

SMITHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

D.A.R.E. TO BE FIT BIKE RIDE - In an effort to promote saying "Yes" to positive alternatives, the Smithfield Police Department Community Policing Unit is inviting all Smithfield youths to join us for a bike ride on **Saturday, October 9, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.** The bike ride will take participants **off-road** through the campuses of the Smithfield High School, Anna McCabe School, Gallagher Middle School and Deerfield Park. All riders are **required to bring their own bicycle, helmet and water.** Check-in will take place at the **Deerfield Park Pavilion** where a brief safety orientation will take place prior to the ride. Please join us at the end of the ride for some refreshments. Parents are welcome to stay or ride with us. The event will last approximately one hour.



2010 Citizens' Police Academy - The Smithfield Police Department is now accepting applications for enrollment into the Department's Citizens' Police Academy, which consists of an 8-week law enforcement program. Participants will meet on Monday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Smithfield Police Department. The Citizens' Police Academy will start **Monday, October 25, 2010.** Each week, a different law enforcement topic will be presented, with classroom and hands-on instruction by police officers. This Academy is offered free-of-charge to Smithfield residents or employees of a Smithfield business.

Seating is limited and will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Applications are available at the Smithfield Police Department or online at <http://www.smithfieldpd.com/cpa.htm> and should be returned to the Smithfield Police Department by the **Friday, October 22, 2010 deadline.**

Any questions should be directed to Officers Squillante, Braxton or Marcello of the Smithfield Police Department Community Policing Unit (401) 231-2500, extension 202.



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