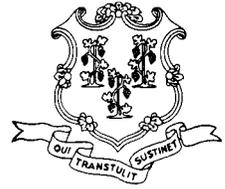




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STATE POLICE VISIT HARTFORD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Today at 9:00 a.m. the Connecticut State Police will present a public safety program at the Dominic Burns School 195 Putnam Street Hartford.

State Troopers will visit the student body and present a program on the State Police K-9 teams. Troopers will demonstrate the various ways in which the K-9 teams are used throughout the State of Connecticut. The students will see several demonstrations on the skills of the K-9 teams.

Trooper-1 the State Police helicopter that will be on aerial patrol will make a brief scheduled landing at 10:00 a.m. at the school. At the landing site the State Police Pilot and crew will describe the capabilities of Trooper-1 and how the helicopter is used by State and Local Police Departments and how the aircraft serves the people of Connecticut.

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