## The Waite Hill Police Beat

## **August 2012**

Hello to all residents, I will be communicating a newsletter each month so each of you are up to date with what is going on within the police department as well as with the community. I will include information about criminal activity, hopefully none that is taking place here, but activity that may be happening within our surrounding communities.

Officer Erik Quintillo has completed our Field Training Program and he is his own with patrol and other duties. We are actively looking for one more part-time officer for the department.

We are trying to gather police memorabilia that may pertain to our department. If anyone has pictures or other items that we could display please contact me and we can make arrangements to make copies of the pictures or any other means with other items.

Our officers are continuing to be diligent with speeding vehicles on our roadways. Contact us with any areas of concern that you may have. Again this month, we have been receiving complaints of motorists not moving over for pedestrians while they are walking or bicycling. Also, there are complaints of children riding bikes and skateboards in the middle of the roadway. With the increase of traffic on our roadways we have to be mindful to share the road; however, the children cannot be riding in the middle of the road and skate- boards are not allowed on the roadway at all. Our officers are keeping an eye out for persons not following traffic laws pertaining to pedestrian traffic.

If you notice anything that does not look right or looks suspicious, please contact us. The best way to call is through dispatch at 440-942-1660. If it is an emergency, please call 9-1-1.

In conclusion, if you have any questions or suggestions please do not hesitate to call or stop by and we will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Respectfully submitted,

Keith A. DeWitt, Chief of Police