

# RPD Activities for National Gun Violence Awareness Month: June 2021

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## 6/4 9am

**Location:** Nash Square,  
200 S. McDowell Street

**Event:** Kick-off event /  
Proclamation read, Chief's  
comments, Moms Demand  
Action comments, tie ribbons  
to trees

## 6/4 11am-3pm

**Location:** Personal Defense &  
Handgun Safety Center,  
301 Tryon Road

**Event:** RPD tent set up with  
officers talking with patrons  
about gun safety, distributing  
gun locks, orange wrist  
bands, and information

## 6/5 12pm-1pm

**Location:** Point Blank  
Firearms Safety & Personal  
Defense,  
1631 Midtown Pl, Ste. 104

**Event:** Officers will talk with  
attendees at the Firearm  
safety class

## 6/11 10am

**Location:** Carolina  
Gunrunners,  
1141 Falls River Ave., Ste. 110

**Event:** Officers will talk with  
attendees at the Firearm  
safety class about gun safety  
and distribute gun locks,  
orange wrist bands; etc.

## 6/4 11am-3pm

**Location:** Lawmen's  
Distribution, 3319 Anvil Place

**Event:** RPD tent set up with  
officers talking with patrons  
about gun safety, distributing  
gun locks, orange wrist  
bands, and information

## 6/4 12pm-5pm

**Location:** Triangle Shooting  
Academy, 6501 Mt. Herman Rd.

**Event:** RPD tent set up with  
officers talking with patrons  
about gun safety, distributing  
gun locks, orange wrist bands,  
and information

## 6/11

**Location:** Dover Apartments,  
706 Wexford Dr

**Event:** Location of recent  
homicide; Host a combination  
events including distribution of  
food, gun locks, orange wrist  
bands, and info. on gun safety.  
(Hoping to include Fire, EMS,  
Kona Ice and RPD cruisers)

## 6/12 9am-10am

**Location:** Eagle One,  
4410 Craftsman Dr

**Event:** Officers will set up inside and  
talk with patrons about gun safety  
and distribute gun locks, orange  
wrist bands, and information

## 6/15 4pm

**Location:** Overlook at Simms Creek Apartments, 4730 Archean Way

**Event:** Officers will attend monthly community meeting and talk about gun safety; answer questions; provide gun locks and orange wrist bands

## 6/19 10am-1pm

**Location:** OnPoint shooting range, 3501 Spring Forest Rd

**Event:** Officers will talk with attendees at the Firearm safety class about gun safety and distribute gun locks, orange wrist bands; etc.

## 6/25 11am-3pm

**Location:** Personal Defense & Handgun Safety Center, 301 Tryon Road

**Event:** RPD tent set up with officers talking with patrons about gun safety, distributing gun locks, orange wrist bands, and information

## 6/27 10am-12pm

**Location:** Tierra Deseable Church, 2411 E. Millbrook Rd.

**Event:** Officer will give a presentation about the police department and answer questions from the church members with a goal of building and maintaining community trust and incorporate firearm safety

## 6/18 11am-3pm

**Location:** Lawmen's Distribution, 3319 Anvil Place

**Event:** RPD tent set up with officers talking with patrons about gun safety, distributing gun locks, orange wrist bands, and information

## 6/22 10am-11am; 6:30pm-7:30pm

**Location:** ZOOM presentation (link will be posted closer to event date)

**Event:** Officers will participate in monthly community meeting and discuss gun safety; answer questions;

## 6/26 12pm-1pm

**Location:** Point Blank Firearms Safety & Personal Defense, 1631 Midtown Pl, Ste. 104

**Event:** Officers will set up inside and talk with patrons about gun safety and distribute gun locks, orange wrist bands, and information

## Additional Activities

- Orange Wrist Bands – distributed to community
- Orange ribbons – placed on RPD vehicles
- Gun safety locks – distributed at all RPD District locations and at various community events
- Orange ribbons tied on trees throughout the city
- Buildings illuminated with orange lights
  - District Stations (Except NED)
  - Fayetteville Street towers
  - Raleigh Police memorial
  - Lighting at the base of the former Police Headquarters (110 McDowell St)
  - Municipal Building (222 W Hargett St)
  - Memorial Auditorium
  - Convention Center Shimmer Wall
  - New Hope Baptist Church
  - Marsh Creek Community Center
  - Abbott's Creek Community Center
  - 1 Glenwood Ave
  - Governor's Mansion
  - Holiday Inn Downtown