

DPD Supports DPAC, Downtown Vitality

Security matters took center stage months before the grand opening of the Durham Performance Arts Center (DPAC) on Monday, December 1. The Durham Police Department (DPD) developed operational plans and coordinated several meetings with administrators and staff of DPAC and the City's Office of Economic & Workforce Development to help ensure enjoyable experiences for patrons of DPAC's grand opening festivities and subsequent performance seasons.

Police District 5 is home to leisure venues including DPAC, Durham Bulls Athletic Park, American Tobacco Historic District, Carolina Theatre and Durham Farmers' Market. The Police Department is committed to working with Durham's corporate citizens and event managers to showcase the city's attractions.



Grand Opening at the Durham Performing Arts Center (DPAC) which features a 2,800 seat performance theatre and 6,100 square foot stage.



Official ribbon cutting ceremony included Durham City Council members, DPAC executives, community leaders and area mascots.



Officers stroll through the 100,000 square foot facility.



District 5 police officers await the beginning of festivities.



Renowned dancer and choreographer Chuck Davis greets the crowds.

