

Sheriff's Department's 37th Annual Memorial Torch Relay Run

Friday, May 16, 2014, through Sunday, May 18, 2014

The California Peace Officer's Memorial Torch Relay run was established in 1976 to honor the memory of those brave, dedicated individuals in Los Angeles County who have sacrificed their lives in the performance of their duties.

Click [here](#) and [here](#) to see a history of the Memorial Torch Relay.

This three-day relay run consists of 59 stages, each approximately 4 to 12 miles in length, totaling 339 miles overall. The relay run will commence at the Sherman Block Sheriff's Headquarters Building and travel to each mainland sheriff's station. San Dimas Station personnel and their families will participate and carry the symbolic torch on Friday, May 16, 2014.

This stage of the relay will be approximately 6.2 miles, lasting about one hour. It will start at approximately 1:00 p.m. and end at about 2:00 p.m. We will begin near the intersection of Arrow Highway and Azusa Avenue, travel east on Arrow Highway to Bonita Avenue, east on Bonita Avenue to Walnut Avenue and the San Dimas Sheriff's Station. Walnut/Diamond Bar Station personnel will carry the torch from there toward the city of Walnut.



On Wednesday, May 21, 2014, the Memorial Flame at the Los Angeles County Peace Officers' Memorial Wall will be ignited in tribute to the fallen officers. Note: This is a special way to honor law enforcement and it is open to the public. This year's Memorial Torch Relay Run will honor the following officers:

Deputy Adolfo Celis
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW April 18, 1883

Constable Anton Harnischfeger
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW March 20, 1889

Deputy Constable Anthony Bryan Coutts
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW October 25, 1914

Constable John S. (Jack) Pilcher
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW June 4, 1925

Deputy James L. McDermott
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW August 26, 1931

Sergeant Raymond C. Willis
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
EOW April 15, 1957

Sergeant Leonard R. Luna, Jr.
Hawthorne Police Department
EOW July 8, 2013

Officer Nicholas Choung Lee
Los Angeles Police Department
EOW March 7, 2014

Officer Christopher Cortijo
Los Angeles Police Department
EOW April 9, 2014

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San Dimas Sheriff's Station is one of six stations within the East Patrol Division of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. The Station's jurisdiction encompasses approximately 276 square miles. In addition to serving the City of San Dimas, the station serves unincorporated communities of Azusa, Covina, Glendora, La Verne, Claremont, Pomona, the Los Angeles County portion of Mt. Baldy, a large portion of the Angeles National Forest (State Route 39), and portions of Angeles Crest Highway (Highway 2). The population for these areas is approximately one hundred and five thousand (105,000), nearly sixty-six thousand (69,000) in the unincorporated areas and more than thirty-six thousand (36,000) in the City of San Dimas.

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