

Shreveport Police Dept.



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Shreveport Police/Fire Departments to conduct Mock Crash

On Tuesday April 18th, 2017 the Shreveport Police Department will partner with other local law enforcement agencies and local businesses to host their 3rd annual Operation Prom Night. The event will be held at 9:30 am at Green Oaks Performing Arts Academy High School at 2550 Thomas E Howard Drive in north Shreveport.

The mock crash aims to send a hard-hitting reminder of the consequences of unsafe driving such as, drinking and driving, texting and driving, distracted driving, and not wearing a seatbelt. The mock crash uses actual crashed vehicles in the scenario, and utilizes student participants to dramatically act out the roles of crash victims. Students will watch as first responders act out a fatality crash from its inception through adjudication.

Those participating in the Mock Crash Event are as follows:

Shreveport Police Department, Shreveport Fire Department, Louisiana State Police, Caddo Sheriff's Office, Caddo Parish Coroner's Office, Green Oaks Theatre Performing Arts Team, Sudden Impact, Life Air Rescue, Fairfield Studios, Think First, Martin Luther King Community Development Corporation, S & A Auto Salvage, State Fair of Louisiana, Mondello Scaffolding, Shreveport Parks and Recreation and Whited Sound Services.

For additional information regarding the event, please contact Corporal Adrienne Ferguson or Corporal Janica Allen with Shreveport Police Department's Community Oriented Policing Bureau at (318) 673-6950.

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