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Citizen's Police Academy Accepting Applications

Kettering- The Kettering Police Department is inviting adult members of the community to participate in the next Kettering Citizen's Police Academy.

The curriculum and teaching methods of the academy will be similar to a traditional police academy; however, the participants will not become certified peace officers upon completion.

The purpose of the program is to build a better understanding between the citizens and police. Classes are scheduled once a week for two and a half hours during this ten week course. Topics to be covered include patrol functions, use of force, role play scenarios, K-9 demonstrations, detective operations, and others.

It is recommended that students attend the entire ten week academy. The success of this program is directly related to the commitment of its participants.

The first session is scheduled for Wednesday, February 3, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. at the Kettering Police Department. Classes will be held every Wednesday from 6:30- 9:00 p.m. for ten weeks. Class size is limited to 20 students. The deadline for registration is Wednesday, January 27.

The class is free of charge. Applicants can contact Ptl. Michael Burke at 296-2458 or register on line at www.ketteringoh.org.

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