
Oswego State University

University Police Department

2000 Annual Report



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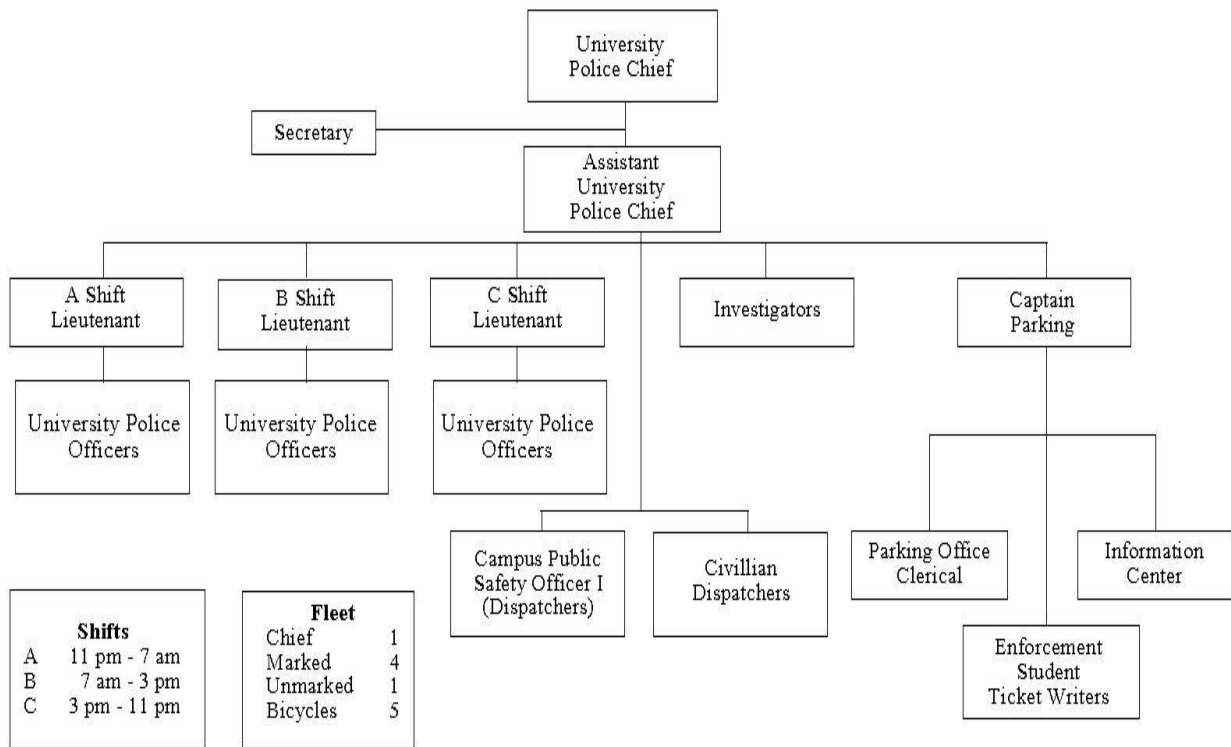
Mission Statement

The University Police Department at Oswego State University was established to maintain and preserve peace on campus. The Department, comprised of professional Law Enforcement Officers and dedicated civilian staff, serves to protect the life, liberty, and property of all individuals who utilize college facilities including students, faculty, staff, and visitors. The uniqueness of providing a public safety function in a university setting mandates that only the best possible candidates are hired, those who are able to relate to a college community.

An ancillary, but equally important mission of the University Police Department is to educate the campus community in the most modern methods of crime prevention and personal safety and to work as a team with other University offices in providing a safe environment for persons to learn and work. Additionally, the department is sworn to afford everyone the right to express themselves without regard to race, creed, gender, religion, or sexual orientation.

The recognition that the University Police Department is not the sole provider of a safe environment, but a member of the entire campus community working as a team, is the foremost precept of our mission.

Oswego State University Police Department



Chief's Report

The year 2000 continued our successful run at decreasing the amount of crime reported on our campus. Several factors play into this, the fact that crime is generally decreasing nationwide, the continued interest in our campus community in keeping a safe environment in which to work and study, and a supportive administration regarding law enforcement. We believe that our pro-arrest policies as well as our relationship with our community will continue to make SUNY Oswego a safe place to be.

Parking continues to be a hot topic on our campus. While the number of vehicles have remained relatively constant, the practice of scheduling so many classes as well as other activities during the center part of the day create difficulty for many of our constituents. The parking committee worked diligently in 2000 to address many of the concerns brought to us and we feel that the entire campus is recognizing that parking must be addressed as a very real concern. It is felt that the campus concept is now recognizing the need to consider our parking needs as a part of our continued growth.

A new officer, John Lester was hired in 2000 and successfully completed his basic police training at Onondaga Community College. John is an experienced officer from New Hampshire and fits in well on our department. We look forward to his work on our department as he becomes acclimated to our campus.

The final preparations were being completed in the year 2000 for our move into Pathfinder Hall. We anticipate moving early in the spring of 2001. This move will place us in the heart of our residential community and we feel it will be beneficial in our community policing model.

The security escort system continues to be of interest, not only to our own community, but to other campuses throughout the country. We are somewhat disappointed in the response of our students to it's use but are heartened that our community feels safe enough that they don't feel it is necessary. We plan to continue to market the product in 2001 and plan to introduce it several times during summer orientation.

Our reporting structure, where we report directly to the Presidents Office has worked very well in the past year. We are extremely thankful for the guidance, assistance, and leadership provided by Carolyn Rush, Deputy to the President. The success, as shown in our annual report is a direct result of a good working relationship with the administration and we want to thank President Stanley and her entire staff for assisting us in creating a safe environment at SUNY Oswego.

