



Sheriff's Office

CITY OF BRISTOL, VIRGINIA 24201
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Jack Weisenburger
Sheriff



Annual Report 2008

Bristol Virginia Sheriff's Office

The Bristol Virginia Sheriff's Office served the citizens of Bristol, Virginia in the following capacities in 2008; maintaining the safety and security of the jail, operations at the courthouse, serving civil process, providing D.A.R.E. to our school age children, operation of the jail farm, crime prevention programs and property abatement/right-of-away clean-up. The Sheriff's Office had fifty full time staff, (this included administrative, dieticians and medical personnel) and five part-time deputies in 2008.

Jail

The jail had 49,503 inmate days reported, with an average inmate daily population of 136.

Court Services

161 – Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court Days
180 – General District Court Days
274 – Circuit Court Days

Civil Process / Criminal & Civil

5654 – Subpoenas served	1095 – Inmate transports
778 – Jury summons served	39 – Temporary Detention Orders served
273 – Criminal warrants served	122 – Extraditions completed
996 – Levies served	
2031 – Other civil process served	

Property Abatement & Right-of-Way Clean-up

37 – Private properties cleared
15 – Right-of-ways mowed/cleaned
919 – man-hours / inmate labor used
\$13,575.94 - billed

Jail

In 2008, cattle and hogs were raised for meat products for the jail. Approximately 3,500 lbs. of meat was produced for jail consumption. 305 rolls of hay was harvested to help offset the cost of raising the livestock. The labor for the farm was accomplished with inmates, providing savings and vocational skills for those assigned. Over 22,995 inmate man hours of labor were performed on a variety work assignments, both inside and outside of the facility.

DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education)

5 th Grade Core Lesson -	230 graduates
Elementary Visitation Lessons -	54 lessons presented to 620 students
Middle School Lessons -	178 students
High School Lessons -	181 students
DARE Camp -	56 rising City & 7 th graders participated in camp
Group presentations -	8



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Crime Prevention *(see narrative)*

Neighborhood Watch Groups	18 Participants
Neighborhood Watch Meetings	144 Participants
Total Attendance at Watch Meetings	2,000

Public Programs	65
Total Attendance at Public Programs	2,100

Safety Stop at Virginia Welcome Center (Memorial and Labor Days)	1
Total Citizens encountered	3,200

Fingerprinting events	3
Total number of children fingerprinted	200

Senior Prom	225
Senior Jamboree	425
Senior Safety Fair	250

Residential Assessments	4
Business Assessments	4
Classes Taught at Academy	10

Community Emergency Response Team	
Training Classes	3
Individuals Trained	50

Project Lifesaver - Participants	6
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