



## ASIS INTERNATIONAL NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER May 2007

### Celebrating 50 Years 1957-2007

## 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Nite (LEAN)

By Bob Smoot, LEAN Committee Chairman

Our next chapter meeting will be our 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual LEAN. It will take place at Eddie Deen's Ranch located on the Northeast corner of Lamar and I30. This is just south of the Dallas Convention Center. There is a map on this page on the back of the ticket.

Doors will open at 5:30 pm and BBQ will be served at about 7:00 pm. Between 8 and 8:30 we should begin the door prizes. Dress Code is boots and jeans, or the suit you had to wear that day.

This is annual old home week for North Texas Law Enforcement. Not to mention that this LEAN is the largest of any Chapter in all ASIS INTL. If you don't know any Law to invite, get in contact with me. I always have some folks that don't have a sponsor. Remember, we don't allow Law Enforcement to purchase tickets. If we don't get a sponsor, the Chapter will pay for it.

Jim Dollar, (our resident chapter beggar) reports that Corporate Sponsors are going well. Ticket sales are slow as usual. Everyone wants to wait until the last minute to get their ticket. Please get your ticket early. We have to give the Ranch a hard number for required food. You cannot buy a ticket at the door. Ticket sales will stop on Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>.

Jim Dollar will print the large Corporate Sponsors Boards on Tuesday. If you want your Company listed, please contact Jim before Tuesday. If we didn't have the Corporate Sponsors, we could not even begin to pull this event off. THANK YOU CORPORATE SPONSORS.

Tom Crincic has assembled a good selection of firearms. We only have 11 this year, but the quality is much higher. Thanks, Tom.

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**May LEAN Nite**  
**There is no luncheon meeting for May.**

## 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Nite May 10, 2007 - 5:30 P.M.

Eddie Deen's Ranch

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

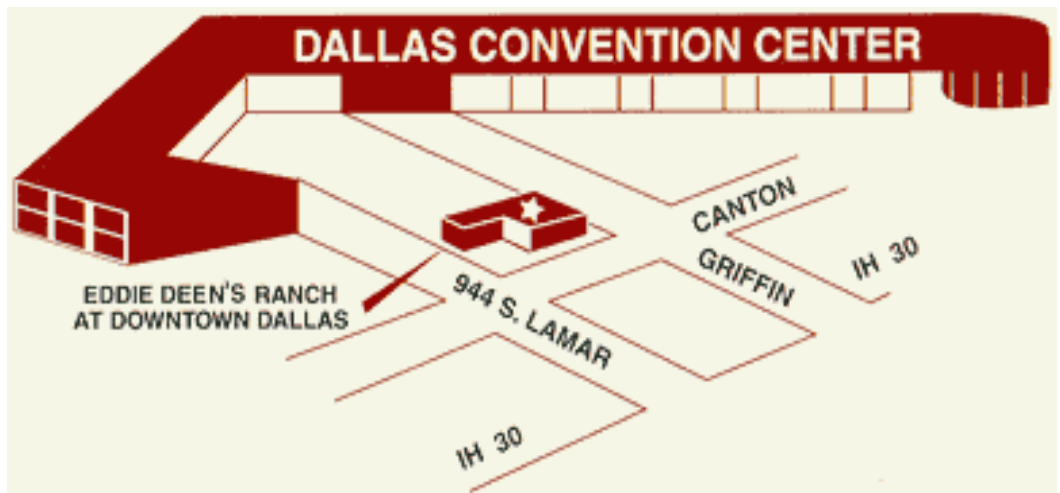
Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Dress Code: Boots and Blue Jeans

Door Prizes

BBQ and Beer/Wine is Served

For more information contact Bob Smoot: [bobsmoot@peoplescom.net](mailto:bobsmoot@peoplescom.net) or 903-765-4356.



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I need extra help. Please come by 5:00 if you can help. You will not miss any of the activities.

Don't forget, a reception will be held the nite before honoring all Corporate Sponsors. Location is the home of Lee Roy Armstrong, 4101 Post Oak Road, Flower Mound Texas, 75028. You must RSVP with me or Jim Dollar.

Board Member Marene N. Allison, ASIS Intl. President Steve D. Chupa and Executive Director Michael J Stack will be in attendance!

This is shaping up to be one our best years in a long time. Remember, get your tickets early. Come prepared to have a great time. Below is a list of folks you can get tickets from.

