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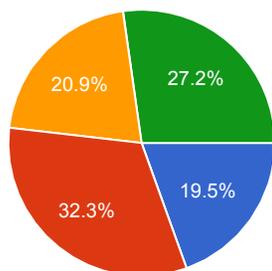
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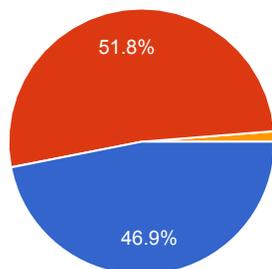
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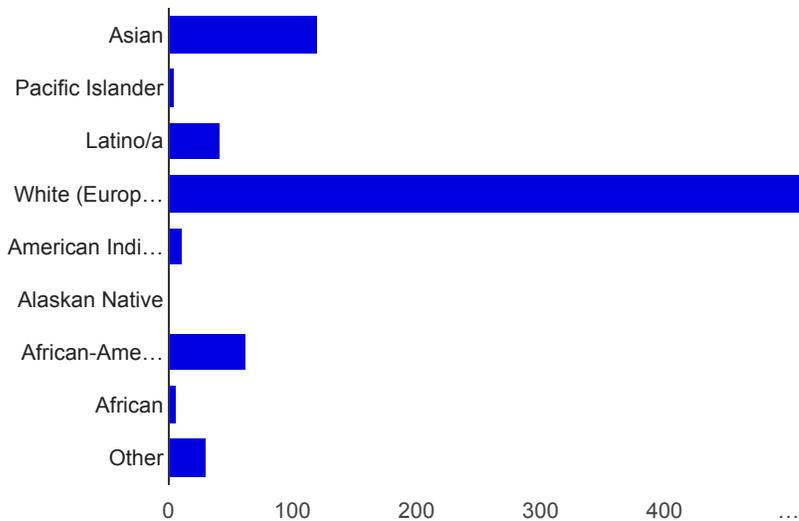
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10	230	32.3%
11	149	20.9%
12	194	27.2%

Gender



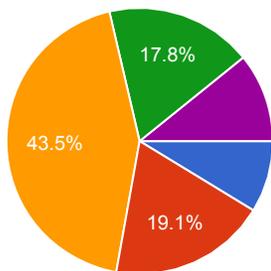
Female	334	46.9%
Male	369	51.8%
Other	9	1.3%

Ethnic Group



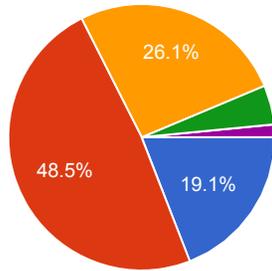
Alaskan Native	0	0%
African-American	63	8.8%
African	7	1%
Other	31	4.4%

1. Do you think your ethnicity is a factor in your interactions with the IPD?



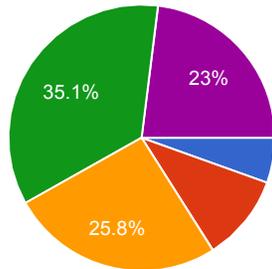
Strongly Agree	62	8.7%
Agree	136	19.1%
Unsure	310	43.5%
Disagree	127	17.8%
Strongly Disagree	77	10.8%

2. As of November 2015, IPD officers must turn on a body camera before every law enforcement operation. Do you think this will improve community relations.



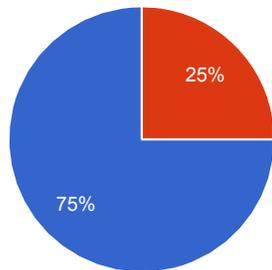
Strongly Agree	136	19.1%
Agree	345	48.5%
Unsure	186	26.1%
Disagree	34	4.8%
Strongly Disagree	11	1.5%

3. How comfortable would you feel asking an IPD officer for help?



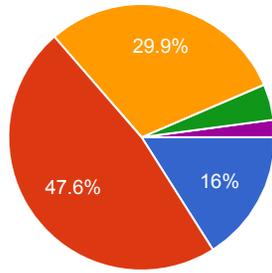
1	39	5.5%
2	75	10.5%
3	184	25.8%
4	250	35.1%
5	164	23%

4. Have you seen IPD officers at any of the events you attend?



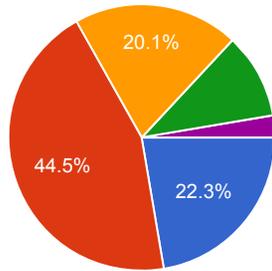
Yes	534	75%
No	178	25%

5. Do you think the IPD is doing the best job they can to make Ithaca a safe place to live?



Strongly Disagree 15 2.1%

6a. Do you feel safe when you see an IPD officer and you are doing nothing wrong?



Strongly Agree 159 22.3%
 Agree 317 44.5%
 Unsure 143 20.1%
 Disagree 74 10.4%
 Strongly Disagree 19 2.7%

6b. Why or Why Not?

- unsure
- I don't know
- Unsure
- idk
- I don't know.
- Idk
- asdf
- Because I know that they are there to help.
- I feel that if anything were to happen they would be there to help
- Because I'm not doing anything wrong
- IDK



Because all of the stuff that the cops are doing to people

..

Because I know they won't stop me and if im not doing anything wrong

:)

they have guns

They do not mind me.

I don't feel threatened by the police.

i havent been around thepolice much

because ive never done anything bad or illeagal

a

Because even if I did nothing wrong seeing police officers makes me anxious, i don't know why.

Well, if i'm not doing anything wrong and i'm treated wrongly for no reason then it might affect them more than me but then again, police officers get away with everything.

Because I believe that the officers have bigger things to worry about rather than a kid doing nothing wrong.

If i'm not doing anything wrong then I would not be afraid of them because they are not some kind of monster, they are here to help us feel safe and be connected to them

If i'm doing something bad, I wouldn't want a police officer there

In the United States, the police as a whole have done things that suggest that many of their methods lead to violent deaths, regardless of guilt.

because they are there if something goes wrong.

No reason

Because police officers make certain places feel safer.

I don't feel threatened by them.

Because they seem like strong people

I do nothing wrong so i don't care how i feel when an IPD officer is around

So will be safe

I fell like they would make the area safer but then it seems like something bad is going to happen

because i havent done anything

If I am doing nothing wrong I believe that there is nothing to worry about.

So I know I will be safe.



I feel like a police officer would not try to bother me if I was not doing anything wrong, and if they did I would show how I was innocent.

im a conspiracy theiroist, i dont trust the government

Because I have never had any problems in the past.

The police officers in Ithaca are nice.

because if i am not doing anything wrong, i should feel safe

They probably do not care about me

because i believe that if you do nothing wrong then you shouldn't be afraid of anything.

I've never really had a terrible experience with a police officer.

If I have done nothing wrong nothing should happen.

