



# Tarpon Springs Police Department

*Building a Better Future Through Excellence in Policing*



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## Crime Watch Newsletter

### ANOTHER PHONE SCAM.....

A person calls from a packaging and shipping company from an 888 phone number. The person states they have received several large packages of yours in error. They are willing to ship them to you for a payment. He or she promptly asks for your credit card information. If you tell them you are not expecting any packages they hang up the phone however, they may call back several times. After answering again they state the boxes are taking up too much room in the warehouse and they will ship them to you for half the price. They will proceed to ask for card information again. Be aware this is a scam to try and get your Credit Card information.



**JOIN US SATURDAY FOR TOUCH-A-TRUCK  
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## Law Enforcement Torch Run

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TALLAHASSEE, Fla.—Attorney General Pam Bondi today kicked off the 2017 Law Enforcement Torch Run, benefiting the Special Olympics. Hundreds of law enforcement officers and supporters joined Attorney General Bondi and Special Olympics CEO and President Sherry Wheelock at the kickoff event. Local, state and federal law enforcement officers, corrections officers and support staff will carry the Flame of Hope 1,500 miles throughout Florida to bring awareness to Special Olympics. This year, Special Olympics Florida is celebrating its 45th anniversary.

“Special Olympics Florida is an amazing organization that provides some of the most remarkable people with the opportunity to discover new strengths and skills that will last a lifetime,” said Attorney General Bondi. “I want to thank our law enforcement community and all those involved in the Torch Run for supporting these inspiring athletes.”

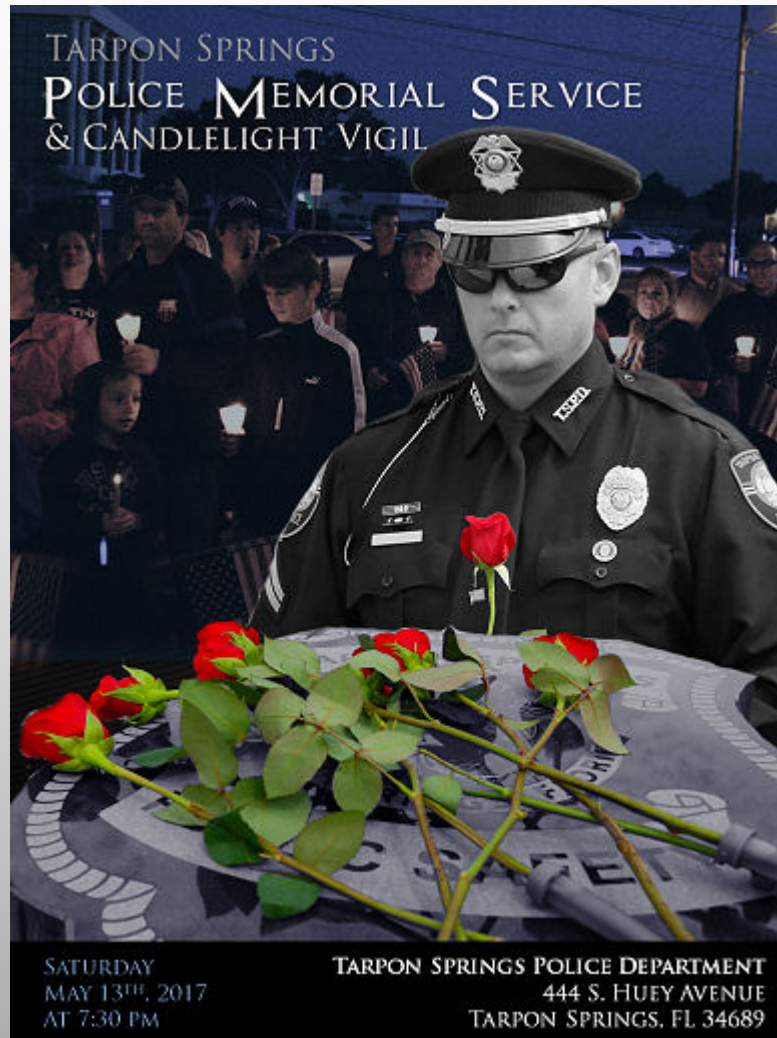
Eight thousand members of the law enforcement and corrections community will carry the torch in a relay to the opening ceremonies at the Annual Florida State Summer Games. This year’s games take place May 19-20, 2017 at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex in Lake Buena Vista. More than 38,000 athletes participate in Special Olympics activities throughout Florida.

For a schedule of Law Enforcement Torch Run routes by county, [click here](#).

The Special Olympics is a global movement that serves more than four million athletes in 169 countries. The organization empowers athletes to improve physical fitness, build confidence and find new friendships, all while having fun and learning life-lessons.

For more information about Special Olympics Florida and how to get involved, visit [SpecialOlympicsFlorida.org](http://SpecialOlympicsFlorida.org).





Please join us to remember those Officers that have fallen in the line of duty. We will be live streaming the event from Washington DC as well.

As always, we thank the citizens of the city of Tarpon Springs for your continuous support of this police department and all first responders.

# THINGS TO DO IN TARPON SPRINGS

## Sunset Beach Concert

May 4th

Shakes Society - Party Rock & Dance

## TOUCH-A -TRUCK & OPEN HOUSE

Climb on up and check out all the city vehicles. Come see what Tarpon Springs has to offer.

Location: Tarpon Springs Library

Day & Time: Saturday, April 29 from 10am-2pm

Fee: FREE

## ECO-FEST

The City of Tarpon Springs is teaming up with Keep Pinellas Beautiful to offer an educational and informative event.

There will be fun for all ages!

Location: Craig Park

Day & Time: Saturday, May 13 from 11am-2pm

Fee: FREE

## SHAPE UP FOR THE SUMMER 5K

Join us for a 5K fun walk/run on the Pinellas Trail. Participants will receive a t-shirt.

Location: Tarpon Springs Splash Park/Dog Park and Pinellas Trail, 508 Live Oak Street



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