Jim Dollar	214-638-4961
George Quin	817-763-3406
Steve Castor	214-863-4175
Martin Cramer	214-922-0270
Michael Finnegan	972-995-8885
Michael Adams	817-915-5521
LaCora McSwain	972-406-9300
Bob Smoot	903-765-4356

## Chairman's Corner

By George Quin, CPP, ISP

*Honoring*

*Those Who 'Protect and Serve'*

Most Americans take for granted that the security of our homes, businesses, families and selves will remain completely inviolate. That continual adherence to the laws governing civilized behavior remains the status quo. Many would argue such things are and must be constitutionally guaranteed to the citizens of a democracy by its government. A covenant of security has certainly been pledged to us by our elected political leadership. But to honor such a public pledge requires many individuals willing to fully dedicate themselves to policing this covenant. We refer to such individuals as law enforcement and peace officers. Such service comes with its own price tag for both the individual and society. (But when has freedom ever been truly free?) When bad things happen to good people, the punching of 911 on a cell phone anytime of the day or night is expected to deliver a timely and just resolution of the wrong. Imagine for a moment that some terrible wrong (i.e., involving being defrauded, robbed, or assaulted) has been done to you. You dial 911 seeking justice. But your repeated calls go unanswered. Instead you are left to your own resources to seek a satisfactory resolution of the situation – to find your own justice. What would you do and why? Now imagine this same scenario occurring to thousands of citizens each day. In short order, it would be a recipe for anarchy, chaos and the complete breakdown of the social fabric binding Americans together.

It is been observed by security professionals that there are three kinds of people in this world: sheep, wolves, and sheep dogs. Sheep dogs traditionally guard flocks of sheep from the predatory tendencies of wolves. The police officers of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century are society's 'sheep dogs'. They are tasked with protecting the citizens in their communities and the nation as a whole against the threats of modern criminality and terrorism. They comprise the 'Thin Blue Line' between the laws of civilization and the savagery of the jungle. Their historical legacy traces its American roots back to 1712, when Boston hired the first full-time, paid law enforcement officers among the Thirteen Colonies. In 1789, Congress established the first federal law enforcement positions with thirteen United States Marshalls being appointed by President George Washington. Texas during 1835 created the first state level positions within what is now the oldest statewide law enforcement agency in America — the legendary Texas Rangers.

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Today, there are more than 870,000 sworn law enforcement officers serving in the United States. They carry on a distinguished tradition of selfless sacrifice and adhere to an ancient code pledging to protect the innocent from harm. Without such public servants, a nation founded upon the rule of law and its fair application would soon flounder and its much cherished peace disappear. According to the National Crime Victimization Survey conducted by the Bureau of Justice Statistics, there were nearly 5.2 million violent crimes committed in the United States in 2005. What is notable is the annual number of violent crimes has steadily declined since 1993 by 58%, chiefly through the strenuous efforts of law enforcement personnel working at local, state and federal levels. However, such successes in crime fighting have come while concurrently exacting a deadly toll among their own ranks. Since the first recorded police death in 1792, there have been nearly 18 thousand law enforcement officers slain in the line of duty. (There were 145 officers killed in 2006 alone.) Almost 7000 officers have been shot to death during the past century. Coupled with a high fatality rate, is the fact that the representatives of this profession experience an average of 56,000 assaults each year, resulting in over 16,000 injuries annually.

In recognition of their truly heroic service to America, President Kennedy in 1962 declared May 15th of each year as “*Peace Officers Memorial Day*” and the week in which it falls as “*Police Week*”. All federal agency flags are flown at half-mast on *Peace Officers Memorial Day*. Currently, there are 17,912 names engraved on the walls of the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial located in Washington, DC. During this year’s Police Week (May 13 – 19), the names of an additional 382 law enforcement officers who lost their lives in the line of duty will be added to the Memorial in a stirring candlelight vigil ceremony.

I strongly encourage everyone to join me at ASIS North Texas Chapter’s own annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Night on May 10<sup>th</sup> at the Eddie Dean Ranch in Dallas. This is our way of honoring the personal courage, commitment and sacrifice of the men and women serving in the field of law enforcement in North Texas. It is through their tireless efforts that the citizens of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex enjoy the freedom of being secure their homes and businesses.

Thanks for your support, George.

**Visit the North Texas Chapter website  
at <http://www.ntx-asis10.org>.**

## ASIS Certificate of Appreciation Presented



**Adams**

**Oglesby**

**Cramer**

During the April meeting Certifications Committee Chair Martin Cramer presented Michael Adams and Marieta Oglesby with an ASIS Certificate of Appreciation for moderating a session during the Spring 2007 CPP Review Study Sessions.

There is a PSP Review scheduled in August, anyone interested in attending the review should contact Martin Cramer, CPP at [martin.cramer@sgi-us.com](mailto:martin.cramer@sgi-us.com).

### North Texas Chapter Members Passed CPP Exam February/March

#### **Dale Lockwood, CPP**

Executive Vice President  
LAW Safety & Security Specialists, LLC

#### **Steve Pickett, CPP, PSP**

Security Manager  
Presbyterian Hospital of Plano

#### **Marieta Oglesby, CPP, CSM, CPM**

Security/Property Management Consultant  
Defenbaugh & Associates, Inc.