If i am doing nothing wrong there is no threat to me. This isn't true in all cases though.

Because I know that they are there to keep us safe.

because i don't want to get in trouble

Not sure

Because many officer tend to be ordinary people with just a uniform in.

Because I get followed for walking home

I feel a little nervous but safe

I'm unsure because I don't know which applies more.

I feel safe because im not doing anything wrong

since i know i did nothing wrong and if i see them im fine.

If I am not doing something wrong, then I would feel safe if an officer was there, and making sure that others are doing the same.

cuz the color of my skin

The police force is there to make things safer, and I know I am not doing anything that would make things unsafe

dont know

I feel safe because the officer is protecting the area

If I am doing nothing wrong I don't see a reason to be questioned.

because i am not doing anything wrong

Because I will not have any self concious

I feel safe because they are there supervising just in case some thing exteme happened.

because they protect the citizens and are paid to do so

I feel like if one police officer makes a mistake it doesn't mean all other police officers are bad and i strongly believe they are doing good.

If I am doing nothing wrong than I know that the police are just doing their job. They became police to make people follow the laws and put people in their place.

Its weird.

No reason not to

Yes because I know I have not committed any crimes.

because i'm not doing anything wrong.

I don't know what is considered right and wrong to IPD officers.

Because I'm not sure what they are doing

no opinion about the ipd

Yes because I haven't committed any crimes.

Because for me they are doing the best that they can

I feel safe because it means they are doing their jobs and are ready of soemthing does go wrong.

Yes because if you have done nothing you are fine and they are there to keep you safe.

Because they are good officers and they know wrong from right

Because I can be sure that any dangerous behavior will be controlled if it occurs.

I feel safe when I see a police officer and I am doing nothing wrong because I know I am not unsafe

because gang members and other bad people are afraid of the cops.

Yes, because I am not doing anything wrong so it doesn't matter if they are there or not.

i don't feel safe because there are to many cops that like to come at your neck because of the color of your skin.

I agree with this statement because I know that if I am doing nothing wrong, than there should be no reason for me or the people I'm with to get in trouble. Of course, especially when in a car, it makes you nervous to see an IPD officer near you or driving behind you, but I still feel safe.

police officers always make me uncomfortable.

I'm not sure if they're going to ask me anything or not

Police officers do not necessarily forgive a minor slight that might occur in the future of the law that would be otherwise fine—like rolling through a stop sign at 3 mph.

Plus, they have firearms.

If I'm not doing anything wrong I feel confident that the officer will respect me. I know that (s)he has no reason or right to treat me unfairly, and never in the past have I felt unfairly treated by a police officer.

Having an officer around makes me feel safe.

Well I think it is always nerve wracking to see someone with that much power and authority even when you are doing nothing wrong. I usually associate a police presence with someone doing something wrong so the sight puts me on edge.

I have never actually met a IPD officer

People tend to act more orderly when the police are nearby.

Idk, never been in that situation

I don't want to act in a weird way and look suspicious

I have never experienced anything to make me feel at risk when I see an IPD officer.

They have too much power.

There's always some fear of being arrested, but it's an unreasonable fear.

Sometimes I feel that the people I hangout with make them think we are/ I am doing something wrong.

because im a white girl

If I am not committing a crime there is no reason to worry

Police officers are very unsettling and they have so much authority that even approaching them is scary. However, I know because of my race, I am less likely to be unfairly judged by the police. They are still extremely intimidating.

implicit biased toward a skin color

They are meant to protect and serve

cause i am doing nothing wrong

because I have never been arrested before so I dont feel that they will stop me and I know that I havent done anything wrong and so there isnt a reason to stop me

Because MOST police officers are good people with good intent.

Yes because I know I'm not doing anything wrong

because previous negative enforcement

i feel safe near an IPD because their duty is for the well being of the people

I don't know, I always think they might pull me over or that I'm doing something wrong and I try to act as correct as possible.

Nothing wrong with me

I feel safe when I see an IPD officer because they are part of authority and they can help.

Because they haven't done anything for me to feel unsafe in the first place.

I feel safe whenever there is law enforcement officers around.

A lot of the time I'll assume that I did something wrong, but just don't know what it is. And I'll begin to freak out as if I actually did something.

If I didn't do anything wrong I'm not gonna be scared when see the IPD, the opposite I'm gonna be safe.

Police are not your friends

I DO but i also know that there is still a lot of assumptions made by Ithacan police officers that sometimes makes me wondering of relevant and accurate is their training, or their mental state.

It is the job of an IPD officer to protect citizens, and I am doing nothing to warrant being arrested or taken into custody.

I know for myself, that I have had no bad encounters with the police. Except only the time I prank called them in my adolescence, but that has no affect my viewpoints on the IPD officers. However some may take situations too seriously than they're supposed to, as I know from my mother who was encountered by a police woman. The officer screamed at her and told to get out of the car, only because her left rear signal on the vehicle wasn't turned on - the light was broken at the time.

I feel no reason to be unsafe if I've done nothing wrong.

Because why not?

I don't really feel anything, like trump supporters I guess. I check my pockets and if everything is good I keep walking. Even if everything isn't good I keep walking because it is Ithaca and everyone has it in their pockets.

I just start to think if I'm breaking any laws at the moment even if I'm not because im black

if your not doing anything wrong then they are just people

There's a stigma around police, so while I technically know I'm safe, I feel uneasy.

They are they if anything goes wrong

I do feel safe if I'm not doing anything wrong.

Because I know there here to protect ever citizen equally no matter the cost they are just something about knowing that the police is in my present and it makes me annoyed seeing them.

Sense of protection

If I am not doing anything wrong I have nothing to worry about.

I think they are well trained.

fuck ipd

yes because i don't have a reason to feel unsafe.

Because sometimes, not all the time, but sometimes they'll stare at me and look for something wrong. Like they're searching for a reason to come after me
nothing terrible is happening in Ithaca

Police make me nervous because I have had multiple bad experiences with them even when I was doing nothing wrong.

I have no prior experience or reason to believe they would harm or treat me with disrespect.

I know that if anything goes wrong they can help.

Why, because they are genuinely good people trying to protect us.

Always scared by police

Sometimes because the IPD nowadays are always trying to just kill people and not do their jobs right and even if you are not doing anything wrong there going to think that you are. In some cases there going to try to get something to get in trouble when you did nothing wrong and you told them the truth

Yes because if you are acting appropriately you should feel safe

As someone who is perceived as white, I do feel safe in the sense in that I don't have to worry about being confronted by an officer for doing nothing wrong. If I was African-American, I'm not sure I could say the same.

I am unsure because I have never been in a situation where the Police have encountered me when I have done nothing wrong

I have not seen a IPD officer

I know that they can see that I am doing nothing wrong.

I do feel safe because from past experiences I know that if I am not doing anything threatening, they will not do anything to me.

