

MONTHLY UPDATE TO THE BOARD



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Labour Relations

- Continue to meet bi-weekly with my Strategic & Operational Support Leadership Team
- Attended the 40th Annual DRP Children's Games held at Durham College
- Participated in the Remembrance Day Ceremony at the Royal Canadian Legion, Brooklin
- Participated in a Job Evaluation Appeal Meeting
- Conducted numerous promotional debriefs throughout the weeks with regard to Sergeant Promotions
- Attended the DRPS 2024-3 Recruit Graduation Ceremony, Deer Creek
- Attended Central West Division to discuss the Constable Development Training Program
- Participated in the 2024 Festive RIDE Launch at the ETC
- Attended an IT Steering Committee meeting to review governance and to discuss future technology-driven changes within DRPS
- Attending a Board Luncheon in honour of the upcoming retirement of Deputy Chief of Police Dean Bertrim
- Participated virtually in the VSDR Board meeting
- Welcomed our New Recruits at the ETC
- Attended the 2024 Citizens Academy Graduation at the ETC
- Participated in Budget Discussions re Regional COW meetings
- Met with key HR Personnel to wrap up the Sgt Promotional Process and to discuss the upcoming Inspector Promotional Process and job postings
- Met with S/Sgt Hoover to discuss/review the Auxiliary Unit and Durham Connect
- Attended a meeting to discuss Marine Unit winter operations and update with the KR Unit
- Met with fellow Command members, Dr. Chavannes and Strategic Analysts re: Predictive Staffing Model
- Attended the ETC for a specialized equipment demonstration
- Participated in final interviews for the new HR Director
- Participated in the farewell / 10-7 for Deputy Chief Dean Bertrim at RHQ
- Attended the Q4 Joint Equipment Committee meeting at the ETC

Diversity

- Attended the 32nd Annual ABLE Scholarship & Awards Gala, Orillia
- Participated in an Internal Support Network Meeting

Representing the Service

- Attended the VSDR Resilient Voices Gala, Deer Creek
- Participated in the 2024 Food & Toy Drive Kick-Off, St. Paul Catholic School
- Proclamation and Flag Raising Ceremony for the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women
- Virtually welcomed the New Recruit Class of 25-1, along with their families, to the DRPS
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Annual Leave

- December 2nd – December 9th

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