

Friday, October 6, 2017



Capt. JP Taylor, Det. Zach Wolf and Chief Deborah Faulkner



Capt. Jonathan Jenkins and FF-P Dustin Anderson

Firefighter-Paramedic Dustin Anderson and Police Detective Zach Wolfe were recently honored by the **Sons of the American Revolution** at the Hiram Masonic Lodge in downtown Franklin. They both received public safety Commendation Awards from the **Lt. Andrew Crockett, Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution** for providing exceptional service. Zach joined the FPD in 2007 and Dustin joined the FFD in 2011. Congratulations to you both!

The Franklin Police Department has held 10 **Active Shooter training seminars** for residents of Franklin and recently scheduled an 11th class due to overwhelming response. The class is designed to help keep citizens safe during active shooter situations in public places. Franklin Police Officers will share with citizens, employers, and community leaders, ways to improve their response to an unforeseen, mass violence encounter. During our one and a half hour seminar, officers will discuss three main, national best

practices:

Run, Hide/Barricade, Fight. Registration is required, go here to register

<http://www.franklintn.gov/government/police/active-shooter-citizen-response>

October 4-8 is **Fire Prevention Week!** The **Franklin Fire Department** is out educating our younger citizens all next week and have signage out in front of our Fire Stations throughout the community. The signs remind families to have an evacuation plan and have two ways out. For more information go to www.firepreventionweek.org

Celebration of Nations sponsored by **Sister Cities of Franklin and Williamson County** is happening **October 14** in downtown Franklin. The event begins at **10am and will run through 7pm**. The mission of the Celebration of Nations is to create global and cultural passion, beginning with a personal knowledge and understanding of the interconnections of people universally. They believe one way to accomplish this goal is through genuine artistic and sensory representations of various nations. This unique affair will consist of booths featuring different products and techniques used around the world. Booths will be displaying representation of one or more cultures. Food and beverages from a variety of nations will also be available. A variety of international beers and wines from different countries will be available for sale individually starting at 12:00. The rest of the festival's activities are free and open to the public.

Thank you to all departments that hosted our **German exchange student from our Sister City Bad Soden, Lennart Neubauer**. Today, Lennart is spending the day doing homecoming activities with his host family and a student who attends Franklin High School. **Special thanks** to **Vicki Parr** who arranged Lennart's schedule and made sure he was welcomed and got where he needed to go.

REMINDER: Mark your calendars! **Flu shot clinics** will be **October 18th** and **November 13th**. This year will be a **four-strain shot**, which is better and more effective than the three strain. The shots will be available in the City Hall Training room and are free to retirees and their spouses, employees and covered spouses. Below are the specific dates and times. Vanderbilt Health dropped by and took a photo of Mayor Moore promoting flu shots yesterday.

**10/18
6:30am-
9am
and**



**4:30pm-
6pm
11/13
4:30pm-
6pm**



Tonight is the Art Crawl in downtown Franklin. Have a great weekend. Thanks for *all* you do!

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