into shock. He was flown to Sarasota Memorial Hospital as a trauma alert, for surgery to repair the lacerated artery. DFC Schwartz performed his duties, utilizing his training and resources, in an exemplary and highly professional manner. He displayed leadership, initiative, and resourcefulness in his swift actions to save the life of this man. His commitment to his post and community reflects the Charlotte County Sheriff’s Office core values of Integrity, Professionalism, and Trust. We are commending DFC Jonathan Schwartz for his life saving efforts and presenting him with a Lifesaver award.

Lifesaver Award
DFC Jonathan Schwartz

In December, Deputy Troy Gank was dispatched to a call of an unresponsive male subject observed laying on his steering wheel stopped in the middle of the road. Upon arrival, Deputy Gank blocked traffic with his patrol vehicle and quickly went towards the white van where the male subject was reported to be in distress. Deputy Gank observed the male, unresponsive and blue in color, in the driver seat of the van and immediately requested EMS from central communications. With the assistance of a civilian, Michael Banegas, they removed the man from the van, laid him on his back in the road, and began life saving measures. There was a faint pulse, but he was not breathing. Deputy Gank performed CPR with the assistance of Mr. Banegas. The man began to faintly begin breathing as Deputy Worley arrived on scene and started to prepare the AED in case it was needed. A couple of minutes later Rescue 2 arrived on scene and took over life-saving measures. The subject began to show positive signs of life and was transported to the hospital. Sgt. Maler later went to follow up with the subject at the ER. He was awake and responsive, expressing his gratitude for the deputies on scene and their quick response. Without the timely response from Deputy Gank, DFC Worley, and good Samaritan Michael Banegas, this man may have not survived this event. You each deserve this honor for your efforts in saving a life. Well done.

Lifesaver Award
DFC Krista Worley, Deputy Troy Gank, & citizen Michael Banegas
Lifesaver Award
Operator Alexis Sears, Sgt. Christopher Kearney, Cpl. Colin Eggleton, & DFC Toby Collins

On December 10, the Charlotte County Sheriff’s Office Communications Center received a 911 call for a medical emergency on the Palms Golf Course at Rotonda Golf and Country Club. The caller stated a male subject was unresponsive and believed to have stopped breathing. Communication Operator Alexis Sears stayed on the line with the caller and took action by providing detailed instructions for the caller to begin CPR. DFC Toby Collins arrived on scene and made contact with a friend of the subject who said the two were driving their golf carts near hole seven when he noticed the man began to drive off the cart path and headed towards the back yard of a residence. The cart came to a stop and he was discovered as not breathing. As instructed by Operator Sears, the caller pulled his friend from the golf cart, placed him on the ground and started CPR. Sgt. Kearney immediately took over chest compressions while DFC Collins prepared and applied the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) pads to the man's chest. Cpl. Eggleton opened the airways and gave breaths in between compression cycles. The AED analysis advised a shock was needed indicating the man’s heart was in a cardiac arrhythmia. Everyone cleared as instructed by the AED and a shock was delivered. Sgt. Kearney and Cpl. Eggleton immediately continued CPR. After two to three cycles of chest compression’s EMS arrived on scene and took over CPR. Sgt. Kearney, Cpl. Eggleton and DFC Collins continued to switch out with Fire/EMS on compressions while EMS provided other life saving measures. After several minutes, EMS advised a pulse was acquired. Kearney, Eggleton and Collins assisted with a lift to get the man onto the stretcher and pushing the stretcher through tall grass to load him onto the ambulance. He was taken by ambulance to the Emergency Room of Englewood Community Hospital. The ER physician later advised he was alive, alert, and awaiting transport to another facility for continuing cardiac care. Had it not been for the quick actions and teamwork by these CCSO members, this man may not have survived. Thank you and great job!
Dozens of women gathered in a large studio on February 19 in Rotonda West to learn from a team of skilled instructors that have taught thousands of adults the best techniques to protect themselves when situations turn dangerous. These heart-pounding incidents can happen when you least expect them. For instance, if you are walking to your car after shopping, you may have your hands full of packages and your keys in your purse. Suddenly, a stranger approaches in a threatening manner. Graduates of the Charlotte County Sheriff’s Office’s Self Defense for Women class will feel more prepared in that situation. The program has gone on for 17 years. It is taught by Al Shuman and his staff from ATA Black Belt Academy. Shuman said he has taught between 3,000 to 4,000 women as part of this program in Charlotte County. “I want them to be self-confident and not be a victim of assault,” Shuman said. CCSO Sheriff William G. Prummell Jr. considers this class critical to keep citizens in the county safe and secure. Tammy Wilkie, a Community Affairs Specialist at CCSO, coordinates the class. Wilkie coordinates about four classes a year. Each of these classes has around 50 students. She is proud of the progress the participants make. Ida Chisamore, who lives in Port Charlotte, was attending her first class on Wednesday evening. She found the class helpful. “I won’t be frightened and I’ll be able to reach back and protect myself,” Chisamore said. If you missed the class on Wednesday, Wilkie said there are more opportunities to enhance your self-protection skills. Classes will be scheduled for later in the year. While the women started the class a little bit reserved and quiet, it did not take much to get them motivated. The noise level and increased enthusiasm were easily measurable. “When the women leave,” Wilkie said, “I know they are much more confident and aware of their surroundings.”

