



Dispatch Times

Warren County Sheriff's Deputy Henry "Hank" Arnett

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the loss of retired Deputy Henry "Hank" Arnett. Hank passed away on September 23rd at UC Medical Center and was laid to rest on September 28th.



Hank retired from the US Marine Corp in 1995 and began his career with Warren County in July 1998 as a Corrections Officer. Hank was hired as a Deputy Sheriff in October 2002. He worked the County Road Patrol until 2005 when he moved to Court Services. Hank resigned on March 31, 2014.

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Franklin Fire Captain Tony Abston



We were also saddened by the news that Franklin Fire Captain, Tony Abston, died on September 23rd at Southview Hospital. Tony was 55 years old.

Tony Abston's career as a firefighter spanned 20 years. He retired 2 years ago due to health issues. At Franklin FD, Tony was in charge of fire inspections as well as setting up the department's CAD and Record Management. In addition to working for Franklin, he worked at Carlisle Fire Department and also at Joint Emergency Medical Service (JEMS).

Services for Tony were held September 27th.

Mark Your Calendar!



Oct. 7 & 8-Ohio Cider Fest at Hidden Valley Fruit Farm

Oct. 8th-Hill Climb

Oct. 14th-Amazing Race at Armco

Oct. 14th-15th Sauerkraut Festival

Employee Spotlight

Employee of the Month



Ron Kronenberger
Employed since 2003

Birthdays

Katrina Kouts
October 2

Ron Kronenberger
October 6

Melissa Abrams
October 16

Kelly Fiebig
October 24

Milestones

Brian Holtel
13 Years

Mike Wiggins
10 Years

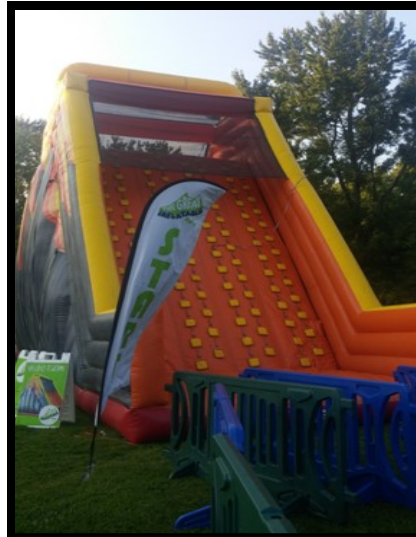
David Wood
1 Year



The Great Inflatable Race Hosted by Armco Park by Melissa Abrams

A couple of the staff from Emergency Services as well as many other county agencies took part in the Great Inflatable Race hosted by Armco Park on Sept. 9th. The Great Inflatable Race consists of inflatable obstacles. This race is for all ages, whether adult or child, fast or slow—the goal is to be active and have fun. This event’s charity partner was Adore-A-Bull Rescue.

This race is not about ‘winning’ but is about people coming together in their communities to have fun and support a common goal. When you join the Great Inflatable Race you are joining a movement with a mission to ignite a passion for health and community. Come out to Armco Park for the “Zombie Run” on Oct. 7th or the “Chocolate Charge” on Nov. 4th!





EMA NEWS

TRAINING UPDATE

On September 6, Warren County EMA hosted a Training & Exercise Planning Workshop. Participants were encouraged to share upcoming scheduled trainings and exercises and help identify gaps in training across multiple disciplines with the goal of developing a multi-year training and exercise plan.

Warren County EMA will use the workshop information to collaborate with neighboring counties on a regional Training & Exercise Plan. More information will be coming out soon!

If you were unable to attend the workshop but would like to contribute to the multi-year plan, please contact

EMA Training Corner

Oct 4: Warren County Brown Bag—Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) Overview
11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m. @ WC EOC

Oct 4-5: MGT 317—Disaster Management for Public Services in Hamilton County

Oct 17-18: AWR 122 LE Prevention and Deterrence of Terrorist Attacks in Hamilton County

Oct 18: The Role of Local Officials in Disasters
11:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. @ WC EOC

Oct 24-27: ICS 300/400 @ Clearcreek Station 21

For more information on available emergency management training opportunities in the region, visit our website @ <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/emergencyservices/emergencymanagement/training/>

Group of Seven New ECOs Scheduled to Start Training

The Warren County Communications Center had seven new ECOs starting their training on October 2nd. They will spend their first week in a classroom orientation where, in addition to filling out paperwork, they will begin going over policies and learning call types, police and fire agency IDs, and being introduced to the various other agencies with which we work.

Next week they will begin to learn basic CAD functions and will be drilled with various scenarios, handling incidents that they will soon be dealing with themselves! They are also scheduled for a radio class with Gary Hardwick from Telecommunications and a tour of the jail and JDC.



In The Spotlight

Melissa Bour—Interim Director of Emergency Services

As Mike Bunner resigns to assume his new position with Meikle Construction, Melissa Bour, Operations Manager for Communications, will be stepping in as Interim Director until a permanent appointment is made by the Commissioners.

