

WPB Police Chief Delsa Bush to speak at Women's History Month event at Palm Beach State

(Lake Worth, Fla. – Feb. 23, 2010) West Palm Beach Police Chief Delsa Bush will be the guest speaker at the "In Celebration of Women" event being held at Palm Beach State College March 4 in honor of Women's History Month.

It will be held from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Humanities building on the Lake Worth campus, 4200 Congress Ave. It is free and open to the public. The celebration is being presented by Crossroads, a state-funded program at Palm Beach State College that helps women get prepared to enter the workforce after years of relying on someone else's income or receiving public assistance.

In Celebration of Women also will include live music, a fine arts and crafts display, poetry by participants of the Crossroads program, and a photography exhibit featuring the work of Crossroads participants. Some women also will share stories of how Crossroads has helped them. The Women's Initiative at the law firm of Fox Rothschild is co-sponsoring the celebration.



Bush, a Palm Beach State College alumna, became the chief of police in 2004 after beginning her career at the West Palm Beach police department as a patrol officer in 1983.

Established in 1983, Crossroads serves women 35 and older. It offers career development seminars, information on educational and job training programs, and other services to help women discover their transferable skills and gain the confidence they need to pursue their career and educational goals.

For more information, call (561) 868-3586 or visit www.palmbeachstate.edu/crossroads.xml.

Serving more than 50,000 students annually, Palm Beach State College is the largest institution of higher education in Palm Beach County, providing the bachelor's degree, associate degrees, professional certificates, career training and lifelong learning. Established in 1933 as Florida's first public community college, it offers more than 100 programs of study at locations in Lake Worth, Boca Raton, Palm Beach Gardens and Belle Glade.

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