

Letter from the President of the Deputy Sheriffs' Association of Pennsylvania



Deputies and Members,

It's Hard to believe it is the summertime and we made it through that miserable winter. However during that time the Executive Board was hard at work. Now it is time to look forward to the coming months, and focus on issues that will strengthen the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association.

In March the Pennsylvania Sheriff's Association graciously invited the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association to their Mid-Winter Conference. It was a time for us to come together and focus on issues important to us all. Also, it was the perfect time to meet and greet new sheriff's

and bring them on board. Overall, it was a time to strengthen our vision. Also In March the DSAP Board attended the first "Heroes Behind the Badge" Banquet in Bradford County. This was an event to honor all Law Enforcement officers across the Commonwealth. Sheriff C. J. Walters and all the volunteers did an absolute wonderful job. In 2015 Berks County Sheriff Weaknecht will be hosting this event. Check the website for information and support this worthy event.

In May Captain Jimmy Lee, Executive Director for the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association and I were invited by the State FOP Association to attend the statewide memorial ceremony at the Capital. This was a time to honor our Brothers and Sisters who have given the ultimate sacrifice.

In October the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association will be holding our yearly Conference and Top Gun Competition. Check the website www.dsap.org for information on rooms and reservations. Below are the Counties where the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Conference and Top Gun Competition will be held in the future. We look forward to seeing all of you there.

Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Conference/Top Gun Competition

2014 Washington County

2015 Philadelphia County

2016 Need a county to host

2017 Chester County.

All of us should plan to attend the yearly Conference and Top Gun Competition. This is a time when we can come together and focus on issues that affect us. Also it is an opportune time for the younger Deputies to get involved with the organization. Because <u>YOU</u> are the future.

The Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association will be raffling off two custom built 223 weapons. Tickets are \$10.00. The winners of the prizes will be announced at the DSAP Conference in Washington County in October. All proceeds will be used to assist this Association. We need everyone to help us accomplish our goal.

One of the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff's Association's biggest objectives is to have more Deputies become involved with this organization. Below is a list of Counties that have no Representatives which means your County has <u>NO VOICE!</u>

COUNTIES WITH NO REPRESENTATIVES Are:

Bedford, Blair, Butler, Cameron, Centre, Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Cumberland, Elk, Fulton, Jefferson, Juniata, Lebanon, McKean, Mercer, Mifflin, Somerset, Susquehanna, Venango, Warren.

We all need to be one if we want to be strong. Contact us to learn how to elect Representatives. We all need to all have a voice. Finally please remember our Brothers and Sisters who have passed on this year. Especially Lt. Roy Herbert from Philadelphia County. Roy was very passionate about this organization and will be greatly missed. To all be safe

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