



TOWN OF CONCORD

Town Manager's Report

Week of August 5th, 2019

Youth Police Academy

The Concord Police Department held their first ever Youth Police Academy from July 29th to August 2nd, all 16 spots were filled in the free week long program. This introduced the students to what our community police do in a fun and inactive way. The Youth Academy was immersed in the department and got an overview of different police and law enforcement positions. This included meeting with a K9 unit, practicing marching and following commands in formations, practicing ALICE lockdown training, public speaking, and visiting with the Concord motorcycle unit and Fire Department. The group also was able to take field trips to the Middlesex County Courthouse to speak with a Judge and other members of the court, visit the State's mounted horse unit, and even played a game of paintball! Sudbury's Crime Lab Forensics team provided an overview of forensics and Concord Police provided information on firearms and non-lethal forms of enforcement, defensive tactics, CPR and first aid, dangers of vaping, and criminal law. The Concord Police Department is excited about the success of their first year and is looking forward to continuing the program.



BACKPACKS/SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Back to school donations appreciated!

Concord-Carlisle Community Services has over 50 children from modest and low income families signed up to receive a brand new backpack and school supplies for the 2019-2020 school year.

Donations of pencils, glue sticks, rulers, pencil cases, pens, pencil sharpeners, loose-leaf paper, folders, and notebooks are also welcome. Donated backpacks and supplies must be new and unused.

To donate a backpack and/or school supplies, please contact Bonny Wilbur, Community Services Coordinator at bwilbur@concordma.gov, 978-318-3034 or use the drop boxes located at 55 Church Street, the Harvey Wheeler Community Center at 1276 Main Street, the Beede Center at 498 Walden Street, or Town Hall at 22 Monument Square.





We're planting trees!

And we want your help.

Concord's tree canopy protects us from the impacts of climate change like extreme heat and contributes to our town's character.

We're seeking community input on locations to plant public shade trees this fall and spring. Are you interested in receiving a new tree on your property to be planted by Concord Public Works?

Step 1 - Check out Concord's Tree Keeper website to see if there are any vacant planting sites on your property.

Step 2 - Contact Concord Public Works by August 16th to express interest and determine eligibility.

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