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FROM THE SHERIFF'S DESK....



Sheriff's Office Police Benevolent Association contributes to K-9 Program

"Charity begins at home and justice begins next door".

Charles Dickens

It was with great pleasure that I recently accepted a check from the Deputy Sheriff's Police Benevolent Association in the amount of One Thousand Five Hundred Thirty (\$1,530.00) Dollars. The money was raised at a Pancake Breakfast held at the Fire House in Delhi, New York on March 8th during a fundraiser for our Office's K-9 program.

I would like to take this opportunity to also thank everyone who participated in this event. I want to acknowledge my appreciation to all who supported it – whether financially or in word and deed. I appreciate the Delhi Fire Department's hospitality in allowing us to use their fine facility and appreciate the help of their volunteers. Personally, I enjoyed the jovial rapport between our officers and those attending. Flipping the flap jacks and serving them lent a whole new interpretation to our motto, "to serve and protect."

The K-9 program was introduced into our Office last year. Our K-9 unit consists of Deputy Sheriff John Demeo and his trusted canine partner, Osman Steele ("Ozzie.") One of the stipulations for installing the unit was that it be supported by private contributions. We have been humbled by the general public's generosity. Some people have offered us services; others have sent in monetary donations and school classes have baked cookies to sell. Walton's Crafty Kids 4-H'ers made and sold wonderful dog biscuits and people treats too for the cause.

The Sheriff's web page has an icon devoted to the K-9 unit's activities as well as more information about our K-9, Ozzie. We would be grateful for any donations you would care to make to our K-9 program. Please make your checks payable to the Delaware County Sheriff's Office and reference "K-9 Program" in the reference line. Our mailing address is: The Delaware County Sheriff's Office, 280 Phoebe Lane, Suite One, Delhi, NY 13753.