

August 2021



Monthly Activity Report

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ALPHA SQUAD / Sergeant David Bilbrey 0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

NEW MEMBERS / TRAINEES:

Officer Joseph completed phase 3 of his FTO training and began phase 4.

EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENTS:

Squad members completed required monthly online training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

No significant arrests this month

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Alpha Squad was responsible for 8 arrests and issued 50 traffic citations.

Delta Squad members attended Bible Baptist Church Sunday service on Aug. 22, 2021. Pastor Gentry hosted an appreciation day for law enforcement and first responders.

DELTA SQUAD / Sergeant John Zorn Report submitted by: O.I.C. Arturo Gonzalez 1830-0630 NIGHT SHIFT

EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENTS:

Officers completed their monthly Police One and Police Law Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **HART, Jason:** Possession of Methamphetamine and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ **CERRATO, David:** Fleeing to Elude Law Enforcement, Possession of Cocaine, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia and Driving While License is Suspended or Revoked.
- ♦ **PALAZZO, Michelle:** Possession of Methamphetamine and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ **HIGGINS, Nichotte:** Possession of Methamphetamine, and Drug Paraphernalia.

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Delta Squad was responsible for 17 arrests and issued 50 traffic citations for August.

Officers continued heavy patrols in Azalea Gardens Carver Village and focused on business and residential checks throughout the night were completed.

Due to recent burglaries, a focus on Business and Residential checks throughout the night were also completed.



BRAVO SQUAD / Sergeant John McKee 0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

NEW MEMBERS / TRAINEES:

Officer Valerio completed phase 4 of his FTO training

EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENTS:

Officers completed their monthly online training.

Officer Anderson completed "Canines In the Courtroom" Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **RAMIREZ, Austin:** False Imprisonment.
- ♦ **HELMS, Brad:** False Imprisonment.
- ♦ **SAMPSON, Mahlia:** Driving While License is Suspended or Revoked and Fleeing to Elude.

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Bravo Squad made 28 arrests and issued 94 citations.

CHARLIE SQUAD / Sergeant Ken Fender 1830-0630 NIGHT SHIFT

NEW MEMBERS / TRAINEES:

Officer Valerio, in training by FTO J. March, completed phase 3.

EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENTS:

Officers completed Police Law/Police One Training.

Officer March completed "Radar & Laser Operator" class.

Officer J. Franchetti completed "Leading without Rank" a Leadership course for the line officer.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **COOPER, Dequarius:** False Imprisonment and Domestic Violence Battery.
- ♦ **BASHIR, Mikal:** Possession of Crack Cocaine and Drug Paraphernalia.
- ♦ **SHIVER, Lorie:** Burglary to an Unoccupied Vehicle.
- ♦ **HOOK, Savanna:** Battery on a Law Enforcement Officer and Resist Arrest with Violence.
- ♦ **RODRIGUEZ, Ricardo, NAPIER, Jermaine, & FUENTEX, Milton:** All arrested for Inciting a Riot, Battery and Criminal Mischief.
- ♦ **WASHINGTON, Travis:** Fleeing to Elude.
- ♦ **BLAND, James:** Aggravated Assault Domestic Violence.

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Charlie Squad issued 192 traffic citations and made 37 arrests this month.

Officers focused on business and residential checks, with heavy patrol presence in the areas of Magnolia and 6th, throughout the night, Azalea Gardens and Carver Village and 1350 E. Main St.

Due to a recent increase in catalytic converter thefts, patrol frequented auto dealerships

Officers conducted targeting traffic enforcement relating to bicycles.

**DETECTIVE / INVESTIGATIONS
CSI / EVIDENCE SECTION
Sergeant William Stevens**



NEW MEMBERS:

Det. Bryce Riley completed Detective Training.

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Detectives completed monthly online training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **MATHIAS, Sean:** Violation of Probation, Cyber Sex Crimes.
- ♦ **RAMIREZ, Margarito:** Aggravated Assault/Possession of Methamphetamine, and Altering the Serial Number on a Firearm.
- ♦ **CARRERA-JUAREZ, Juan:** Sexual Battery on a Juvenile.

COMMUNITY SERVICE / OTHER:

Detectives are currently working 113 active felony cases.

