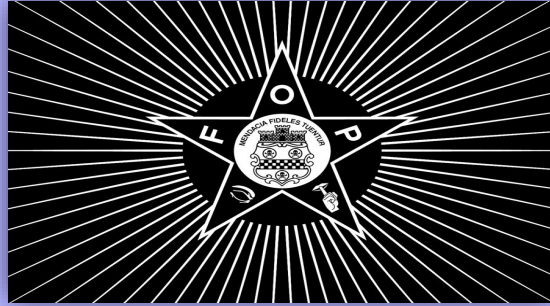


## September 2024



## Newsletter



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### President's Message

#### Emotionally Mature

An emotionally mature person is someone who has a good understanding of who they are. They always strive to keep their emotions in check, even when their name is slandered. They do not respond negatively, nor allow anyone to shame or condemn them. An emotionally mature person is slow to anger, slow to speak, and may bend but not break. They are okay with being vulnerable and showing empathy. An emotionally mature person has patience for others. Are you emotionally mature?

*"Doing More With Lodge 64 in 2024"*

### Secretary Corner

CallingPost is the platform that is used to send out information pertaining to meetings, training, events for the Lodge. It is sent to the email address and phone number that we have on file for you. **To receive the text message, it will come from "24251"** You must open the text and **type OK** in order for you to receive the text messages. **If you have unsubscribed in error to receive the emails from CallingPost, you will have to go to <https://apps.callingpost.com/email/subscribe> Once there, you will enter your email address and click on the "Yes subscribe to emails" button.**

Remember!!!

**Fulton County Lodge 64  
website:  
"GAFOPLODGE64.com"**

Brothers and Sisters,

In the month of October invoices will be going out to members who pay their dues for 2025. As a reminder the dues are \$120 for Active members who pay their own dues. For retired members the dues are \$60. The invoices will be mailed out to the address that we have on file for you. Ensure that we have your current address. If your address has changed, email Secretary Adrienne Grooms at [adriennegroomsfop@gmail.com](mailto:adriennegroomsfop@gmail.com).

### UPCOMING EVENTS

September 2024

#### **\*\*2024 General Meeting & Training Location\*\***

**General Meeting, Thursday,  
September 26, 2024 @ 6:00 PM**

**Training will start at 5:00 PM before the meeting. Class topic - Emotional Survival for L.E. Family**

**Woodward Academy Cafeteria  
1662 Rugby Ave.  
College Park, GA 30337**

*\*Light Refreshments will be served \**

On Saturday, September 28, 2024 at 7AM, firearms requalification session will be at the David L. Hagins Firing Range - 5301 Aldredge Rd College Park, GA 30349.

- ♦ Bring your own ammo, ear and eye protections, holster and double magazine pouch.
- ♦ Weapon magazine capacity is at least 12 rounds
- ♦ Wear BDU style pants, Golf style or T-shirt and a bib cap (i.e. baseball cap). **NO JEANS or SWEATPANTS**
- ♦ **Must have taken Use of Deadly Force De-escalation prior**

# "2024 Cops & Kids Christmas Community Service Project"



We need the awesome Brothers and Sisters of Lodge 64 to sponsor as many children/families as possible this year. The sponsorship is \$200.00 per family. If you would like to lend a helping hand with this project call 706.536.9362 email Sis. Andrea Thomas: [andreathomas@fop.net](mailto:andreathomas@fop.net) for more information. Your kindness will be greatly appreciated. (This is a taxable donation).



**"Doing More With Lodge 64"**



# "Lodge 64 Community Service"



Brothers and Sisters of Fulton County Lodge 64

We need you to come out and support the Union City Police Department with their "National Night Out " Event that will be held on Tuesday, October 01, 2024.

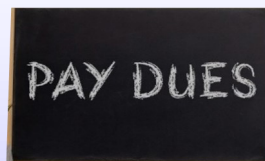


## JOIN THE UNION CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2024

MUSIC | COMMUNITY RESOURCES | FOOD | FUN ACTIVITIES

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2024 | 6:00 - 8:00 PM

**5047 UNION STREET**  
**UNION CITY, GA 30291**



The 2025 dues invoices will be mailed out on October 01, 2024. You can make payments via cash app (\$FCLodge64), PayPal (Go to the Fulton County Lodge 64 website-under pay my dues), cash, money orders or check. Deadline date for payments will be Tuesday, December 31, 2024.

Payments:      Active — \$120.00  
                     Retired — \$60.00



# Lodge 64 representing in the Lodge Jersey

Fulton County Lodge 64 always on the cutting edge of intervention in the Fraternal Order of Police. The Lodge as a fundraiser for the Lodge Foundation, members purchased the football style jersey with the Lodge motto of "Doing More With Lodge 64" on it along with your name on the back. **There is still time for you to purchase a Jersey. Contact the Lodge for more details.**



## FOP Jersey's Ready For Pick-Up

The following FOP Lodge 64 Jerseys are ready for pick up. Contact Sis. Andrea Thomas at the Lodge at 404.767.0501.

- ◆ Bro. P. James
- ◆ Sis. S. Rogers
- ◆ Sis. K. Beasley
- ◆ Bro. J. Middlebrooks
- ◆ Sis. R. Smith
- ◆ Bro. Harrell
- ◆ Bro. J. Ham
- ◆ Sis. K. Mayo



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## "Fulton County Lodge #64 website"

Find information from:

- ♦ National FOP
- ♦ Georgia FOP
- ♦ Meeting Dates
- ♦ Training Dates
- ♦ FOP member benefits
- ♦ FOP Legislation Reports



- ♦ Scholarship Application Information
- ♦ Executive Board Information
- ♦ Newsletters
- ♦ Membership Applications
- ♦ Lodge 64 Activities



[www.GAFOPLODGE64.COM](http://www.GAFOPLODGE64.COM)



# "Doing more with Lodge 64"

## WELCOME!

### Fulton County Sheriff's Office:

- ♦ Louis Brown
- ♦ Nathan Pollard - Retired

### Other Agencies:

- ♦ Gregory Gilstrap - Carver College PD
- ♦ Kenneth Hartsfield - Union City PD

### Reinstated:

- ♦ Courtney Richardson - FCSO

Welcome



## Fulton County Lodge #64 Officers Contact List

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# POWER of PRAYER



- ♦ Continued prayers Bro. Jeffery Rosser on the recent passing of his mother Mrs. Aretha Rosser.
- ♦ Continued prayers for Bro. Curtis Johnson on the recent passing of his brother, Henry Green Sr.



*"It is not the length of life, but the depth of life."*



# GET WELL



- ♦ Continue praying for health and a speedy recovery for Chaplain Alfred Francois
- ♦ Continue praying for health and a speedy recovery for Bro. Edward Gilmore
- ♦ Continue praying for health and a speedy recovery for Sis. Shirley Green

**\*\*Do you know of any member that maybe sick and/or in distress.  
Call 404.767.0501 and leave a message.\*\***





**Fraternal Order of Police  
Fulton County Lodge #64  
2896 East Point Street  
East Point, GA 30344**

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*Billie Jean King*

*Membership Applications QR Code*



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***"Doing More With Lodge 64!"***