Chicago Police Memorial Foundation

Never Forget

In March of 2025, the Chicago Police Memorial Foundation provided $144,445 in assistance including:

$10,974 in Education Assistance
$19, 956 in Officers in Need Assistance
$39,368 in Get Behind the Vest Assistance
$11,275 in GSF Memorial & Park Assistance
$40,683 in Officer Wellness Assistance
$20,000 in Gold Star 21 Assistance

In addition, the Chicago Police Memorial Foundation provided assistance to Gold Star Families, Chicago Police Survivors, and Widows of CPD Officers killed in the line of duty.

Total assistance given in 2025: $391,459
Total Education Assistance given to Date: $4.2 Million Dollars
Total Assistance Given to Date: $22.1 Million Dollars

Officers of the Month

In the early morning hours of March 12th , 011th District officers saw a large fire at 742 N. Spaulding. As they got closer, they observed several people trying to exit this vacant building that was now engulfed in flames. Without regard for their own safety, they ran to the building, kicked in the front door and brought all occupants to safety. One officer was treated for smoke inhalation and the other for injuries to his leg. These are heroes. They won't say so, but they went above and beyond. We, and the men they saved, are grateful.

We proudly present the officer of the Month Award to 011th District Officers:
Conrad Kulik
Nikkolai Azevedo

On March 23rd , officers from the 008th District responded to a chaotic scene at a bar near 53rd & Kedzie. They were met by an offender armed with a gun and a knife, who was actively threatening officers while demanding that they end his life. In this confined and unpredictable environment, the armed offender rapidly advanced toward officers. The officers showed extraordinary restraint and tactical precision. Through a coordinated effort, the officers disarmed the offender and placed him in custody. Officers quickly discovered a victim who had been stabbed multiple times and other patrons and staff hiding for protection; and learned that the offender attempted to shoot another bar patron in the head, but thankfully the gun malfunctioned. As their investigation continued, officers discovered 2 homicide victims in a nearby residence. It is believed this same offender committed these murders and continued his rampage in the bar. The offender has been charged with 2 counts of murder, attempted murder and aggravated battery. The officers' teamwork and tactical skills prevented further loss of life under highly volatile and dangerous conditions.

We proudly present the Officer of the Month Award to:
008th District members:

Field Training Officer Xavier Medina
Probationary Police Officer Elian Ambriz
Officers Luis Garcia
Jose Fernandez
Jesus Macedo
Juan Rodriguez
Jesus Torres-Alvarez
Nicholas Verta
Sergeant David Dubois
Lieutenant Robert Kellum

And 007 th District officers:
Kerry Ferrantella
Colleen Gardner

Officer of the Month Photo Gallery

Less than 100 remain! Get your tickets today!

CHICAGO POLICE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

2025 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LIMITED RAFFLE!

Jeep Grand Cherokee Limited Raffle!
Only 1,500 tickets will be sold!

Your stub will be mailed to you shortly after purchase!

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2025 Jeep Grand Cherokee Limited 4x4

- 3.6L V6
- Luxury Tech Group
- Black Appearance Package
- Panoramic Sunroof
- Baltic Gray w/ Global Black Interior

Get Your Tickets Today!

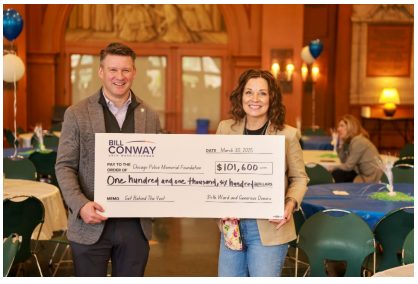
https://give.cpdmemorial.org/2025GrandCherokee

Get Tickets!

Register Today!

Last day to register online is April 28th at 11:30pm!
Prices go up to $55 in person on May 1 and May 2 and
$60 on DAY OF registration on May 3rd!

Special THANK YOU to 34th Ward Alderman Bill Conway on his inaugural Pancake Breakfast in support of Get Behind the Vest. Held at St. Ignatius College Prep on Sunday, March 30th, the event drew quite the supportive crowd and raised over $110,000! Thank you to all of the sponsors, donors, and pancake enthusiasts!



[Check out all the great photos from this event!]

FRIDAY APRIL 25TH 2025
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Dignity MEMORIAL
FIREFIGHTERS VS. POLICE OFFICERS
BOXING EXHIBITION
- - A NIGHT FULL OF ACTION PACKED FIGHTS - -
DOORS OPEN: 6 PM
OPENING CEREMONY: 7 PM • MAIN EVENT: 8 - 10 PM
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PROCEEDS FROM THIS EVENT WILL BENEFIT VARIOUS CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT & CHICAGO FIRE DEPARTMENT CHARITIES
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CPMF • RIDE TO REMEMBER

AREA 4

Ride to Remember

WHEN: **Sunday, June 1, 2025**
7:30am On-site Registration
9:00am Start

WHERE: Registration, packet pick up, and motorcycle staging/line up will take place in Lot C of the United Center. Lot C is just north of the United Center on Warren Blvd. We will not line up in front of Area 4 Headquarters this year.

REGISTRATION:

Register online by May 27, 2025, to ensure t-shirt availability on the day of the ride.

Online Registration will remain open through May 27, 2025.

Online Registration Fee:
- **Rider $40.00**
- **Passenger $40.00**

In-person Registration 7:30 - 8:30am in Lot C of the United Center.

In Person Registration Fee:
- **Rider $50.00**
- **Passenger $50.00**

PLEASE SCAN QR CODE FOR MORE INFO AND TO REGISTER ONLINE.

Registration Includes: Ride to Remember t-shirt and breakfast provided by FOP Lodge 7 prior to the start of the Ride in Lot C.

The ride leaves Lot C of the United Center at 9:00am and travels along the Boulevards to the Gold Star Families Memorial and Park. All proceeds are donated to the Chicago Police Memorial Foundation. The event is open to the public and all makes and models are welcome.

Register Today!

https://give.cpdmemorial.org/2025Ride

Register for the Ride to Remember

Support organizations like ours and play with purpose when you buy the $200,000! Bingo Tripler Instant Ticket from the @Illinois Lottery. A part of every dollar you spend helps fund police memorials and support programs in Illinois.

Our 2025 Roll Call Shirt is now available. Never Forget.
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Specialty license plates for both vehicles and motorcycles featuring the Chicago Police Memorial Foundation's logo are available for purchase through the IL Secretary of State. The license plates may be issued to any active or retired law enforcement officers and their family members, surviving family members of fallen law enforcement officers, and approved members of or donors to the Chicago Police Memorial Foundation.
For more info, visit **CPMF License Plates** today!

Since 2007, Total amount of assistance given to Chicago Police families in need is $22.1 million.

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