I again want to thank the Officers and members of the University Police Department, Law Enforcement and Parking Divisions, as well as the administrative staff for another successful year. Our new facility will do much to enhance our image as well as make it possible to show continued improvement in future years.

Assistant Chief's Report

In last year's report some very positive crime reporting numbers were mentioned. Incidents of criminal mischief, petit larceny, harassment, falsely reporting fire alarms, and other offenses in 1999 had decreased significantly from 1998. Given that 1998 had also shown a marked decrease in crimes from 1997, there was hope that a lower crime rate trend was taking place. On looking at the number of offenses reported in 2000 we can confidently say that we are in a trend of lower crime.

In the years 1995-1997, over 900 on campus criminal incidents were reported to the University Police each year. In 1998, the number dropped to 821. In 1999, they dropped to 742. In 2000, they dropped over 18% from 1999 to 606 incidents, a reduction in crime of over 34% from the 1995-1997 period. Incidents of burglary were the lowest in six years. Reports of harassment this year were the lowest in ten years. Petit larceny, which is normally a comparatively high volume crime was half the number reported in the 1995-1997 period, and down 28% from last year. From the mid 1980's to the early 1990's, the number of petit larcenies reported per year consistently exceeded 200. In 2000, only eighty four incidents of petit larceny were reported.

This drop in campus crime has occurred dramatically over several years, and is generally consistent among the wide variety of offense categories. There is no indication that the low numbers are merely a trend to choose not to report crimes. This is good news for the campus community. Fewer people are having to suffer the trauma of being crime victims. Costs associated with the theft of, or damage to, University and personal property are reduced. And, perspective students can clearly see that Oswego State University is a safe campus, whose administration considers crime reduction a priority.

Arrests for 2000 totaled 150, down from the high of 201 for 1999 to a more average number of arrests. The largest category still remains DWI with 33 charges for 2000, followed by arrests for unlawful possession of marijuana (29), alcohol violations (ABC) (15), and possession of forged instruments (15). Fewer arrests for marijuana possession and ABC violations was the major factor in the lower arrest numbers for 2000.

Services to the community have always been a staple of our responsibilities. Although not as high profile as investigating crimes and making arrests, responding to reports of injuries, building security checks, jump starting cars of stranded motorists, responding to alarms, and many other services, make up the bulk of the Department's operation. Services performed by the members of the Department have a much greater impact on community safety, protection of property, and campus operations, than investigating reports of crime. The year 2000 was no exception, as services totaling 24,032 continued on the record level set in 1999.

With the crime rate dropping, services to the community at a record high, and arrests at acceptable levels, it may be tempting to take this condition for granted. Although we would hope that campus community members would feel good about this news, the university cannot pat itself on the back and relax its focus on maintaining a safe campus. The reasons are numerous, but two stand out. The crime fighting and safety initiatives that have been instituted across the campus and specifically within the University Police Department over the past few years have helped to elicit crime prevention awareness and improved cooperation between this Department and community members. These have helped to reduce crime levels. These efforts have taken a

period of time to see fruition, but they need to continue if a low crime rate is to remain a goal of this institution. Also, even though serious crime is extremely rare on this campus and lower level offenses are fewer, there is still a need to recognize that crimes still occurred in 2000 and that crime creates victims. Our goal is to do everything possible to ensure the fewest number of victims of crime.

One of the main reasons this year's crime and service figures are so positive is the continued effort put forth by the members of this Department. In my eyes, their dedication and diligence to the mission of the Department cannot be matched by other S.U.N.Y. institutions. I am proud to be associated with this professional team and the sacrifices they have made this year to maintain a safe campus.

Training

Officer training has always been a priority within the Department. Learning procedures and techniques, and keeping this knowledge current is elementary to any professional, including police officers. Some of the areas of training this year involved training in handling major disaster situations, instruction in nuclear, biological, and chemical incident response, information on new emerging illicit drugs, standardized field sobriety testing, seminars in stalking and domestic violence, and crime scene awareness training including DNA evidence gathering and retention techniques.

Officer John Lester completed basic police academy training at the regional police academy at Onondaga Community College just prior to the end of the year. His field training, to be conducted by department Field Training Officers under the supervision of Lieutenant Taylor, should be completed in early 2001.

The Department expanded its instructor base by having Lieutenant Velzy obtain Defensive Tactics Instructor certification and having him complete Advanced Firearms Instructor Skills training. Officer Angotti also completed the Instructor Development Course and received General Topics Instructor certification.

In 2000, Department Police Bicycle Patrol instructors taught Police Bicycle Patrol Tactics classes at this institution and at Ithaca. Firearms instructors taught two basic firearms training sessions for the University Police Basic Academy as well as basic, transition, and recertification training courses at S.U.N.Y. Oneonta. Department Master instructors taught an Instructor Development Course in conjunction with the DEC Environmental Conservation Police. Instructors also taught Domestic Violence (OCC), Vehicle and Traffic Law (Albany), NYSPIN (Oswego), and RADAR Operator courses (OCC, Binghamton) during the year.

Additional information on training received or given by Department personnel can be found later in this report.

Captain's Report

During 2000 the State University Police at Oswego continued to focus on community policing initiatives and outreach by direct involvement in many community projects, committees, task forces and educational initiatives dealing with the topics of underage drinking, illicit drugs, personal safety, positive alternatives for youth, services for students with disabilities and many other programs, projects and community groups.

