



ASIS INTERNATIONAL NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER December 2008

Celebrating 51 Years 1957-2008

December 10, 2008 Holiday Party Sullivan's Steakhouse

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

17795 Dallas Parkway
Dallas, Texas 75287

(There is no luncheon meeting this month.)

See Ad on Page 2.

Chairman's Corner

By Michael Finnegan, CHS-III

I would like to start off by wishing you and your families a very Happy and Safe Holiday season. It is hard to believe that 2008 has to come to an end. We have done so much this year as a Chapter that it is hard to believe that it is time to start another one!

I would like to say Thank you for all of your dedication and support that all of you have given to the Chapter throughout the year and with all of the events that we have put on. We could not have done any of these events without your financial support and for that we greatly appreciate you and your company supporting us.

As I look back on the year, the one thing that I am most proud of was being able to give a \$10,000 check to the Assist the Officer Foundation. Because of all of your efforts and contributions WE have made a difference in the lives of several people who have put their lives on the line for all of us and our families. Thank You, Thank You, Thank You.

Last month we held our annual elections, and we have had some movement on the executive board for 2009. We will have two new members on the board

this year and I would like to extend a warm welcome to Wally Cornwell and Eric Saleh as they step up to assume two very important roles on the board for this year. The new board for 2009 will consist of Chairman Michael Finnegan, Assistant Chairman Rob Goll, Secretary Eric Saleh, Treasurer Wally Cornwell, and Assistant Treasurer Michael Adams. Congratulations to the new Board members and the old-timers that have agreed to stay on and help out the Chapter. I would also like to take this time to Thank both Laura Biland and Mo Oglesby for all of their hard work and dedication to the Chapter this year as they step down from the Board. I will truly miss both of them. WE still have several committee positions that are still open and would love to have as many people that are interested in helping out to please contact me as soon as possible so that we can get you plugged in.

2009 will be a struggle for all of us with the recent down turn in the economy. I cannot tell you how important it is to stay connected to your friends within the Chapter during these times. Networking is an important part of what we do, so I ask that all of you take the time to attend our chapter meetings and functions this next year. AS always we will be asking for suggestions on what you would like to hear about at the meetings and what kind of functions that you like to attend. We are going to do several off site functions this next year to include the Cigar Bar, LEAN,

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Congratulations! New Board Elected for 2009

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

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Golf, Emergency Management Seminar, and other Happy Hour meetings, so I hope that all of you will attend.

Please do not forget to sign up for the Chapter Christmas Party. This year we will be having our party at Sullivan’s on December 10 located off the toll way. Sullivan’s is a great place and we have been given our own private room so that we can enjoy the evening with all of our friends. So go to our website and make your reservation. I hope to see you there!

Again, if I do not see you at the party Please have a Safe and Happy Holiday Season

Michael Finnegan
Your Chapter Chair

Protective Measures Course U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS)

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) will be conducting the Protective Measures Course at North Central Texas Council of Governments in Arlington, TX January 13-14, 2009. You may register for this training at the following website <http://www.nctcog.org/ep/training>.

Venue Information: North Central Texas Council of Governments, 616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, TX 76005

Local Point of Contact Information: Kathryn Cane, Senior Emergency Preparedness Specialist, North Central Texas Council of Governments, 817-695-9233, kcane@nctcog.org.

**See course description
on pages 5 through 8.**

Celebrate the holiday season!

**ASIS North Texas
December Meeting
Let’s enjoy Christmas
with good friends,
great food and holiday cheer!**

**December 10, at 6:00 P.M – 9:00P.M.
Sullivan’s Steakhouse
17795 Dallas Parkway, Dallas, TX 75287**

Dress: Business Casual

The cost of the meeting is \$25.00 online or \$30.00 at the door. Hors d’oeuvres & 2 drink tickets will be provided. To make your reservation please visit our website: <http://www.ntx-asis.org/>



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Looking for a Free ASIS CPP/ PCI /PSP Review Course?

By George Quin, CPP, ISP

Have you read the 2008 ASIS Salary Summary Report which again highlighted the fact that members with a professional certification are getting paid more than their non-certified peers? Have you been contemplating taking that great professional leap and finally earning your ASIS certification by attending an ASIS review course? But the cost of paying for that study course is a major financial barrier?

Well then, ASIS International has a great deal for you. And so does our North Texas Chapter.

Each year, the Allan J. Cross CPP Award pays the registration fee for 30 ASIS members to attend an ASIS certification review course of their choice offered during that year. Cross Award winners can select a certification course run by ASIS from the *Professional Development Calendar* which is posted in the Education Section on the ASIS International web site. Attendees may choose to attend a CPP, PCI or PSP review either in a live classroom or through an on-line study course.

The ASIS Foundation administers the A. J. Cross Award Program. Recipients must be ASIS members in good standing who have not previously received a Cross Award. Each chapter is allowed to submit one application which must signed by the Chapter Chair. Those members not aligned with a chapter can submit a request through their RVP or SRVP. Applications are then selected by the Foundation on a first-come, first-served basis until all 30 awards have been distributed. The 2009 selection process effectively commences as of 12 Noon EST on January 1st.