Cause I am not doing anything

I don't see IPD officers often, and when I do, I don't feel threatened or anything.

Because they are usually respectful

Because I've heard about instances in the past with other officers

I feel safe that there is someone who is watching, to make sure nothing bad happens.

I know they're just doing their own thing.

But, I don't really feel that unsafe in Ithaca

Yes I feel more protected, but also nervous that I will do something wrong.

I just think that most people in Ithaca are nice and reasonable and won't call me out if I'm not doing anything

Because I'm not doing anything wrong.

I know they won't apprehend me for doing nothing.

Police put me on edge because of all the news about them.

They are very nice and understanding

hopefully they trust me and don't assume I am doing something bad

Well it really depends on where you are and what you're doing like if there at your house and you're alone it scares you and makes you think you did something wrong

I was in a police program for a while and I know they are all great men and women willing to risk their lives for us.

being with a police officer is concerning because it means everything you do is being watched

I just feel that some time the police are just watching you waiting for you to make a little mistake so they can confront you about it

Because I am a white female. It would be different if I was black or a male.

I feel safe because I know I'm not doing anything wrong.

I don't feel uncomfortable around IPD officers

Yes because I know that they are just around for our safety and if I am not doing anything wrong I have nothing to be worried about

I know I'm safe but police officers are intimidating.

I have nothing to fear from the police.

I feel pretty safe but sometimes they come off a bit scary.

yes because there is no reason for them to question me

Because I'm doing nothing wrong

I don't even know, they're just mad annoying .

because I never saw an IPD officer

Because I know they'll try to protect me

i am not sure yet

I haven't had any interactions, however I doubt I'll be accused of anything due to my race

It depends on the situation. If I'm just walking around downtown, usually I don't really feel any different. But if there's suddenly like five cops at the school, then I feel nervous

I mean, I'm doing nothing wrong. Why should I be afraid?

I agree with this because I know that the IPD does not accuse anyone of something they did not do and will not judge based on what we are doing.

Because they are not friendly

I think that in general the police do a good job with what they do.

I have a panic disorder and never really feel safe.

I look white, and I look kind

I strongly agree that when I would see a IPD officer I would feel safe because I've been around one before at night and they didn't do anything at all except asking me for help in finding a missing person. So yes I feel very safe around them.

They are doing what they are supposed to do if someone disagrees they should look at the laws.

Sure because I dont care what they think. whether im doing something wrong or not it doesnt matter.

I don't really see police officers much

I feel if they believe I am suspicious I will be pursued regardless of what im doing

As a child, the police came to my house a couple times for domestic problems. They made me feel unsafe by coming into my home

That has never happened to me.

7a. What do you think the role of the IPD is in our community?

idk

To protect and serve

to keep people safe

To keep people safe

To keep us safe.

to protect and serve

I don't know

unsure

to protect people

To protect the community

to keep everyone safe

To keep us safe

Keeping us safe

To protect us

to keep the community safe

To police the community

Enforce the law

Help people. Keep everyone safe.

To make our community better and help in any way possible

To protect the community.

To keep people safe.

to keep it safe

to keep us safe -but not everyone feels that

to keep us safe

To keep it safe

To protect our community

Keep us safe

To keep us safe

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To keep our community safe.

not sure

To keep us safe from dangerous people

:)

keep people safe

To make sure that everyone is safe.

I don't think they have much of an impact.

To keep everyone safe and ensure the law

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To keep everyone safe and take the appropriate measures to ensure our safety

To keep us safe.

I think the role of the IPD is to protect large community events as well as try and prevent the drug usage and selling throughout ithaca.

Help protect the community

To maintain safety

Their role is to help when called upon. At the same time, they help to keep order in places where order must be kept.

to protect others.

Keeping people safe

To keep Ithaca safe.

Help the community

I think their role is to keep Ithaca a safe place with as little violence as possible.

protect the people that get harmed

to protect and to help the community

Their role is to keep the community safe

to keep us safe without killing us

To make sure we are safe and doing the right thing.



It is to protect everyone

To make the streets a safe place.

They protect the citizens.

to protect the community.

To protect us.

ldk

Protect and serve the people of Ithaca.

asdf

The IPD is responsible for keeping Ithaca safe.

the role of the ipd is to keep Ithaca safe

I think that they are a big part in our community in many ways

To keep Ithaca a suitable and safe lace to live in.

To protect us

Unsure

I think the role of the IPD is to make sure people are safe and help people.

to keep people out of trouble

keep up safe, ensure that we are doing the right things

Keeping the community safe against burglars, thieves, and others.

I think the police keep people from doing stupid or dangerous things.

to protect it

To provide a safe community for us to live in

I dojnt know

idk

I think that the role of the IPD is to protect everyone in our community.

to keep people safe

to keep our community safe

I think the police department mostly deals with small robberies and "crowd control" at parades and things like that.

make sure no one breaks the law

To protect and serve the community.

To keep the people of Ithaca safe and keep trouble and harm away from the community.

I honestly don't know.

protect all citizens

To help keep peace in Ithaca.



keep it safe

To keep the community in place.

to protect and serve new york state

Keeping the community a safe and healthy place to live in.

Protect people and keep order

I think the role of the IPD is to keep us safe and make us feel like we are safe.

It is to keep people safe,make sure everyone follows laws,and help people

They keep people safe

Their role is to ensure that everyone in the community is safe, and that people are abiding by the laws of the city/town.

To keep everyone safe

protect and serve the community.

To protect all of us

they don't have a role in my book and i dont care about them

I think the role of the IPD in our community is to establish and maintain the safety and order of our citizens, while bearing the responsibility of this role- always choosing to make the right or morally just actions, and considering the consequences of wrong decisions not only on citizens' part, but also on their own part.

There's what they're supposed to do, and then there's what I think they do. Those are two completely different things, but I don't think either is good.

To deter and stop crime. However, they should in general work to make the community better through acts of kindness. What they've done by making that kid with cancer(?) an officer is an exemplary example of this. Kindness makes the world a better place, and often the IPD has the resources to make it happen.

I don't think that I personally see the actions of the IPD very much. I see that they give parking and traffic tickets, and sometimes I see one on the Commons or patrolling somewhere else in public. However, I have never personally seen a police officer involved in a skirmish or struggling to maintain control over a citizen. I think that in general, the IPD community keeps our community safe and orderly. I think I take for granted their presence and what they prevent.

To protect the people who are living in the community.

To protect all residents and make the community a safe and peaceful area.

To police the area but also make it the best community it can be

To protect and serve the people of Ithaca.

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To keep the people of Ithaca safe in times of crisis, in an impartial way



To make sure that laws are being followed and to find those who are breaking the law.

To make sure everyone is safe.

To keep it safe.

To keep us all safe.

reduce crime and help people

Help protect and keep it safe

They are here to protect the community I think. .

