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Calendar

July 23, 2011
Third Anniversary,
founding of the
Border Patrol
Foundation

Friday, Nov 4, 2011
BPF Press Conference
National Press Club
Washington, DC

Friday, Nov 4, 2011
Third Annual BPF
Recognition Dinner,
Mayflower Renaissance
Washington, DC

BPF Launches New Interactive Website

The Border Patrol Foundation invites you to enjoy the new, interactive website dedicated to the Agents and families of the U.S. Border Patrol by honoring the memory of the U.S. Border Patrol agents killed or injured in the line of duty. The website provides a streaming list of the fallen, video, links, and the latest news. Login access for members and partners will commemorate the third anniversary of the foundation and provides opportunities to add to the BPF Journal and receive priority information. Facebook will also be available to share USBP Sector news and accomplishments. For more information, contact pat.wilder@borderpatrolfoundation.org.

Visit the new **BORDERPATROLFOUNDATION.ORG**



“HONOR FIRST”

Hector R. Clark, 39 and Eduardo Rojas, Jr., 35, were killed on May 12, 2011, west of Gila Bend, Arizona, while intercepting drug smugglers. They were on duty driving an unmarked official car when it was struck by a 90-car freight train at the rail crossing near Interstate 8.

“At least 3,000 friends, family, and dignitaries attended the funeral services for Agents Hector Clark and Eduardo Rojas, Jr. The ceremonies included bagpipes and drums, a 21 gun salute, two horseless rider processions, missing man flyover formation by CBP helicopters, and ‘Taps’ by uniformed buglers. CBP Deputy Commissioner David Aguilar (former USBP Chief), Yuma Chief Patrol Agent Steve Martin, Chief Ron Colburn (Ret.) and Rosalie Rosas, wife of agent Robert Rojas, met privately where checks were presented to Neddy Clark and Sayde Rojas and their families with accompanying letters.” —Ron Colburn, Treasurer



Hector Clark



Eduardo Rojas, Jr.



Chief Luis Barker (USBP Ret) presents support to Brenda Quintana, Rojas' sister in El Paso services



Children line Yuma street for Agents Clark, Rojas

Motorola Solutions has joined the BPF as a National Partner and will be represented on the Founders Committee by Mark McNulty, MSSI Vice President, Columbia, Maryland. Motorola Solutions delivers the technology solutions for border security wireless communications that enhance the safety of agents in the moments that matter.

SAVE THE DATE Annual BPF Recognition Dinner at the Mayflower Renaissance, Washington DC



The Annual Recognition Dinner of the BPF will be held November 4, 2011, following a national press conference and executive meetings. Last year's award recipients included CBP Deputy Commissioner David Aguilar, former Chief of the USBP; Steve Burns, Executive Producer, National Geographic Channel *Border Wars*; and Chief David Ham, USBP (Ret), Chairman of the Board of Governors, National Border Patrol Museum. Reduced hotel room rates are available upon request.

Contact pat.wilder@borderpatrolfoundation.org for tables/guest rooms information.