There will be an especially good opportunity next year for those ASIS members residing in the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex. Because **ASIS will be hosting CPP, PCI and PSP Reviews at the Intercontinental Dallas in Addison, Texas during 3 - 4 April 2009.** These reviews are intensive two-day seminars designed to refresh each participant's knowledge in exam's respective test domains. These seminars taught by highly experienced security practioners using the same reference materials that serve as the source for the questions on each exam.

In fact, for the CPP and PSP Reviews, a CPP or PSP study guide (costing \$204 each) will be provided free of charge to each seminar attendee. The registration fees for these seminars are normally \$700 for ASIS members and \$900 for non-members.

The North Texas Chapter will be accepting Cross applications from our membership up to December 20th. 2009 Cross Award Applications may be downloaded from the Scholarship page located on the North Texas web site. Completed applications should be sent to the NTX Scholarship Committee Chairman George Quin. Our chapter's selectee will be announced at our January Chapter Luncheon.

ASIS North Texas Donates to Assist The Officer Foundation



Front row l to r: Wally Cornwell, Robert Goll, Laura Biland & Marieta Oglesby Back row l to r: Tom Popken, Michael Adams, Michael Finnegan, Fredrick Frazier & Eric Saleh.

See thank you letter from Assist The Officer Foundation on page 4.





ASSIST THE OFFICER FOUNDATION

Thomas B. Popken
Chairman

November 17, 2008

ASIS International North Texas Chapter
Mike Finnegan
13542 N. Central Expressway, MS 396
Dallas, TX 75243

Dear Mr. Finnegan:

On behalf of the Dallas Police Associations' Assist the Officer Foundation we want to thank you for choosing our Foundation to be the beneficiary of your ASIS (American Society of Industrial Security) International Charity Golf Tournament and issuing us a check for \$ 10,000.00.

The Assist the Officer Foundation provides financial assistance to officers who are facing the loss of income due to a serious injury, life-threatening illness or other catastrophic event. Immediate assistance is also available to an officer's family in the event of the death of an active officer. Since its creation in 1999, the foundation has provided assistance to dozens of officers and their families who were faced with any number of different life-altering situations.

In 2004 the Foundation launched a first of its kind, confidential counseling service, exclusively for Dallas police officers. The stress of everyday life can take a toll on almost anyone – add to that the danger and stress of being a police officer – and sometimes life can be overwhelming. Our counseling program was designed for police officers, by police officers and professionals working together. In the beginning of 2005 a death benefit was added for officers in surrounding cities. Also added in 2005 a death benefit for Dallas Fire Fighters.

As resources allow, the Foundation will continue its growth by adding new programs to meet the needs of police officers in an ever changing world.

We sincerely thank you for choosing our organization to be your beneficiary.

Thomas B. Popken
Chairman
Assist the Officer Foundation

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Department of Homeland Security

**Protective Measures Training for
Security Officers, Mid-Level Safety/Security Supervisors,
and Property Managers
Course Syllabus**



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Local Point of Contact Information:

Kathryn Cane, Senior Emergency Preparedness Specialist, North Central Texas Council of Governments, 817-695-9233, kcane@nctcog.org.

Protective Measures Training - Continued on Page 6.

Background/Course Description:

This two day Protective Measures course offered to security officers, mid-level safety/security supervisors, and property managers in public/private sectors is designed to provide students with the knowledge to identify vulnerabilities and select appropriate Protective Measures for their unique facility. The course focuses on providing information pertaining to common vulnerabilities, available Protective Measures, and strategies for selecting appropriate Protective Measures. Students spend 16 hours in the classroom during which time instructors present information and students participate in various in-class activities and practical exercises designed to reinforce learning.

Each day of instruction is a full day. Students break for lunch.

Scope of Training:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to determine which Protective Measures are most appropriate for their facility.

Level of Training:

Performance

Instructor to Student Ratio for all Modules: 2:35

Program Evaluation Strategy:

A level 1 exit questionnaire is used to capture participants' "reaction" to training.

Participant Resource Requirements:

Informal Student Handouts (supplementary information)
Notional Case Studies
Protective Measures Implementation Student Worksheet
Pen/Pencil

Day 1**Module 1**

Title: Administrative – Introductions/Course Overview

Student Activity: Course Expectations – What's in it for me?

Time Required: 1 hour

Scope:

This module allows the instructor to present administrative information, make introductory remarks, and describe the course and how the course is conducted over the coming days.

Terminal Learning Objectives:

Students will be able to prepare in accordance with the course schedule and all expectations.

Enabling Objective:

Recall the course schedule and student and instructor expectations.

