



**ASIS INTERNATIONAL
NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER
March 2009**

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**ASIS North Texas Chapter
Meeting Reception
Addison Cigar & Tobacco Company
March 12, 2009
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

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hope to see all of you there. Remember every donation big or small is important so please help us out this year.

This week we will be having our monthly meeting at the Addison Cigar Bar this event will be starting at 6pm. come and join us, as Andrews International, and Securitas host this event. We will have plenty of food, drink and cigars. This is a networking event for the Chapter so come on out and enjoy the evening with some great company.

We need volunteers for the LEAN event and we need corporate sponsors big and small. This is a tough year for obtaining contributions so every little bit helps. Please give us a call and we can tell you about the many ways that you and your company can help us out.

I hope to see all of you soon.

Michael Finnegan
Your Chapter Chairman

Chairman's Corner

By Michael Finnegan, CHS-III

Well spring time is upon us and the weather is warming up, that can only mean that it is LEAN time again! That's right; our famous LEAN event is just around the corner. Steve Castor and Martin Cramer are at the wheel this year coordinating everything and getting all the corporate sponsors in line for a great evening honoring our law enforcement officers and friends from around the area. We will have plenty of Beer, wine, Bar BQ, entertainment and great door prizes.

The event will be at Eddie Deens Ranch again this year. If you need tickets please let us know as soon as you can and we will get them to you. This year the team will be selling sponsor packages at a variety of levels. This will allow for corporations or individuals to reserve tables for their friends and guest. See page 4 in this newsletter or go on line and check out the different packages at the North Texas website. We

**45th Annual Law Enforcement
Appreciation Nite
May 15, 2009
6:00 P.M.
See Page 3.**

**Evening Meeting Reception at
Addison Cigar
There is no luncheon meeting for
March.**



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ASIS North Texas Chapter Meeting Reception

Addison Cigar & Tobacco Company

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Thursday – March 12, 2009

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Event Location:

Addison Cigar & Tobacco Company

15401 Addison Rd.

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Addison Cigar is located at 15401 Addison Rd. one mile North of Beltline Road in Addison Texas. Additional parking is available at the Masons Lodge next door to Addison Cigar.

Make your reservation and \$25 payment online at www.ntx-asis.org

45th Annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Nite (LEAN) Friday, May 15, 2009

LEAN Committee Co-Chairs: Steve Castor, CPP and Martin Cramer, CPP

First, we want to thank Bob Smoot and Jim Dollar for their many years of running LEAN. We just hope we can do them justice and pull off LEAN for the 45th consecutive year. LEAN 2009 is less than 2 months away. Second, thank you to Jim Delamore and Frito-Lay for printing the tickets again this year.

LEAN 2009 is fast approaching and your LEAN Committee is working hard to make sure North Texas continues to have the biggest LEAN event in all of ASIS International. Tickets are available now and we urge you to buy early and buy often. There are a few notable changes this year. First we've moved from a weeknight event to a Friday night. Hopefully, that will allow everyone a little more time to enjoy the evening without having to worry about being at work early the next morning. Second, we anticipate having Dallas' finest Beatles cover band play and we've added reserved tables and a variety of sponsorship levels. There's a level available for most budgets so select yours today.

What is LEAN? 45 years ago the North Texas Chapter of ASIS International started an annual event to show appreciation to area law enforcement for their support. What started simply as BBQ and Beer has grown to what it is today, BBQ and Beer. Door prizes were added at some point and the drawings have grown to be a major feature of the event. In the spirit of appreciating law enforcement the Executive Board has once again chosen to support

the Assist the Officer Foundation (ATO) with proceeds from LEAN 2009. ATO provides financial assistance to officers who are facing the loss of income due to a serious injury, life-threatening illness or other catastrophic event. <http://www.atodallas.org/>

Hosting Old Home Week for the Law Enforcement Community of North Texas is one of our biggest events and the NTX ASIS LEAN is the largest LEAN event in all of the Chapters of ASIS International. This is an achievement we can be proud of and one we want to uphold. The great thing is; we don't sell tickets to law enforcement. The only way they get to attend the event is by the generosity of our sponsors and when you buy tickets. We get calls every year from law enforcement folks looking for a ticket so please by a couple extra and donate. We have also added several sponsorship options this year so take a look at the sponsor's list on page 4. now and select a package. Of course, if you still just want to give cash that's always welcome too.

