

Seabrook Police Department



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June (partial)/July/August (partial) Report to Selectmen

- Staff completed training in topics to include some of “The Three 2’s” (ethics, de-escalation, and bias), strategic interviewing, social media investigations, crime scene processing, interdiction, high-risk warrant training, active shooter training, as well as attendance at the Halias Safety Symposium at the University of New Hampshire and the FBI National Academy National Training Conference.
- In July officers participated in a Touch-A-Truck at Seabrook Library.
- Crimeline for the Hamptons President (and retired Seabrook officer) John Mounsey dropped off a \$5,000.00 donation for the police department. The donation was previously approved by the Board in June 2023 and will be used for training and equipment.
- During July the police department participated in a grant-funded speed prevention campaign through the Office of Highway Safety.
- Members of the Seabrook PD participated in meetings and review for updating Seabrook’s Local Emergency Operating Plan (LEOP).
- Continued exploring funding mechanisms and implementation strategies for an ACERT program (Adverse Childhood Experiences Response Team) at the Police Department. We have partnered with Dr. Katie Godshall from the University of New Hampshire’s College of Health and Human Services for this and other projects.
- Coffee with a Cop returns on Friday August 25th at Starbucks from 9am to 10am.
- August 12 marked the 50th anniversary of the line of duty death of Seabrook Police Chief [Charles S. “King” Knowles](#) who died on that date in 1973.
- We are currently hiring for one full-time police dispatcher.
 - This dispatch position will be the fifth full-time dispatcher and put us at full staff.
- We are currently fully staffed with 30 full-time police officer positions filled.

Regular activities

- Attended meetings to include the Seacoast Emergency Response Team (SERT), the Rockingham County Chiefs of Police and addressed numerous administrative items.

Drug Overdose Statistics through August 16, 2023 are as follows:

2023 YTD OVERDOSES – 23
2023 YTD OVERDOSE DEATHS – 6

2022 YTD OVERDOSES – 14
2022 YTD OVERDOSE DEATHS – 1

Total calls for service since last Board meeting submission: 2,653

As of 0730 on 06/14/2023: 5,211
As of 0730 on 08/16/2023: 7,864

We continue to use our social media accounts on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) (@SeabrookNHPD) to connect with the public. This has proved to be an effective means of providing information to and interacting with the public. The Seabrookpd.com website also has a Twitter feed at the bottom for people who do not utilize social media.

Respectfully submitted,



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