

## Washington DC Police Foundation News

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Foundation**

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*5th Annual  
Law Enforcement  
Awards Luncheon*

*Thursday, June 24, 2010*

**Major Sponsor Reception:**  
11:00 am  
**Reception:** 11:30 am  
**Lunch:** 12:00 noon  
**Location:** Renaissance  
Washington, DC Hotel

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### Welcome New and Returning Awards Luncheon Sponsors!

Planning and outreach are in high gear for the DC Police Foundation's 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Law Enforcement Awards Luncheon. On **June 24<sup>th</sup>**, members and guests will honor 4 outstanding members of the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and hear remarks by Chief of Police Cathy Lanier. We are pleased to announce the following sponsors, as of May 3<sup>rd</sup>:

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### Merrill Lynch Hosts Girls Time Out

Who would have thought it would be the perfect match: teenaged girls from MPD's Girls Time Out program and executive staff from Merrill Lynch? But it absolutely was! On March 29<sup>th</sup>, 16 girls visited the Merrill Lynch offices to see what it looks like to work in a professional office setting, while learning some skills for achieving that goal. **Elizabeth Shepard of Merrill Lynch** spearheaded this unique opportunity, including collecting donations from co-workers so the girls could buy professional clothing at Target to prepare for their visit. Chief Lanier even made time in her day to address the girls. Officers concluded that "this experience summed up the importance of education, hard work, dedication and making a notable first impression." It was a real success, and we thank Liz and her team for their inspiring work with the girls.



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## Thanks to Clark Charitable Foundation

Some great news is that Girls Time Out will continue with its school-year programming, thanks to a generous grant from the Clark Charitable Foundation. The funding enables the girls to learn from expert consultants, to go on field trips, and more. While the grant from the Clark Charitable Foundation will go a long way to providing excellent programming for the girls, the DC Police Foundation welcomes all comers in support of the unmet needs of this deserving program, especially for its summer session.

## Membership Breakfast

On April 6, Foundation members and leadership welcomed 15 guests for a breakfast visit with Chief of Police Cathy Lanier. Guests had expressed interest in the work of the Foundation, and enjoyed a briefing on the Chief's priorities and on the many ways the Foundation is supporting her work. We're pleased to welcome participant **Holly Cannon** as a new member of the Foundation and its Women's Council!



## Members Visit the MPD Narcotics & Special Investigations Division

It is clearly a highlight of Board membership that Board meetings are held at various MPD locations throughout the District. For the Annual Meeting, members got to visit the Narcotics and Special Investigations Division, where they heard from Chief Lanier about the overlap of PCP and crimes of violence in hot spots in the city. Inspector Brian Bray and his team then demonstrated the equipment that the DC Police Foundation donated to the Department to stop the trend, thanks to the outreach efforts of **Terry Golden**. Members got to hold the 90-pound ballistic shields and try out the analyzer that can identify narcotics by their fumes. It was a sobering education, and it was encouraging to see the role the Foundation has played in support of police efforts to rid the city of this dangerous drug.

## Recruitment Site

After working last year with the MPD Recruitment team to conduct process mapping and to discuss needed efficiencies in the recruitment and hiring process, it was gratifying to **Lynne Carter of The McCormick Group** and to Foundation staff to get a demonstration of the Department's new, electronic recruitment program. The system integrates the information provided on-line by applicants, throughout the entire process, clear through to the final hiring. If you're curious, you'll find the login at: <https://oap.mpdonline.com/public/login.aspx>. Congratulations to the Department for updating and streamlining this important procedure, which Chief Lanier identified to the Foundation as an organizational priority over 2 years ago.

***The Women's Council Most Wanted (Wish) List***

*Shredders*

*Microwaves*

*Trophy Shelving*

*Office Supplies*

Do you have any of these items which you could **donate** to the DC Police Foundation, to be given to the Metropolitan Police Department?

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