Martin is taking over Jim's role as the Official Chap-

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45th Annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Nite May 15, 2009 - 6:00 P.M.

Eddie Deen's Ranch

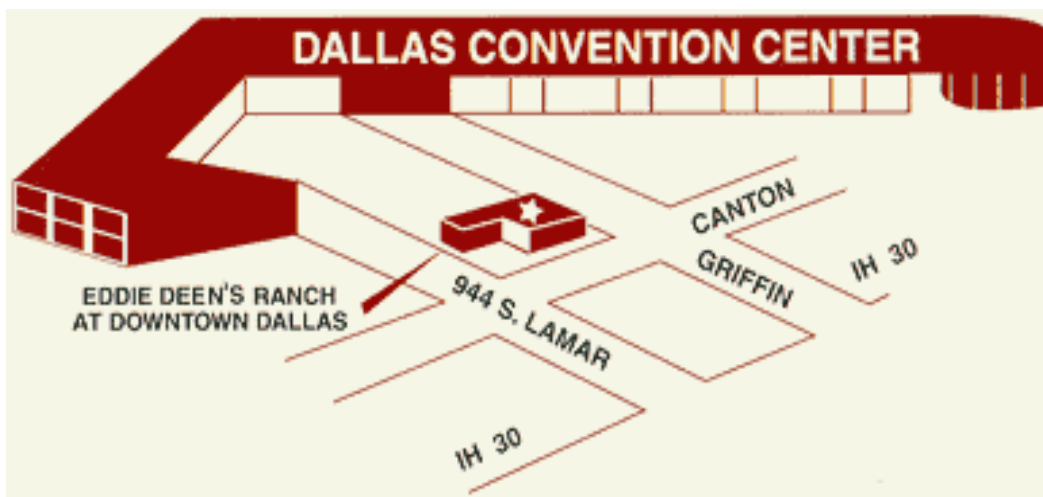
Tickets \$25.00. Free to any member of Law Enforcement.

Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Dress Code: Boots and Blue Jeans

Door Prizes

BBQ and Beer/Wine is Served



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ter Beggar and will be sending out letters and making personal visits to companies. If you don't get a letter or visit, call him and ask for one, or just let him know how you want to support LEAN! You can also contact any member of the LEAN Committee. The tickets will be printed in the next few weeks. You can get tickets from Martin, Steve, or any member of our Executive Board. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

The location will be the same as last year, Eddie Deen's Ranch. It is located on the northeast corner of Lamar and I30, just south and in the shadow of the Dallas Convention Center. Eddie Deen is a big supporter of the community and North Texas Law Enforcement. Dress Code is Boots and Blue Jeans. We will have a Pickup load of door prizes and all the BBQ and Beer/Wine you want. Help the North Texas Chapter continue to have the largest Law Enforcement Appreciation Night in the Society.

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NTX ASIS LEAN Sponsorship Levels

Titanium \$4500

(Only 1 sponsorship available at this level)

This one of a kind sponsorship includes the naming rights to the NTX ASIS LEAN Event and the sponsor's name will be branded with this event through the remainder of the year. The Titanium sponsorship also includes:

- Recognition on the NTX ASIS website home page for 4 months.
- Band introduced as being sponsored by (company) and signage near the band.
- 50 bottles of Eddie Deen's Signature BBQ Sauce custom labeled with NTX ASIS LEAN and Sponsor Logo
- Banner across stage
- Podium Recognition by MC
- Link provided to sponsor's website from LEAN sponsor page
- Corporate logo on LEAN sponsor page
- Signage on 4 reserved tables (10 tickets each)
- 10 extra tickets
- Full page display will be 30% of ppt presentation during LEAN event

Platinum \$3000

(Multiple sponsorships available at this level)

- Banner across stage
- Podium Recognition by MC
- Link provided to sponsor's website from LEAN sponsor page
- Corporate logo on LEAN sponsor page
- Signage on 4 reserved tables (10 tickets each)
- 10 extra tickets
- Full page display will be 25% of ppt presentation during LEAN event

Gold \$2000

(Multiple sponsorships available at this level)

- Podium Recognition by MC
- Link provided to sponsor's website from LEAN sponsor page
- Corporate logo on LEAN sponsor page
- Signage on 3 reserved tables (10 tickets each)
- 5 extra tickets
- Page display will be 20% of ppt presentation during LEAN event

