A FUNERAL SERVICE FOR A TORONTO POLICE OFFICER KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY IS SET TO TAKE PLACE THIS AFTERNOON IN THE CITY.
A SERVICE TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF CONSTABLE ANDREW HONG WILL BE HELD AT NOON AT THE TORONTO CONGRESS CENTRE AND WILL INCLUDE TRIBUTES FROM DIGNITARIES INCLUDING PREMIER FORD AND POLICE CHIEF JAMES RAMER.
ALSO EULOGIES FROM HIS WIFE AND HIS DAUGHTER.
THE 22 YEAR VETERAN OF THE FORCE SHOT DEAD WHILE ON A TRAINING MISSION IN MISSISSAUGA.

MORNING EVERYBODY.
IT'S 5 A.M., 17Â°.
YOU'RE WATCHING CP24 BEFORE BREAKFAST.
I'M GEORGE LAGOGIANES.
HAPPY TO HAVE YOU WITH US.
LET'S BRING IN OUR METEOROLOGIST BILL COULTER.
BILL, 40 HOURS, AND TWO MINUTES TILL FALL.
WHO IS COUNTING?
>> Bill: YOU ARE.
APPARENTLY.
AS AM I.
9:03 EASTERN DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME LET'S SALUTE A PRETTY NICE SUMMER.
IT WAS PRETTY DECENT.
WE HAD HOT DAYS, IT GOT UP TO 35 AND A BIT TWICE BACK IN JUNE.
IT DIDN'T QUITE HIT THAT.
WE GOT INTO THE POS SEVERAL TIMES IN JULY AND AUGUST.
WE HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE.
COOLER AIR AHEAD.
AND IT'S GOING TO ALIGN PERFECTLY WITH THE ARRIVAL OF AUTUMN TOMORROW.
THOSE COOLER WINDS COME IN.
AND THE TEMPERATURE INSTEAD OF BEING 28 FEELING LIKE THE LOW 30S TOMORROW WILL CAP OUT AROUND 32S.
A MUCH COOLER DAY AND A BREEZY
ONE AS WELL.
PREPARE YOURSELF MENTALLY FOR
THAT.
WE'RE GOING TO TALK ABOUT
HURRICANE FIONA WHICH HAS
STRENGTHENED TO A CATEGORY 4
HEADING TOWARD ATLANTIC CANADA.
AS IT ARRIVES IT'S GOING TO HIT
THE COOLER WATERS AND FALL
APART.
IT'S GOING TO STILL BRING A LOT
OF RAIN TO THOSE AREAS.
IF YOU HAVE FRIENDS OR FAMILY OR
PROPERTY, OUT THERE.
YOU ARE GOING TO BE WANTING TO
PAY CLOSE ATTENTION.
28 TODAY.
NOW THE SHOWERS AND THUNDER
STORMS, THE MODELS NOT UNTIL --
THE PROSPECT, THE POSSIBILITY IN
THE AFTERNOON, ESPECIALLY TO THE
NORTH UP AROUND THE SOUTH END OF
GEORGIAN BAY AND THE NORTH END
OF THE GTA.
WE MAY HOLD OFF TO THE EARLY
EVENING HOURS WHEN WE GET THE
LINE COMING THROUGH ON THE COLD
FRONT.
THEN UNLEASHES THAT COOLER AIR.
WE'LL TALK MORE ABOUT THAT IN
THE LONG RANGE FORECAST.
OVER TO YOU.
>> George: OUR TOP STORY,
THOUSANDS OF OFFICERS TODAY FROM
AROUND THE GTA AND BEYOND WILL
REMEMBER A TORONTO POLICE
OFFICER SHOT AND KILLED LAST
WEEK IN MISSISSAUGA.
48-YEAR-OLD CONSTABLE ANDREW
HONG WAS KILLED SEPTEMBER 12
WHILE ON A LUNCH BREAK FROM A
TRAINING EXERCISE.
HE LEAVES BEHIND A WIFE AND TWO
CHILDREN.
HE WORKED FOR TORONTO POLICE
SERVICES TRAFFIC SERVICES AND
WAS A 22 YEAR VETERAN OF THE
SERVICE.
IT'S BELIEVED HE WAS TARGETED
SIMPLY BECAUSE HE WAS IN UNIFORM
AS AN OFFICER.
SCORES OF PEOPLE TURNED UP
YESTERDAY FOR A PRIVATE
VISITATION AT THE KANE-JARRETT
FUNERAL HOME ON YONGE STREET IN THORNHILL IN SUPPORT OF HIS FAMILY AHEAD OF THE FUNERAL TODAY.
HERE'S A LIVE LOOK RIGHT NOW AT THE FUNERAL HOME.
WHERE A PROCESSION WILL TAKE PLACE LATER THIS MORNING.
WHILE THE PUBLIC WILL NOT BE INVITED, TO THE FUNERAL ITSELF, PROPER.
THIS WILL BE A FINAL CHANCE TO SAY GOODBYE.
THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED INSIDE.
TORONTO POLICE SAY THE PROCESSION IS EXPECTED TO LEAVE THE FUNERAL HOME IN THORNHILL AT ABOUT 9:25 A.M. AND TRAVEL NORTH ON YONGE, WEST ON 407, SOUTH ON 427 THEN EAST ON STEELES, SOUTHBOUND ON MARTIN GROVE.
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC CAN VIEW THE PROCESSION FOR CONSTABLE HONG, POLICE SAY THE PUBLIC CAN GATHER AT THE FOLLOWING 407 OVERPASSES ALONG THE ROUTE.
THEY INCLUDE BATHURST, DUFFERIN, KEELE, JANE, WESTON, PINE VALLEY DRIVE AND ISLINGTON.
FOR THE VIEWING.
>>> CP24 WILL HAVE SPECIAL COVERAGE OF CONSTABLE HONG'S FUNERAL BEGINNING THIS MORNING AT 9 A.M. HOSTED BY STEPHANIE SMYTH.
>>> SOME OTHER NEWS FROM THE STREETS.
YORK REGIONAL POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING AFTER SHOTS WERE FIRED IN RICHMOND HILL.
OFFICERS GOT THE CALL TO THIS LANEWAY NEAR YONGE STREET AND BANTRY AVENUE.
POLICE TELL US THE SUSPECT FLED THE AREA, ONE PERSON WAS TREATED FOR SOME MINOR INJURIES. BUT POLICE SAY THOSE INJURIES WERE NOT FROM BEING SHOT.
IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION ON THIS CASING WITH PLEASE CALL YORK POLICE OR CRIME STOPPERS.
>>> THE EATON CENTRE HAD TO CLOSE EARLY LAST NIGHT AFTER A FIRE IN THE PARKING GARAGE.
SOME VIEWERS SHARED THIS VIDEO WITH US SHOWING SMOKE ROLLING OUT OF THE THIRD LEVEL OF THE PARKING GARAGE AT ABOUT 7:30. THE FIRE INVOLVED THREE VEHICLES. KNOCKED DOWN FAIRLY QUICKLY BECAUSE OF SMOKE -- HOWEVER THE MALL WAS EVACUATED AS A PRECAUTION. THERE WERE NO INJURIES TO REPORT THANKFULLY.