Melissa started her career with Warren County in July 2000 as an Emergency Communications Operator. She was appointed to the position of Supervisor in Oct. 2009. In June 2013 Melissa became LEADS/Training Coordinator. She took over the position of Operations Manager in April 2014.

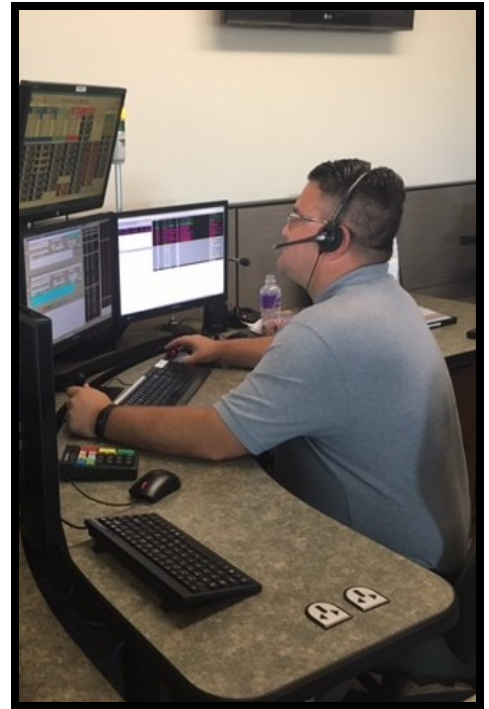


Call of the Month

On September 15th, just before midnight ECC Andy Jackson took a call from a nine-year-old boy who said that his uncle had a bad cut on his head but would not tell him what had happened. Andy went through the protocol with the child, stopping to help him understand his questions and instructions.

Andy displayed a great deal of compassion with the boy, patiently explaining what he needed to do. When the paramedics arrived, he even asked to speak with the young boy again just to assure him and let him know what a good job he had done in reporting the emergency by answering all of the questions and remaining calm.

Medics from ST46 were dispatched to an unconscious subject with a head injury. The call turned out to be somewhat more than just a squad run however—as it turned out there were two victims of an assault with one deceased. The Warren County Sheriff's Department is handling that investigation. Great job, Andy!



All Trick or Treating in Warren County is Scheduled on October 31st at the following Times:

5:30 PM—7:30 PM

City of Lebanon
Turtlecreek Township
Waynesville



6:00 PM—8:00 PM

Carlisle	Maineville
Deerfield Twp.	Mason
City of Franklin	Morrow
Hamilton Twp	South Lebanon
Harlan Twp	Springboro

Renaissance Word Search (Only names not in parenthesis)

By Nancy Machulskiy



- Michelangelo
- (Leonardo) da Vinci
- El Greco
- (Sandro) Botticelli
- Raphael
- Titian
- (Miguel de) Cervantes
- (William) Shakespeare
- (Niccolo) Machiavelli
- (Nicolaus) Copernicus
- (Thomas) Hobbes
- (Christopher) Columbus
- (Amerigo) Vespucci
- (Vasco de) Balboa
- (Herman) Cortes
- (Ferdinand) Magellan
- (Ponce) de Leon
- (Henry) Hudson
- (Marco) Polo
- (Sir Francis) Drake



Renaissance Festival Opens the 2017 Season on Sept. 2nd

Come and walk through the streets of the fictional 16th Century village during the reign of Elizabeth I. The Queen presides over all of the festivities including jugglers, jousting competitions and swordfights.

The Renaissance Festival was first held in 1990 and has expanded to cover a 30-acre permanent village with over 100 shops and 12 outdoor stages. October 28th and 29th will be Tricks or Treats Weekend with costume contests and pumpkin decorating.



Where Am I?

If you know the location where this picture was taken, email us at melissa.bour@wcoh.net no later than October 26th. Everyone that has the correct answer will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Include your name, phone number, department you work for and your guess of the location and any other details. Don't forget to check back next month to see if you are the one that won!

Congrats to Johnny Miller with Franklin Police Department for guessing that last month's picture which was taken at Certified Oil on St. Rt. 28 outside of Blanchester. Stop by dispatch during this month to pick up your prize!



August Dispatch Stats

	Total	First Shift	Second Shift	Third Shift
Created the Most Incidents	9,558	Andrew Farlaino 245 Calls	Amber Applegate 1,082 Calls	Andy Jackson 780 Calls
Most Status Changes	37,967	Carmen Carson 1,329	Samantha Hall 2,141	Emmaline Ritchie 3,767
Total 911 Calls Received				
Total 7-Digit Calls Received				
Busiest Day (Based on 911 & Admin Calls)				
Busiest Time of Day (Based on 911 & Admin Calls)				

* InDigital statistics in the highlighted areas were unavailable.



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