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MCSO Deputies Issue Speeding Citations in Two School Zones

(CHARLOTTE, NC)-Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office Field Operations conduct targeted traffic enforcements in school zones to ensure safety for students and drivers.

On Wednesday, September 1, 2021 deputies implemented lidar speed enforcement in two school zones. During the hours of 7:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m., five citations were issued to drivers for speeding near Highland Renaissance Academy where the posted speed limit is 25 miles per hour; the highest speed recorded was 45 miles per hour. During the hours of 3:45 p.m. and 4:40 p.m., six citations were issued to drivers for speeding near Ransom Middle School, where the posted speed limit is 35 miles per hour; the highest speed recorded was 58 miles per hour.

"Please remember to slow down, stay alert and be mindful of the speed limits while driving in a school zone," said Sheriff Garry L. McFadden. "The safety of our children depends on each of us. We want every child in our community to return home safely at the end of their school day."

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