

CLEBURNE POLICE DEPARTMENT
2015 OFFICER OF THE YEAR



Detective Colby Q. Burris

Detective Burris has served the citizens of Cleburne for nearly 18 years, 5 of which as a criminal investigator. He continues to have an outstanding level of work performance, a remarkable attitude and pleasant working relationship with others. He has a true desire to maintain a positive communication between the Criminal Investigations Unit and Patrol Unit. He willingly assists with training new detectives and works diligently with other agencies and entities to maximize investigative efforts.

Detective Burris cleared many cases and issued multiple arrest warrants in 2015. One notable case required him working closely with the Johnson County District Attorney's office to bring justice to three individuals who deceived an extremely elderly man of more than \$30,000. While continuing his investigative duties, Detective Burris developed and oversees a physical fitness program for the employees of the Department and is part of the recruiting team. He also has lead efforts within the department to raise money for a child stricken with cancer, and freely gives his personal time to contribute every year to the Special Olympics.

Detective Burris is a tremendous asset to the citizens of Cleburne and an invaluable member of the Department. He portrays what a police officer should be and Cleburne Police Department is proud to name him as one of our best.