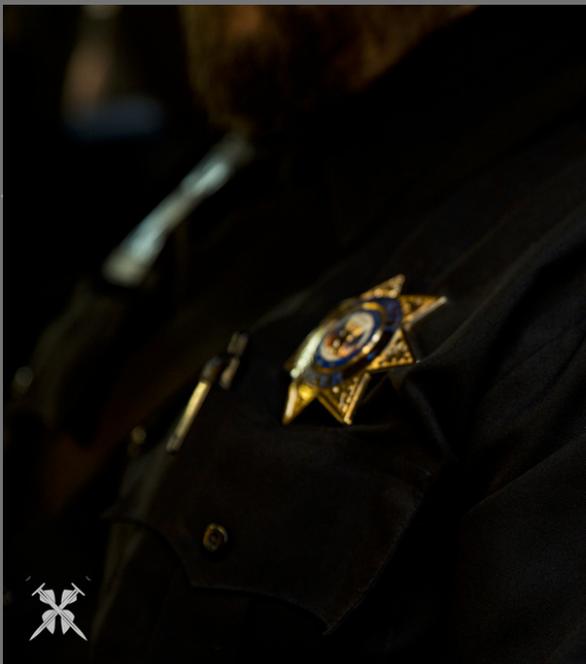


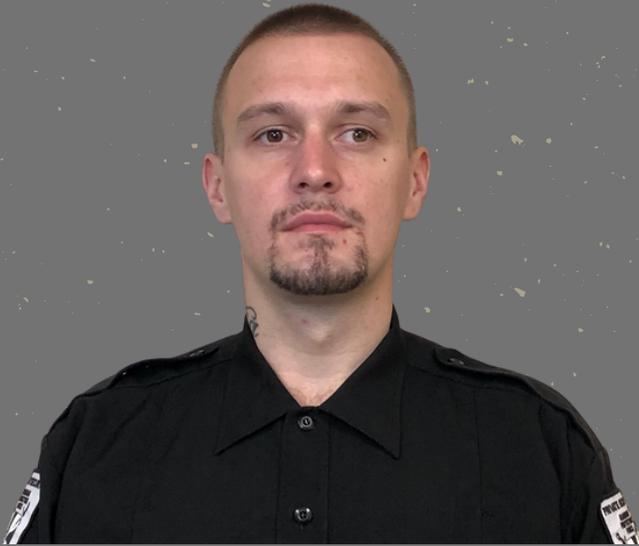
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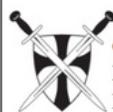
# EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH: FIELD TRAINING OFFICER ROBERT NEYMAN

## NAVIGATING THE TRYING TIMES OF COVID-19

To keep GPF from peril our admin team worked tirelessly for days and weeks to reduce the negative impact to our employees and clients. While there were lean times the process worked and GPF has gained more than it has lost. Guardian Protection Force Inc., did not need to downsize our location, in fact we are in the process of purchasing a bigger and better location. GPF did not need to remove Security Officer Benefits, all uniformed officers got a slight raise and 401Ks are still offered to our security professionals. Surprisingly, we did not suffer huge turnovers either. Most of the Security Staff and Officers remain at Guardian despite the challenges of the pandemic. Read more [here](#).



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## MEET LT. SPAID

Guardian is very happy to introduce our latest addition to the ranks, Lieutenant Davis Spaid. If the name sounds familiar, then you probably met him while at Security and Firearms Training Academy he was employed as a class instructor and business manager there. Guardian has a policy of hiring or promoting the right person for the right position. If the right person does not exist then that position will remain vacant. To put that in context, Guardian has not had a lieutenant in over three years.

Lt. Spaid qualifications for this role of Lieutenant are beyond reproach. Lt. Spaid has had a prominent career in both law enforcement and security. He served as a police officer in South Lake Tahoe, a Peace Officer for Nevada State of Corrections in Lovelock, a domestic violence response officer for CA POST, a court appealed expert witness for use of force, and an executive protection agent for several celebrities as well as two U.S Presidents and a Secretary of State. Lt. Spaid has also created a list of programs to instruct and inform the public on proper use of firearms and non-lethal devices.

## WOMEN DOMINATING THE BODYGUARD INDUSTRY

*In 1970 Phillis Shantz became the first female to become an officer in, what is now known as, the Uniformed Division of the Secret Service. A year later she and four other women became the first Special Agents. During the Nixon Administration Executive Order 11478 was signed which provided equal opportunities to all federal employees. Women were hired as agents and assigned to female protectees. Unfortunately, it would be many years later until non-federal women employees were able to receive the same opportunities. However, in the decades that followed women have made their mark in the world of security and more notably executive protection. Continue reading here.*

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## NATIONAL K-9 VETERANS DAY

During the last century K-9 units, both on and off the battlefield, have played a pivotal role in providing security for soldiers and the public. K-9s in security and law enforcement are invaluable and have been for over a hundred years. Read more here.



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