



**California Highway Patrol  
SANTA FE SPRINGS AREA  
Hacienda Heights Improvement Association  
May 15, 2023**



**TRAFFIC COLLISIONS**

- 2023 Traffic Collisions Year-to Date (YTD):  
As of January 1, 2023, there are approximately **183** crashes reported.  
There was a total of **596** traffic collisions reported in 2022.
  
- Monthly Traffic Collisions:  
April 2023: There was a total of **53** traffic collisions compared to March of 2023 with a total of **38** traffic collisions. Traffic collisions *increased by 39%*.
  
- Current Month Collisions-to-date:  
As of May 12, 2023, there have been **6** traffic collision reported (completed).

**TRAFFIC COMPLAINTS/ENFORCEMENT**

- Do you have a traffic complaint? Please send us an email with your concern to the following:  
[550trafficcomplaints@chp.ca.gov](mailto:550trafficcomplaints@chp.ca.gov)
- Additional patrols are occurring at various school zones throughout the Hacienda Heights area during the month of May, for the safety of our students/families. Citations issued have included stop sign violations, speeding violations, distracted driver violations and unsafe turning movements, among numerous other violations

**TRAFFIC SAFETY TIPS**

- May is Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month!
- Be sure to ride with the proper safety equipment: helmet, long pants, jackets, gloves, etc.
- Do not drive above your abilities or the abilities of the equipment you are riding.
- The CHP Santa Fe Springs Area can provide Motorcycle Safety Classes as needed by demand.

**NEWS**

The mission of the California Highway Patrol is to provide the highest level of safety, service, and security to the people of California.

The CHP Santa Fe Springs Area, in partnership with the CHP Southern Division Impaired Driver Task Force (IDTF) conducted saturated enforcement on April 15<sup>th</sup>, to find and remove impaired drivers from the roadways. During the operation, 38 DUI arrests were made, 1 felony (pursuit) arrest, 12 citations issued (moving violations), 173 verbal warnings issued, 35 vehicles impounded, and 24 field sobriety tests conducted and determined not impaired.

The CHP Santa Fe Springs Area is starting a NEW SENIOR VOLUNTEER Program! Interested in serving your local CHP office? Are you 55 years or older? Available for 4 hours a week? This program is for you!

The Santa Fe Springs Area has three Officers assigned to our Community Outreach and Program Services unit. These Officers are on special assignment, and provide specific enforcement to our school zone areas, and traffic complaints as well as community activities which include parade details.

## COMMUNITY WORKSHOP/PRESENTATION HIGHLIGHT

The California Highway Patrol Santa Fe Springs Area provides numerous workshops/presentations available to our local community. *This portion of the discussion will highlight one of the many programs available.*

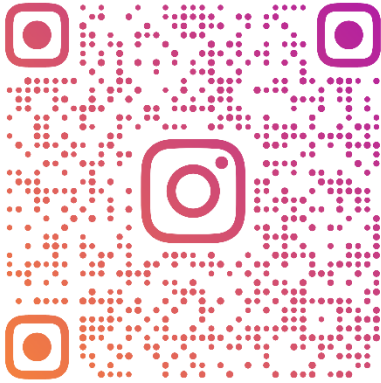
### ***Impact Teen Drivers***

Impact Teen Drivers (ITD) is a non-profit program focused on saving teen lives through education. The program is designed for attendance by teens with their parents. ITD provides education on the causes of collisions among teen drivers with a strong focus on distractions and risky driving behaviors behind the wheel as well as an explanation of the Graduated Driver License (GDL) requirements.

Included in the presentation are affected family members who have lost a loved one in a teen involved collision. Their stories not only share a tragedy in a way that is emotionally impactful, they also bring home the message of how easy these tragedies are to avoid simply by removing distractions, driving responsibly, and following the GDL restrictions.

**FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICES PLEASE VISIT:** [www.chp.ca.gov/programs-services](http://www.chp.ca.gov/programs-services)

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