In 1995, Chief Ryan assigned an Officer-In-Charge to the Parking Office and created Parking and Law Enforcement Divisions of University Police. In addition to insuring the smooth day-to-day operations of the parking office and supervising the personnel assigned to the Parking Division, the Officer-In-Charge was assigned to represent University Police on numerous committees and to coordinate community programs.

The committees are described below, including the projects that were completed in the year 2000 that University Police had involvement in.

Personal Safety Task Force

The Personal Safety Task Force is a standing committee comprised of student representatives, OSU staff and faculty and Service Providers from the community (SAF).

The members of the Task Force are organized to serve and address the issue of personal safety for the college citizens and visitors, both on and off campus. There were 14 active committee members in 2000. (See P.S.T.F. annual report for further information, attached)

The Task Force was established in the fall of 1989 to address a wide range of issues regarding safety on campus and physical renovations/security augmentations and educational initiatives regarding safety.

Additionally, the Task Force has accepted the responsibility for OSU's legal compliance with the amendment of Education Law Section 6450 of the New York State Campus Security and Sexual Assault Prevention Act of 1990, which deals with the dissemination of safety information to new students and employees and the establishment of an advisory committee on the topic of campus security.

A further mission and responsibility of the Task Force is to consistently monitor OSU's compliance with the Federal Crime Awareness and Campus Security Act of 1990 (P.L.101-542) including the 1992 amendments and the Jeanne Clery Law enacted in October of 1998.

The Personal Safety Task Force at OSU is the collaborative working committee that is responsible for the development and implementation of a coordinated community response to student, staff, faculty and visitor safety.

Special projects in the year 2000 included a major revision of the document entitled "**Your Personal Safety, A Report to the Community**" which is an annual report compiled every year and disseminated to the campus community. This document underwent a significant revision in the year 2000 from a one page tri-fold flyer to a 24 page booklet. This booklet is the compliance

document for the *Jeanne Clery Act*. This booklet chronicles all of the safety procedures and services that the campus provides, the resources available on this campus, the crime statistics for key crimes and other important information that is required by the *Jeanne Clery Act of 1998*.

Other important projects in 2000 were the inception of Resident Assistant training dealing specifically with the topic of sexual assault. (This training will occur in an on-going manner for each new group of Resident Assistant's semi-annually.)

Specialized handouts and other resource materials were developed with the assistance of Residence Life staff for their student staff to deal with the topic of sexual assault. Thanks to Mr. Chuck Weeks, Director of Residence Life and Housing for providing the staff to assist in this project.

In addition, a training curriculum was developed to present to the college faculty and staff entitled "Referring Survivors of Violence". This two hour long program was offered twice in 2000 and will be replicated in future semesters.

In addition, the pamphlet entitled "Support Services for Sexual Assault Survivors" was updated, expanded and prepared for publication in 2000. This pamphlet is reprinted via the Division of Student Services.

Revisions to the format for the Campus Directory occurred in 2000, in part due to input from the PSTF members. The printing of emergency numbers on the back cover of the directory as well as the changes in publishing protocols occurred in 2000.

Personal Safety Matters brochures were revamped and left as "table tents" in each residence hall room this year.

Other projects that were begun in the year 2000 that are still underway are a "Hate Crimes" brochure and a "Sexual Harassment" flyer.

The Services to Students with Disabilities Committee

This committee is charged with the continued review of the policies and procedures for accommodating the special needs of individuals with disabilities for the purpose of providing equal access to all programs and services of the University as required by the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

In 2000 this committee was charged with re-assigning additional van accessible handicapped parking on the OSU campus to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. In addition, this group was charged in 2000 with revising the Services to Students with Disabilities handbook which is disseminated to all faculty and available to students.

Another project this year was the creation of an access map to denote access routes to all campus buildings and grounds for students with disabilities. In addition, a power point tutorial presentation was developed to present in an on going manner to faculty and staff that educates about the Americans with Disabilities Act, the services available to students with disabilities, how different disabilities impact on academic achievement and various other information. The creation of a "Disabilities Awareness Day" for Oswego State is another project that is currently underway.

Emergency Response Team Committee

This committee formed in 1999 to create a model response for the campus in dealing with emergencies and disasters. This committee developed policies and procedures for dealing with

critical incidents for the campus using the existing **Emergency Response Plan** developed by Chief Ryan as a backbone for this response team's action plan.

In addition, a model to recruit, train and implement a system utilizing volunteer emergency response was developed and will be implemented in 2001.

Sexual Harassment Committee

This committee re-formed in 1999 to update and refine the college's policy on Sexual Harassment, to update the *Sexual Harassment, Important Information for Employees and Students* pamphlets and to insure the institutions compliance with the guidelines set forth in Section 703 of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 established by the Employment Opportunity Commission in 1980 and the Title IX of the 1972 Education Amendments. This group will also create and administer educational outreach to the college community regarding the issue of sexual harassment, resources and referral information.

This group will continue to work on these projects through 2001.

The Rape Aggression Defense Program

The **Rape Aggression Defense System** or **RAD**, is a dynamic, pro-active program consisting of prevention information and realistic self-defense tactics and techniques. The **RAD System** is a comprehensive, nationally recognized course of self-defense for women that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction and avoidance, while progressing onto the basics of hands-on defense training.

The **RAD System** culminates in realistic, empowering simulations in which the participants use what they have learned in a safe, controlled environment. Women come away from the course more aware and better able to defend themselves against assault.

Officers Adam, May and Bosco comprised our **RAD Systems** training team of certified instructors at OSU for 2000. The **RAD System** was offered four times over the 1999-2000 academic year to a diverse group of students, staff, faculty and community women.

