

## Saginaw Police Department – Reserve Unit April/May 2019

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Upcoming Events -We will have many events as June begins the busy summer season.

Reserve Applications are located at:

saginawpolicereserve.com
Generally, applications are only accepted from individuals who reside in Saginaw County. If you know someone that would like to be part of the reserve group, have them go to the link for an application form or call 482-5426.

Last year,
complaints about
airlines increased 22
percent. There were
probably more
complaints, but the
airline **lost** them

**Training**: On **April 7, 2019** the unit had **Taser familiarization** given by Officer Roger Pate. Once again, we had a good turn-out for this training. **Thank you, Officer Pate,** for taking the time to keep us up to date in this area. Our last training for this year will be **defensive driving on Saturday, June 1, 2019 at 10:00am.** We will pick up training again in the fall.







**Spring Fundraiser**: This activity is well underway in early spring. The tickets are being printed by **KMS Enterprise**. This is the first time we have sold all of the tickets printed (350). The drawing will be on **May 27, 2019**.



**Girls of Grace Temple Theater:** 



**The Ultimate Queen Celebration:** April 7, 2019 at the **Temple Theater** 







The Finance and Fundraising Committee: The group is putting together a summer uniform change including pants. The thought is to improve our physical appearance at events this summer. The uniform is now ready for the chief to approve or make changes to it.

**Miss Lore's Dance Recital.** This yearly event took place on May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> and was a two-day event, with programs at 12:00pm and 6:00pm each day. For the reserves who worked that event, it was a long two days from 9:00am to 8:30pm each day using eleven reserve officers.





Jeff Dilts and one of the newer reserves Andrew Wiess

**Mew Brendon Samsell** is our newest reserve and took part in the Temple event May 19<sup>th</sup>. It is great to have him as part of the unit and we look forward to working with him on future reserve events.

The **Gator** is up and running and some work was done to the red and blue lights on that unit. It received a new digital overhead light that much more visible that he old one. There is a small charger that now keeps the battery charged.







We also need to work on equipment maintenance this spring. For the **generator**, **two new wheels** will be purchased. We may need to buy a **battery** for one of the **scooters**. The enclosed **trailer may** need tires, but we will look at **four good used** tires as it does not see a lot of travel.

Flower Planting at the department started May 21<sup>st</sup> and is only about 25% completed at this time. This should be completed by the middle of June.



The Cinco de Mayo Parade was well attended.



The Saginaw Police Department held its annual Memorial Ceremony Awards May 9, 2019. This year's Officer of the Year was Officer Terrance Moore. Also at that event, Reserve Officer Harry Davis received a Special Recognition Award.





Reserve Officers were in attendance the Pre-Prom events.

