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MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE UNVEILS NEWLY RENOVATED K-9 OBSTACLE COURSE

MCSO Grateful to Community Partners and Donors for Their Generosity

Chili, NY (February 4, 2020) – On today's date, February 4, 2020, the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, in collaboration with our generous donors Crime Stoppers, the O'Brien Family in memory of Kade O'Brien, Home Depot, Country Max, and Penfield Trophies, unveiled the newly renovated K-9 Obstacle Course, located at 145 Paul Rd., Chili.

Thanks to the generosity of our community partners and sponsors, the newly renovated K-9 Obstacle Course provides an opportunity for the MCSO's 12 K-9s, as well as K-9s from area law enforcement agencies, to continue to train to New York State Division of Criminal Justice standards on a state-of-the-art course. MCSO K-9s keep the community safe by providing handler protection, tracking capabilities to help find missing and wanted individuals, and specialty skills to include narcotics and nitrate detection.

"Our K-9s are valued, skilled, and a critical part of the MCSO team," said Monroe County Sheriff Todd K. Baxter. "K-9s accomplish multiple missions; drug enforcement, bomb identification, search and rescue operations and the apprehension of fleeing subjects. In addition, they are great public relations tools. K-9s take down criminals and break down barriers between the police and the public."

Renovations include replacing the wooden structure, designed more than 15 years ago, with new, durable manufactured materials more conducive to withstand the elements, updated signage, and the addition of picnic tables and tents for handlers and training staff.

A special thank you to the family of Kade O'Brien for honoring Kade's dreams and aspirations. Read more about Kade's story: <http://www.thekadeproject.com/>

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