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## ARLINGTON PD ANNUAL AWARDS CEREMONY CELEBRATES EMPLOYEES AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS

In March, Arlington PD hosted their Annual Awards Ceremony, celebrating APD employees and community partners who have gone above and beyond in service to the Arlington community over the past year.

More than 85 employees, volunteers, and organizations were nominated for Annual Awards across 16 categories. Recipients were honored for everything from providing vital assistance to hundreds of sexual assault survivors and using innovative strategies to solve high-profile murders, to disrupting auto-theft rings and building a thriving employee wellness program.

A TEXAS-sized thank you to Laura Harris NBC 5 for serving as the emcee -- and to the Arlington Police Foundation & ALL of the organizations who helped make this event possible! Congratulations to the winners!



Communitiy Engagement Officer of the Year Detective Stephen Lawson



**Professional Employee of the** 



**Detective of the Year** Detective Jesse Lathrop



Investigative & Tactical Officer of the Year Officer Colin Radford



**Professional Employee of the** 

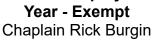


Rookie of the Year

**Year - Administrative** Mariana Rodriguez



East District Officer of the Year Corporal Jese James





North District Officer of the Year Officer Scott Neely



South District Officer of the Year Corporal Trinity Bruce



West District Officer of the Year Corporal Christopher Austin



Professional Supervisor of the Year Melissa Jones



Sworn Supervisor of the Year Sergeant Grant Gildon



**Overall Employee of the Year** Detective Nate Bishop & Detective Frank King



Business Partnership Award The Women's Center



**Citizens Community Award** Dr. Jaya Davis



## April 9 Volunteer Luncheon 11:30 am to 1:30 pm Arlington ISD Professional Development Center 1111 W. Arbrook Blvd.

April 11 Coffee with a Cop 9:00 am to 11:00 am Starbucks 1225 W. Bardin Rd. April 11 Scams and Safety 9:15 am to 10:15 am ACTIV 50+ Center 2061 W. Green Oaks Blvd.

April 12 Car Crime Prevention & Awareness Resource Day 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

St. Matthew Catholic Church 2021 New York Ave.

April 24 Cooking with Cops 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm George Stevens Park 400 W. Sanford St.

April 26 Drug Take Back 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