Sgt. Stevens and Captain Diaz are attending and participating in Rotary Club.

Community Services Team C.S.T.

**Sergeant Luke Hauser
CST Supervisor**

Bartow Police Volunteer Hours

	August 2021	TOTAL
C.O.P. Volunteers	12.00	83.50
Reserve Officers	4.50	94.50
Other Volunteers	2.50	131.25
TOTAL	19.00	309.25

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Online Training was completed this month.

COMMUNITY EVENTS/PROGRAMS:

The Monthly Chief's Chat was held on August 3, 2021 at 7:30 AM at Unfiltered Coffee Shop.

Aug. 1-7, 2021 the Bartow Police Department promoted National Stop on Red Campaign. This week long campaign promotes mobility for all people in an effort to make our streets safer.

Prior to school starting, Officers placed "**Slow Down Schools Open**" signs around town near all of the schools.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

BYRD, Paul Theodore: Possession of Methamphetamine.

HELMS, Brad Thomas: Out of County Warrant.

MCLEOD, Phillip Jay: Possession of Methamphetamine and Drug Paraphernalia.

CST Officers made a total of 6 arrests and issued 14 citations this month. In addition, there were a total of three (3) narcotic cases cleared with affidavits.

CST conducted a traffic study in the 400 block of N. Restwood Ave.

WELCOME BACK FORMER MEMBERS

GWEN JONES AND BRYAN CEREZO!

This month we were proud to announce that two (2) former members of the department were rehired; Officer Bryan Cerezo and former Police Officer Gwendolyn Jones. Earlier this year, Officer Bryan Cerezo left the Bartow Police Department to join another agency. Soon after, he realized that he wanted to return to BPD.

Officer Cerezo originally joined BPD in 2018 as a patrol officer working on Alpha Squad and eventually became a Field Training Officer. As good fortunes have it, there was a spot available and he was happily reunited with his original squad.

Gwen Jones, a former Bartow Police Officer, who retired in 2013, was chosen to fill a part-time civilian position of Supply Clerk.

Gwen began her career at Bartow Police Department in 1989 as a patrol officer. Officer Jones devoted many years working as a school resource officer before retiring.

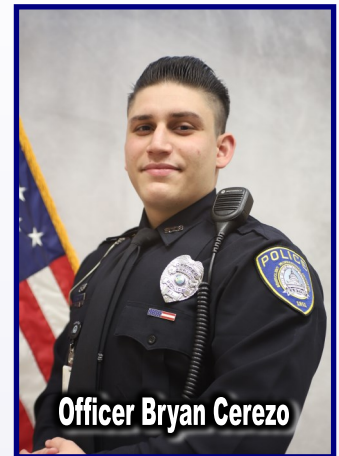
We are so very happy to have these members back!



