

LEON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Tip-A-Cop Event to Benefit Special Olympics

Each year, personnel from the Leon County Sheriff's Office participate in community events to benefit Special Olympics Florida. This year's Tip-a-Cop event will take place at the Longhorn Steakhouse located at 2400 North Monroe Street on **Thursday, August 25, 2011**.

Deputies, detectives and other members of the Leon County Sheriff's Office will be waiting tables and serving patrons. They will also be providing a brief statement about their purpose before soliciting "tips". All proceeds collected during the event will be donated to **Special Olympics Florida** and half of everything raised remains in Leon County to benefit the Leon County Special Olympics. Special Olympians do not pay for anything, including their lodging and meals.

The Tip-a-Cop event is a statewide campaign benefitting the Special Olympics. It occurs throughout the year with many law enforcement agencies. Over the last four years LCSO employees have donated over \$100,000 to Special Olympics Florida through fundraisers and payroll contributions. All money raised goes to the Special Olympic athletes. The Leon County Sheriff's Office has participated in the Tip-a-Cop event for 21 years.

Sheriff Larry Campbell will be there during the dinner hour to greet everyone and looks forward to seeing you there.

WHAT: Tip a Cop fundraiser to benefit Special Olympics Florida

WHERE: Longhorn Steakhouse, 2400 North Monroe Street

WHEN: Thursday, August 25, 2011
Lunch from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. and dinner from 5 P.M. to 9 P.M.

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