DFC Lou Henyecz Honored

Deputy First Class Lou Henyecz, better known around town as “Deputy Lou”, was recently honored by Charlotte County Board of County Commissioners by proclaiming March as Deputy Lou Henyecz Month! Deputy Lou is a favorite among citizens for his dedication to the betterment of our community though Neighborhood Watch groups, his appointment on the Board for the Homeless Coalition, and true concern for everyone he meets. Deputy Lou was named 2020’s Community Champion for his continuous collaboration between the community and the Sheriff’s Office by the Gulf Coast Partnership in conjunction with Together Charlotte and Healthy Charlotte. Check out our blog for more......

https://ccsoblog.org/2020/03/01/deputy-lou-henyecz-month/
Community Support!

FSW Collegiate HS wins the 2020 Local 20th Judicial Court High School Mock Trial Competition and moves on to the Circuit competition in Lee County. On January 24th, FSW Collegiate HS competed in two qualifying rounds and one final round beating Charlotte High School's 15 year winning streak to win the local competition! This was an incredible accomplishment given this is FSW Collegiate HS's first Mock Trial Team assembled by fellow student Jade Eisenhaur. This required her to write up a proposal to begin a Mock Trial Club, recruit attorneys to help coach, teachers to help supervise and students to participate. This win would not have been possible without the tremendous effort by this team, which consists of Justis Sisk (son of Lt. Jeffrey Sisk), Jade Eisenhaur (daughter of Giselle Oquendo and granddaughter of Hector Oquendo), Athena Reyes, Aidan Kelley, Victoria Evans, Hollie Nguyen and Ashleigh Dilger. In this mock trial competition, students simulate a real trial, each of which lasts about two hours. Teams must prepare both sides of the case (prosecution/plaintiff and defense) for every competition. This means that any given person could have two roles to play, one for each side of the case. During these competitions, students are expected to present opening statements, direct examinations, cross-examinations, and closing arguments. In addition, attorneys must also learn how to object using the Midlands Rules of Evidence, which is based on the Federal Rules of Evidence. The team with the most points at the end of the round wins the round. We are proud of these students, who were not only able to balance their advanced level High School/College Course Curriculum, sports, and part-time jobs, but they also maintained their commitment to their team. A well-deserved win for this team!

Scholarship for our children

The Florida Sheriffs Association has again received a generous donation from the Motorola Solutions Foundation to create a STEM Scholarship for students pursuing a career in a STEM-related field. We will be awarding ten (10) $2,000 scholarships. In general terms, interested applicants must:

1. Be a son or daughter of any full-time sheriff’s office employee
2. Be attending a college or community college that is regionally accredited (i.e. the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools), and be enrolled in a degree-seeking program, in the school term beginning in the Fall, 2020;
3. Certify within the application that they are planning a career in a STEM related field (Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math)

PLEASE NOTE that the application is (5) five pages long. Interested parties can secure an application from our website, www.flsheriffs.org.

We will be sending the scholarship recipients a certificate to the Sheriff's office for presentation by the Sheriff. Please provide us with a picture of this presentation for our website and "The Sheriff's Star" magazine. If you have any questions, call Patti Brigance at (850) 877-2165.

Congratulations! Is the way the letter started. On January 29, 2020 we received a letter from Alzheimer’s Foundation stating that we had been awarded the AFA Fall 2019 Project Lifesaver International Grant. This gives the Charlotte County Sheriff’s office $5,000 to assist with its own program. We aid those with dementia or Alzheimer's a way to ensure the safety of those with a tendency to wander.