**Officer Gwen Jones,
About 1990**



**Gwen Jones,
new part-time
Civilian Member**



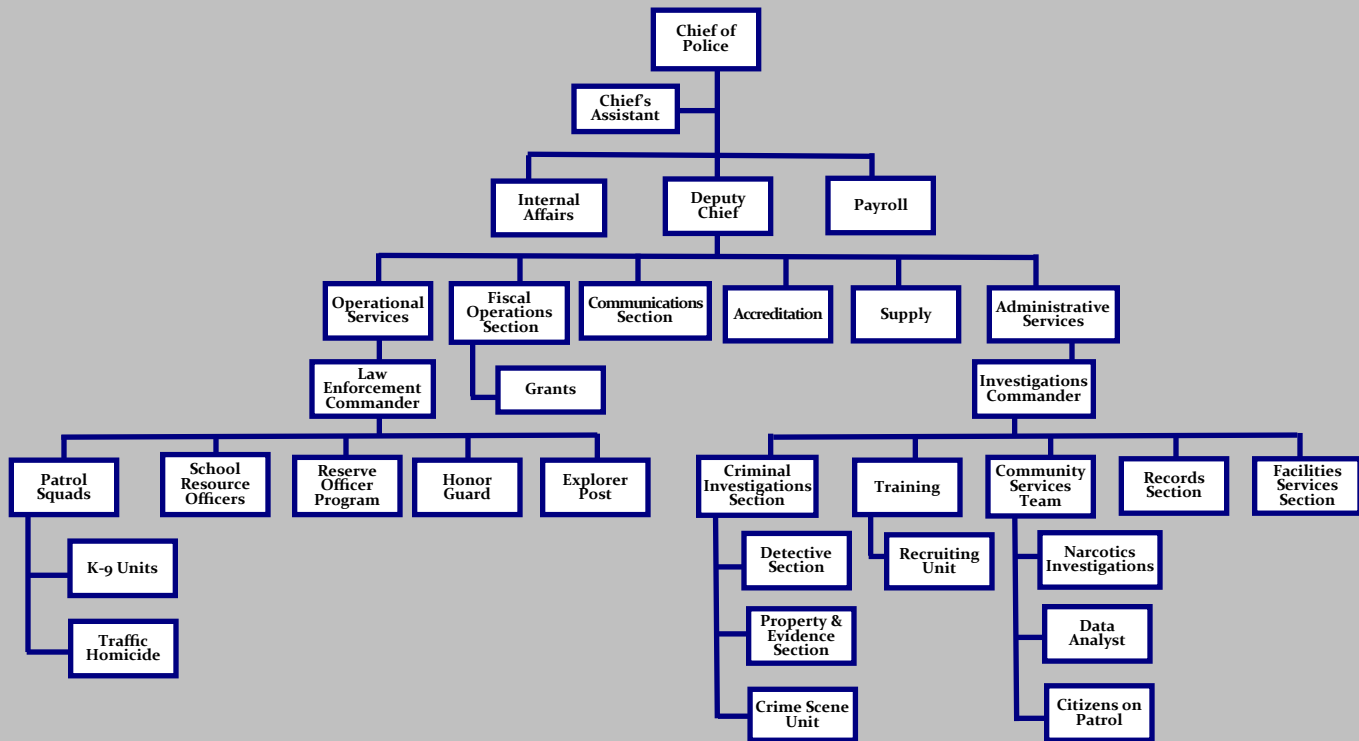
Officer Bryan Cerezo



**Officer Bryan Cerezo after taking the
Oath of Office with Captain Lauro Diaz
and Interim Chief Bryan Dorman**

Administrative Section

Organizational Chart



POLICE OFFICER

V. Agostino
A. Belony
B. Cerezo
J. Charette
N. Donnelly
S. Fernandez
J. Franchetti
D. Haynie
E. Holland
S. Joseph
A. Ledford
J. March
D. Morales
E. Pinckney
A. Roque
J. Sellers
M. Sills
A. Valerio
Z. Williams

SERGEANT

L. Hauser
J. McKee
K. Fender
J. Zorn
W. Stevens
R. Tagliarini

DETECTIVE

T. Strickland
E. Lewis
R. Driesler
A. White
B. Riley

COMMUNITY SERVICES

L. Bryan

TRAINING

L. Waligorski

PUBLIC SAFETY AIDE

T. Pride
(open position)

K9 OFFICER

A. Anderson/Falco
D. Bilbrey/Brody
A. Gonzalez/Rico

CRIME SCENE

S. Puls
K. Gadd

SUPPORT STAFF

S. Orem
K. Jones
N. Renteria

COMMUNICATIONS

S. Dolphy
M. Johnnting
A. Jones
D. Matheny
J. Modzelewski
R. Prine
L. Tomlinson
K. Trowell
J. Casselman
D'Agostino

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

A. Guzman
J. Sidler
M. Fernandez
H. Manrow
D. Schussler

RECORDS

M. Jordan
C. Albright
(open position)

ADMINISTRATION

B. Dorman
M. Smith
L. Diaz

MAINTENANCE

(open position)

