

**April
2012
Newsletter**

ARLINGTON CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION



APRIL MEETINGS

Board Meeting
APRIL 5th , 7:00 PM

ACPAAA Meeting
APRIL 12th , 7:00 PM

West PD Station
2060 W Green Oaks Blvd.

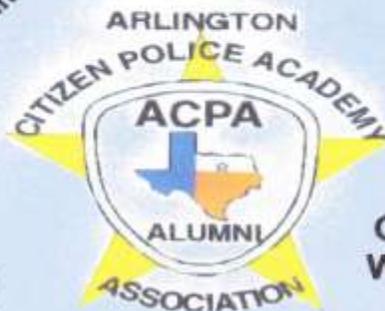
AUCTION

Auctioneer:
George Godwin

Assistant Auctioneer:
Linda Holland

Date: 04/12/12

Time: 08:15 PM



Location:
City of Arlington
West Police Station

The auction will begin immediately following the close of the General Meeting.

Please bring items for auction that you would be willing to bid on.

All proceeds from the Auction go toward the support of the Arlington Police department.

Come join us, bring your family and friends and we'll have a blast!

Please cash or check only.

For more information contact Pat Struble at 817-614-0670 or at patnoe9999@aol.com



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Goodwill fellowship Group

On April 15th, the group will be visiting
Webb Baptist Church
6600 S. New York Ave
Service starts at 10:25 am. Afterwards
the group plans to go to lunch at Little
Italy, right next door.

On May 13th, the group will be visiting
Chief Bowman Father's Church
Greater Mount Tabor Center Church
2513 South Edgewood,
Fort Worth, Tx

**Contact Rev. Ed Dillon
for further details**



THE 2012 EXECUTIVE BOARD

President: Pat Struble
Vice-President: Suzanne Kelley
Treasurer: Paul Goodman
Secretary: Mary Godwin
Director: Elaine Noe
Director: Joe Hawkins
Director: Autumn Penry
Director: Susan Ernst
Director: Ed Ricardez



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MARCH 2012 GENERAL MEETING MINUTES:

Call to order:

Pat Struble, President

Time: 7:00 PM

Board members present: Pat Struble, President; Paul Goodman, Treasurer; Mary Godwin, Secretary; Joe Hawkins, Director; Elaine Noe, Director; Autumn Penry, Director; Edward Ricardez, Director

The meeting was called to order by Pat Struble, President at 7:00 PM. We pledged allegiance to our flag. We established a quorum. New members were introduced. Prayer was led by Reverend Ed Dillon. Members present were thirty eight. Prayer was requested for: Jackie Green, back problems, Bennie Green's daughter is very ill, Autumn Penry, Director's, future daughter-in-law, has brain tumors, Dan Nugent, and Cameron Walker, midnight officer. Our guest speaker was Officer Will Johnson and he spoke about attending the F.B.I. Academy. He lived in a dorm for ten weeks with law officers from twenty-two countries and forty nine states. It is paid for by the Federal Government. They study the mind set of terrorism. He brought home the coveted "yellow Brick", that's given to you, when you finish all the grueling physical tests. He was hospitalized after the obstacle test but would not quit because he wanted to have that brick. This is a great honor for Arlington P. D. and our city. Assistant Chief Hawthorn asked us for \$750.00 for air fare for a policeman to go for a training class. Discussion was made by Elaine Noe, Director and Linda Holland said that not much money is left in the budget and that officers had been sent before for training and then left the department. Pat Struble said that she would reimburse \$750.00 if that happened now. An explanation of the training class will be given in May. A motion was made for \$750.00 to send an officer to a training class by Candy Ford and seconded by Bonnie Bilodeau. A motion was made to accept the March 8, 2012 minutes by George Godwin and seconded by Jackie Smith. Treasure's report was read by Paul Goodman, Treasurer. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Kathleen Mul-

erin and seconded by Cynthia Delanoy. Joe Hawkins, Director had nothing to say. Edward Ricardez, Director had nothing to say. Reverend Ed Dillon spoke about us attending different churches, beginning with Sunday March 11, 2012 at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 10:00 AM, 301 Sanford St. After church we will go to the Buttermilk Cafe. Elaine Noe, Director, spoke about the Caring Committee. She passed a mentor sign up sheet to mentor the new members. Ruth McKee's daughter passed away. Oscar our Alumni dog passed away. Steve Messina said that members are not turning in their hours. C.O.P orientation will be March 20th and 27th at the West Station 6:00-9:00 PM. The C.O.P. Mobile will be April 15, 2012. It will be a four week course at the South Side. Rita Martin announced that this is the last night for ordering shirts. Kathleen Mulkerin will be having a meeting at her house about Police Week on March 27th at 7:00 PM. Jackie Smith will do the directory. Linda Holland needs food for April 16th, for the C.P.A. class. C.P.A. graduation will be April 19th at City Hall. Cynthia Delanoy was given an award at the Police Banquet. April 12th will be the Auction, please bring things to auction off. George Godwin said to come and see George Godwin and Linda Holland act like fools. A Motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Kathleen Mulkerin and seconded by Joe Hawkins.

March 8, 2012 minutes submitted by Mary Godwin Secretary ACPAAA





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THE PREZ PONDERING

A DREAMER AND HIS DREAM

Let me tell you, Jesse hated this job. And you would too, I imagine, if you had to do it. Jesse was a chicken plucker. That's right.

He stood on a line in a chicken factory and spent his days pulling the feathers off dead chickens so the rest of us wouldn't have to.

It wasn't much of a job. But at the time, Jesse didn't think he was much of a person.

His father was a brute of a man. His dad was actually thought to be mentally ill and treated Jesse rough all of his life.

