

Neighbourhood Watch Bulletin – February 6, 2017

This bulletin is prepared by the Wellington Community Police Centre (1064 Wellington St., 613-236-1222 ext. 5870) for distribution to area residents to promote safety and security in our neighbourhoods. Please distribute it to anyone who might be interested. Any questions or information concerning safety or security issues in your neighbourhood may be forwarded to wellingtoncpc@gmail.com.

Le français suit

- 1. STEP in February**
 - 2. Information Session and PREP Test workshop**
-

1. STEP in February

The Gatineau Police Service and Ottawa Police Service's [Selective Traffic Enforcement Program \(STEP\)](#) will focus on vehicle occupant restraints and red light running, during the month of February.

Vehicle Occupant Restraints:

Between 2011 and 2015, there were 210 collisions due to the lack of or improper use of vehicle occupant restraints resulting in 13 fatalities and 221 injuries.

Red Light Running:

Between 2011 and 2015, there were 3841 collisions resulting in 1289 injuries and 4 fatalities.

The Safer Roads Ottawa Program is a leading community partnership between Ottawa Fire Services, Ottawa Paramedic Service, Ottawa Police Service, Ottawa Public Health and the Public Works Department committed to preventing or eliminating road deaths and serious injuries for all people in the City of Ottawa, through culture change, community engagement, and development of a sustainable safe transportation environment.

Also participating in the Safer Roads Ottawa Program are the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), Ontario Provincial Police (OPP), Sûreté du Québec, Department of National Defence's Military Police and Gatineau Police Service to improve road safety for all residents of the national capital region.

Ottawa residents have identified traffic safety as a top priority. The [Safer Roads Ottawa Program](#) is committed to using available resources to make Ottawa roads safer for residents.

2. Information Session and PREP Test workshop

The Ottawa Police Service will be hosting an Information Session and PREP Test workshop on the OACP Constable Selection Process for both men and women interested in a policing career on Saturday, February 18, 2017.

The session is designed to educate potential candidates about the Constable Selection Process. The practice sessions will also give the participants an opportunity to see if they can meet the physical requirements of the job.

The February 18th session will be held between 9:00am to 2:00pm at Algonquin College Woodroffe Campus, P building, 1385 Woodroffe Avenue, in Ottawa.

Gym attire is required. If you are 45 years of age or older, a PARMED X will be required by your doctor.

In order to attend the session, you must [pre-register online via survey monkey](#) as space is limited. Registration for this workshop has now commenced.

Please note you will need to receive a confirmation e-mail prior to attending the session.

1. Le PASC au mois de février
2. Séance d'information et de pratique PREP

1. Le PASC au mois de février

Pendant le mois de février, le Service de police de Gatineau et le Service de police d'Ottawa, par l'intermédiaire de son [Programme d'application sélective en matière de circulation \(PASC\)](#), mettront l'accent sur le port des dispositifs de retenue des occupants et sur **le non-respect des feux rouges**.

Les dispositifs de retenue des occupants

Entre 2011 et 2015, 210 collisions entraînant 13 décès et 221 blessés ont impliqué la non-utilisation ou l'utilisation inadéquate des dispositifs de retenue des occupants.

Non respect des feux rouges

De 2011 à 2015, il y a eu 3 841 collisions, qui ont causé des blessures à 1 289 personnes et entraîné 4 décès.

Le Programme d'amélioration de la sécurité des routes à Ottawa est un important partenariat communautaire liant le Service des incendies d'Ottawa, le Service paramédic d'Ottawa, le Service de police d'Ottawa, Santé publique Ottawa et les Services des travaux publics, et qui s'engage à prévenir et à éliminer des décès et des blessures graves sur la route pour le bien commun à Ottawa, par la voie du changement culturel, de l'engagement communautaire et du développement d'un environnement de transport durable et sûr.

Parmi les participants au Programme d'amélioration de la sécurité des routes à Ottawa, on compte aussi la Gendarmerie royale du Canada (GRC), la Police provinciale de l'Ontario (PPO), la Sûreté du Québec, la Police militaire du ministère de la Défense nationale et le Service de police de Gatineau, visant tous à accroître la sécurité routière pour tous les résidents de la région de la capitale nationale.

Les résidents d'Ottawa ont identifié la sécurité routière parmi leurs grandes priorités. Le [Programme d'amélioration de la sécurité des routes à Ottawa](#) s'est engagé à faire appel aux ressources disponibles pour rendre les routes d'Ottawa plus sûres pour ses résidents.

2. Séance d'information et de pratique PREP

Le Service de police d'Ottawa tiendra une séance d'information et de pratique PREP pour hommes et femmes concernant le processus de sélection d'agents de l'ACPO, le samedi 18 février 2017.

La séance a pour objet de renseigner les candidats potentiels au sujet du processus de sélection des agents. En outre, la séance de pratique donnera aux participants l'occasion de savoir si ils/elles sauront satisfaire aux exigences physiques de l'emploi.

La séance du 18 février aura lieu de 9 h 00 à 14 h 00 à l'édifice P du campus Woodroffe du Collège Algonquin, situé au 1385, av. Woodroffe à Ottawa.

Une tenue vestimentaire sportive sera obligatoire. Si vous êtes âgé de 45 ans ou plus, un formulaire X-AAP sera exigé par votre médecin.

Afin de participer à la séance, vous devez vous [inscrire d'avance en ligne](#) car le nombre de places disponibles étant limité.

Veuillez noter que vous devrez recevoir un courriel de confirmation avant de vous présenter à la séance.

Key Ottawa Police Service numbers:

- * Life threatening emergency assistance or to report a crime in progress .. **911**
- * Other emergency **613-230-6211**
- * Non-emergencies and general inquiries **613-236-1222**
- * To have the police attend your location **613-236-1222**
ext. 7500
- * To make a police report **613-236-1222**
ext. 7300
- * To make a police report online www.ottawapolice.ca

OPS and By-Law services base their work on call statistics. The more calls that you make, the more neighbourhood services we receive. There are three steps to making the call:

a) Deciding which number to phone.

If you have an emergency or see a crime in progress, call 9-1-1. If your car was broken into or you need police to attend another non-urgent situation, please call the “other emergencies” number (613-230-6211). To report an incident after it occurred without police attending the scene, please call 613-236-1222 – ext. 7300. You can reach by-law services at 3-1-1.

b) Getting a report number.

When the dispatcher answers, it is a good idea to ask for a report number immediately. We’ve found that dispatchers sometimes hang up before we get to ask for a number or we forget. Asking for a report number right away solves these problems.

c) Share your report number and incident.

Please e-mail your report numbers and a brief description of the incident to your Block Captain (if you have one), or directly to us.

Importance of Reporting Prostitution and Problem Addresses

Neighbourhood Watch members can support the police by writing down and phoning in important information such as: vehicle descriptions and license plate numbers (specify Ontario or Quebec) of anyone soliciting prostitutes, descriptions of drug dealers and addresses of crack houses.

Graffiti

If you spot graffiti, call 3-1-1. Graffiti kits are available from your city councillor.