

Training/Events

The Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program is second to none in educating on the true essence of law enforcement. After completion of the academy, Explorers will participate in several educational classes on numerous topics related to law enforcement. Candidates will learn basic/advanced police strategies and partake in many mock training sessions. Explorers will also be privileged to go on several field trips and learn from several professionals in the field of law enforcement. Explorers will participate in numerous community service projects and coordinate several program fundraisers throughout the year.



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Police Explorer Program

COUNTRY CLUB HILLS PD

POST 2668



About Us

The Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program is geared towards youth between the ages of 14-20 with a valid interest in a career in law enforcement. The Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program's core mission is to teach our youth the essence of law enforcement while developing outstanding leadership qualities. The Program covers a range of topics that will give our youth a winning edge in their pursuit of a career in law enforcement. Enrollees will participate in several trainings, community service projects and coordinate several events throughout the year. The goal of this entire experience is to build character, confidence and develop skills that will last a lifetime. So what are you waiting for? All those interested can submit an application on our website or call Sgt. Harris at the Police Department for further.

Requirements

To join the Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program the following requirements must be met:

1. Member must be between the ages of 14-20 years old.
2. It shall be required that applicants be of good health, good moral habits, and shall not have been convicted of any serious crime, prior to and once becoming an Explorer.
3. Must pay yearly dues of \$25.00 to the Boy Scouts of America Explorer Post #2668.
4. All members must review the rules and regulations of this post. Every member shall abide by them and sign a contract.
5. An application, fingerprints and photograph shall be completed for each applicant.
6. All applicants must pass a background check, oral interview and maintain at least a C grade point average at their school.
7. A probationary period of 3 months is required and upon successful completion, the applicant prospect shall be appointed Explorer. During this probationary period, the prospect shall be evaluated on performance, loyalty, attitude and attendance in and out of the post.

8. Each Explorer must participate in recruit training classes held at specific dates and times.
9. Each Explorer must put in at least 8 hours of work time plus meetings per month.
10. Parental approval must be indicated by parent's signature on application.

Process

All those interested in becoming part of the Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program will need to submit an application and go through an interview process. If selected, candidates must complete a three month basic academy where they will be challenged physically and mentally. During the academy enrollees will exercise regularly, learn the duties of an Explorer and become familiar with basic law enforcement procedures. Candidates will be tested throughout this process to determine if they have what it takes to be an Explorer. Those individuals that complete the academy will receive a certificate of completion and will be an official member of The Country Club Hills Police Explorer Program.