



# Dispatch Times

## Mason PD K9 Officer Timber Retires

Timber's career with the City of Mason Police Department began in April of 2007 and came to an end with his retirement on April 20, 2015 with his handler Officer Brad Walker. Timber is a German Sheppard dog that was imported from overseas and trained locally by Police Dog Services in Middletown Ohio. Once in service with the City of Mason, Timber was used as a dual purpose dog which means he assisted with the detection of narcotics, conducted tracks, building and area searches as well as evidence location.



Over the course of his career Timber was utilized over 1,200 times. Every law enforcement agency in Warren County made use of Timber's skills during his time on duty. He also assisted multiple agencies in surrounding counties and at times assisted federal law enforcement agencies.

The most memorable experience with Timber, surprisingly did not involve the apprehension of a criminal or finding narcotics, but rather it was the experiences of conducting visits with the school kids and other community groups. It was a very unique opportunity to see how a dog could have such a positive impact on the community and assist with building relationships between law enforcement and the younger generation.

Now that Timber has earned his retirement, he can be found spending most of his time chasing the rabbits that get into his yard. He has become completely dedicated to his new job of being a full time companion to Officer Walker's family.

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## Lebanon PD K9 Officer Kaiser Retires

We would also like to recognize another of Warren County's great K-9's that retired May 9, 2015. Officer Kaiser worked as a K-9 officer for the Lebanon Police Department with handler Officer Jimmy Burns for 8 to 9 years. Now that he has officially retired he is happily enjoying being spoiled by Officer Burns and the members of his family!



**Congrats to both Timber and Kaiser on their successful careers and we hope you both enjoy retirement!!**

# Employee Spotlight

## Employee of the Month



**Bob Anson**  
Employee Since 1995

## Birthdays

**Brian Holtel**  
June 2nd

**Cassidy Gatio**  
June 4th

**Tonya Shutts**  
June 15th

**Keith Fudge**  
June 23rd

## Milestones

**Cassidy Gatio**  
Celebrating 1 Year

**Carmen Carson**  
Celebrating 8 Years

**Melissa Abrams**  
Celebrating 14 Years

## Recent Promotions

Congrats to the following employees on their recent promotions:

**Ron Kronenberger** promoted to Emergency Communications Supervisor

**Kelly Fiebig** promoted to Emergency Communications Operator

**Jim Bolen** promoted to Emergency Management Operations Manager

## Meet our New Call Taker



### Molly Vidourek

Molly grew up in West Chester where she still resides. In the summer of 2013 Molly graduated from Bowling Green State University with a major in Criminal Justice and a minor in German. Before starting her career with Warren County she worked for Sears Hardware in Loveland and also as a caregiver. In her free time she enjoys playing tennis and reading.

## Now Hiring

We are currently looking for qualified candidates to fill the positions of Emergency Communications Call Takers and Emergency Communications Operators. If you or someone you know is interested in one of these positions please visit the Warren County Website [www.co.warren.oh.us](http://www.co.warren.oh.us).



# Did You Know?

## Leadership Seminar Course for E.M.D.

On June 13<sup>th</sup> Priority Dispatch presented the Leader's Seminar Course for the medical and fire portion of E.M.D. (Emergency Medical Dispatch). The course reviewed the required training and certification processes, protocol supporting infrastructure and response methodology just to name a few. We had an awesome turn out and hope to have the same for the Law Enforcement side, which is scheduled on June 4<sup>th</sup> from 0900-1200. This is an exciting time for Warren County Emergency Services. Soon all call-takers and operators will be certified in all 3 disciplines:



Law, Fire and EMS. What does this mean for those 3 disciplines? Each call type will have structured call processing. Every caller will receive the same customer service and set of instructions. Training times for new call takers will be greatly reduced and they will have an incredible sense of confidence. They will also have high levels of consistency when taking calls. The protocols for each discipline bring officer safety, caller safety, scene preservation and precise call classification.

## Upcoming Important Meetings

**CAD Demos:**                      Motorola CAD                      New World CAD                      Spillman CAD  
   June 2nd and 3rd                      June 9th—June 11th                      July 28th—July 30th

**Communication Work Group Meeting**—June 3rd from 09:00 to 10:00.

10:00 Police and Fire units will separate to go over protocols for EMD,EPD, and EFD.

**Leadership Seminar with Police Amin/ Field Staff**—June 4th 09:00 to 17:00.

09:00—12:00 Leadership Seminar

12:00-17:00 Discussion on the “road map” on how CAD will work with QA/QI and discussion on call types, responses and definitions.

## Where Am I?

If you know the location where this picture was taken, email us at [melissa.bour@wcoh.net](mailto:melissa.bour@wcoh.net) no later than June 22nd. Everyone that has the correct answer will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Include your name, phone number, department you work for, your guess of the location and any other details. Don't forget to check back next month to see if you are the one that won!



