

BENTONVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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PRESS RELEASE

Subject: Bentonville Police Citizen's Academy

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Citizen Police Academy

The Bentonville Police Department has had the privilege of inviting the community it serves into the police department to become familiar with the growth and extent of our police services. With the additions of the Evidence Building, K-9 Units, Special Response Team and Bomb Squad we have felt it very important to present our services in the form of a 'Citizen's Police Academy'.

The next Bentonville Citizen's Police Academy will start April 1, 2010 and end May 27, 2010. The main goals of the academy are to partner with the community, explain the operations of the police department, and encourage citizens to undertake measures to prevent themselves from becoming crime victims. Academy

participants' gain an understanding of police procedures that are more reflective of everyday police work than what is portrayed by the media.

Citizens that wish to attend must be 21 years of age and pass a background check. Interested citizens should contact Officer Guary Morgan @ 479-271-5986
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