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**NEWS RELEASE
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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Sheriff's Department Regional Academy Graduation Ceremony

MODESTO, CA-The Stanislaus County Sheriff's Regional Training Center in partnership with San Joaquin Delta College is proud to announce the graduation Police Academy Class 167. The graduation ceremony will be on Friday June 20, 2008 at 1:00 pm. Over 1000 family, friends, and guest are expected to attend this event.

Police Academy Class 167 started on January 7, 2007 with 76 cadets. The class will graduate with 59 cadets who have complete 24 weeks of intense physical and mental training. Of the 59 cadets graduating, 35 of them are sponsored and have jobs waiting for them after graduation. Agencies sponsoring cadets include; Escalon PD (1), Los Banos PD (2), Lodi PD (1), Modesto PD (2), Oakdale PD (1), Ripon PD (1), Stockton PD (10), Turlock PD (4), Woodland PD (1), Calaveras County Sheriff (1), San Joaquin County Sheriff (5), Stanislaus County Sheriff (4), and Tuolumne County Sheriff (2). Chiefs and Sheriff's will be swearing in their new officers and deputies during the graduation ceremonies. **The graduation ceremony will be on Friday, June 20, 2008 at 1:00 pm at Big Valley Grace Church located at 4040 Tully Road in Modesto Ca.**

Here are some interesting facts about Police Academy Class 167. The class started with 76 recruits seated on day one and ended with 59 recruits, largest graduating class since 1975. The class as a group lost a total weight of 408 pounds. Each recruit had approximately 100 hours of structured physical training time and ran approximately 54 miles during the 24 week training program, totaling over 3,100 miles as a group!

For more information about police academy training, contact the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Regional Training Center at (209) 525-4701 or go to the website www.stanislaussheriff.com or www.sheriffstraining.org.

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