Jesse's older brother wasn't much better. He was always picking on Jesse and beating him up. Yes, Jesse grew up in a very rough home in West Virginia. Life was anything but easy. And he thought life didn't hold much hope for him. That's why he was standing in this chicken line, doing a job that darn few people wanted.

In addition to all the rough treatment at home, it seems that Jesse was always sick. sometimes it was real physical illness, but way too often it was all in his head. He was a small child, skinny and meek. that sure didn't help the situation any.

When he started to school, he was the object of every bully on the playground.

He was a hypochondriac of the first order. For Jesse, tomorrow was not always something to be looked forward to.

But he had dreams. He wanted to be a ventriloquist. He found books on ventriloquism. He practiced with sock puppets and saved his hard earned dollars until he could get a real ventriloquist dummy.

when he got old enough, he joined the military. And even though many of his hypochondriac symptoms persisted, the military did recognize his talents and put him in the entertainment corp. That was when his

world changed. He gained confidence.

He found that he had a talent for making people laugh, and laugh so hard they often had tears in their eyes. Yes, little Jesse had found himself.

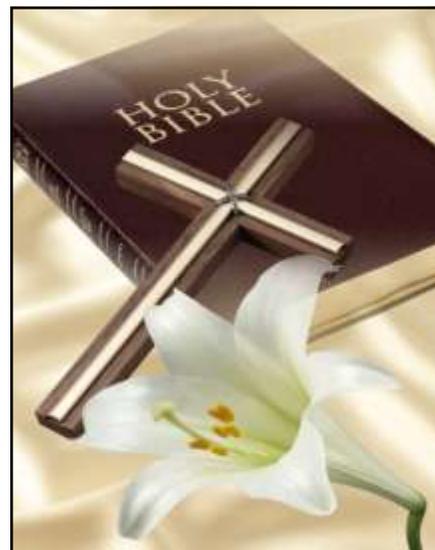
You know, folks, the history books are full of people who overcame a handicap to go on and make a success of themselves, but Jesse is one of the few I know of who didn't overcome it. Instead he used his paranoia to make a million dollars, and became one of the best-loved characters of all time in doing it!

Yes, that little paranoid hypochondriac, who transferred his nervousness into a successful career, still holds the record for the most Emmy's given in a single category.

The wonderful, gifted, talented, and nervous comedian who brought us

Barney Fife was Jesse Don Knotts

NOW YOU KNOW, "THE REST OF THE STORY"
There is a street named for him and his statue in the Morgantown, West Virginia, his place of birth.





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Expanding the "Eyes and Ears" through Community and Police Partnerships

Now accepting applications!



**COP Mobile
CLASS #3
TRAINING SCHEDULE**

To all Citizens Patrol, Citizens Police Academy and Hispanic Citizens Police Academy Graduates,

Please refer to the link below and complete the 1 page application if you are interested in enrolling in the next course.

<http://www.arlingtonpd.org/index.asp?nextpg=CrimePrevention/COPMobile.asp>

Below is the upcoming course calendar.

Location	Date	Time	Topics
South Police Station 1030 SW Green Oaks Blvd	Wed April 25th	6pm-9pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C.O.P. Mobile Program intro • S.O.P. review • Radio etiquette/usage • Myvolunteerpage.com review
South Police Station 1030 SW Green Oaks Blvd	Wed May 2nd	6pm-9pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Oriented Policing Strategies • Homicide investigation • Crime scene evidence processing
South Police Station 1030 SW Green Oaks Blvd	Wed May 9th	6pm-9pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NCIC /TCIC General Practitioner Certification • PD OCC (Media) presentation
<i>New Members will report to their assigned Policing District stations.</i>	Wed May 16th	6pm-9pm	Field Training: (Outdoors weather permitting) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vehicle Operation, pick up and drop off procedures. • Station Tour • Log-In procedures • Radio operation review • Review of vehicle manuals

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NEWS WORTHY EVENTS



2012 Arlington Police Department Boots and Badges Awards Ceremony

Bonnie Bilodeau and Pat Struble congratulated Cynthia Delanoy on receiving the Citizen Community Award, given by the Arlington Police Department's for outstanding dedication and interest in the enhancement of good law enforcement and unsparing devotion to the well being of their fellowman and the community with which they live.

Both Bonnie and Pat know the rewarding feeling, because they received the award in 2009.



GOODWILL FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Attending church at Mt. Olive Church.



DONATION REQUEST

SNACKS, WATER, or \$\$ is needed for the police department during National Police Week, May 14-18. See Kathi Mulkerin to contribute to a successful event.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CPAANT



ATF agent Joe Patterson gave a presentation on the ATF and its responsibilities at the March CPAANT meeting hosted by the Coppell CPAAA.



Pat Struble reported that the contract has been signed with the Sheraton Hotel in Arlington for the 2013 convention being held July 24-26th with a statewide Chiefs Round Table to be on Saturday, July 27th. Plans are underway for hosting the "Ice Breaker" in Waco in July 2012 along with a silent auction.

April's meeting will be hosted by Cedar Hill CPAAA on Saturday, April 14th.



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APRIL
BIRTHDAY



<i>Stella Smith</i>	<i>4/1</i>
<i>Donna McCullough</i>	<i>4/2</i>
<i>Stephen Lund</i>	<i>4/7</i>
<i>Linda Diann Smith</i>	<i>4/7</i>
<i>Patricia Rodriguez-Burroso</i>	<i>4/10</i>
<i>Shari Allcock</i>	<i>4/17</i>
<i>Brooke Kennedy</i>	<i>4/20</i>
<i>George Putman</i>	<i>4/21</i>
<i>Pat Struble</i>	<i>4/24</i>
<i>George Hudspeth</i>	<i>4/30</i>