On 12/20/2019 the Charlotte Academy had a graduation ceremony for their students. During the ceremony Jodi and Lisa Morrow were presented with "The Academy Angel Award" for their generous donations of food and clothing. Debra Schaible was recognized as well for gift cards she purchased and donated to help the students in need at Christmas. The giving started in September when Debra learned of a food drive for hungry students from Vicky Smith. She sent out an email to Communications asking for assistance in donating food for those students in need at the Academy. In addition to the food donated by all of Communications, Jodi and Lisa went above and beyond with their donations. They've continued to purchase food on their own, and have made dropping it off at the Academy a weekly event. They had learned many of the students were homeless.

So, they purchased sweatshirts and sweatpants after Thanksgiving for the students knowing they would be needed for the colder weather. These individuals are truly angels and deserve recognition for their generosity.

The above photos were taken at the Homeless Coalition, dedicating a new playground for children staying at the Coalition. Leadership Englewood Class of 2019 obtaining the funding for the project.
Charlotte County Administrator Ray Sandrock retired from his position March 5 after serving the county for more than 20 years, including the last nine as administrator. A graduate of Robert Morris College, Sandrock joined Charlotte County in November 1999 as a fiscal supervisor in the Public Works Department. He was promoted to manager of the Fiscal and Administration Division in August 2000 and two years later was named assistant budget officer. In January 2005, Sandrock joined the senior county management team when he was named interim budget officer, a position reclassified to director of the Budget and Administrative Services Department in February 2009. In May 2009, Sandrock joined the administration team as assistant county administrator. He was named county administrator in September 2010. The Charlotte County Commission adopted a proclamation on Feb. 25 declaring March 5 Ray Sandrock Day in honor of his service to the county. The proclamation highlighted the culture of public service he instilled in the organization. It also lauded Sandrock for mentoring numerous colleagues and encouraging staff to pursue career development and leadership programs to strengthen the county team. Commissioners praised Sandrock’s leadership and management abilities along with his fiscal responsibility as a steward of taxpayer dollars. “You’ve built a great organization,” said Commissioner Ken Doherty. “In retirement, Sandrock and his wife, Jess, plan to travel, spend time with their children and grandchildren and pursue their antiquing hobby.

Congratulations to our

2019 CCSO Members of the Year:

Civilian – Dan Ijpkemeule
Law Enforcement – Sgt. Eric Ogden
Detention – Lt. Jessica Long

MEMBERS OF THE YEAR WILL BE HONORED AT THIS YEAR'S PUBLIC SAFETY APPRECIATION NIGHT, SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 6TH.

CHARLOTTE HARBOR EVENT AND CONFERENCE CENTER
6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM Tickets by EVENTBRITE

Baby News

CD L. Peres found out on February 13, 2020 that he and his girlfriend are having a baby. Best Valentine’s Day gift. “I’m very excited to become a Father!”

Helping a Friend

On Saturday, Feb. 29th members from Court Services & Civil Unit, got together to help out our retired Part-Time Civil Clerk, Florence Johnson, with a home project, repainting her house. Our community partner Lowe's, Port Charlotte along with Sherwin-Williams Paint donated the paint and some painting supplies. Our team got together and completed the task of repainting Flo's home. Assisting with the project: Captain Norman Wilson, Lt. Darrell Caparo, Sgt. Larry Piloto, Civil Supervisor Jennifer Scott, DFC Thomas Peacock, DFC Tim Eckenroad, Dep. Nathan Rowles, DFC Jerome Libby and wife Leslie, Court Service Tech Bruce Gordon, DFC Joseph Newton, Legal Process Asst. Mary Nieberg, and Legal Process Asst. Melissa Knight.
ARCHway Institute
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March 21st, 2020
At Twin Isles Country Club
Lunch & Silent Auction

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301 Madrid Boulevard
Punta Gorda, Fl 33950
7:00 AM: Registration
8:15 AM: Shot-Gun Start (Scramble Format)
12:30: Estimated Lunch

Featured Speaker
Colton Baker
ARCHway Community Coordinator
Certified Peer Support Specialist
St Louis, Missouri

RSVP by March 13th, 2020: Entry forms online at http://thearchwayinstitute.org
or Dan Stuckey at 314-452-4982 or Dan.Stuckey@thearchwayinstitute.org
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Non-Emergency Business - Englewood (941)474-3233

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