

Citizen’s Law Enforcement Academy Weeks Two & Three

Lincoln County Sheriff's Office

LINCOLNTON, N.C. - The Lincoln County Sheriff's Office Citizen’s Police Academy participants learned about crime scene processing, during their second week of this program. Lieutenant Dylan Houser began the class with an overview of Lincoln County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division, explained how cases are assigned, discussed how crime scenes are processed, and went over law enforcement considerations at crime scenes.

The class was then given the opportunity to see how a crime scene is processed and the tools used to do so. This allowed the participants an up-close look at how crime scenes are photographed, processed, searched, and how evidence is collected. Each participant then made a shoe impression, using a foam mold, which they cast with dental stone, allowing them to see how shoe impressions are collected as evidence at a crime scene.