In 1999-2000 Coach Kathy Hangac of the Oswego State coaching team took the **RAD Systems** basic course and is in the process with Capt. Adam of submitting this course for review to the faculty assembly to be a credit course for OSU. This process will be completed in 2001.

The Domestic Violence Coalition of Oswego County (and the Justice System Sub-Committee)

The **DVCOC** coalition consists of Oswego County law enforcement agencies to include the Department of Social Services, Services to Aid Families (both Directors and staff), Oswego County Probation, Oswego County District Attorney's Office, 911 Center, Family Court, County Magistrates and others. All agencies involved work together to improve services for victims of domestic violence to document the incidence of domestic violence in our county, provide improved communications between agencies, provide training to all agencies in the coalition, develop a cross-disciplinary curriculum on the topic of the recently enacted domestic violence and sexual assault laws and to establish a standard of care for victims in this county.

The Justice System subcommittee of DVCOC includes law enforcement officers from all county agencies, the 911 Center, the D.A.'s office, Family Court, the Magistrates and others in the criminal justice system. This group works to provide training for officers in Oswego County on the laws regarding domestic violence, sexual assault and battering.

In 2000, the **DVCOC** coalition wrote and received a grant that University Police will share in during 2001.

Conferences, training and seminars on family violence, dating violence and sexual assaults were hosted by this committee in the fall of 2000 in conjunction with the Oswego County Child Abuse Task Force.

A Stalking brochure to be disseminated throughout the county that was developed in the fall of 1999 by this committee was mailed to over 6,000 campus community members in a mass mailing on October 1st

Alcohol and Other Drug Task Force

Mission Statement - To educate and empower the campus and community constituencies on the incidence of violence in conjunction with alcohol and/or other drug use

The AOD task force is responsible for many of the positive changes regarding alcohol education specifically with regard to binge drinking at OSU in the year 2000.

Projects for 2000 included rewriting and updating the alcohol policy for OSU and sections of the student conduct code that pertain to alcohol and other drug use in the residence halls, on campus grounds and off campus, this included the "Parental Notification policy" that AOD established and presented to President's Council in the spring of 2000.

This policy outlines the process whereby parents will be notified of their son or daughter's breach of the student conduct codes regarding alcohol or drug violations.

ICASA/ Campus Response to Sexual Assault

The **Intercollegiate Coalition Against Sexual Assault** or **ICASA** is a two-year project which began in March 1998 by the University R.A.P.E. Center at Syracuse University. Awarded by the Department of Health, this project's ultimate goal is to establish a uniform response to sexual assault on the campuses of the participating colleges and implement curricula for preventive education.

The committees members are comprised of law enforcement representatives, rape crisis counselors, campus judicial officers, district attorneys', emergency room staff and others. *Best practices* are studied within the regions to establish parameters for a standard of care for victims of sexual assault. Educational training, collaborative sharing of resources, and studying legislative mandates in regards to recent laws are all incentives to joining this project for University Police.

Goals for **ICASA** for the year 2001 are to expand this model to a national and international level. Program Coordinator, Rape Crisis Director, Dolores Card presented the **ICASA** model in Florida and in Europe. Progress has been made in 2000 to adopt this model at the federal level for all states.

This work will continue in 2001. A listserv was established by ICASA in 2000 that notifies list

members of all new case law, legislation, educational information and other points of interest.

Employee Assistance Program and Employee Recognition Committee

CSEA, UUP, Council 82, PEF and NYSCOPA are represented by OSU EAP.

Each committee member provides programs or articles to the EAP newsletter.

EAP provides many educational trainings, workshops, panel presentations and guest speakers in an ongoing manner.

EAP provided counseling referral support and assistance to OSU employees on a wide variety of human services issues. The Employee Recognition Committee is an annual event to recognize the employees of OSU. In 2000 a special tribute luncheon for Mr. Bernie Henderson retired Vice President for Finance highlighted Mr. Henderson's many years of dedicated state service.

OSU Parking Committee

The Oswego State University Parking Committee is a standing group of faculty, staff and student representatives who continually evaluate the OSU parking rules, regulations, procedures and policies. This group is the body responsible for the modification of any parking rules which are amended locally.

In the fall of 1999 through spring 2000, this committee, chaired by Chief Ryan, became very active, identifying issues and solutions to parking problems on campus. Throughout the fall of 1999 recommendations from various constituencies were brought to this committee to evaluate. Continued work in 2000 focused on substantial policy changes, proposed new construction projects and educational initiatives for the community. These recommendations were presented to President's Council in the spring of 2000. Some of the recommendations were approved by the council for enactment, others will be tabled or modified as needed for future consideration.

Police Liaison Project

The Police Liaison Project, formerly called the Adopt-a-Cop Program, is a community police program that pairs each OSU Residence Hall with an individual Oswego State University Police Officer. Officers are assigned to a residence hall. Residence Hall staff then requests "their" officer for Public Service programs of an educational nature. Officers are welcome to attend Hall Council meetings, staff meetings, programs etc.

Training was conducted by UPD personnel to the R.A.'s, the Peer Educator's (on an ongoing basis) and SOL's (Student Orientation Leader's) once a year, and First Year Student Advisors for the first time in 2000.

In addition, new programming for the Residence Hall Director's to orient new Residence Hall Director's to this community was initiated in 2000 and will continue in an on-going manner.

Officers Scott and Angotti continued to present Alcohol Awareness and Illegal Drugs programs in 2000.

