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AMA School Safety patrollers recognized for leadership

Lethbridge – The Alberta Motor Association is celebrating a job well done by 500 patrollers in the Lethbridge area with an appreciation picnic.

These grades five and six students volunteer their time to keep our crosswalks safe, creating awareness that extends beyond the crosswalk and into the community. Thanks to their commitment and leadership there hasn't been a fatality or serious injury in the 73-year history of the AMA School Safety Patrol.

Event: AMA School Safety Patrol Appreciation Pool Party

When: Wednesday, June 1
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Where: Lethbridge Community Savings Place Soccer Centre and Field
2501 -28 Ave South

Interview Opportunities: A noon photo opportunity will find patrollers and AMA School Safety Patrol leaders participating in group activities with the following program partners: Lethbridge Regional Police, Lethbridge Fire Department, Be Fit for Life Centre, Office of Traffic Safety and Boys and Girls Club of Lethbridge.

Visit the AMA School Safety Patrol website at ama.ab.ca/SchoolPatrol for fun pedestrian safety tools and information on how to become a school safety champion.

The Alberta Motor Association (AMA) is the largest membership organization in Alberta, representing more than 908,000 members. As a leading advocate for traffic safety, travel and consumer protection, crime prevention, and the environment, AMA represents the interests of its members and the motoring public to industry and all levels of government. Visit ama.ab.ca to learn more about AMA's products, services and member advocacy initiatives.

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