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**"SWEET"  
ON SAFETY**



Lieutenant Carroll Burnette, Jefferson Lab Security Officer

Lieutenant Carroll Burnette, a Top Guard Security Officer assigned to Jefferson Lab, hands out "Think Safety" lollipops to JLab staff and users entering the Accelerator Site. Top Guard officers passed out 300 lollipops and 3000 "Safety First" mints during June – raising safety awareness with a smile and the sweet reminders. This is the third year that Top Guard has distributed small treats imprinted with safety messages.

To keep safety at the forefront of their work, Top Guard has a monthly calendar that provides a JLab specific safety tip for each day. Safety tips are briefed at the beginning of each shift and are shared with the JLab community. Recently Chris Stuart, Top Guard's Vice President of Client Relations & Business Development, spoke with JLab's Worker Safety Committee to share with them what Top Guard officers are doing to promote safety awareness and safe practices.

June of each year has been designated National Safety Month. The federal government, states and many businesses and industry encourage involvement and raised awareness on a range of safety issues and concerns with the goal of reducing injuries both on and off the job.

Many activities and informational material for the awareness month is provided by the National Safety Council.

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