

Chief's Corner

Greetings.

First and foremost, I hope this newsletter finds you safe and healthy. We are all experiencing unsettling changes at this time. I take comfort in knowing that our community will remain united in taking care of one another during this difficult time. I want to assure you that the CCHPD continues to be available for calls for service and emergencies.

As residents remain at home, more vehicles are parked on the streets and in driveways. I want to remind you all to please lock your vehicle doors and remove valuables. Officers are working tirelessly to protect your property while you sleep. Please share this information with your neighbors.

Respectfully, **Chief John Galvin**

The D.C's Spotlight



This month's spotlight shines on our popular mascot, Officer Chills. Chills is a German Shepherd police dog who joined the PD in 2015. He attends city events and visits schools year-round. Learn more at our **COPZ KIDZ** website.

Post by **Deputy Chief Kevin Richmond**

Department News

As warmer weather approaches, the Country Club Hills Police Department encourages residents to continue practicing social distancing and hand washing frequently.

As mentioned in our April newsletter, please be mindful of COVID-19 scams. More information can be found on the FBI website.

Lastly, the CCHPD encourages residents to participate in the 2020 Census. Be vigilant when providing personal information. Identity thieves and scammers will use the Census as an opportunity to steal personal information. See the list below for information you should refrain from releasing

Announcements

- All City Court hearings for March 26th, April 23rd & May 21st (Parking Tickets / Vehicle Impoundments, Red Light Ticket Court) have been canceled and moved to June 25th.
- The Illinois Secretary of State's Office is extending drivers licenses, vehicle registrations, ID cards and permit renewals for 90 days after the Stay-at-Home Order ends.
- Until further notice, all matters regarding Crime-Free Rental Housing and rental license applications should be referred to the Building Department at City Hall.

Crime Prevention Tips

2020 Census Scam - Census fraud can happen at home or at work. Be especially watchful for impostors from now until the end of July, when the Census Bureau will be sending out reminders and following up in person at households that don't respond. If someone comes to your home claiming to be from the Census Bureau, make sure they have a valid ID badge, with their photograph, a U.S. Department of Commerce watermark, and an expiration date.

Real 2020 Census surveys / agents will never; ask for your social security number, bank, credit card or account numbers, money or donations, support for a political party, when you leave for or return from work, or threaten jail time.

Monthly Crime Stats

Calls for Service	April 831
Arrests	April 36

Crime	Mar.	Apr.	Crime	Mar.	Apr.
Murder	0	0	Burglary (non-vehicle)	3	1
Criminal Sexual Assault	0	0	Theft	28	24
Robbery	2	0	Motor Vehicle Theft	6	4
Aggravated Battery / Battery	3	0	Arson	0	0



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