Officer Scott worked with an OSU student, Amy Vanderlyke promoting a program known as "Drinking and Driving equals death. Hundreds of students attended this interactive program in the year 2000, making this one of the most popular educational programs on this campus. Capt. Adam worked with Amy Vanderlyke to procure funding and grants for this program and to provide press releases for this program.

The University Police Public Service Presentations for 2000

Programs provided included the following:

- 1) Alcohol and DWI
- 2) Personal Safety
- 3) Zero tolerance laws and open containers in Oswego County
- 4) Theft, Operation I.D. and Crime Prevention
- 5) Bicycle Safety and Bike Rodeos
- 6) RAD (Rape Aggression Defense System)
- 7) Parking 101 (Issues and Info)
- 8) Sexual Assault Prevention
- 9) Illegal drugs (consequences and effects)
- 10) Domestic Violence
- 11) Law Enforcement Careers
- 12) Road Rage (An American Epidemic)
- 13) Violence in the Workplace

Take Charge Coalition

The Take Charge Coalition is an Oswego County committee whose purpose is to coordinate, deliver and assist in promoting education and awareness of situations and consequences related to alcohol and other drug abuse. This group develops and implements strategies to involve parents in parent education programs and promotes zero tolerance of illegal underage drinking by providing healthy alternatives.

In the year 2000 a Parent Lecture Series in the community was conducted at the Hibernians which hosted various guest speakers and films on the topic of underage drinking in addition to numerous other events and activities.

Campus Activities Committee

This committee meets every Tuesday of the academic year and discusses upcoming events for the next two weeks. Details of large scale events, i.e., parking, security etc. is planned. Members from Campus Life, Auxiliary Services, UPD, SAPB, Maintenance, Residence Life and Housing etc. serve as representatives. Captain Adam served on this committee in the spring semester of 2000 and Lt. Kevin Velzy served in the fall of 2000. Lt. Velzy has initiated an activities roster that he regularly disseminates to all department Chiefs and Supervisors to improve communication and information regarding upcoming events.

SAPB Student Association Programming Board

The SAPB committee requested Captain Adam to serve in the role of Advisor for the 2000-2001 academic year. This group has an annual budget of \$200,000 and provides many of the large scale academic lectures and arts and entertainment events for the college including large scale music concerts.

Numerous events occurred in 2000 including the Moby/Bush concert, the MTV Campus Invasion, guest speakers Angela Oh, James McWhorter, Cinevisons, Dance Companies and many other

special events sponsored by SAPB occurred in the year 2000.

Fall Opening Committee

This committee begins to meet every spring to plan the fall orientation, opening weekend events including Torchlight, the Faculty Picnic, Orientation Express, The Art Project etc. In 2000 the Fall Opening Committee, chaired by Holli Stone from Campus Life revamped the opening weekend schedule of events. Upon the request of the co-chair representing the PSTF in compliance with the Clery Law, Lifestyles peer educators provided on going fall opening peer theater productions on a variety of personal safety topics. Many thanks to Lifestyles, Michael McNeil for his coordination of this activity and to the peer educators for their efforts.

Training and Guest Speaking Presentations

In addition to the Public Service presentations and student orientation programs, University Police also provides continual training and guest speaking engagements on a number of topics. Some of the locations where these presentations are done in an ongoing manner are as follows, 56 programs were presented in 2000 to various groups. The requests for these programs has again significantly increased over this past year, in addition, the requests for students to interview members of our department, do ride-a-longs, provide guest speakers etc. has increased over the past year.

Speakers Bureau of Oswego County

Chief Ryan, Assistant Chief Jerrett, Captain Adam, Lt. Taylor, Lt. Coates all served on the Speakers Bureau in 2000.

Programs about personal safety and aggressive driving, etc. were conducted in the Phoenix, Mexico and Fulton High Schools in an on-going manner.

College for Kids Presentations

Officers from University Police do presentations on Bike Safety, What it's like to be a Police Officer, tours of the University Police Department etc.

Summer and Fall Orientations for new and transfer students

Chief Ryan, Assistant Chief Jerrett, Capt. Adam, Lt. Taylor and others from UPD provide numerous presentations to all new and transfer students and their parents during summer and fall orientation programs. These programs provide safety information, resources in the area, tips and risk reduction strategies.

Non-traditional Student Union and Continuing Education

The non-traditional student union hosts Officers from University Police to have a brown bag lunch series on safety, parking and other student issues.

In addition, Chief Ryan presents to all cont. ed. new students at orientations for non-trad. students.

Lifestyles Center of OSU

The Lifestyles Center requests Officers to assist in programming, panel presentations, booths, and other events.

UPD posts Lifestyles flyers on alcohol, binge drinking and violence education at the Parking

Information Center in an ongoing manner to increase awareness.

Onondaga County Police Academy

Officers from UPD provide training on such topics as: Penal Law, Vehicle and Traffic Law, Radar, Breathalyzer, Domestic Violence etc. In 2000 additional components were requested by the staff at the Police Academy for our staff to instruct.

Code of Conduct/Coach Hangac

The OSU Coach Kathy Hangac hosts a forum in her classes with representatives from University Police, Oswego City Police and Judicial Affairs. This panel connects with the first year athletes to educate and inform about legal consequences, the judicial system, local ordinances etc.

Faculty Requests for Guest Speakers from UPD

Officers from University Police are requested to be presenters on a variety of law enforcement related issues and topics in the classroom in every academic year.

Career Nights and Open Houses for OSU, Wellness Fairs, etc.

Officers from University Police represent our agency and provide recruitment information to students and visitors in our community in an on-going manner.

In 2001, due to a federal COPS MORE grant we will continue to sponsor a Community Policing liaison from University Police.

Attached please find a copy of some of the presentations conducted by UPD personnel in 2000.

