



Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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**From: LIEUTENANT CINDA MOORE
COMMUNITY OUTREACH SECTION**

Re: HERNANDO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CITIZENS ACADEMY

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There are openings available for the **afternoon** and **evening** sessions of the next Hernando County Sheriff's Office Citizens Academy. The academy will begin on Thursday, April 28th from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. and/or 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. and will be held each Thursday, from April 28th-June 2nd, 2011.

The Hernando County Sheriff's Office Citizen's Academy gives citizens an insider's view of the Sheriff's Office and the criminal justice system. Throughout the six week course, citizens will observe demonstrations by K9 handlers, receive tours of the Sheriff's Office, and learn exciting facts about Forensics, Uniform Patrol, Traffic Unit, Administration, Investigations, Vice & Narcotics, Communications/911, Aviation & Marine Units, Mounted Patrol, SWAT and Detention Center.

Graduates of this course will have the option of riding along with a patrol deputy, observe in the Communications Center, or tour the jail. The Citizens Academy is offered to adults 18 years of age or older. If you would like to attend, please call Barbara Renfroe at 352-754-6830, ext 53678.