Enforce the law

Protect and Serve

to keep the community safe and to control situations that could put the community in danger

To police the community and keep it safe

To protect us no matter what race, ethnicity, age or gender we are.

to keep organization and safety in check.

To protect us and keep us safe.

To help protect our community.

I believe the roll of IPD in our community is to make sure everyone feels safe in the community.

I'm new so i don't know much.

The role of the IPD is to maintain order in times of rebellion and lawlessness.

They role is to make the people safe.

To make sure no one is doing drugs or driving drunk. Also to continue the war on drugs.

I think the role of IPD in our community is to make sure the the gatherings and events are safe, and people feel comfortable, but it always may make some people up tight because some cops look for trouble.

To ensure the safety of the people of Ithaca.

- Check things out - usually what they deem as suspicious or unusual on a - normal day. - Target unsafe drivers - Respond quickly to emergencies

I think the role of the IPD is to protect us from danger.

To protect us...

to protect people from crime

To keep everyone safe and following the rules.

to create safety in communities

To keep the community safe and feel protected.



To protect all citizens no matter the cost

to try to keep us safe

To keep the community safe

Their role is to protect the community and also, help the community, be part of the community.

fuck ipd

To enforce rules.

To get people in trouble for anything that they can.

To keep members of the community safe.

to help and protect the commuity

To protect and serve our community.

protect the community, looking for people who speed

Really i dont think there is any rules for the IPD because they think, they can do anything they want

keep the peace

I think they play an important role in keeping the community safe, but I think they are also perceived as a negative presence.

The role of the IPD in our community is to keep our community safe

the be law in forsment

To look tough.

The IPD serves to protect our community and serves as a resource individuals can got o if they have a problem.

to protect the people

Keep the citizens safe and maintain order.

To maintain law and order and to keep us safe

I don't really think about them

I think they are important at being there when people need them.

To protect and serve.

to protect everyone, and to reduce crime,

Keep us safe.

Just like any other police department, I would think.

I think IPD is supposed to make people to feel safe.

To protect our rights and safety.

serve and protect the community.

To keep our community safe

protect and make people feel safe



The role of IPD is to keep everyone in the community and communitys around as safe as they can be.

To keep us safe, help any events or charities, fundings or otherwise, and even to help break up small fights they stumble across

to keep ppl safe

It think there role it the protect and survive the citizens of Ithaca

To look at the community as one whole and not as a color, gender, or religion.

I think the role of the IPD is to keep our community safe.

To make it safe

To protect us and keep us safe.

to make sure that everyone in the school society is having the same rights and being treated well and also having a good interaction with the rest of the community

Police officers are supposed to keep citizens safe.

To serve and protect the people of Ithaca.

to provide a safe atmosphere and provide protection and guidance when it is needed

To protect the serve everyone, by definition

To keep everybody safe and take care of issues.

To help protect its citizens

to protect the citizen of this town

I don't really know. I mean obviously to keep crimes to a minimum, however I like mentioned before, I haven't any interactions with them

Keep every individual safe

To make us feel safe.

The role of the IPD is to make the community better.

getting college students in trouble

To keep us safe and stop bad things that could occur.

I think that they play an important role in keeping the city safe, but as well, Ithaca is already and relatively safe place will crime not being a huge problem.

The role of the IPD is to protect citizens from threats.

To keep Ithaca, especially help keep college students, safe

I think the role of the IPD is to keep everyone safe and make sure that nothing is going wrong at anytime.

Take order on anyone not following the laws.

Im unsure.

7b. What do you think it should be?

idk
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same as above
To keep people safe
To protect and serve
unsure
I don't know
To protect us
keep people safe
I don't know.
not sure
to keep people safe
.
to keep everyone safe
To keep everyone safe
N/A
To keep us safe
It should be what it is.
what it is
ldk
To keep our community safe
Same as above
to keep the community safe
To police the community
What it is.
As it is above
To protect the community.
To protect and help people
See above.
to protect and serve
exactly that
Keep us safe
Protection
Just that
..



To protect and serve.

See 7a

To protect the people of ithaca

Protect and serve.

the same as above

To protect everyone

See above

To make sure that everyone is safe.

enforce laws resonably

To treat everyone the same and provide a safe enviroment

a

To keep everyone safe and take the appropriate measures to ensure our safety

It should be a community in which it looks after its own and forms good relationships throughout the town. It should also not be egotistical.

To maintain safety

I think that the police should have a much less powerful role, They are seemingly more powerful than those around them, and everyone should be equal.

to protect others.

To keep ithaca safe.

to help the community

what i said it was

protect the people that get harmed

I think that it should be o keep the community safe

unsure

the same as the above answer

I think it should be to protect everyone

Getting involved in the community and keeping us safe

I think it should be to keep people safe, and make sure nothing bad is happening/happens

To protect the citizens.

to protect our community.

To protect us.

Protecting and serving.

asdf

What I stated above.

What it is



Stated above

Unsure

I think that keeping people safe and helped is a good thing so I would not change it.
make sure everyone is safe, we are following tge law

Otherwise, I might not be talking about this right now.

I think they should keep things safe.

should be protecting the ones that need to be protected and taking the ones to the
jail to jail

To provide a safe community for us to live in

I Dont know

protecting our community

What I said for 7a.

to keep people from doing bad things

I think they are doing a great job as they are.

make the community a better place

I feel that that is what their job is to protect people from threats.

To help keep peace.

keep it safe

To keep the community in place and influencing good actions.

i odnt know

Keeping the community a safe and healthy place to live in.

Protect people and keep order

I think it is the same as what i said for the role of the IPD.

I think it should be what I said I though it was but also to treat everyone equal and
take care of Ithaca

I think it should be to keep all people safe by making sure rules are followed.

I think the role of the IPD should be to keep people safe and feel safe
protect and serve the community.

I think that it should be to protect the community and everyone in it

i think they are horrible people and i dont like them and i never will

I think it should be basically what I said in the last question.

Unless someone is in danger of themselves or another police shouldn't bother them.

Essentially what they're doing in how it impacts me. Except for everyone; from what
I've heard, being white is a plus in interacting with the police.

I think that the role of the police department in a community is not only to make sure
that the community is safe and secure, but also to make sure that every citizen feels



safe and secure. Although these two things usually go hand in hand, I know that certain citizens don't always feel safe around police, and this breakdown in relations goes against the fundamental purpose of having police to begin with. It is important that the ways in which police enforce laws a) actually enforce laws, which will make people feel safe, and b) treat all citizens fairly and respectfully, which will also make people feel safe.

Protecting people in the community.

I think the GOALS of the IPD align with mine, im not sure if those are being particularly achieved right this instance.

to uphold the law and try to have the best community relations it can

To protect and serve the people of Ithaca...

I think it should be the same as 7a. but also to improve the community in general.

Make people feel comfortable and safe.

