

THE SAN DIEGO POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION



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4th Annual Officer Jeremy Henwood Memorial Fundraiser and Celebration of Life

SAN DIEGO, CA — On August 7, 2011, San Diego Police Officer Jeremy Henwood was killed in the line of duty. It was later discovered that his last stop was at a local McDonald's where he bought cookies for a young boy. On the anniversary of his tragic death, a portion of the proceeds from the sales at that McDonald's will support the San Diego Police Officers Association (SDPOA) Widows & Orphans Fund. This fund provides monetary support to the beneficiaries of members who have been killed or severely injured in the line of duty.

On Friday, August 7th, please stop by the City Heights McDonald's at 3879 Fairmount Avenue between the hours and 7:00am - 7:00pm to help support this fundraising effort. In addition, there will be a Remembrance Ceremony at 10:00 a.m. located at the Officer Jeremy Henwood Memorial Park (3700 Fairmount Avenue). The public is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Chief Shelley Zimmerman of the San Diego Police Department will be available for interview from 10:00am- 11:30am. San Diego Police Officers Association President Brian R. Marvel will also be available for interview at the event from 10:00am - 11:30am.

The SDPOA would also like to thank Phil Palumbo and the City Heights McDonalds for their years of generous support to the Widows & Orphans Fund. They help make San Diego a stronger community.

To see more information about these events, or to RSVP on Facebook, please click [here](#).

About the San Diego Police Officers Association

The San Diego Police Officers Association (SDPOA) is the only recognized bargaining unit for the over 1,800 members of the San Diego Police Department. The SDPOA was established in 1912 and incorporated in 1953 to assist San Diego police officers in issues related to wages, hours and working conditions. The SDPOA aids members and their families in sickness, distress and death, as well as strives to improve social relations and welfare among the members. The San Diego Police Officers Association members include over 98% of the San Diego Police force and represent all ranks within the department, including the Chief of Police. Visit www.sdpoa.org.

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