Congrats to **Mike Wiggins** with County Dispatch for guessing last month's picture which was the construction site at the Jeremiah Morrow Bridge. Stop by dispatch to pick up your prize!

# Hero of the Month

## Homer G Ramby, Retired Firefighter - Wayne Twp Fire Dept. Nominated By: Robert Ramby, Supervisor - Warren County Comm. Center

This month's Hero of the Month is Homer G. Ramby. Homer has been a member of the Wayne Township Fire Dept since June 8, 1964. He has held the rank of Lieutenant and Captain during that time. Homer also retired from General Motors in 1993 and worked for Warren County Data Processing until May of 2007. During his time at Wayne Township Fire Dept he received "Member of the Year" award in 1990. On March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015 he retired with 50 years of service.



One call that stands out in Homer's mind is the time he helped deliver a baby girl on May 8, 1973.

An interesting fact about Homer, he designed the Wayne Township Fire Dept Live Cam website. ([www.wtfire.org](http://www.wtfire.org))



## Nominate a Hero of the Month

We are looking for nominations to be featured as a "Hero of the Month." A hero is defined as a person of distinguished courage or ability, admired for their brave deeds and noble qualities, so if you know a Firefighter, Police Officer, EMT, or Dispatcher that works for a department in Warren County and you would like to nominate that person for Hero of the Month, please send the following information to [melissa.bour@wcoh.net](mailto:melissa.bour@wcoh.net). We will need their name, department they work for, email address and a brief explanation why you have nominated them. You can nominate someone that recently received a special award, went above and beyond in the line of duty, or someone that just works hard at what they do. We will try our best to feature all of those nominated.

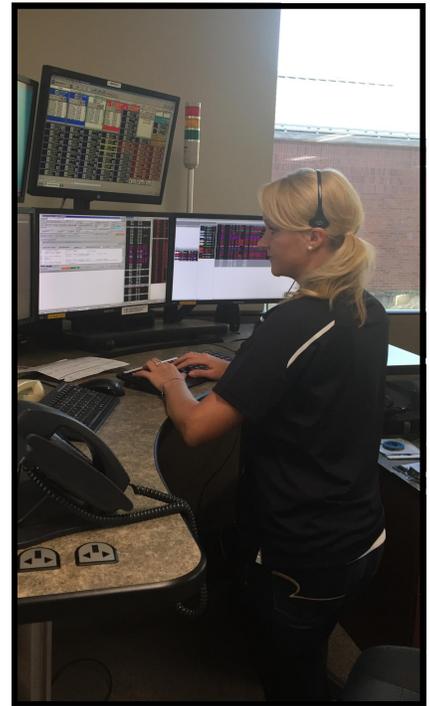
## Call of the Month

On Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> at approximately 22:20 hours, ECO Kelly Fiebig took a call from a female who said that a naked male who appeared to be on some kind of drug was running through the field near her residence yelling obscenities. Suddenly the male turned from the neighbor's home and ran onto the caller's property, trying to get inside her house, attacking the caller. Inside the residence, the woman's husband grabbed his shotgun and threatened to shoot the intruder if he did not stop. The female could be heard over the phone, screaming hysterically. When her husband fired, unfortunately the female was also injured.

Hamilton Township PD units arrived on scene and found the male subject with a gunshot wound to the abdomen and the female caller with partial gunshot wounds to the head. Both injured parties were transported to Bethesda North Hospital . A Morrow Pd unit escorted the male who had become combative. The female was later transported to Miami Valley Hospital by CareFlight.

Police units from Hamilton Township PD, Warren County Sheriff's Office, Morrow PD, Goshen Township PD as well as fire units from Hamilton Township Fire Dept, Goshen Township Fire Dept and Loveland-Symmes Fire Dept all assisted with the incident.

Throughout the call, Kelly remained calm and continued to gather pertinent information for response units! Good job, Kelly!



## April Monthly Dispatch Stats

	Total	First Shift	Second Shift	Third Shift
<b>Created the Most Incidents</b>	7,589	Keith Fudge 250 Calls	Bob Anson 374 Calls	Kelly Fiebig 731 Calls
<b>Most Status Changes</b>	48,883	Keith Fudge 2,314	Bob Anson 3,475	Michael Wiggins 3,396
<b>Total 911 Calls Received</b>	5,121 Calls	637 Calls	2,358 Calls	2,126 Calls
<b>Total 7-Digit Calls Received</b>	11,833	1,736 Calls	5,377 Calls	4,720 Calls
<b>Busiest Day</b> (Based on 911 & Admin Calls)	Wednesday 4/8 1,034 Calls			
<b>Busiest Time of Day</b> (Based on 911 & Admin Calls)	1500-1600 1,180 Calls			

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