



Sheriff's Office

CITY OF BRISTOL, VIRGINIA 24201
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Jack Weisenburger
Sheriff



Annual Report 2009

Bristol Virginia Sheriff's Office

The Bristol Virginia Sheriff's served the citizens of Bristol, Virginia in the following capacities in 2009: 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-way clean-up. In 2009, the Sheriff's Office had fifty full time staff, (this included administrative, dieticians and medical personnel) and four part-time deputies.

Jail

The jail had 46,784 inmate days reported, with an average inmate daily population of 128.

Court Services

160 – Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court Days
191 – General District Court Days
288 – Circuit Court Days

Civil Process / Criminal & Civil

6506 – Subpoenas served	435 – Inmate transports
648 – Jury summons served	42 – Temporary Detention Orders served
359 – Criminal warrants served	111 – Extraditions completed
977 – Levies served	
1548 – Other civil process served	

Property Abatement & Right-of-Way Clean-up

48 – Private properties serviced with \$5,532.04 billed.
10 – Right-of-ways mowed/cleaned with \$9,479.75 billed.
\$15,011.79 - Total billed

Jail Farm

In 2009, cattle and hogs were raised for meat products for the jail. Hay was grown/cut for feed for the livestock. The labor for the farm was accomplished with inmates, providing savings and vocational skills for those assigned.

1,075 Pounds – Pork harvested
2,447 Pounds – Beef harvested

DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education)

5 th Grade Core Lesson -	196 graduates
Elementary Visitation Lessons -	66 lessons presented to 714 students
Middle School Lessons -	192 students
High School Lessons -	196 students
DARE Camp -	48 7 th graders (and rising) participated in camp
Group presentations -	6



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Crime Prevention ([see narrative](#))

Neighborhood Watch Groups	20
Neighborhood Watch Meetings	120
Total Attendance at Watch Meetings	1,200 Participants

Project Lifesaver	4 Active Clients
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Safe Assured ID Events	2
Number Fingerprinted	50

Public Presentations	80
Total Attendance at Public Presentations	3,000

Community Emergency Response Training Classes	2
Number Trained	30

Safety Stop at Virginia Welcome Center (Memorial Days)	1
Total Citizens encountered	2,500

Bicycle Helmets Distributed	100
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Senior Prom Attendance	250
Senior Jamboree	300
Senior Safety Fair	250

Residential Assessments	4
Business Assessments	8
Classes Taught at Academy	8

Daytime Tri-Cities Programs (WJHL Viewing Area)	8
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Grants Awarded	2
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