Personnel and Training



NON-SWORN OPENINGS 3

- ♦ Dispatch 1
- ♦ Support Staff 2

SWORN OPENINGS 2

- ♦ Chief of Police 1
- ♦ Police Officers 1

Total Non-Sworn Staff 20

Total Sworn Staff 41

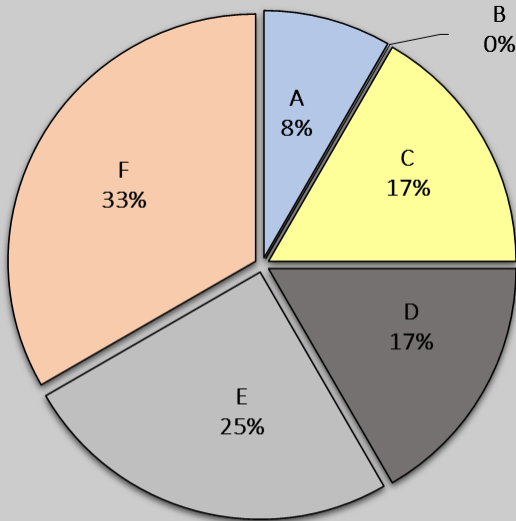
TOTAL POLICE DEPT. STAFF 61

RACE	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY RACE	
White	45	74%	27	66%	18	90%	9	90%
Hispanic	10	16%	10	24%	0	0	1	10%
Black	5	8%	4	10%	1	5%	0	
Pacific Islander	1	2%	0		1	5%	0	
TOTAL	61		41		20		10	

GENDER	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY GENDER	
Male	36	59%	35	85%	1	0	8	80%
Female	25	41%	6	15%	19	100%	2	20%
Total	61		41		20		10	

AUGUST 2021 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

Zones/Beats A-F Aug. 2021



12 - TOTAL REPORTED BURGLARY CASES

<u>Residence:</u> Home/Apartment/shed	2
<u>Conveyance:</u> Vehicle/Truck bed/Boat	7
<u>Business:</u> Commercial business/School/Church	3
TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES FOR JULY 2021	12

PROPERTY CRIMES BY BEAT / ZONE 26A - 26F

BEAT	AUGUST	2021 YTD	
26A	1	12	15%
26B	0	14	18%
26C	2	11	14%
26D	2	7	9%
26E	3	17	22%
26F	4	17	22%
TOTAL	12	78	

** To see what zone/beat you live or work in, see page 12 of this report.*

PROPERTY CRIMES 2021 - 2017

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
JAN	7	16	10	18	27
FEB	14	14	19	11	15
MAR	8	16	8	35	15
APR	9	7	9	20	16
MAY	11	4	12	24	16
JUNE	10	13	11	7	24
JULY	7	9	20	26	20
AUG	12	16	21	24	39
SEPT		11	24	28	19
OCT		12	29	32	19
NOV		11	33	34	15
DEC		6	13	30	17
TOTAL	78	135	209	289	242

Property Crimes were UP this month when compared to last month by 71%

Five (5) out of seven (7) conveyance burglaries occurred while the conveyance was located on commercial property.

In 50% of all burglaries, force was used to gain entry and take the property.

**Don't forget to lock up each night
Do the #9PMROUTINE**

Patrol Statistics

Response Time	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Emergency	2:55	3:37	3:20
Non-Emergency	4:58	5:13	5:13
Calls for Service/ Police Incidents	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Total Calls for Service	1913	1768	1966
Police Reports and Arrests	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Police Reports	368	312	369
Total Arrests	81	84	94

Collisions & DUI Arrests	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Fatal	0	0	0
Serious Bodily Injury	2	1	0
DUI Arrest	5	4	1

TOTAL COLLISIONS	2020	2021
	539	387

Parking Citations	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Total Issued	3	24	14

Patrol Case Clearance	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Property/Persons Crimes Total	90	103	97
Property/Persons Crimes Total Cleared	53	73	56
Clearance Rate	59%	71%	58%

Citation Statistics

CITATIONS BY DAY OF THE WEEK

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thru	Fri	Sat	Total
Jan	44	38	27	46	28	29	33	245
Feb	22	19	8	24	30	46	15	164
Mar	40	44	68	34	26	24	62	298
Apr	34	36	39	32	57	48	34	280
May	36	34	25	42	25	34	51	247
June	59	39	59	47	27	16	45	292
July	33	30	52	44	40	60	57	316
Aug	71	72	72	72	72	72	71	502
Sept								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								
TOTAL	339	312	350	341	305	329	368	2344



COMMONLY ISSUED CITATIONS

	Fail to Obey/Traffic Control Device	Unlawful Speed	Careless Driving	Seat Belt	Parking Violation	Handicap Parking Violation	Total
Jan	58	14	13	3	0	1	89
Feb	30	10	22	2	2	0	66
Mar	46	22	23	4	30	4	129
Apr	32	29	33	8	0	0	102
May	44	19	14	6	6	0	89
June	43	35	1	8	19	4	110
July	37	28	22	10	1	2	100
Aug	59	55	25	4	16	0	159
Sept							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							
TOTAL	349	212	153	45	74	11	844

