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SAN FERNANDO POLICE DEPARTMENT TO HOST NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2017

San Fernando, CA - On Tuesday, August 1, 2017, the San Fernando Police Department (SFPD), in partnership with the San Fernando Police Advisory Council and Neighborhood Watch partners, will join with thousands of communities nationwide for the "34th Annual National Night Out" crime and drug prevention event.

The SFPD is pleased to announce that several special guests will join the event including: United States Congressmember Tony Cardenas, 29th Congressional District; State Assemblymember Raul Bocanegra, 39th Assembly District; Mayor Sylvia Ballin, City of San Fernando; and Chief of Police Anthony Vairo, San Fernando Police Department. Also invited to attend are the other members of the San Fernando City Council: Vice Mayor Antonio Lopez and Councilmembers Joel Fajardo, Robert Gonzales, and Jaime Soto.

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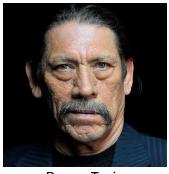
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The Host of Ceremonies for the evening will be television/movie actor and producer Danny Trejo who will be joined at the event by SFPD supporter and Radio Personality David Bugenske of GoCountry 105 FM Radio, America's most listened to Country Radio Station.

The SFPD is very excited to have special music guests "Honey County" performing the National Anthem and closing out the event with a mini concert. Honey County was one of the only independent bands to play the Stagecoach Festival this year and Rolling Stone Magazine named Honey County one of the "TOP BANDS YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR 2017" as well as one of "THE 26 BEST THINGS WE SAW AT CMA FEST".







Danny Trejo

Honey County

David Bugenske

National Night Out is designed to heighten crime and drug prevention awareness; generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime efforts; strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships; and send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

SFPD Chief Vairo said, "This event is an integral part of our commitment to enhancing community engagement and strengthening community support and trust. I encourage all residents and the folks who work in our City to please join us on August 1st. Our Police Department is committed to improving the quality of life for all. As the Chief of Police, I'm excited we are hosting this event for the 3rd year in a row and look forward to meeting and greeting many of our residents and community members."

National Night Out will take place on August 1, 2017, from 6 pm to 9 pm, in City Parking lot 6N, located at the corner of Maclay Avenue and First Street (right next to the Police Station). There will be free food, soft drinks and water, informational items and activities for children, along with giveaways for those who attend. In addition, the SFPD '56 Chevy Police Car will be on display for attendees to take pictures with in a specially arranged scene.

Residents, families, and community members of the City of San Fernando are encouraged to attend and share in a fun evening with neighbors and police officers.