

The Slate Belt Regional Police Promotions to Sergeant



Left David Hess, Chairman Slate Belt Regional Police Commission swears in officers Left - Andrew Daly and Glenn Connolly who were promoted to Sergeant, Right rear is SBRP Chief Dave Mettin.

By Michael Ortoski
 PLAINFIELD TWSP. - David Hess, Chairman Slate Belt Regional Police (SBRP) Commission swore in two SBRP officers Glenn Connolly and Andrew Daly who were promoted to Sergeant last week in front of board members, fellow officers, family and friends.

"Officers Connolly and Daly are now tasked with the responsibilities of supervision of a Platoon of officers and to be held accountable for leading and motivating officers to perform exemplary police service" said SBRP Chief Dave Mettin.

"The rank of Sergeant is obtained through a competitive testing process. Candidates for the positions were required to take written examinations which focused on leadership principles, portions of the vehicle and crimes codes as well as departmental policy" said Mettin.

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'Edo' Gets His Vest Thanks to the Community

By Michael Ortoski
 PEN ARGYL - The community came together to support the needs of the Bangor Police Department and surrounding departments for a bullet-proof vest for K-9 officer Edo, coordinated by VCA AVH Animal Hospital in Pen Argyl.

"We thought the fund raiser would take at least 3 months to raise the \$1605.93 dollars needed. We put out fund-raiser jars here at the hospital and put a blast out on our social media, which spread quickly and checks started rolling in" said AVH Hospital Mgr. Elle McClary. In only five weeks they had all the money raised so they called Bangor Police Chief Scott Felchock and said order the vest, we got the money.

Bangor Police Officer Kevin Jones, Edo's handler, Chief Scott Felchock were invited to the Hospital last week for the check presentation along with VCA Region Dir. Wain Fischler and AVH staff.



L-R Nancy Neil, Dr. Elizabeth Dymound-Szabo, Dr. Michelle Sandrock-Corrow, Bangor Police Chief Scott Felchock, Elle McClary Hospital Mgr., VCA Region Dir. Wain Fischler, Lauren Weninger, Sarah Worthington. Front row Bangor Police Officer Kevin Jones, K-9 officer Edo.

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"Edo is also on call to surrounding Slate Belt Regional, Washington TWSP., Roseto and Portland Police Departments" said Officer Kevin Jones. "We thank AVH Animal Hospital and the community for providing this important safety vest for one of our unique K-9 officers who is an important first responder to help us protect the people of this community" said Bangor Police Chief Scott Felchok.

Its, great to see local business step up when our communities safety is at stake. Police, Fire and EMS services are always in need of funding with changing technology. So the next time you see a fund-raiser for your first responders please donate, those dollars are to protect YOU!

After the event the officers gave a inspection of their specially equipped Police cruiser for Edo. Officer Jones demonstrated his special remote control that opens a certain rear door that lets Edo know danger awaits, be aware. There is a special cooling and heating system in the rear, food/water and a dog bathroom.

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