To keep it safe and happy, and to build a sense of community.

To keep us all safe.

Help protect and keep it safe

They should be there to protect the community from people who will harm the community. They should not make rash judgments about people and only act if they see a person actually causing trouble. They should first try to peacefully diffuse the situation before using violence.

Enforce the law fairly

protect and Serve

to keep everyone safe but to also get to know people on a personal level and to have a more friendly relationship between the community and the IPD

(See above)

too be helpful and not abusive of its power

It should be that everyone feels comfortable in the community and isn't afraid of other groups or isn't afraid for their own health.

same thing

To help our community from violent acts and crimes.

I dont know.

Enforcing the law.

Same as 7a.

Make the people safe

To ensure our safety and enforce the law.



I think cops should have a better relationship with the community by actually volunteering and get out of their cars for once and have normal conversations with people instead of driving around looking for problems.

To ensure the safety of the people of Ithaca.

All of the above, but a good emphasis on situation reading. No racial and age targets should be counted as a factor for a case.

I think it should be to protect us from danger.

To protect us...

Keep everybody in the community safe

to help stop crime

My above answer.

to make everything safe

Same thing.

To protect the unprotected

they should be around at school events even though some people may not like them being there.

they are trained to keep us safe

I think it should be just that.

To keep us safe.

fuck ipd

To maintain a safe environment for everyone.

protection and servitude

To protect citizens from danger.

To keep members of the community safe.

more around

just that.

protect the community

Keep people safe

keep the peace

I think their role should be to continue to keep the community safe, but do it in a way that makes relations between police and the rest of the community a lot better.

I think that the role of the IPD should stay the same Protect our community

to keep the peace.

Protect and Serve.

I think it should be what I said in part 7a.

what i said in 7a

See 7a.

Roughly the same

i don't know

I think it should be to make sure that they are there when people need them.

To protect and serve.

to protect everyone and to reduce crime

Keep us safe.

I'm pretty chill with what the police are doing right now.

I think it should be to make people feel safe.

protect and make people feel safe

The same described above

to keep ppl safe and make them feel safe

What???

I think police, not only IPD, but all over the world, should care about every person, no matter their race, age, or gender. I think that if they see a black male to not assume the worst because that is just the color of your skin and nothing more. I am getting sick of seeing all of these innocent African American people getting murdered by the police for no reason. It is not right and it needs to be stopped. Me being white, can even see that this is wrong and this is a topic I feel strongly about, even though I am white. I think that the police need to be chosen a lot of more carefully, because many of them can have biased thoughts on a certain race or religion or gender and it cannot be like that because the police are supposed to be helping us, instead of killing us. It needs to be stopped I am sick of it.

I think the role of the IPD is to keep our community safe.

Same as 7a.

I think this is a good role

Police officers are supposed to keep citizens safe.

To serve and protect the people of Ithaca.

above

What I said above

to stop people from doing bad things

protection

I think that there could be improvements, however I can't really say where. There have been a few things that aren't great around here (people anyway) and I don't know,

Keeping everyone safe, regardless of physical factors



To protect the community and make us feel safe.

I think that the role should be to make the community better.

stopping real crime

The role it is doing.

What it already is, I think that the police department in Ithaca is doing a good job.

The role of the IPD is to protect citizens from real threats and provide support when needed.

The same.

I think just that is good.

I

Im unsure.

to protect and serve the community without using racial bias

keeping us safe

Make connections, help out.

for students

I think the role of the Ithaca Police Department should be what is stated above which is to protect us from harms way

To protect those who live here

What I said in 7a

isn't this they same as question 7a?

As protectors of the community

To help and protect everyone in the community.

What do you think IPD officers could do to improve community relations with young people in Ithaca?

idk

I don't know

Not sure

Nothing

unsure

I don't know.

i dont know

ldk

not sure

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Unsure

nothing

i don't know

I am not sure

Not sure.

I am not sure.

I'm not sure

im not sure

asdf

Unsure.

Smile more :)

Maybe help by going to schools and telling about themselves so kids and others aren't scared of them and feel protected

I have no idea

Im not sure

N/A

IDK

go to more events

I have no idea.

well there a cop in Ithaca that comes to all the Ithaca events and communitates and does stuff with us so maybe if they did that we would feel more safe

No

Talk to them.

Nothing.

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I'm not sure.

Come and speak at the schools more often

young people will take over old people

IDP officers could be more friendly with young people.

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I don't really know anything they could do to improve

Maybe they shouldn't come off as pricks and just be nice.

They shouldn't assume from the get go that a kid is up to no good rather try and make conversation and look cheerful.

* Ask us questions about our life or if they are doing their job well around the community



Officers could be smile more

They should do more outreach.

unsure.

They should hold meetings with students and meet who they are.

Don't know

I'm not really sure because I haven't really been in contact with a police officer.

talk to the youth with issues not the ones that do not have issues

more activities with students inside and outside of school

maybe they could come to schools and give talks

i dont know

They could make sure everyone is doing the right thing like not doing drugs.

Be friendly with young people

talk to them more

Do more school visits, and have a better connection with the community.

I think so

be frendily

attend more events

I honestly have no idea.

More evidence before arrest

Show people they are not scary.

have a barbecue

Not sure

I think they are doing a good job.

treat everyone equally

More interactions.

just watch out and keep ithaca safe

Provide presentations of what police do in the community

I dont know

The could get to know the people in the community

I don't know. I have never had to interact with an officer.

have more officers downtown and around the fall creek area

Participate in more special events in ithaca

I think they could come and talk to us about what they are responsible in our school.

talk with them more address issues

I think they are doing their jobs perfectly and i wouldn't change a thing.



They could do things that younger people can relate to so that they gain respect for the IPD.

I guess?

Come to schools to talk the students about what they do.

not accuse them of things

school assemblys

no thoughts

Do bake sales/fundraisers

I think they could maybe be more social with people. Or they could do presentations in school about IPD and show kids it's okay to go up to a police officer if you're in danger.

Come to school and talk about what they do and why they do it.

They should try to be more lenient

Maybe have more interactions with young people to convince them they aren't out to get them, but they're there to protect them.

Be helpful when asked questions

be more present in the streets rather than waiting someone to call 911 when something happens

they could improve everything like to start off with they can stop beating black people

I think that IPD officers could improve community relations with young people in Ithaca by informing them more of what your jobs are really like, and how you work in our community besides your primary role of keeping safety- how you help our community not only on a daily basis, but also for long-term goals and improvements. This should also be done in a manner that is easy to understand and relate to among young people, where they can clearly see the importance of what you are doing.

Leave them alone.

They could either disappear into the background or talk about the often fairly interesting and policies they have. Probably people with more interactions could say more.

I think that there could be greater communication between the police and young people in Ithaca. In Ithaca, I have never really spoken directly to a police officer. This has made me somewhat fearful of them, but it has also forced me to make many assumptions about what they do, how they do it, and what they expect from me.

