

RESERVE OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Reserve Officer Rocque Lopez Senior has been selected as this year's Port Hueneme Police Department Reserve Officer of the year. The Oxnard Shriner's Club sponsored the award ceremony on November 9, 2006.

His unique personality, work ethic, dedication to duty, and volunteerism has made the selection of this award an easy choice.

From 1985 to 1987 he was a Reserve Officer with the Department, before resigning to pursue other interests. In 1985 he was selected as the Department's Reserve Officer of the Year.



Reserve Officer Rocque Lopez Sr. receives award from Commander Ken Dobbe

He rejoined the Port Hueneme Police Department in January 2006 after putting himself through the Ventura County Police and Sheriff's Reserve Academy. Since he returned, Officer Lopez has dedicated several hundred hours to the Department, and with our shortage of personnel, this has been a tremendous help to our Patrol Officers.

Officer Lopez works for Oxnard High School as an Attendance Coordinator and Truancy Officer. Officer Lopez has been married for 23 years and has five children.

Carrying on a law enforcement tradition, his son, Rocque Lopez Junior, is employed as a K-9 Officer with the Port Hueneme Police Department. In fact, seeing his son in law enforcement re-sparked his own interest and Officer Lopez would like to become a full time Officer.