



# Lake County Sheriff's Office

Sheriff Frank Leonbruno

104 East Erie Street Painesville, Ohio 44077

## 2026 Hiring Anniversaries



The following members of the Lake County Sheriff's Office are celebrating service anniversaries in **June 2026**. We commend them for their years of service to the Sheriff's Office and to the citizens of Lake County.

TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Detective Corey Svagerko
TWENTY-THREE YEARS	Dispatcher Sue Furman
TWENTY YEARS	Lt. Kevin Raico
TWELVE YEARS	Correction Officer Dawn Brown
TEN YEARS	Sergeant Matt Pepperney
SEVEN YEARS	Corrections Officer Brian Sutyak, Deputy Justin Nevison
FIVE YEARS	Sergeant Cheyenne Earl
FOUR YEARS	Deputy Charles Gaylog, Clerk Ashley Coleman, Cook Michelle Cell
THREE YEARS	Correction Officer Dakota Martin, Correction Officer Sydney Hahner, HR/Finance Stephanie Gould, Deputy Don Tichel
ONE YEAR	Deputy Seth Moore, Correction Officer Yariana Padilla, Correction Officer Ayssa Sheid

### May 2026

TWENTY-NINE YEARS	Correction Officer David Keller
TWELVE YEARS	Deputy Shane Hopp
EIGHT YEARS	Sergeant Bryan Pate, Finance Suzanne Middendorf
SEVEN YEARS	Clerk Kathleen Ladovich
FIVE YEARS	Correction Officer Robert Rorhrbaugh
THREE YEARS	Deputy Bucyrus Palo, Deputy Ramon Mercado
TWO YEARS	Deputy Justin Stefancin
ONE YEAR	Correction Officer Houston Lovell

### April 2026

ELEVEN YEARS	IT Services Director Kevin Fogle
EIGHT YEARS	Finance Ian Reutsch, Sergeant Matthew Phillips
SIX YEARS	Deputy Kyle Kulisek, Correction Officer Sam Long
FOUR YEARS	Correction Officer Caleb Haynes, Correction Officer Ryan Kelley, Correction Officer Derek Moser
THREE YEARS	Dispatcher Jacob Ramkey
TWO YEARS	Dispatcher Ruby Tozzi, Correction Officer Taylor Case

PART-TIME	
TWO YEARS	Deputy Chris Leach, Court Services

### March 2026

TWENTY-NINE YEARS	Correction Officer Mark Thompson
TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Lt. Mario Eldridge
TWELVE YEARS	Michelle Shirk (Admin Assistant to the Sheriff and Chief)
ELEVEN YEARS	Correction Officer Jason Harm, Dispatcher Lara Scott
NINE YEARS	IT Specialist Marie Getch, Dispatcher Alexa Trumble
FIVE YEARS	Sergeant Danielle Trumble Correction Officer Guy Battaglia,
	Correction Officer Michael Ryan
FOUR YEARS	Deputy Taya Workum-Byers, Clerk Amanda Foit-Francis,
	Correction Officer Kevin Moore
THREE YEARS	Detective Matt Byers, Clerk Hailey Condon
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Gavin Ellinger, Correction Officer Reanna Martin
ONE YEAR	Correction Officer Trent Hardy

Part-Time

EIGHT YEARS	Clerk Helena Lorence
FOUR YEARS	Correction Officer David Crim

**February 2026**

TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS	Lt. Larry Harpster
TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Sgt. Robert Harps, Deputy Donovan Buchs
TWENTY-TWO YEARS	Dispatcher Adam LaSota
NINETEEN YEARS	Lt. Benjamin Longbons
TEN YEARS	Detective Steven Ross
EIGHT YEARS	Correction Officer Jordan Justice
SIX YEARS	Deputy Juan Rodriguez
FOUR YEARS	Correction Officer Nicholas Janecek
THREE YEARS	Correction Officer Richard Novak
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Devin Diekmann, Cook Joyce Stefanik
ONE YEAR	Correction Officer Dakota Hartz

**January 2026**

TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Clerk Alicia Summers
TWENTY-THREE YEARS	Captain Eric Vanjo
TWENTY-TWOYEARS	Correction Officer Timothy Akey
EIGHTTEEN YEARS	Lieutenant Matthew Darone
SIXTEEN YEARS	Cook Sharon Borris
ELEVEN YEARS	Deputy Dustin Majewski, Deputy Dan Glasier
NINE YEARS	Lieutenant Ryan Kirschner
SIX YEARS	Deputy Edwin Figueroa
FIVE YEARS	Correction Officer Cody Layman,
	Correction Officer Garrett Mason
FOUR YEARS	Deputy Joshua Robertson, Deputy James Fitzgerald
THREE YEARS	Deputy Frank Soukop, Correction Officer Cassandra Sellers,
	Correction Officer David Bainton, Deputy Sheriff Sean Pitrelli
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Robert Jefferson

Part-Time

FORTY-THREE YEARS	Deputy Al Ward
THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS	Deputy Sruly Wolf