Silver \$1000 (Multiple sponsorships available at this level)

- Link provided to sponsor's website from LEAN sponsor page
- Corporate logo on LEAN sponsor page
- Signage on 2 reserved tables (10 tickets each)

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- Page on ppt presentation appearing randomly during LEAN event

Bronze \$500

(Multiple sponsorships available at this level)

- Corporate logo on LEAN sponsor page
- Signage on 1 reserved tables (10 tickets each)
- 1/8 page on ppt presentation appearing randomly during LEAN event

Corporate/Individual <\$500

(Multiple sponsorships available at this level)

- Listing on LEAN sponsor page
- Listing on ppt presentation appearing randomly during LEAN event

For more information see contacts on page 4, left column.

Hurricane Security

Article reprinted from International Association for Healthcare Security & Safety - volume 21, Number 4

REINFORCING SECURITY WITH POLICE OFFICERS

Armed with Lessons learned during Hurricane Katrina in New Orleans, Tenet's Senior Corporate Security Specialist **Greg Lilyhorn** had his crises plan ready as Hurricane Ike approached Houston. "We had already laid the groundwork for such a situation," he says. "We learned during Katrina that we had to have our security operations in place before the hurricane struck." Lilyhorn, a former Federal Agent, previously had contracted with local law enforcement officers to 'moonlight' for him during crises situations. He set up a cadre of six officers and one sergeant at each of Tenet's four Houston hospitals. "The sergeant worked with the men on the job, so they knew each other," he notes. "This gave us a close knit group"

When the winds came, and power was lost and the emergency generators came on, the hospitals continued business as usual. But it was in the aftermath of the storm that Lilyhorn's preplanning really paid off. "Power was out throughout Houston. The hospitals were like an island, so people came there seeking shelter. Obviously we could not provide them with

it, but our security people knew where the shelters were. If they were nearby, they could tell the 'refugees' how to reach them. If not, they would call the shelters and have them send transportation."

WHEN DRUG DEALERS TAKE THE HURRICANE OFF

The major problem the security force had to contend with was the ER. Lilyhorn says one hospital at one time had 20 ambulances lined up. His security people had to direct traffic for several hours. But that was not the biggest problem in the ER for the security people. "When a hurricane comes, all the dealers leave. Users have no source, so they come to the hospital for a fix," he says.

Sometimes, their pleas are not peaceful. He recalls one incident with a person he calls the "biker dude." The individual apparently had tried other pills when he couldn't get his usual supply. He came to the hospital high, but the pills wore off and he became violent. Lilyhorn's security team quickly surrounded him, and as soon as he saw their badges, he apparently decided the better part of valor was to calm down. Lilyhorn says there were many other instances of individuals coming to the entrance violently demanding access and a fix. The security people would simply tell them they were being disruptive and should leave. If they didn't, they were escorted off the property.

AFTER THE STORM: THE THREAT OF THEFT

He notes the security watch, is a 24/7 detail, with the team catching sleep as they can. He has each team work five to seven days, then brings in a fresh team. "It's a grueling task. You can only ask them to stay alert so long." There's even more for them to do as things get back to normal. As damage assessment is done and repairs begin, with new equipment being brought in, theft creeps into the equation. A \$25,000 roll of copper cable suddenly disappears off a truck. But since the security people are professionals, it is tracked down quickly. Lilyhorn keeps his security teams operating until local law enforcement tells him they have enough cars available to answer a call from a hospital should it be necessary.

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"Hurricane Security" continued from page 5.

"After a hurricane that can sometimes be quite a while," he says, recalling Katrina. Lilyhorn is delighted with the performance of his security teams, "That's why I feel it important to use professional Law enforcement personnel. They know how to react to and handle any situation. They've been doing it for years." For the next hurricane or any other crisis, Lilyhorn will take the same approach: "ramp up early, lay the groundwork, and have your operation in place beforehand."



Chapter Treasury Balance
\$11,286.56

Code of Conduct at Chapter Meetings

ASIS International has adopted a position on professional conduct at chapter meetings for members who supply goods or services.

As an organization of professional security practitioners, it is desirable that chapter meetings be held in an atmosphere free of uninvited commercial distractions. ASIS endorses a policy that prohibits members who provide and sell security or consulting services from initiating a sales effort immediately before, during, or after a chapter meeting while at the meeting location.