Criminal Investigation Report

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Death						
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Crimes						
Rape	3	0	2	3	2	1
Sodomy	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Abuse	1	3	2	2	0	0
Public Lewdness	2	1	1	1	3	1
Sexual Misconduct	1	0	1	0	1	1
Other-Obscenity, Pornography					1	0
Robbery						
Robbery	0	0	0	1	0	0
Burglary						
Burglary	21	19	26	17	27	13
Poss. Burglar's Tools	0	1	0	0	0	0
Assault						
Assault	5	6	8	4	6	2
Endangering Conduct						
Arson	0	2	3	2	1	1
Reckless Endangerment	2	3	5	2	2	2
Threatening Conduct						
False Fire Alarm	44	39	40	33	5	9
False Bomb Threat	1	0	1	1	0	0
Menacing	0	3	0	1	0	2
Harassment	149	180	174	179	160	136
Coercion	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	1
Larceny						

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Grand Larceny	38	11	16	19	9	7
Grand - Auto	0	0	1	2	0	1
Petit Larceny	147	197	156	136	117	84
Bicycle	12	0	13	3	5	1
Possession of Stolen Property	8	14	13	5	5	6
Theft of Services	20	8	14	13	7	5
Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicles	0	0	4	0	1	0
Other	0	0	4	0	3	0
Fraud						
Slugs	0	1	0	0	0	0
Bad Checks	15	6	2	4	4	0
Impersonation	0	3	5	5	4	4
Forgery	19	3	7	3	17	14
Other	1	2	2	2	5	7
Destruction of Property						
Criminal Mischief	231	189	225	175	141	135
Tampering	13	11	20	24	7	15
Contraband						
Firearms	0	1	0	1	3	1
Drugs	37	36	48	41	40	24
Knives, other cutting instruments	0	0	0	2	1	1
Other dangerous weapon	5	8	5	3	1	1
Unbecoming Conduct						
Obstruction	0	3	1	0	1	0
Trespass	17	16	19	26	11	20
Disorderly Conduct	32	39	34	32	35	23

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Resisting Arrest	0	1	1	0	0	1
Escape	0	0	0	0	0	0
False Reporting of a Crime	3	3	1	3	7	0
Loitering	1	0	2	0	2	0
Other	25	25	13	13	15	3
Miscellaneous						
Miscellaneous	2	0	3	1	4	3
Other Laws						
V&T - DWI	19	20	13	12	41	34
Leaving Scene of Accident	23	28	13	19	22	22
Other V&T	10	7	7	10	2	6
Mental Hygiene	2	1	0	1	0	0
Public Health						1
Environmental	0	0	0	0	0	0
ABC	9	25	17	20	26	15
Other	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total	923	919	928	821	742	606

Breakdown of Criminal Arrests

Persons Arrested

Students	109
Faculty/Staff	0
Other	41
Total arrests	150

Charges*

Alcohol/Drug Offenses

Unlawful Possession of Marihuana	29
Criminal Possession of Marihuana	1
ABC Violations	15
Operating a Motor Vehicle w/over .10 of 1% Alcohol	33
Driving While Intoxicated	33
Driving While Impaired by Drugs	1
Driving While Impaired by Alcohol	2
Endangering the Welfare of a Child	1
Unlawfully Dealing With a Child	3

Crimes Against Persons

Assault	1
Harassment	6

Property Crimes

Trespass	4
Criminal Trespass	7
Burglary	1
Criminal Mischief	7
Making Graffiti	1
Petit Larceny	7
Grand Larceny	2
Theft of Service	3
Criminal Use of an Access Device	4
Criminal Possession of Stolen Property	9
Possession of a Forged Instrument	15
Forgery	2
Possession of a Forgery Device	1

Offenses to Public Order

Disorderly Conduct	5
Public Lewdness	1

Weapons Offenses

Criminal Possession of a Weapon	3
Menacing	2

Other Offenses

Criminal Contempt	1
Resisting Arrest	1
False Written Statement	1
Leaving the Scene - Personal Injury Accident	1

Total Charges **203**

* Total charges is higher than the number of persons arrested as some persons were charged with more than one offense.

University Police Services

Administrative Hearings	26
Admit	1012
Alarm - Blue Light	25
Alarm - Trouble	95
Animal Complaint	44
Assist	225
Assist - Other Police Agencies	36
Assist - Welfare Check	37
Background Check	75
Break-in Alarm	195
Building Check	13202
Building Security	3275
Complaint	166
Confiscation	21
Court Testimony	11
Crowd/Traffic Control	87
Damage	30
Delivery	143
Dispute	13
Elevator Problem	120
Elevator Problem - False	69
Escort	15
Escort Alarm	84
Fingerprint Service	12
Fire	7
Fire Alarm - Equipment Malfunction	104
Fire Alarm - Human Error	22
Fire alarm - Pull Box	8
Fireworks	3
Follow-up Investigation	29
Found Property	294
Hidden Fields	61
Hold-up Alarm	4
Illegal Garbage Dumping	2
Information	196
Injury	219
Intoxicated Individual	39

Lost Property	73
Maintenance	33
Maintenance Problem	131
Medical Assist - Illness	43
Miscellaneous	70
Missing Person	12
Money Escort	271
Motor Vehicle Accident	89
Motorist Assist	963
Notary	14
Notification	64
Order of Protection	0
Orientation	4
Overdose	3
Parking - Complaint	310
Parking - Tow	194
Phone Inquiry	0
Pick-up	89
PNG Letter	14
Police Liaison Program	29
Power Failure	0
Presentation	56
Recovery	2
Removal	3
Rice Creek Check	591
Soliciting	26
Special Detail	44
Subpoena	5
Suicide (Attempt)	4
Suspicious Incident	90
Training	1
Transport	37
Unsafe Condition	30
V&T Warning	600
Vehicle Dispatch	110
Warrant	12
Weapon Check In/Check Out	9
TOTAL	24,032