>>> A 26-YEAR-OLD MAN HAS BEEN CHARGED AFTER A DEADLY STABBING INSIDE OF A CANADIAN TIRE IN MISSISSAUGA. THEY SAY THAT CHAR SYNC IS CHARGED WITH FIRST-DEGREE MURDER. OFFICERS RESPONDED TO REPORTS OF A MAN AND WOMAN BOTH INJURED NEAR MAVIS AND BRITTANIA ROADS AT AROUND 6:00 MONDAY NIGHT. THE FEMALE VICTIM WHO HAS YET TO BE IDENTIFIED PENDING NOTIFICATION OF NEXT OF KIN, WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE. INVESTIGATORS DO BELIEVE THIS WAS AN ISOLATED INCIDENT.

>>> POLICE ALSO CONTINUE TO SEARCH FOR SUSPECTS AFTERRING REPORTS OF A PERSON WITH A GUN THAT PROMPTED TWO SCARBOROUGH SCHOOLS TO GO INTO HOLD AND SECURE. OFFICERS GOT THE CALL TO THE SCENE NEAR RH KING ACADEMY NEAR ST. CLAIR AND KINGSTON ROAD AT ABOUT 1 IN THE AFTERNOON YESTERDAY. THE SUSPECT IN THIS CASE DESCRIBED AS AN ASIAN MALE BETWEEN 16 AND 17. 5'6", WEARING A GREY SWEATER AND GREY SHORTS.

>>> A MISSISSAUGA NIGHTCLUB THE SUBJECT OF A PUBLIC SAFETY ALERT IS PAUSING OPERATION. HER NIGHTCLUB NEAR EGLINTON AVENUE EAST AND DIXIE ROAD SAYS IT'S BEEN NOTIFIED OF A NEW CONDITION ON ITS LICENCE THAT LIMITS ITS HOURS OF OPERATION. THE VENUE NOW SAYS THE CLOSURE
WILL REMAIN IN PLACE AS IT APPEALS THE CONDITION WHICH IT CLAIMS THREATENS THE VIABILITY OF THE BUSINESS.
POLICE WARNED THE PUBLIC ABOUT HEIGHTENED RISKS OF VISITING HER BACK IN AUGUST.
OFFICERS HAVE RESPONDED TO MORE THAN TWO DOZEN CALLS AT THE -- AT THIS ESTABLISHMENT SINCE JANUARY OF LAST YEAR.

>>> IN OTHER NEWS, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT PLANS TO DROP ITS COVID-19 BORDER REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING MAKING THE ARRIVECAN APP OPTIONAL.
THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS EXPECTED TO MAKE THE POLICY CHANGE BY THE END OF SEPTEMBER WHETHER HE THE CURRENT MEASURES WERE SET TO EXPIRE.
THE GOVERNMENT BEGAN ALLOWING UNVACCINATED CANADIANS TO BOARD PLANES AND TRAINS HEADING TO DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL LOCATIONS BACK IN JUNE.
BUT FOREIGN NATIONALS ENTERING CANADA ARE STILL REQUIRED TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST COVID-19.