Adherence to this policy will result in maintaining an atmosphere in which members are able to discuss matters affecting their profession without being the object of a sales presentation. This policy does not prohibit an organized program wherein a service company may present the program from that day, nor does it prevent a member in the service industry from responding to an inquiry.



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Following is a list of our 2009 Reid Sponsored Open Enrollment Seminars.

May 5 – 8, 2009

Dallas TX – Guest Lodge

3-Day Interview and Interrogation and 1-Day Advanced Seminars

September 15 – 18, 2009

Dallas TX – Guest Lodge

3-Day Interview and Interrogation and 1-Day Advanced Seminars

October 19 – 22, 2009

Austin TX – Embassy Suites North

2009 Calendar of Events

Chapter Meeting –

Note: There is no monthly chapter meeting - just the evening reception.

March 12, 2009

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Addison Cigar & Tobacco Company

15401 Addison Rd.

Addison, TX 75001

P 972 239 1521

See ad on page 2.

Chapter Meeting Schedule

April 9th Luncheon Meeting

2009 Chapter Officers

Chairman	Michael Finnegan, CHS-III
Vice Chairman	Rob Goll, CPP
Secretary	Eric Saleh
Treasurer	Wally Cornwell
Asst. Treasurer	Michael Adams, CPP

See e-mail links on last page.

Your Business Card Advertisement could be placed here!

The North Texas Chapter website www.ntx-asis.org is now accepting banner advertising!

See below for advertising fees.



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ASIS North Texas Chapter Newsletter

If you have any suggestions or articles to submit contact Rob Goll, CPP, Editor, rodago@yahoo.com.

Newsletter and Website Advertisements

Companies interested in supporting the Chapter by advertising on the ASIS Chapter website (<http://www.ntx-asis.org/>) or in the Monthly Newsletter should contact Rob Goll, CPP at rodago@yahoo.com for add placement agreement.

Artwork colors used should blend with the Chapter's color theme but without giving the appearance of actually being a component of the Chapter web site. Web Site Banner Add Fee is based on advertiser providing web ready art graphics and hyperlink to company information.

Newsletter Fees:

- 1/4 Page - \$400.00 per year
- 1/2 Page - \$800.00 per year
- Business Card Size - \$250.00 per year

Custom sizes are available at additional cost.

Web Site Banner Fees:

\$600.00 per year

How to Order a Name Badge

Thanks to the generosity of LaCora McSwain and Metroplex Control Systems (972-406-9300) you can now have your own name badge. Look for the *Name Badges* sheet at the sign in table at our next chapter meeting, or e-mail Rob Goll, CPP at rodago@yahoo.com.

2009 Executive Committee

Chapter Chairman	Michael Finnegan, CHS III
Chapter Vice Chairman	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Chapter Secretary	Eric Saleh
Chapter Treasurer	Wally Cornwell
Asst. Treasurer	Michael Adams, CPP

2009 Committee Chairpersons

Nominations (Past Chairman)	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Nominations (Past Chairman)	Joe Corragio, CPP
Nominations (Past Chairman)	Gorge Quin, CPP, ISP
Communications (Website, Newsletter)	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Photography	LaCora McSwain
Scholarship	TBD
Legislative	Greg Autry, CPP, CIPM, CSS
LEAN Event Co-Chair	Steve Castor, CPP, CIPM
LEAN Event Co-Chair	Martin Cramer, CPP
Golf Tournament	Michael Finnegan, CHS III
Professional Placement	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Webmaster	TBD
Certifications (CPP, PCI, PSP)	Carl Konosky, CPP
Military Appreciation Committee	Frank Garza
Law Enforcement Rep	Michael Adams, CPP
Private Sec. Svcs. Rep	Tom Crinic
Continuing Professional Education (CPEC)	Open
Student Chapter Liaison	Glenn Master
Dennis Noggle Endowment	Open
Corporate Liaison	Lisa George, CPP
Historian	Harold Midkiff, CPP, CFE
LEAPS	Marieta Oglesby, CSM, CPM, CPP

2009 Regional and Headquarters

Senior Regional Vice President	Mike Crocker, CPP, CSC
Regional Vice President	Gorge Quin, CPP, ISP
Asst. Regional Vice President	Matt Silcox, CPP, CET
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