Talk or be more involved in the community.

I mean they are pretty busy, but when a nice officer is chilling on the commons and says hi, just that one act of kindness and normality improves my view of police.

Have certain police officers patrol certain areas of Ithaca so that the neighborhoods are familiar with the officers they meet near their homes. This would help in improving relations and making the police seem more like a cooperative force.

Hold events.

Talk to them more.

Talk to them. Be friendly. Show them magic tricks. Don't just look angry all the time.

Don't worry about the race of the person, and treat everyone equally.

stop randomly stopping black people

Try and communicate more to show people they are only there to help

Honestly I have no idea. I have not looked into any cases with the police in Ithaca and so far it seems that they have not killed anyone unfairly. They seem to do a pretty good job keeping our community safe but then again I have no idea because I have done no research on the subject.

Relate more with kids

protect and serve

I think currently the only time young people see IPD is when they've done something wrong or they're at a party that gets busted. I think that can affect teens view on the IPD. I think the best way to fix relations would be to have a cook out or an event where teens and IPD could meet and chat comfortably to remind teens that the IPD are just as human as we are

Nothing. They're not meant to be friends, they're meant to be police.

talk to us

stop making assumption and treating us as inferiority

become more involved with the youth

Come to the schools and talk to kids, explain what they do and how they are here to help.

Smile and say hi!

Get more involved with the school and help out.

I think they are doing their jobs very well.

Making them feel safe.

Smiling and saying hi could help loosen tensions between officers and young people.

Is to smile and say hello

Not create such a toxic environment. Some are very violent. Not very warm when talking to them. Not carry guns.

I think IPD should show support for youth events while their are there and not only be there incase of a fights.

More outreach programs at schools could improve relations with young people.



Have a steady program where the youth can come in and see what police officers/departments work and process.

I don't feel like there are issues in relations with young people.

To police the community well

I don't think the top priority for police officers is to "be tight" with young residents. I am sure they have more important things to do.

Meet with groups of young people, talk to them. Make it seem like they are real people.

maybe talk with them

Attend events as police officers having fun.

i think that relations are ok right now

Make them feel safe.

Some are really harsh and rude maybe be more smiley and friendlier

show up to school events like sports and other things

give grades some tours

Get out and interact positively, got o sporting events and talk with students.

fuck ipd

Not profile people based on predetermined biases.

smoke with them

interact with the community as much as possible

Be more friendly and understanding.

Don't give out unnecessary or undeserved tickets/reprimands.

tell kids that its ok to tell them anything even if it is wrong. to help the kids and community.

I think they should come to the schools more and talk about our community.

keep more people safe and do there jobs right

Educate pre preschoolers and elementary students about IPD and their role in the community in order to create a Friendship with the public. This would remove negative connotations and stigmatims about Police.

I think they could try and understand the opinions and perspectives of young people and express their support on issues such as racial injustice and police brutality.

I think that the IPD is doing a great job at keeping the community safe

i do not know.

Not try to get them in trouble so easily.

Maybe show that they aren't a threat to you if you are not doing anything wrong.

Today especially there is a lot of tension between individuals and law enforcers.



IPD shouldn't be doing anything different. They already do a lot to improve community relations with young people. What people on the other side (that means you) should do is stop laying the blame on them for everything that happens. The rhetoric of the left (of which I am a member, as I identify as a liberal) is to demonize the police for some incidents. Those incidents may or may not be isolated, and they may or may not be racially charged, but do you think it helps when our youth think that it's racially charged? When does this end? At what point do our youth, who are currently angry and afraid, begin to trust the police? When will this rhetoric of victimization not be pushed? Just some thoughts. Instead of thinking about what the IPD can do, think about what you can do as a youth organization. They already do enough.

Become more involved in the community

I think they're doing just fine.

yes

Talk to us more.

Maybe they can go to schools and talk about what they do? Not just elementary schools, because I don't think anyone is going to bother remembering everything they heard from guest speakers in elementary school.

IPD officers could improve relations by having more interactions with young people.

Be more outgoing and less stern.

work with young people more often?

Its fine

dont be racist

Help them if there in need or educate them

I feel that if they interacted more with youth they would have a better community and trust within them knowing that they are closer with the town itself

host fun events that involve teenagers

Be nice and friendly and help people instead of punishing them

^^^ Basically everything I have said up there.

I think they could interact more with the young people, and have friendly connections with families, etc.

Maybe they could get them to share common facts about each other and talk

I don't have enough experience w/ the IPD to answer this.

They should learn and understand how to be around kids and not always come off as a boss or a parent.

nothing, they are doing their jobs and everyone is taking police brutality out of control and it is ridiculous. If you are doing nothing wrong then if a police stops you, you

should cooperate. Racial blaming is unnecessary, if you do what you are told or asked then you should be fine.

Interact with them more and show people that they're nice (or at least act like they are)

Calm that ass down

team up with police

don't know

I think that if anything we're to change, it would need to be the idea us youth have of any officers in general. Everyone, especially those of ethnicities that differ from my own, thinks that they've got to live in constant fear of being accused of something they didn't do, as well as the possibility of harassment.

In my old middle school, there was a policeman who would be at our school 2-3 days a week. We usually saw him at lunch time, when he would go around and talk to various tables. Certain students grew comfortable around him. Even now, when I go back there, 2 years later my friends still get excited when they see him down town, and talk to him. That might help.

They should come into school and talk about their job and what they do.

I think it would help to show us that you are members of the community as well and show that you are like the rest of us, not anything scary.

talk to us

Some could and some already have good relationships with "young people".

I don't think they necessarily need to, but maybe there could be more local events open to the public could be helpful.

I think police officers visiting the schools to give a presentation on how they wish to serve the community would help improve community relations with young people.

I'm not sure. Smile more

I think that they could be more patient and understanding maybe. I'm not very sure.

I

im unsure

Listen to our points of view before assuming anything

nothing

Yes

Talk to us.

they can smile to young people when they met

I think that the Ithaca Police Department is doing a great job protecting our community, there is nothing that I think they should improve upon

I can't think of anything.

I don't know how people of color feel about the police in this city so I don't know.
Not target black or any color ethnicity in are group unless they have a very good reason why.
Unsure. I haven't had much interactions with IPD officers.
stuff, things
Strike up conversations and don't look so serious all the time

Optional, Do you have a story to share about interacting with the IPD?

no
No
nope
Nope.
No.
Nope
N/A
no
no.
none
I have met Jamie and her K-9 dog Rex at the airport, when I was around them I felt really safe and enjoyed their demonstaration done
Nah
I do not.
idk
..
a
My family and I were chased by someone on drugs and they stopped him before he could do any more serious harm
I saw a police officer
i saw a bunch of them eating donuts in their car. like in a sitcom
I think the story with officer colin was really amazing i am friends with him and very happy that he got that experioence
No, not really.
Yes, I was walking home from the football game with friends and was followed home then to the store.
No I met an oficer 12 years ago havent seen one scince so don take my answeres super seiously.