Uniform Traffic Ticket Report

A total of 472 New York State Uniform Traffic Tickets (TSLEDS) were issued by the Oswego State University Police Department in 2000. This represents a decrease of 67 tickets from 1999. Approximately twenty-five (25%) percent or 119 of these tickets were for speeding on campus roadways. Motor vehicle operators charged with speeding averaged 40 miles per hour or 20 miles per hour above the posted speed limit (20 miles per hour). This represents an increase in violator speed of 1 mile per hour since 1995. Active patrols seeking to reduce the risk of motor vehicle accidents, have helped to maintain a relatively low violator speed. As is the case in past years, average violator speed is affected by summer traffic using the campus roadways as alternate routes to venues adjacent to the campus. Violator speeds during the summer months tend to be somewhat greater than during the school year.

Thirty-two persons were arrested for Driving While Intoxicated (DWI) in 2000, a decrease of 3 from 2000. The average blood alcohol content of violators was .16%, and increase from 1999 of .02%. The legal limit for driving while ability impaired (DWAI) is above .05% to .09%. The legal limit for driving while intoxicated (DWI) is .10% and above. Apprehension of DWI offenders is the direct result of University Police commitment to keeping campus roads safe. Vigilant enforcement of New York State's Vehicle and Traffic laws by University Police Officers has resulted in DWI apprehension in both day and night patrols. Several arrests for DWI in the past year have occurred during daylight, class time hours. University Police is committed to educating the community about the dangers of drinking and driving.

Over \$44,000 in fines were collected as a result of the conviction of violators of New York State's Vehicle and Traffic laws on campus roads. Approximately \$18,000 of those fines were the result of arrest and subsequent conviction of DWI offenders. Those fines are returned to Oswego County's STOP DWI program, which are in turn used for detection and apprehension programs in an effort to eliminate DWI. Education and public awareness programs are also an integral part of STOP DWI. University police participation in STOP DWI is crucial to our efforts to make campus roads safe.

Fifty-five percent or 259 of the tickets issued on campus in 2000 were issued between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. These are hours during which lighting, visibility, road conditions, and alcohol pose the greatest threat to the safety of our campus roads and community. These statistics reflect the constant effort of university police to maintain safety on campus roads and highways.

	1997	1998	1999	2000
TSLEDS issued	417	362	539	472
Convictions	335	286	326	408

Vehicle Registration Information

Parking in the year 2000 continues to be an issue of great concern on our campus. The number of vehicles registered has remained relatively static, but the number of tickets issued for violations has increased to 15,790. In Fall of 2001, the fine for violations will increase to \$20.00 for each violation from it's present \$15.00. We hope that this will begin to decrease the number of violations as people park legally. The parking committee continues to fine-tune the parking program on campus and as we grow and change our way of doing business on campus, the parking program must adapt. We feel that as a community, we are prepared to address these changes as they occur.

	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00
Vehicle Registrations				
Employee Vehicles	2422	2445	2332	2298
Resident Students	1220	1325	1466	1522
Commuter Students	3521	3215	3224	3158
Service Permits	44	40	45	53
Temporary Permits	12246	11488	11262	9276
Campus Parking Tickets Issued				
Total number of tickets	13531	12235	14551	15790
Appeals				
Total of tickets appealed	1268	1124	1577	1558
Found Guilty	661	437	620	511
Not Guilty	13	4	215	336
Guilty/Fine Waived	407	533	521	544
Did not appear	185	150	212	163

Training Schools Attended

Date	Officer/Member	Hours
Advanced Firearms Instructor Skills		
10/12/00	Velzy, Kevin P	16
Automatic Weapons Familiarization		
9/28/00	Angotti, Scott D	8
9/28/00	Mulvey, Allen R	8
9/28/00	Payne, Michael C	8
9/28/00	Rossi, John C	8
9/28/00	Taylor, Michael J	8
9/28/00	Velzy, Kevin P	8
Basic Training Academy		
7/24/00	Lester, Jonathan D	800
Breathalyzer Operator Retrain		
11/15/00	Scott, David M	4
11/15/00	Velzy, Kevin P	4
Crime Scene Awareness		
10/26/00	Angotti, Scott D	3
10/26/00	VanAntwerp, David A	3
10/26/00	Woodruff, Thomas E	3
DA Seminar - Stalking/Domestic Violence		
3/23/00	Jerrett, Larry D	7
3/23/00	Mulvey, Allen R	7
Defensive Tactics Instructor School		
3/3/00	Velzy, Kevin P	80
Emerging Drug Epidemics Workshop		
4/25/00	Adam, Cynthia R	2
Field Training Officer School		
8/18/00	Sherwood, Richard R	40
Instructor Development Course		
2/25/00	Angotti, Scott D	80
Law Enforcement Response/WMD Incidents		
4/7/00	Taylor, Michael J	16
NBC Domestic Preparedness		
9/27/00	Taylor, Michael J	16

