



# Benedictine University

## Police News



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### New Policing Initiative “Benedictine Police Bike Unit”



Officer Rizzi with approval from Chief Salatino organized Benedictine University’s Police Bike Unit, which will allow University Police Officers assigned to the Bike Unit to be more available to the community; allow for better contact between police officers and members of the campus community, while providing extra presence at Benedictine events. If the Bike Unit is successful this season, more officers and additional Police Bikes will be patrolling the campus in the future.

### Do you know who I am?



**Officer Derek Ferguson**

Officer Derek Ferguson has (17) years experience as a police officer. Derek comes to us from the Cook County Hospital Police Department. Officer Ferguson is assigned to the afternoon shift and is a Residence Hall Resource Officer for Jeager Hall and Founder’s Woods. Officer Ferguson was recently awarded “Officer of the Month.”

### High-Tech. Security Cameras for Residence Hall Safety



Security Cameras and I.D. Card readers have been installed at the entrances to Jaeger Hall, Ondrak Hall and Nuezil Hall.

These security measures are the next step in the new millennium, to help increase the safety of our student residents.



Students will now have to swipe their student I.D. Cards to gain entry to the residence halls.

These cameras will be monitored (24/7) by the University Police Emergency Dispatchers. The University Police Department will record all persons entering and leaving each residence hall via security cameras and I.D. card access readers.