>> LIKE WE'RE DONE.
YOU KNOW WHAT, YOU GO THROUGH AND YOU JUST FILL OUT THIS FORM AND THEY JUST GAVE IT TO SOMEBODY.
LITERALLY SHE WENT THROUGH THE -- LIKE -- UNDECLARED LINE.
I WENT THROUGH THE DECLARED LINE.
I GAVE THEM MY PIECE OF PAPER AND I JOGGED ON.
NOBODY CHECKED ANYTHING.
>> I LIKE THE FACT THAT THEY'RE TRYING TO KEEP CANADIANS SAFE.
THAT'S DEFINITELY A BIG PLUS.
BUT IT'S JUST A LOT MORE HOOPS AND JUMPS YOU GOT TO GO THROUGH.

>> GET RID OF IT.
IT WOULD BE GREAT.
THE ARRIVECAN APP, IT'S JUST AN APP.
YOU KNOW.
BUT I THINK IF WE WANT TO BE IN THE 20TH CENTURY CENTURY THEN WE SHOULD GET RID OF IT.
George: THE ANTICIPATED CHANGES COME AFTER MONTHS OF COMPLAINTS FROM THE TRAVEL AND TOURISM INDUSTRIES WHO SAY THE RESTRICTIONS ARE HURTING THE ECONOMY.

>>> A NEW SURVEY OUT TODAY SHOWS THE MAJORITY OF CANADIANS ARE CHANGING HOW THEY SHOP FOR GROCERIES AS THE PRICE OF FOOD CONTINUES TO GO UP. A POLL CONDUCTED BY DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY AGRI-FOOD ANALYTICS LAB FOUND ALMOST THREE QUARTERS OF CONSUMERS REPORT CHANGING THEIR BUYING HABITS TO SAVE SOME MONEY. NEARLY 34% SAY THEY ARE USING MORE LOYALTY PROGRAM POINTS WHILE ALMOST 24% SAY THEY WERE USING COUPONS MORE OFTEN. 8% SAY THEY ARE CHANGING THEIR DIET TO KEEP COSTS DOWN. AND 7% SAY THEY HAVE ACTUALLY SKIPPED MEALS.

>> I TRIED TO CHECK THE SPECIALS AND TRIED TO STACK UP ON THE FEW ITEMS WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE AT A REASONABLE PRICE. THAT'S WHAT I DO.

>> I JUST GO DAY BY DAY. I CAN'T DO A BIG GROCERY SHOP. I MEAN, IT'S HARD. IT'S A STRUGGLE OUT THERE. THE MEAT PRODUCTS ARE EXTREMELY EXPENSIVE.

>> I'M TRYING TO GET DISCOUNTS AND USE MY POINTS. AND BUY LESS EVERY TIME. COME MORE OFTEN TO LOOK AT THE DISCOUNTS.

>> George: THE SURVEY WAS DONE BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 8TH AND 10TH. IT INVOLVED 5 THOWR CANADIANS FROM COAST TO COAST.

>>> IN OTHER NEWS, PRIME MINISTER TRUDEAU IS ATTENDING THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLE IN NEW YORK CITY.

>> Rt. Hon. Justin Trudeau: VERY IMPORTANT JOB TO DO. IT'S A VERY DIFFICULT TIME IN THE CARIBBEAN RIGHT NOW.

>> George: TRUDEAU IS HAVING ONE
ON ONE MEETINGS WITH OTHER LEADERS TO DISCUSS A NUMBER OF KEY ISSUES. INCLUDING THE WAR IN UKRAINE. CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABILITY. HE'S ALSO ATTENDING CONFERENCES ON HEALTH AND FOOD SUPPLY CONCERNS. THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL USED HIS OPENING ADDRESS AND PLATFORM YESTERDAY TO TELL ALL THE WORLD LEADERS THAT THE PLANET IS GRIDLOCKED BY GLOBAL DYSFUNCTION, AND NOT READY TO TACKLE THE BIG ISSUES OF OUR TIME. 

>> THIS IS AN IMPORTANT TIME FOR CANADA AND ALSO FOR MANY COUNTRIES. MY GOAL IS TO ENGAGE WITH AS MANY COUNTRIES AS POSSIBLE AS WE'RE DEALING WITH A WORLD THAT IS FACING MANY CRISES. YOU HEARD THE SECRETARY-GENERAL EARLIER TODAY. CLEARLY WE ARE AT A CRITICAL POINT. AND CANADIANS BACK HOME KNOW THAT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN THE WORLD IS HAVING AN IMPACT ON THEIR OWN LIVELIHOODS. MAYBE THE QUESTION OF INFLATION AND THE FACT THAT PRICES ARE SOARING AT THE PUMPS OR WHEN THEY GO TO GET THEIR GROCERIES.