NYSPIN Basic School			
	10/18/00	Wheeler, Joseph E	24
Radiation Safety Training			
	6/9/00	Adam, Cynthia R	2
	6/9/00	Angotti, Scott D	2
	6/9/00	Barbeau, Matthew C	2
	6/9/00	Bosco, Geri L	2
	6/9/00	Byrne, Kelly	2
	6/9/00	Fitzpatrick, Daniel R	2
	6/9/00	Jackson, John F	2
	6/9/00	Jerrett, Larry D	2
	6/9/00	May, Daniel L	2
	6/9/00	Mulvey, Allen R	2
	6/9/00	Payne, Michael C	2
	6/9/00	Riotto, James L II	2
	6/9/00	Rossi, John C	2
	6/9/00	Ryan, Thomas M	2
	6/9/00	Scott, David M	2
	6/9/00	Sherwood, Richard R	2
	6/9/00	Taylor, Michael J	2
	6/9/00	VanAntwerp, David A	2
	6/9/00	Velzy, Kevin P	2
Rapid Deployment/Active Shooter			
	8/4/00	Taylor, Michael J	32
Response to WMD Incidents			
	4/7/00	Taylor, Michael J	16
Right to Know/Infectious Disease			
	11/8/00	Lester, Jonathan D	2
	11/8/00	Wheeler, Joseph E	2
	11/20/00	Adam, Cynthia R	2
	11/20/00	Barbeau, Matthew C	2
	11/20/00	Bosco, Geri L	2
	11/20/00	Byrne, Kelly	2
	11/20/00	Coates, Kirk	2
	11/20/00	Coleman, Vicky L	2
	11/20/00	Enwright, Jamie M	2
	11/20/00	Fitzpatrick, Daniel R	2
	11/20/00	Jackson, John F	2
	11/20/00	Jerrett, Larry D	2
	11/20/00	May, Daniel L	2
	11/20/00	Mulvey, Allen R	2
	11/20/00	Nettles, George C	2
	11/20/00	Payne, Michael C	2
	11/20/00	Rossi, John C	2
	11/20/00	Scott, David M	2

11/20/00	Sherwood, Richard R	2
11/20/00	Taylor, Michael J	2
11/20/00	VanAntwerp, David A	2
11/20/00	Velzy, Kevin P	2
11/20/00	Whitehouse, Jeanie M	2
11/20/00	Woodruff, Thomas E	2

Security Guard Pre-assignment Course

10/15/00	Wheeler, Joseph E	8
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Semi-annual Weapons Retraining

5/19/00 and 11/3/00	All Officers	336
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Standardized Field Sobriety Testing

11/15/00	Barbeau, Matthew C	24
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Use of Force Scenario Training - Simunition

1/6/00	Jackson, John F	16
1/6/00	Rossi, John C	16
1/6/00	Taylor, Michael J	16
1/6/00	VanAntwerp, David A	16
1/6/00	Woodruff, Thomas E	16
1/13/00	Adam, Cynthia R	16
1/13/00	Angotti, Scott D	16
1/13/00	Barbeau, Matthew C	16
1/13/00	Riotto, James L II	16
1/13/00	Scott, David M	16

Total

1815 hrs

Training Schools Taught

Date	Instructor	Hours
Breathalyzer Operator Retrain		
11/15/00	Jerrett, Larry D	4.00
Domestic Violence		
10/3/00	Adam, Cynthia R	14.00
Field Training Officer School		
8/18/00	Payne, Michael C	40.00
Firearms Training - Basic		
6/23/00	May, Daniel L	24.00
6/23/00	Taylor, Michael J	24.00
6/23/00	Velzy, Kevin P	40.00
6/30/00	May, Daniel L	8.00
6/30/00	Velzy, Kevin P	16.00
6/30/00	Taylor, Michael J	40.00
4/21/00	Jerrett, Larry D	48.00
4/21/00	Velzy, Kevin P	48.00
6/24/00	Jerrett, Larry D	48.00
6/30/00	Jerrett, Larry D	48.00
Instructor Development Course		
2/25/00	Payne, Michael C	40.00
2/25/00	Jerrett, Larry D	60.00
NYSPIN Basic School		
10/18/00	May, Daniel L	24.00
Police Bicycle Patrol Tactics		
6/9/00	Coates, Kirk	40.00
6/9/00	Woodruff, Thomas E	40.00
5/26/00	Velzy, Kevin P	8.00
5/26/00	Angotti, Scott D	32.00
5/26/00	Coates, Kirk	40.00
5/26/00	Woodruff, Thomas E	40.00
Radar Operator Course		
3/3/00	Taylor, Michael J	16.00
12/22/00	Taylor, Michael J	32.00

Semi-Annual Weapons Retraining

5/19/00 and 11/3/00 64.00

Taylor, Michael J
Velzy, Kevin P
Scott, David M
Jerrett, Larry D
May, Daniel L
Payne, Michael C

Vehicle and Traffic Law

7/26/00 Coates, Kirk 24.00

Total 1662 hrs

Bicycle Patrol Report

Total miles traveled 1050.2
Total hours on patrol 752
Shifts covered by bike patrol 94
Arrests 7

Numerous helmet warnings and educational information issued.

Personnel

No changes were made in personnel.

Training

Basic Police Cyclist School at SUNY Oswego - 40 hours - May 2000

Lt. Coates - lead instructor

Officer Woodruff - instructor

Officer Angotti - instructor

Officer VanAntwerp - assistant instructor

Basic Police Cyclist School at Ithaca College - 40 hours - June 2000

Lt. Coates and Officer Woodruff instructors

Lt. Coates and Officer Woodruff attended the annual IPMBA conference held at Tucson, Arizona, March 2000

Equipment

All officers were issued new helmets as well as worn uniform parts being replaced. Routine maintenance and repair were made to all five bikes.

Other

Officers of this department assisted Oswego Police Department at the annual Harborfest celebration in Oswego, July 2000.