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DARE STUDENT HONORED AT

Young Tommy Osmonson put forth tremendous effort this past year and was really surprised at the National

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M u s e u m graduation to "DARE Stu-Year". A came to face when Jakub called name. The

record graduation crowd of over 300 with tears in their eyes gave Tommy a standing ovation. This young man with all the difficulties he had to overcome gave 110% effort in DARE class. Many of Tommy's family members were in attendance and

STATE NAMES "DARE OFFICER OF THE

Pictured below is Mr. Bill Eckler, current President of

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tain Joe Jakub of
County Keniffs Dept. the
plaque naming
"2001 Ken-

tucky State DARE Officer of the Year". This ceremony took place at the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green. Warren County Judge Executive Mike Buchanon, Warren County Magistrates, Sheriff Jerry Gaines, President of the National Sheriffs Association and several community leaders were on hand to congratulate Captain Jakub for this prestigious state award. Jakub is eligible and will compete for the "National DARE Officer of the Year" title at the National Conference in late July. Captain Joe has been providing the DARE program since 1994 in Warren County and implemented several programs such as Race, Skate, Bowl, Bike Against Drugs, Operation Check it Out, and "Reach for your Dreams". The "Reach for your Dreams" program was the focus

NSA OUTGOING PRESIDENT GAINES SHOWS OFF THE "CRIMEFIGHTER



Last month, outgoing NSA President & Warren County Sheriff, Jerry "Peanuts" Gaines showed off the "CrimeFighter" Corvette & "American Spirit" Harley to thousands of Sheriffs at their annual conference in Fort Lauderdale's conven-Director, Tom Faust tion center. Executive noted that Sheriff Gaines has aggressively moved the National Sheriffs Association into the Sheriff's departments all new Millennium. across the United States can be thankful to Warren County's Sheriff for his direction in the year Many technology improvements along with several issues resolved in Washington, DC can be attributed to Sheriff Gaines. Although "Peanuts" Gaines is our past President we will still call upon him to keep us on the right path to success. The National Sheriffs Association



Pictured above are the centerpieces of the conference the Warren County "American Spirit" Harley & the "CrimeFighter Corvette" with a little Scottish

PROJECT NOAH PROVIDES WARREN COUNTY DARE'S NEW MASCOT ...

Judah DAREN is a one year old, real, male African lion, who represents the courage needed to say no to

drugs. He ren County Gradua-big hit with graduates. Director, well has



attends the War-D A R E tions and is a the DARE Project NOAH Herald Maxbeen a sup-

porter of Warren County DARE for several years. DAREN's mom, Sheba was the original mascot for

COUNTRY MUSIC STAR RONNIE MIL-SAP SAYS THE CRIMEFIGHTER COR-

Ronnie Milsap recently had the opportunity to get behind the wheel of the "CrimeFighter Corvette" and he was thrilled. Although Ronnie is blind he realizes the impact of the Corvette in drug prevention programs like DARE and Reach for your Dreams. He did a short video telling the kids about the

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ships had to come blind asked listen to Joe's sage.

about the kids just like we do and wanted to help us in our fight against drugs and violence. In the video Ronnie said "Success doesn't always come easy, but if you stay focused on your dream and away from drugs you will Reach your Dreams". What a great example of someone who beat the odds and reached their dreams. Ronnie has over 40 number one country hits to date and is currently touring the USA entertaining his fans. The Warren County Prevention Partnership thanks Ronnie for the video and more

Comments or submissions should be directed to: Mr. Michael Doro, Newsletter Managing Editor & Webmaster P.O. Box 1013 Bowling Green, KY 42102



The "CrimeFighter Corvette" and its pilot Captain Joe were recently guests of the world famous "Blue Angels". The CrimeFighter Corvette & Harley were on display as the Navy's centerpiece for this event. Thousands paraded by the display giving Capt. Joe & Bernice the chance to share a drug prevention message with them. What a fantastic tribute and honor for our Prevention Partnership Team to be recognized by the Navy's "Blue Angels" for our drug & violence prevention ef-

TENNESSEE TWIRLER REACHES HER

The "CrimeFighter Corvette" is requested to lead a lot of parades with our drug prevention message. Recently at a parade to open "Dollywood" in Tennessee a young 13 year old twirler named Julie reached her dream by being able to sit in its seat. Why is this so important to young folks and why is it making an impact in drug prevention? Many

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"Nsync"
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for the Partnership telling the kids about the hazards of drugs and violence. Hundreds of young people like Julie are mesmerized by the fact that "Nsync" was in the car and the kids really listen to our drug prevention message because of this. The look on Julie's face tells the real story. Does this have an impact on her? Well, we will leave the answer to that question up to you. We hope that all kids that come in contact with our programs just stop and think about their decisions.