CITATIONS BY ZONE / BEAT 26A - 26F

	26A	26B	26C	26D	26E	26F	OTHER	Total
Jan	25	13	23	50	11	120	3	242
Feb	22	7	8	29	10	87	1	163
Mar	20	50	18	49	17	134	10	288
Apr	36	22	35	52	14	113	8	272
May	34	14	36	53	15	89	6	241
June	20	39	11	83	12	109	18	292
July	22	31	30	17	74	23	119	316
Aug	68	73	56	109	35	161	0	502
Sept								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								
TOTAL	247	249	217	442	188	836	165	2344

** See Bartow Beat/Zone Map on the last page of this report.*

Investigations Statistics

Property Crimes	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Burglary	7	17	4
Theft	14	23	14
Motor Vehicle Theft	2	4	3
Arson	1	0	0
Total Property Crimes	24	44	21

Persons Crimes	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Homicide	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0	1
Robbery	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	3	0	3
Total Persons Crimes	3	0	4

Other Crimes	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2020	AUGUST 2021
Other Assault	1	0	1
Drugs/ Narcotics	10	11	13
Financial Crimes	3	3	3
Weapons Possession	1	0	0
Total Crimes	15	14	17



City of Bartow Zones 26A - 26F

26A North of West Main St. (Hwy 60) to Van Fleet, West of Van Fleet to Broadway Ave. (Hwy 98)

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Polk St. Center, Gause Academy, Manor at West Bartow
- ◆ Stephens & Spessard Holland Elementary Schools
- ◆ Wind Meadows, Highland Lakes Estates, Richland Manor
- ◆ Saddlewood, Magnolia Walk, Griffins Green & Landing
- ◆ Holiday Inn Express Portions of Lyle Pkwy/EF Griffin Rds.

26B South of West Main St. West of Broadway Ave- mostly residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Square Lake Estates, Wildwood Cemetery
- ◆ Floral Ave. Elem., First Methodist School
- ◆ 555 Ballpark Facilities, Bartow Chevrolet,
- ◆ Thunder Chrysler Dodge, Laurel Meadows & the Villages
- ◆ Civic Center, Library, Polk School Bd Offices, Mosaic Pk
- ◆ Floral Lakes Mobile Home Community

26C South of Main St. East of Broadway Ave, West of Hwy 17-mostly residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Bartow Elementary Academy, Post Office
- ◆ Bartow Middle/High Schools, Mary Holland & Nye Jordan Pks
- ◆ Oak Hammock Mobile Home Pk
- ◆ Church Service Center
- ◆ Family Dollar Store

26D East of Hwy 98, North of Van Fleet Dr. and Hwy 60 Bypass-primarily a business district

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Bartow Ford & Ernest Smith Blvd, Racetrack, Ruby Tuesdays
- ◆ Old Bartow Eagle Lake Rd, The Meetinghouse
- ◆ James Pointe, Taylor Brooke Subdivisions
- ◆ Fountain Place Apt, Badcock, Tractor Supply, Aldi
- ◆ Walmart, Bear Creek Apts. The Hampton Inn

26E East of Hwy 17, South of East Main St and Flamingo- mixture of businesses and residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Azalea Gardens, Carver Village, Union Academy, Golf Course
- ◆ Savannah Court, Rohr Home, Bartow Center
- ◆ Jail Annex Facilities, Polk Health Dept, Peace River CSU
- ◆ County Extension Office/Livestock Pavilion
- ◆ Peace River Citrus Plant, George Harris Youth Center

26F North of Main St. (Hwy 60) to Van Fleet Drive (Hwy 60 Bypass)-center of town

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- ◆ Historical Courthouse, Polk Co. Courthouse, PCBC Offices
- ◆ Historical Church St, Summerlin Oaks Apts.
- ◆ Publix Shopping Center, Lowes, PCSO Book-In/Jail Intake
- ◆ Bartow City Hall, DOT Offices, Tax Collector
- ◆ Women's Care Center,

