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OCPD TO HOLD FUNDRAISING EVENT FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

The Ocean City Police Department is partnering with The Blue Ox to raise money for the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics. The fundraiser, which is being held on May 27, 2009 from 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at The Blue Ox, will donate 100% of its proceeds to Special Olympics.

The entry fee for the event is a \$5.00 donation and includes a full buffet. In addition, the evening will include appearances from Great Scott Broadcasting, music from DJ Batman and a silent auction with prices ranging from gift certificates, sports items, amusement park passes and much more.

The Law Enforcement Torch Run began in 1981 and has since raised millions of dollars, as well as increased awareness, for Special Olympics. In 2008, the Law Enforcement Torch Run raised \$34 million for Special Olympics around the world, \$10,000 of which was donated by the Ocean City Police Department.

For additional information regarding the fundraiser or to make a donation, please contact Ocean City Police Lieutenant Richard Currence at 410.723.6629.