

The Southborough Police Department, in conjunction with MassCop Local #167, is proud to announce our participation in the Pink Patch Project this year. The Pink Patch Project is a collaborative awareness campaign between many police departments throughout the country. The goal is to help raise money and bring awareness to the fight against breast cancer and to support breast cancer research.

It is estimated that approximately one in eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime. This disease can have a profound impact on the patient and her loved ones. It is a disease, however, that can be effectively treated with surgery, radiation therapy, hormone therapy and chemotherapy.

Throughout the month of October, those living in and traveling through town will notice that members of the S.P.D. will be replacing the normal patches on their uniform with a new pink version of the patch. This will be done to support those fighting and researching the disease, as well as in memory of those who have lost the battle.

Those same pink patches will also be available for sale for the months of August through October for \$10 each. **ALL** the proceeds from the sales will be donated to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute. Those interested in purchasing patches can come down to the station and ask the dispatcher on duty, or simply wave down a cruiser and ask the officer for a patch.

We hope that you will join us in supporting this great cause.