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could be placed here!**

**The North Texas Chapter website  
[www.ntx-asis10.org](http://www.ntx-asis10.org) is now  
accepting banner advertising!**

**See page 5 for advertising fees.**



## ISTORY'S MYSTERIES

By Harold G. (Tex) Midkiff, CPP, CFE

This month we ask the question, "What ever happened to **Jim Miller**?"

Many of you remember Jim being at Texas Instruments for 20 years, having been the Chapter Chairman of the of the Texas South Plains ASIS Chapter, serving on the ASIS Disaster Management Standing Committee, or being a big supporter of our annual LEAFFAN event. Maybe you just remember him because he's 6'4".

Or . . . if you're a fan of college football, you may have seen him in the stands at a USC or UCLA football game. That's right, Jim and his wife, Susie, have two sons who play football for competing PAC 10 Universities. Jimmy is a junior at USC and plays tight end. Jeff is a freshman at UCLA and plays defensive end.

During his last 10 years at TI, Jim had worldwide responsibility for physical and electronic security and lived and traveled internationally.

Jim joined Pinkerton in 1996 as the Vice President of Aerospace and Technology where he was responsible for an organization that provided security services that required government clearances. He also was responsible for coordinating national security service delivery to a number of Fortune 100 high tech companies. In 1999, Jim was named senior vice president of Pinkerton Government Services (PGS), a wholly owned subsidiary of Pinkerton and was instrumental in establishing a proxy agreement with the U.S. government and creating a Board of Directors for the subsidiary.

During his tenure with PGS, Jim has been responsible for a number of strategic initiatives. In 1997, he chaired the development of the High Value Logistics Security Program that focused the company's global resources and experience on the problem of international electronic component theft. This initiative led to the development of the Pinkerton Logistics Consulting Group.

In 1999, Jim chaired the Pinkerton Performance Measurement Initiative, which provided a comparative look at quality and consistency of service delivery and levels of client satisfaction across clients in the high technology, aerospace/defense and telecommunications industries. The initiative served as the foundation for the Pinkerton Performance Management Program. In 2000, Jim chaired the first Security Executive Forum, which

brought together directors of security from large corporations from various industry segments to discuss critical security issues.



**Jim Miller**

Currently, Jim is the Division President of PGS, Government Services Division, a company that provides a wide range of security services to U.S. government agencies and to companies who have contracts with the U.S. government. PGS also provides security support for U.S. satellite manufacturers who have launch campaigns in international locations.

Jim has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and a Master of Arts degree in Criminal Justice. He has spoken at numerous security, disaster management, and facility management conferences, including the ASIS Annual Government/Industry Conference on Terrorism and the International Facilities Management Association (IFMA)

Jim and family live in sunny Thousand Oaks, California and he offices in Westlake, California. You can reach him at (805) 496-3799.

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### ASIS North Texas Chapter Newsletter

If you have any suggestions or articles to submit contact:

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Donald R. Macpherson

## April Speaker

**Donald R. Macpherson**

Special Agent, FBI Dallas

Topic:

**“The Threat of Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD)”**

April’s luncheon speaker was FBI Special Agent Donald Macpherson, North Texas Joint Terrorism Task Force (NTJTTF) WMD Coordinator. Special Agent Macpherson reviewed the FBI’s WMD response capabilities and some recent incidents that occurred in North Texas. On average, the WMD unit responds to suspected WMD incidents several times per week. In one recent case the WMD unit responded to a tractor trailer that was identified as containing radio active material. Upon investigation the truck was found to contain material with low grade radio active material used in oil drilling.

Special Agent Macpherson provides a single FBI point of contact for WMD matters to all law enforcement, fire service, public health, medical, government and private sector agencies throughout North Texas. Special Agent Macpherson’s activities as WMD Coordinator include working with local, state and federal agencies to ensure adequate WMD planning, preparation, training, prevention and response in support of the FBI’s lead role in managing any WMD response.

## Newsletter and Website Advertisements

Companies interested in supporting the Chapter by advertising on the ASIS Chapter website (<http://www.ntx-asis10.org/>) or in the Monthly Newsletter should contact Martin Cramer, CPP [martin.cramer@sgi-us.com](mailto:martin.cramer@sgi-us.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

## 2007 Annual Golf Tournament for Charity Hyatt Bear Creek Country Club June 15, 2007

### Cost:

**\$90.00 per player**

**\$360.00 per team**

The fee includes cart, green fee, range balls, and lunch.

