## LAGUNA HILLS POLICE SERVICES

## **NEWSLETTER** - MAY 2025

### MOTORCYCLE SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH

As riding season kicks into gear, it's the perfect time to remind both drivers and motorcyclists to stay alert and share the road responsibly.

The Goal: Promote safe riding and reduce motorcycle-related accidents and injuries.

Drivers:Watch for motorcycles, give them space, and check blind spots.

#### Riders:

• Wear protective gear, ride defensively, and keep your bike in top shape.

Let's keep the roads safe for everyone this summer season!

# "LOOK BEFORE YOU LOCK" – SUMMER CAR SAFETY CHECKLIST

- Call 911 immediately if you see a child or pet alone in a vehicle.
- Pets overheat quickly—leave them at home during errands.
- Remember: On a 90°F day, a car can hit 120°F in just 10 minutes.



### **BEAT THE HEAT: TIPS TO STAY COOL AND SAFE**

As temperatures rise, it's important to protect yourself from heat-related illnesses. Stay indoors during the hottest parts of the day and opt for air-conditioned spaces when possible. Hydration is key—drink plenty of water throughout the day, even if you're not thirsty. Avoid strenuous outdoor activities during peak heat hours, and watch for signs of heat exhaustion such as dizziness, headache, and excessive sweating. Lightweight, light-colored clothing can also help you stay cool and comfortable.

### WHAT IS A COOLING CENTER?

A cooling center is a public, air-conditioned space where people can go to escape extreme heat during heatwaves or unusually high temperatures. These centers are especially important for vulnerable populations, such as the elderly, young children, individuals with medical conditions, and those without access to air conditioning.

#### LAGUNA HILLS COOLING CENTER LOCATION:

Laguna Hills Community Center - 25555 Alicia Parkway Laguna Hills, CA 92653

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### **HOT CALL HIGHLIGHT**

**APRIL 23, 2025** 

Yesterday, deputies conducted a traffic stop at Avenida de la Carlota and Ridge Route Drive in Laguna Hills. The driver consented to a vehicle search, during which deputies located drug paraphernalia, narcotics, and a scale.

Based on the findings, deputies had reason to believe the individual was transporting narcotics for the purpose of sales. The suspect was taken into custody and booked at the Orange County Jail.

Laguna Hills Police Services, takes crime and drugs seriously. We're dedicated to keeping Laguna Hills a safe and welcoming place to live and work!





### MAY 7, 2025

Congratulations to Deputy C. Snyder on being recognized by the Orange County Auto Theft Advisory Committee (ATAC)!

This award highlights his outstanding work throughout 2024 in recovering stolen vehicles and apprehending suspects involved in auto theft. Deputy Snyder's dedication, attention to detail, and relentless efforts have made a real impact in keeping our community safe.

We're proud to celebrate this well-earned recognition.

### MAY 15, 2025

Laguna Hills Police Services wants to thank our incredible community for attending Heroes Supporting Heroes!

We could not have done this event without your amazing support. Thanks to your generosity, we raised \$4,535 for Special Olympics Orange County athletes!

A big shout out to the fantastic team at BJ Restaurant for all their hard work and help throughout this fundraiser. We appreciate your partnership and support!



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## **QUICK TIP - VACATION CHECK!**

Laguna Hills Police Services provides patrol checks of your home while you are away on vacation or business. Submit the Vacation Patrol Check Form a week prior to your travel date (form available online).

- Email the completed Vacation Patrol Check Form to Crimeprevention@lagunahillsCA.gov.
- Contact Laguna Hills Police Services for any questions regarding the matter.

### ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S UPDATE

Effective January 1, 2024, all Trespass Arrest Authorization Forms (TAAF) must be notarized. If the property/business owner or agent is not present, deputies need a signed and notarized TAAF to take enforcement action.

See attachments for Trespass Arrest Authorization Forms (TAAF). For additional information please call (949) 707-6011.



## LAGUNA HILLS COMMUNITY CENTER 25555 ALICIA PKWY, LAGUNA HILLS, CA 92653

#### STOP BY AND EXPERIENCE AN ACTION-PACKED NIGHT!

GET UP CLOSE AND EXPLORE A PATROL VEHICLE, MEET THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT MOUNTED UNIT, EXPERIENCE AN EXCITING HELICOPTER FLYOVER, GRAB A BITE FROM LOCAL FOOD TRUCKS, AND HAVE FUN WITH BOUNCE HOUSES AND SO MUCH MORE FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY! OUR MOVIE IN THE PARK, ZOOPTOPIA, WILL BEGIN AT 7:30PM. BRING YOUR CHAIRS AND BLANKETS! CALL 949.707.2680 FOR MORE INFORMATION.



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## **MAY 2025**

- Memorial Half Marathon
  - Laguna Hills Community Center

### **JUNE 2025**

- Summer Kick-Off 2025
  - Laguna Hills Community Center