When i was little i got to sit in a police car and explore the cop cars and suv's
yes, when one of the officers shot and killed my uncle and the officer didnt even go to jail or get in trouble for it and he did it because he lost a pool game to my uncle when they were kids

Every interaction they were rude, portrayed some sort of power struggle and wanted to be an asshole.

I was in a police dialogue session for government where 9 students and 6 police talked for like 2.5 hours a week and it was cool to talk to cops in that relaxed and comfortable environment. I think a lot of perceptions of cops were shattered in this time and vice-versa with cops views of teenagers.

An officer investigated a car accident near my house and asked my mom questions about it, because we saw it happen. He was incredibly respectful and responsive to her concerns.

Once my friend and I got a ride to school with a police officer when it was snowy and icy outside so we couldn't get a ride with our parents. He was very nice and offered to take us to school. He talked to us about school and sports and then gave us his card in case we ever needed anything or were in a bad situation.

Yes, an IPD searched my friends car without probable cause.

No. i don't associate with 12

I was sitting at a stop light playing loud music on my radio with my windows down, as it was during the summer. A Sheriff pulled up next to me and as he stopped, Ice Cube began to say "f*ck the police comin' straight from the underground." He looked at me and I just rolled my windows up and tried not to make eye contact. So awkward :/

No,I don't

There are plenty of great officers in the community, who hit all the good points as a citizen, but i've also encountered some who believe as if they are above the law or better than some. but with the suit taken off and the gun locked up they are the same as every else.

I never have interacted with the IPD.

Not that I can remember
and lastley yet again fuck ipd
negative

I don't think I ever have.

I know someone who was robbed, and the IPD were very good about figuring out who it was, and where the persons stuff had gone.

I got yelled at.

A woman was harassing my family and sending death threats and the IPD helped us get an order of protection.

Officer Alex Pape is one of the most generous and kind officers on the force today. He is helping and understanding when you approach him. He is very friendly and talks to people and acts like a friend instead of acting like a boss.

Robbie: "Are you, uh, a real villain?" Bobbie: "Well, uh, technically... nah." Robbie: "Have you ever caught a good guy, like, uh, like a real superhero?" Bobbie: "Nah." Robbie: "Have you ever tried a disguise?" Bobbie: "Nah, nah..." Robbie: "Alright! I can see that I will have to teach you how to be villains! [Hook] Hey! We are Number One Hey! We are Number One [Verse 1] Now listen closely Here's a little lesson in trickery This is going down in history If you wanna be a Villain Number One You have to chase a superhero on the run Just follow my moves, and sneak around Be careful not to make a sound (Shh) (No, don't touch that!) [Hook] We are Number One Hey! We are Number One We are Number One [Verse 2] Ha ha ha Now look at this net, that I just found When I say go, be ready to throw Go! (Throw it on him, not me!) (Ugh, let's try something else) Now watch and learn, here's the deal He'll slip and slide on this banana peel! (Ha ha ha, gasp! what are you doing!?) [Outro] Ba-ba-biddly-ba-ba-ba-ba, ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba We are Number One Hey! Ba-ba-biddly-ba-ba-ba-ba, ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba We are Number One Ba-ba-biddly-ba-ba-ba-ba, ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba We are Number One Hey! Ba-ba-biddly-ba-ba-ba-ba, ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba-ba We are Number One Hey! Hey!

i have had experiences with them but i dont think it is any of your business.

I was in the car with my dad once and to the right was somebody that looked like they were about to run the red light. A policewoman was sitting in a parked car nearby and made a point to wag her finger at the person. My dad and I found it funny.

cooorrraaalllll stuff thangsss

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NO!!!!

not really.

Well, I have a story about the Cayuga heights police department, because I've been caught for trespassing on various occasions, but they've always been friendly and not completely jerks so that's something to base my answers on.

...no

I have interacted with IPD officers many times in the explorer program and they are always helpful and nice. When we do PT if someone is falling behind, the officers will go back and run with that person.

Nope, Sorry

I went on a ride along with a cop

My mom is a cop, my friends parents are cops etc.

No I don't.

Justice for Shawn Greenwood. :)

N.W.A

Not the IPD, but I've talked to members of the ACPD (Alachua County Police Department in N/Central Florida) and the US/Mexican Border Patrol (Sierra Vista, Arizona, so close to the border, the border patrol were the police). They were nice, I guess.

I never really had an experience, just smiling and nodding at officers really.

a IPD officer my dad knows tried to steal my donut and said hes aloud because hes a cop and then gave it back because i cried i was 5.

nah

I have not had many experiences with Ithaca police officers, but they have never been necessarily negative.

Once, a cop looked at me, and I peed and ran.

yes

Not really, but this one time I played a game of basketball with a police officer it was cool.

None.

nooooope

55rt

yeah and every time they have handled it very profesionaly

Yes! When I was little a police officer took me away from my mom because she did something and I was almost put into foster care but my nanna came and adopted me instead!

My dad used to be a cop..

no i dont

no, sorry

they once kept me safe

No, they've always been good and should not be given crap for the actions of people who commit more crimes than others.

one biker started harasing me for no reason

Yeah I saw a man get jumped in front of my house and I was a witness. The drug dealer down the street was shot. The meth lab a couple months ago I had to answer some questions since it was by my house.

i do not have a story to share about the interacting with the IPD

Officer Bradly is a family friend

cvbnm,

no the ones i meet are nice.

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I don't have a story to share about interacting with the IPD.

I mean one time a police officer give me a ride to school because someone parked in front of my driveway.

My phone got stolen and I got interegated by one of the police officers. She was very nice and polite.

When i was about 8 years old, my cousins who are now grown were teenagers. They left for a festival at some time around noon. However they didn't come back until late at night. Before arriving home my cousins called their mom, (my aunt who was watching over me at the time) and told her that the police were accusing them of harassing a teenage girl, which they didn't do. They pleaded that they never touched her, and things got out of hand. They got rowdy and so did the police. They beat and pepper sprayed my cousins. They had also put them in cuffs that were closed tighter than they should've been. I'll never forget seeing my 15 and 16 year old cousins coming home with bruises and red eyes.

I work as a firefighter at CHFD, and work with both IPD and CHPD, never had a problem with them.

No.

Nah.

One of my friends said hi to one of them and it was weird to see him being friends with a cop

Retired SGT john norman very helpful and cool

nope. See above.

No :(

I remember D.A.R.E in elementary school in 5th grade. And how everybody always looked forward to officer Dan coming in and teaching us in a fun educational way. Whenever he came we were always excited to see what he was going to do with us next.