\$25 per non-golfer, includes lunch

\$250 for each hole sponsor

### GOLF TOURNAMENT PACKAGES

**TOURNAMENT UNDERWRITER - \$7500.00**

**PLATINUM Package - \$2000**

**GOLD Package - \$1,500**

**SILVER Package - \$1,000**

**Beer and Soft Drink Sponsorship - \$800.00**

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# 2007 Calendar of Events

## Chapter Meeting –

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month

## No Chapter Meeting for May

## May LEAN Event - See page 1

Texas Instrument HQ

12500 TI Boulevard,

Dallas 75243

Association of Certified Fraud Examiners

Dallas Chapter Annual Fraud Seminar at City

Place [www.dallasacfe.org](http://www.dallasacfe.org)

May 4<sup>th</sup>

## Emerging Trends in Security

ASIS International, San Antonio, Texas

May 7-9, 2007

## LEAN

Law Enforcement Appreciation Night

May 10<sup>th</sup>

## Texas Regional Infrastructure Security

Conference (TRISC), Austin, Texas

May 15-17, 2007

## Criscuoli Volunteer Leader of the Year Award

May 20<sup>th</sup>

## Certification Award

Organizational Award of Merit

June 1<sup>st</sup>

## Alan J. Cross CPP Award

June 1<sup>st</sup>

## Chapter Golf Tournament

Bear Creek

June 15<sup>th</sup>

## Certification Award

Regional

July 1<sup>st</sup>

## Timothy Walsh APC Award

Deadline varies (check website)

## Chapter Scholarship Award

September 1<sup>st</sup>

## Region 6 Scholarship Award

September 15<sup>th</sup>

## 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Seminar and Exhibits

September 24-27, 2007

Las Vegas, Nevada

## Noggle Endowment Award

November 1<sup>st</sup>

## IB Hale Chapter of the Year Nominations

November 15<sup>th</sup>

## Chapter Meeting Schedule

May 10	LEAN
June 15	Golf Tournament (no meeting planned)
July 12	Chapter Meeting
August 9	Chapter Meeting
September 13	ASIS Annual Seminar (no meeting planned)
December 13	Chapter Christmas Party

## 2007 Chapter Officers

Chairman	George Quin, CPP
Vice Chairman	Steve Castor, CPP
Secretary	Martin Cramer, CPP
Treasurer	Michael Finnegan, CHS-III
Asst. Treasurer	Michael Adams, CPP

See e-mail links on page 7.

## How to Order a Name Badge

Have you noticed the great looking name badges worn by several members and wanted one for yourself? 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 [steve.castor@cbre.com](mailto:steve.castor@cbre.com)

## 2007 Executive Committee

<b>Chapter Chairman</b>	<a href="#">George Quin, CPP</a>
<b>Chapter Vice Chairman</b>	<a href="#">Steve Castor, CPP</a>
<b>Chapter Secretary</b>	<a href="#">Martin Cramer, CPP</a>
<b>Chapter Treasurer</b>	<a href="#">Michael Finnegan, CHS III</a>
<b>Asst. Treasurer</b>	<a href="#">Michael Adams, CPP</a>

## 2007 Committee Chairpersons

<b>Nominations (Past Chairman)</b>	<a href="#">Rob Goll, CPP</a>
<b>Nominations (Past Chairman)</b>	<a href="#">Joe Corragio, CPP</a>
<b>Nominations (Past Chairman)</b>	<a href="#">Lisa George, CPP</a>
<b>Communications (Website, Newsletter)</b>	<a href="#">Steve Castor, CPP</a>
<b>Photography</b>	<a href="#">LaCora McSwain</a>
<b>Scholarship</b>	<a href="#">Stewart Hardy</a>
<b>Legislative</b>	<a href="#">Greg Autry, CPP, CIPM, CSS</a>
<b>LEAN Event</b>	<a href="#">Bob Smoot</a>
<b>Golf Tournament</b>	<a href="#">John Hewitt, CPP, CIPM</a>
<b>Professional Placement</b>	<a href="#">Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III</a>
<b>Webmaster</b>	<a href="#">Brad Hellums, CPP, CPO</a>
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<b>Foundation</b>	<a href="#">Randy Jordan, CPP</a>
<b>Law Enforcement Rep</b>	<a href="#">Michael Adams, CPP, CM</a>
<b>Private Sec. Svcs. Rep</b>	<a href="#">Tom Crincic</a>
<b>Continuing Professional Education (CPEC)</b>	<a href="#">Lisa George, CPP</a>
<b>Student Chapter Liaison</b>	<a href="#">Glenn Master</a>
<b>Dennis Noggle Endowment</b>	<a href="#">Randy Jordan, CPP</a>
<b>Corporate Liaison</b>	<a href="#">Lisa George, CPP</a>
<b>Historian</b>	<a href="#">Harold Midkiff, CPP, CFE</a>
<b>LEAPS</b>	<a href="#">Marieta Oglesby, CSM, CPM,</a>

## 2007 Regional and Headquarters

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