Module 2

Title: Threat Analysis
Student Activities: Sector Threat / Threat Objectives / Potential Targets
Time Required: 3 hours

Scope:

This module of instruction covers types of groups posing threats, targeting objectives, history and types of attacks, threat versus hazard, and types of targets. Students engage in a brainstorming activity before the instructor introduces the specifics related to each topic.

Module 2 Terminal Objective:

Upon completion of this module of instruction, students will be able to recognize by what type of threats their facility may be targeted, why, and by what methods they might be attacked.

Enabling Objectives:

1. Explain threat versus hazard
2. Recall types of groups posing threats
3. Discuss targeting objectives
4. Discuss attack history and methods
5. Identify types of targets

Module 3

Title: Terrorist Planning
Student Activities: Attack Planning / Potential Attack Indicators
Practical Exercise: Identify Potential / Imminent Attack Indicators
Notional Case Study Part 1
Time Required: 1.5 hours

Scope:

During this module, instructors focus on the seven-step terrorist planning cycle, awareness, and potential indicators of criminal/terrorist activity.

Module 3 Terminal Objective:

Upon completion of this module of instruction, students will be able to recall potential indicators of criminal/terrorist activity.

Enabling Objectives:

1. Explain the seven-step terrorist planning cycle
2. Recognize the importance of security awareness
3. Identify Potential/Imminent Attack Indicators

Module 4

Title: Facility Vulnerability Analysis (FVA)
Student Activity: FVA
Time Required: 2.5 hours

Scope:

In this module, the focus is on conducting the FVA based on hostile objectives to include locating surveillance and counter-surveillance locations, facility security, facility access, facility construction, target dynamics, and secondary targets.

DHS/SYL/PMC/SEPT08 - 1.5

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Module 4 Terminal Objective:

Given a facility type, students will determine vulnerabilities and how attackers might exploit the vulnerabilities.

Enabling Objectives:

1. Determine appropriate Protective Measures
2. Discuss why it is necessary to conduct a FVA
3. Explain how to conduct a FVA and how to prioritize any identified vulnerabilities

Day 2

Module 5

Title: Protective Measures

Practical Exercise: Implementation of Protective Measures
Notional Case Study Part 2
Implementation of Protective Measures
Notional Facility

Culminating Exercise: Identify Appropriate Protective Measures -
Individual Commercial Facilities PM Identification / Justification

Time: 8 hours

Scope:

In this module, the purpose for implementing Protective Measures is explored. Also discussed are the Rings of Security, Homeland Security Advisor System, types of Protective Measures, and how to determine which types to implement based on facility type, specific threats, and availability of resources.

Terminal Objective:

Upon completion of this module of instruction, students will be able to determine specific Protective Measures corresponding to HSAS level for a notional or their own facility.

Enabling Objectives:

1. Recall purposes for implementing Protective Measures
2. Discuss Rings of Security
3. Recall nine types of Protective Measures
4. Determine appropriate Protective Measures corresponding to HSAS levels

Register for Protective Measurers training at: <http://www.nctcog.org/ep/training>.



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NOTE: The RPGA code has not been received at this time and will be posted on the website when we get it.

2008 Calendar of Events

Chapter Meeting –

There is no Luncheon meeting this month.

December 10, 2008

Holiday Party - Sullivan's Steakhouse

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

17795 Dallas Parkway

Dallas, Texas 75287

See Ad on Page 2.

Chapter Meeting Schedule

January 8th Luncheon Meeting

2008 Chapter Officers

Chairman	Michael Finnegan, CHS-III
Vice Chairman	Marieta Oglesby, CSM, CPM, CPP
Secretary	Rob Goll, CPP
Treasurer	Laura Biland, CPP, CFE
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 Marieta Oglesby, Editor, marietaoglesby@verizon.net.

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 marietaoglesby@verizon.net.

2008 Executive Committee

Chapter Chairman	Michael Finnegan, CHS III
Chapter Vice Chairman	Marieta Oglesby, CSM, CPM, CPP
Chapter Secretary	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Chapter Treasurer	Laura Biland, CFE, CPP
Asst. Treasurer	Michael Adams, CPP

2008 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)	Marieta Oglesby, CSM, CPM, CPP
Photography	LaCora McSwain
Scholarship	Gorge Quin, CPP, ISP
Legislative	Greg Autry, CPP, CIPM, CSS
LEAN Event	Bob Smoot
Golf Tournament	Michael Finnegan, CHS III
Professional Placement	Rob Goll, CPP, CHS III
Webmaster	Brad Hellums, CPP, CPO
Certifications (CPP, PCI, PSP)	Carl Konosky, CPP
Military Appreciation Committee	Frank Garza
Law Enforcement Rep	Michael Adams, CPP, CM
Private Sec. Svcs. Rep	Tom Crincic
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

2008 Regional and Headquarters

Senior Regional Vice President	Mike Crocker, CPP, CSC
Regional Vice President	John Hewitt, CPP, CIPM
Asst. Regional Vice President	Charles Hutchinson
ASIS HQ	Hedi Pilar