

SUPERINTENDENT'S BLOG

ROCKAWAY BOROUGH SCHOOLS--SEPTEMBER 24, 2018



**ROCKAWAY
BOROUGH HIRES A
CLASS III OFFICER**

WELCOME MARK ROGALSKY

Rockaway Borough Schools is very happy to welcome Mark Rogalsky as our new Class III Officer. Class III officers provides school districts with an additional law enforcement presence and one more option to make their schools safer and more secure. Mark's hiring is the result of a joint effort between the Rockaway Borough Police Department and the Board of Education affirming the district and the Borough's commitment to the safety and well-being of our entire school community.

Recently retired from Rockaway Township, Mark has 29 years of Law Enforcement and Detective experience including eight years as a School Liaison Officer. He has deep roots in the Borough attending both Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson as a student before moving on to Morris Hills High School. His mother Joan was a Rockaway Borough staff member for many years at Lincoln Elementary.

Mark will be on duty in the district whenever school is in session and students are in the building. As a Class III officer, he is hired through the Rockaway Borough Police Department for the explicit purpose of providing security to schools and their students. In preparation for the position, he received and will continue to receive training through our local squad. He will have presence in both Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson and assist building administrators with required security drills and anything else that involves student safety.