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BEAVERTON COMMUNITY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT GROUPS HONOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

Beaverton, Oregon- The Beaverton Police Department is partnering with members of the Washington County Family Justice Collaborative to honor Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Taking place every October, the goal is to support survivors of domestic violence in our communities and to show those currently experiencing family violence that help is available.

This year, the Washington County Family Justice Collaborative is hosting the first-annual Run for Hope. This family-friendly 5k walk/run takes place Sunday, October 8th at Hillsboro's Hare Field. It is open to the public and members of the media are invited to attend. More information and registration information can be [found here](#).

Several law enforcement agencies are also hosting Coffee with a Cop events at various locations around Washington County. Community engagement teams will be on hand along with officers to meet with community members and to share information about resources available to those experiencing domestic violence.

In addition to these events, community members are also encouraged to participate in Wear Purple Day on Thursday, October 19th. Wear purple to show your support for family violence survivors. Take a selfie or group photo and post it to social media using #WashCoWearsPurple!

For more information about these events and to see resources available to community members,

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