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SUFFOLK, Va. (July 7, 2009) As part of the City of Suffolk's ongoing commitment to youth, the Forensic Unit of the Suffolk Police Department will host the Third Annual Junior Forensic "CSI" Camp. The three day camp is dedicated to exposing school age youth to what it is like to be a crime scene investigator.

C.S.I. Camp is designed to be fun, challenging, and educational. After a short period of lectures, participants will get hands on experience by handling mock crime scenes. The mock crime scenes will include examples of a kidnapping, burglary, robbery and recovered stolen vehicle. The scenes are age appropriate and will give participants the opportunity to try what they have learned in the camp.

The camp was the idea of Joan Jones, the supervisor of Suffolk Police Department's Forensic Unit. The camp is scheduled for August 11-13 from 8:30 am-12 pm at the Nansemond Suffolk Rescue Squad located at 428 Market Street. The camp is opened to students in grades 6-8<sup>th</sup>. There is a \$25 registration fee. Deadline for registration is July 27.

This camp is one in a series of events sponsored by the Suffolk Initiative on Youth and Suffolk National Night Out. It is co-sponsored by the Suffolk Education Foundation.

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