



Hanover County Sheriff's Office
Colonel V. Stuart Cook, Sheriff



Public Safety Announcement

For more information call Lt. Doug Goodman at 365-6312

Monday, July 26, 2004

On, Tuesday, August 3, 2004, Hanover County will join in with the entire nation in celebrating the 21th Anniversary of "America's Night Out Against Crime."

National Night Out is designed to: 1. Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness; 2. Generate support and participation in local anti-crime efforts; 3. Strengthen neighborhood spirit and law enforcement-community relations; and 4. Send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organizing and fighting back.

From 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. (or a time you designate for your neighborhood) on August 3rd, residents in neighborhoods throughout Hanover County and across the nation are asked to lock their doors, turn on outside lights and spend the evening with neighbors and the members of the Sheriff's Office.

In addition to individual efforts, many neighborhoods throughout Hanover will be hosting a variety of special events such as block parties, cookouts, visits from McGruff the CrimeDog and Sheriff's Deputies, flashlight walks and youth activities. If you are unsure if your neighborhood has organized an event, please call your neighborhood association.

If you have any questions, please call Deputy Sheriff Jim Mclaughlin at 365-6335. For crime prevention tips, please visit our website at www.hanoversheriff.com.

Please come out and help the Sheriff's Office "Take a bite out of Crime!"

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