NAPERVILLE POLICE DEPT PROGRAM - Traffic Safety Merit Badge Workshop

Thursday, October 16th, 2014 - 4:00-6:15 p.m. or 6:30-8:45 p.m. FLIER WITH INFORMATION

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- 3A. Using your family car or another vehicle, demonstrate that all lights and lighting systems in the vehicle are working. Describe the function and explain why each type of light is important to safe driving.
- 3D. Demonstrate with a smear-and-clear test if the windshield wiper blades will clear the windshield completely or need to be replaced. Describe instances in good and bad weather when windshield washers are important to safe driving.

If you choose to complete these 2 requirements before the workshop, you must bring proof of completion (written work, note, pictures etc.) and you will earn the badge that evening. If these 2 requirements are not complete, you may still attend, however before you can earn the badge you will need to finish those requirements on your own.