



# Abbotsford Police Department

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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Incident: Operation Lodestar endorsed by Abbotsford Bar Watch and Abbotsford Post Secondary Institutions**

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Operation Lodestar, the Abbotsford Police initiative created to include parents in positive mentoring and anti-gang efforts, has been enthusiastically received by Abbotsford Bar Watch and the University of the Fraser Valley, Columbia Bible College, Summit Pacific College and Sprott Shaw Community College. The Abbotsford Police are pleased to have their messaging received by audiences of current and potential future parents.

The Lodestar posters and fact sheets will be found in the halls of higher learning and in licensed establishments such as The Baron Bar and Grill, Finnegans, The Duke of Dublin, Characters, Sneakers, Sammy J. Peppers, Tradex, Wigleys, Earls, Milestones, The Old Spaghetti Factory and the Abbotsford Entertainment and Sports Complex. The Abbotsford Police appreciates the continued engagement and support from the people, businesses and organizations in Abbotsford and beyond.

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To make Abbotsford the safest city in B.C.*