

Cortland Junior Police Academy

**The Cortland Police Department,
Cortland Police Benevolent Association
and Cortland Prevention Resources**

Invite you to participate in the
Cortland Junior Police Academy

August 1st through the 12th, 2011

At the Wheeler Avenue Armory

Every day 8:00am till 3:30pm

Must be entering 9th through 12th grade

ONLY 20 APPLICANTS WILL BE ACCEPTED

Academy Fee: \$100.00/student

Candidates must prove a "C" or better school average and submit a letter of recommendation from a community leader.

Training Sessions Include basic Law Enforcement Training such as:

Crime Reporting

Crime Scene Investigations

Defensive Tactics

Physical Training

K-9 demonstration

Crime Fighting Skills

Police Ethics

S.W.A.T. demonstration

TASER DEMONSTRATION

About the Cortland Junior Police Academy

The academy will simulate actual law enforcement training. It will also expose positive, risk-reduction activities to decrease the prevalence and initiation of drug and alcohol use among our Cortland youth. The Cadet will learn laws and rules that apply to various situations that Cortland Police Officers may deal with on a regular basis. The Cadet will be put through classroom instruction followed by actual role plays that will give the teen an opportunity to experience situations that police officers face every day. It is our hope that the teen will better understand law enforcement while learning good decision making skills.

The academy will last two weeks and will be held at the former NYS National Guard Armory located on Wheeler Avenue in the city of Cortland. The schedule will consist of daily physical training (running and modified police academy exercises), classroom instruction and scenario training. Shower facilities will be provided on site. One of the days will partially be spent with the NYS National Guard, working on team building exercises while being taught an anti-drug curriculum. The Guard will provide instructors, a Rock Climbing Wall and ropes course. Students will receive 2 t-shirts, 1 polo, 1 pair of shorts, an academy hat and a pair of BDUs. We require that the teens wear athletic sneakers every day. The academy will start at 8:00am and end at 3:30pm. Teens will be given a lunch break every afternoon.

For further information about the Cortland Junior Police Academy, please contact Officer Reyngoudt at SRO@cortlandschools.org.

Cortland Junior Police Academy Application

Name _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____

Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Contact Phone Number _____

Date of Birth _____ ADULT SIZES Shirt size: S M L XL Pant size: S M L XL

(All applicants are subject to a background check)

Attach Letter of Recommendation to this application.

\$100.00 is required at time of application submission. *Make checks payable to the Cortland Junior Police Academy*

Reason for attending: _____

Parent or legal guardian signature: _____ Date _____

By signing this form, I give my child permission to participate in the Cortland Junior Police Academy. I also give permission to use any photographs generated during the Junior Academy. The purpose of these photographs would be for future Cortland Junior Police Academy publication.

Return this form to the Cortland Police Department.

BDU Waist Sizes in Inches

Small ----- 27to 31

Medium ----- 31 to 35

Large ----- 35 to 39

X Large ----- 39 to 43

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