



Officer Chavers More Than An SRO

TUPELO, Miss. — You're not likely to find Joyner SRO Cpl. Alan Chavers in a bad mood.

A native of Tupelo who graduated from the Police Academy in 2000, he greets students every morning, and throughout the day, with a smile and often times, a high-five.

Alan is always offering words of encouragement because as he says, it could be the only positive message they receive that day.

A member of the Tupelo Police Department for 23 years and an SRO for four years, he also noted he loves it when students come up to him at a restaurant or store to say, hello. That's when he knows he's making an impact.

“Joyner loves Officer Chavers, and Officer Chavers loves Joyner,” principal Kim Foster said. “He keeps us safe, and he makes everyone's day a little brighter. We are so grateful for all he does and his commitment to our school, district and community.”

This week's TPSD Staff Spotlight, sponsored by Sunny 93.3 and Buffalo Wild Wings, is SRO Cpl. Alan Chavers of Joyner Elementary.

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