I am a Boy Scout, and previously someone came and showed us some of the equipment they had, which I enjoyed.

I don't have any story to share.

My cousin is a cop and i have spoken to the chief of police multiple times, they are very nice. But thanks to fake allegations and Ithaca's poor mindset of them reinforced by things like this they become very misrepresented

I met an officer who had his mailbox smashed at least once a month because people hated the fact that he was a police officer, not respecting that he put his life on the line every day to keep them safe.

One night me and my sisters were downtown and we were walking home from my grandmas house and it was overly cold and we got followed home and when were walking up the hill they stopped us and was like why are you out so late and walking so fast what do you have to hide and my sisters explained to them that i was having an asthma attack and were hurrying so that i dont pass out and they continued to yell at us and so we kept walking and got followed till we made it home

I asked one for directions once to the commons when I first came to Ithaca, and the officer was very nice and treated me well.

unsure

I think that IPD officers are better than a lot of other departments in other parts of the world. There have been many incidents across the world where police officers have been at fault but it most certainly is not all police, and they should not be stereotyped that way. There are more good cops than bad, you just hear more about the bad cops, making some people think that all cops are that way.

no storys today

one time cops were playing fetch with their dog in the park and told me to watch out when they were throwing. like no its a public park you go somewhere else if i have to worry about your dog that could kill me in less than a minute

Does IPD include security gaurds at malls? because i had an experiance that got my kicked out of a story. The chashier said I stole something i had bought and that the white recite in my hand was a joint. My friends and I were leaving the store anyway and when we saw the officer we thought that something was about to happen to someone else so we got away from the situation. The officer then assumed that we were guilty and brought us back to the store to yell at us. He thought that my brother was high when he has a medical condition that makes his eyes shake and his eyes don't focus as well as other people, and my brother's girlfriend (who's has had bad experiances with the police and has developed anxiety about police) started having a panic attack and tried to leave the store to calm down, however the officer followed her and kept yelling... long story short my mother came down with her security guard card and gave the nebee security gaurd a little talk that made him get pretty scared of her (she didn't threaten him, she just has a way of "going jersey" on someone)

There were a bunch of druggies hanging out by my house and my mom called the police because she was scared my sister and I might get hurt if we went outside to

play. They took an hour and a half to travel one block down the road and then went and asked the people to leave.

I have seen police at our school before, and during the time I had no idea why. My friend recognized one of the officers and went up to talk to him, and I decided to come along. I didn't talk much, besides saying a "Have a nice day", but they had a very friendly disposition.

No, not really

My family was trying to exit 13 onto N. Triphammer, and there were police cars parked on the shoulder of 13 (giving a speeding ticket or something, not sure). As we exit 13, one of the police cars pulls us over. The policeman informs us that it is illegal to drive in the right-most lane when police are standing on the shoulder, which makes sense, except for when they're blocking the exit to the highway, making it impossible to get off 13.

I have never really interacted with an IPD officer

No I don't. Good survey though. Hope you get the answers you need

There have been a few occasions in Ithaca where I've been driving and there has been a cop extremely close behind me for a couple of minutes, making every turn that I make. It makes me extremely uncomfortable, especially if they don't use a blinker and it seems like they turn at the last second to follow me. That being said, I don't feel unsafe, just that I am being baited into speeding so I will be given a ticket. The only time I ever talked to an officer was when one came in to my elementary school class and taught us DARE.

I went on a police ride-along in middle school and it was actually really informative - before, I had little idea how patrols really operated.

No

none

Drunk driving is an issue for kids in hs

I've gone on multiple ride alongs and have first hand experience with the patience they have for all people. They have to deal with a lot and are able to shrug it off. I've seen they get verbally attacked by multiple young men in our community.

they pulled me over while i was riding an electric bike at 2am and said i needed a license to drive it.

Yeah. I am doing a police meeting workshop for my government class and that's basically where we talk to police officers about many of the problems we see in our society today and what the cause of it is and all of those cool things. Part of that was also doing a ride along, and that was really interesting seeing everything from the perspective of a police officer. This is an opportunity that many other kids should get and definitely should take.

Got pulled over at a DUI checkpoint. Officer was very kind and funny. Actually made my day.

I've never interacted with the IPD.

At a dance last year I was greeted by a security guard and I felt comfortable because he was friendly and welcoming. Later something had happened and I was comfortable with going to him for help.

I have had many for no apparent reason. The police suck.

I once had a brake light out, and had smoked a little bit prior to driving my vehicle. When I got pulled over, they immediately suspected I had marijuana in the car, and told me to step out of the vehicle, and searched my car. Shit happens though right? #fucktheops

I have had many. The cops here suck.

no thank you

I tried to talk to IPD and they glared at me. Two thumbs down.

In 5th grade at Fall Creek Elementary School, I remember being involved in the D.A.R.E. program and had a really positive experience with Officer Hoyt. I still remember his name, which means i was really impacted.

no but im with the police explorers

Well, My cousin Three Neighborhood friends were playing basketball and in the beginning there were two police officers and we were playing PIG and they joined then 2 more came and soon after 1 more came so we had a Game 5v5 police vs us. We couldn't finish the game because they had to help someone with a locked car then they left

idk

None

Not really.

I know most of the men and women in IPD and I believe they are all great people and great part of the community.

Yeah. Once I was biking at night, but not late, at like 10:30, and a cop pulled me over in Cayuga Heights. I stopped, and he asked for me to put my hands up. I did, and he padded me down, and found a flashlight in my pocket. He asked what it was and I took it out, and for some reason, he thought it was a taser. He said to give it to him or he'd shoot me, and so I gave it to him, and he pointed it at me, and turned it on. If it had been a taser, he'd have shocked me, but it wasn't. I called my dad, and no charges were filed, even though I was biking with no lights on. I felt profiled.

I don't drive, but the only occasions I've been stopped by police while being a passenger are when I was with people of color. I think even in Ithaca, poc are unfairly targeted, especially while driving.

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n/a

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One time I threw up on the commons and a police officer saw me and just kept on walking.

yes i was threatned to be killed and i went for help and the problem was solved

I was walking and he was walking and he walked past me.

One time my friends were swimming somewhere where we shouldn't have been and we got caught and the police officer was like "you guys look like good kids" and let us go with a warning. I don't think he was intentionally trying to be racist but probably the only reason he would have said that is because we are white girls. That's what it felt like at least, and the fact that I drew that conclusion shows that there really is a problem. I shouldn't feel that I am able to commit crimes simply because of my race. White privilege needs to be recognized in order to begin to improve. Although I think this is a national issue which is present in Ithaca I also think that in general my interactions with IPD officers has been positive. Both personal interactions and the steps I've seen them take to connect with the community show me that the IPD is working hard to become an even better department. Of course there is always work to be done but I appreciate everything IPD does for Ithaca.

Number of daily responses