**December 2025**

TWENTY-NINE YEARS	Capt. Dan Bachnicki, Deputy Joe Basco
TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Dispatcher Eric Higham
TWENTY-TWO YEARS	Deputy Robert Izzo
TWENTY YEARS	IT Specialist Michael Legan
NINETEEN YEARS	Deputy William Leonello
ELEVEN YEARS	Correction Officer Diana Marino
TEN YEARS	Dispatcher Molly Church
NINE YEARS	Deputy Christopher Cichon
SEVEN YEARS	Deputy Jessica Holt
SIX YEARS	Correction Officer Michele Anderson
FIVE YEARS	Deputy Bryant Matthews, Deputy Andrew Nye,
	Correction Officer Nigel Arnold, Dispatch Sergeant Sarah McCullough
FOUR YEARS	Deputy Stuart Edmonds, Correction Officer David Meadows,
	LPN Kerry Collins-Moore
THREE YEARS	Corrections Officer Meredith Homerick,
	Corrections Officer Christopher Glennon
ONE YEAR	Jail Trac Clerk Josie Wyman

Part-time	
ONE YEAR	Clerk Marissa Varney, SRO Deputy Larry Reik

**November 2025**

TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS	Assistant Clerical Administrator Melissa Kulchock
TWENTY-SIX YEARS	Lt. Martin Bontrager
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS	Deputy Dave Doughty
TWENTY-FOUR YEARS	Sgt. John Kelley
SEVENTEEN YEARS	Correction Officer Matthew Greig
ELEVEN YEARS	Sgt. Angela King
NINE YEARS	Dispatcher Jennifer Henry, Sergeant Amanda Cook
EIGHT YEARS	Lt. Samer Musleh, Sgt. Christopher Newell
SEVEN YEARS	Sgt. Michael Suschak, Deputy Joseph Samac
SIX YEARS	Sergeant Thomas McClurkin
FIVE YEARS	Sergeant Dana Fearing, Cook Rachel McFarland
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Sarah Yeckley, Nurse David Pinkham,
	Deputy Louis Peterlin, Correction Officer Coretta Curlee
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Elias Pizzaro, Correction Officer Jeremy Legg,
	Deputy Kurtis Moorehead

Part-time	
FOUR YEARS	RN Diane Snow
ONE YEAR	Clerk McKenna Naymick

**October 2025**

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS	Deputy Donald Durst
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS	Correction Officer Melissa Chernis
TWENTY-ONE YEARS	Deputy/Range Master Jeffrey Belle
TWENTY YEARS	Correction Officer Paul Sansalone
THIRTEEN YEARS	Clerk Edna Perez
FIVE YEARS	RN Kristina Morse
FOUR YEARS	Sergeant Brandon Joint, Clerk Sarah West,
	Dispatcher Chelsea Hounshell, Deputy James Fogarty
THREE YEARS	Correction Officer Nathan Cawrse, Correction Officer Jeff Kelleher,
	School Safety Officer Mark Rich, Correction Officer Brittanee Skrutsky
TWO YEARS	Correction Officer Desean Taylor, Clerk Mikayla Long,

Correction Officer Stephanie Chukwuma

Part-Time:  
FIFTEEN YEARS

Deputy Thomas Cotter (with Sheriff's Office since 1979 but retired from  
fulltime service)

TWO YEARS

Special Deputy Caroline Tackla

**September 2025**

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS  
THIRTY-ONE YEARS  
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS  
NINETEEN YEARS  
ELEVEN YEARS  
TEN YEARS  
NINE YEARS  
EIGHT YEARS  
SEVEN YEARS  
FIVE YEARS  
FOUR YEARS

Deputy Michael Reed  
Lt. Michele Prather, Correction Officer Daniel Hess  
Correction Officer Christopher Rohrbaugh  
Sgt. Monica Patterson  
Lieutenant Zachary Ropos  
Sergeant Officer Sean Szpak  
Sgt. Jackie Tracz  
Dispatcher Brandy Catanese  
Correction Officer Ryan Trumble  
Correction Officer Colton Tackett  
Correction Officer Jared Boosinger,  
Correction Officer Chrystian Balint, Deputy Tony Osap,  
Clerk LynnAnn Findley-Smith,  
Correction Officer Connor Green

THREE YEARS

Part-Time

FOUR YEARS

Deputy Paul Wilson

**August 2025**

TWENTY-TWO YEARS  
ELEVEN YEARS  
EIGHT YEARS  
SIX YEARS  
FOUR YEARS  
TWO YEARS  
ONE YEAR

Captain Scott Simpson  
Captain Bryan Bowen, Deputy Dominic Hren  
Correction Officer Mary Solivan  
Deputy Taylor Tekavic, Corrections Officer Regina Dublin  
Deputy Kayla Vandervort  
Correction Officer Cole Sundquist  
Correction Officer Michael Fimiani, Correction Officer Samantha Pavis

**July 2025**

THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS  
TWENTY-TWO YEARS  
SEVEN YEARS  
SIX YEARS  
FIVE YEARS  
FOUR YEARS  
THREE YEARS  
ONE YEAR

Dispatcher Dale Few  
Lieutenant Annie Lerman  
Deputy Garrett Stefancin  
Dispatcher Sydney Russell  
Deputy Brandon Savage  
Sergeant William Anderson, Corrections Officer Faith Koran  
Corrections Officer Wytavious Stanford  
Corrections Officer Brandon Silva, Corrections Officer Chantelle Kosley,  
Clerk Riley Finch

Part-time  
ONE YEAR

Clerk Nicole McCoy