

Kelly Park, Chief

# WEEK IN REVIEW

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## Chief's Message

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On Monday, Shoreline hosted the Eastside Chiefs Meeting. I want to thank Kris and Spiro's for taking such good care of us!

The Regional Crisis Response (RCR) Operations Board met Wednesday to conduct a SWAT analysis and to develop a strategic work plan moving forward. If things go as planned, RCR will be the first program in the entire county to offer the full spectrum of care for mental and behavioral health co-response. I remain optimistic

with the work ahead from education on and expansion of 988, fully utilizing our amazing Navigators in co-response and independent response models, and the opening of Connections Health Solutions in Kirkland (9 months from now).

Our community members continue to appreciate your hard work. Shoreline resident Steve Duno called and left a voice message thanking our SET Team for their amazing seizure and arrest last week. His exact words were, *"Thank you. We're proud of you. Please keep up the good work."*

### **THANK YOU MATT AND SHAWN!**

I have attached the final 2022 Shoreline Police Services Report (PSR) for your review. Your Shoreline Command Team will present this before Council this coming Monday night. My intention is to forecast what they can expect from improvements out of 2023 and to highlight your good work. The 2023 PSR will be completed by the end of Q1 2024 for better relevancy.

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[2022 Shoreline Police Services Report](#)

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## Celebrating 5-Years of Service



In June, MPO Ater celebrated his 5-years of service to the Sheriff's Office. Chief Park presented his service coin during a quick visit last week. MPO Ater is a remarkable leader and we thank him for the exceptional service he provides the city of Shoreline.

- Captain Tim Meyer

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## In the Media - KING-5 + Others

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This is a photo of Wednesday's KING-5 interview with Undersheriff Anderson and Chief Park discussing last week's exceptional SET seizure and the impacts of fentanyl in Shoreline and other communities throughout our region.

This is just one of the five TV and/or radio interviews they participated in at a downtown media event. Feedback from reporters, I understand from KCSO's communications team, was overwhelmingly positive.

- Captain Tim Meyer

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## Interagency Work Leads to Conviction



Lake Forest Park (LFP) Detective Craig Teschlog emailed Chief Moen thanking MPO Jeff Durrant for playing a vital role in a LFP case that recently resulted in a burglary and motor vehicle theft conviction. MPO Durrant read LFP's crime bulletin and linked the bulletin's information to the armed suspect he just apprehended. He found additional evidence and later testified in court. Both actions were crucial to securing a guilty verdict. Detective Teschlog passed along his appreciation for

great police work and Kenmore's partnership with LFP PD. He said, *"It is a pleasure to experience this kind of teamwork and collaboration and I look forward to it continuing."*

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## Going Above & Beyond - Deputy Ezell

Deputy Ezell was called to an abandoned home in Kenmore that had become a teen hang-out and nuisance. A caller from Arlington, WA reported her son's phone number had been painted inside the home, along with a message telling people to send nude photos. Her adult son has no connection to Kenmore, so she was surprised when she received a call from someone letting them know his phone number was painted on a wall there.

Deputy Ezell went to the vacant house and found the phone number on the wall. He took the initiative to buy paint from a local store and cover the phone number, so she and her son would not get any more harassing calls and texts. By taking these additional steps, Deputy Ezell saved the victims from having to drive from Arlington to paint it themselves. Deputy Ezell went above and beyond to assist this family and saved them a great deal of grief and inconvenience.



- Chief Brandon Moen

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## Kenmore's National Night Out

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Earlier this month, Kenmore hosted its annual National Night Out event in conjunction with the Kenmore Farmer's Market.

Community partners present at this event included: KCSO Marine Unit, Bomb Disposal Unit, 911 Communication Center, Air Support, KC Explorer Unit, AFIS, Shoreline Fire, Northshore Emergency Management Coalition, and the Northshore Utility

District.

A special thank you to Detective Wilcox, Deputy Koontz, and Explorer Advisor/Deputy Toscano for their support of the event.

- Chief Brandon Moen

## Who We Are...



We're pivoting this week's *Who We Are* and instead featuring *what we do*.

These weekend photos of Chief Park hiking Mt. Rainier and Sgt. Merclich fishing in Alaska tell us much about what they do when *not* in service.

If you're willing, please share a photo or two with Kris or with me. We want to showcase the varied activities of our many interesting partners.

- Captain Tim Meyer

