



ARLINGTON CITIZENS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

MARCH NEWSLINK



Phil Kabakoff, Editor

Board of Directors Meeting

Thursday, March 3, 2016

6:30 PM

West Station

Membership Meeting

Thursday, March 10, 2016

7:00 PM

West Station

PROGRAM

"Hometown Recruiting Program"

Creates A pipeline for aspiring police officers from diploma to degree

Presenter is Officer Fred Kemp

High school students considering a law enforcement career can earn credit toward a criminal justice degree and participate in early police training through a new program backed by the Arlington Police Department, the Arlington Independent School District and UT Arlington.

The "Hometown Recruiting Program" is believed to be a first of its kind in terms of collaboration among three of the region's largest public institutions. It builds upon existing early admissions efforts between The University of Texas at Arlington and the Arlington Independent School District and the strong relationship between the University, the school district and the Arlington, Texas Police Department.

Hiring incentives: Program graduates are guaranteed an interview with the Arlington Police Department upon completion of their UT Arlington degree, invited to participate in recognition ceremonies and are given preferred consideration, ensuring employment opportunities are available in upcoming police academy classes.



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ARLINGTON CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

02/11/2016

CALL TO ORDER: Lt. James Long, Sergeant
at Arm TIME: 7:00 PM

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: BILL JEZEK, PRESIDENT, KATHI MULKERIN, VICE-PRESIDENT, PAUL GOODMAN, TREASURER, GENA REESE, SECRETARY, DIRECTORS CHUCK HAINES, STACY MILLIGAN, PHIL KABAKOFF, ELAINE NOE, TOM MULKERIN, CPANNT REPRESENTATIVE, AND SERGEANT AT ARMS, LT. JAMES LONG, AND OFFICER TIM HAYDEN.

Thirty members attended representing a quorum. Pledge of allegiance to our flag was performed.

Paul Goodman opened the meeting with the introduction of his personal friend and guest speaker Professor Charles Fernandez, father of Officer Charles Fernandez. Professor Fernandez presented his experience as a parent of a police officer. He revealed his and his wife's pride, concerns, and fears he experiences, but stated that his son loves his job - which is protecting people who cannot defend themselves. This was a very interesting and rewarding presentation and cannot be summed up in a paragraph.

Bill Jezek, President, started official business meeting at 7:19 PM.

- He welcomed visitors and new members. Jim Colley was acknowledged.

- Congratulations were offered to Phil Kabakoff as Volunteer of the Month.
- The procedure for making motions was reviewed and discussed.
- Announcement was made that the board had approved \$250.00 donation to the Communities Against Crime 5K Run and Fun Walk. Motion was made by Pat McColgin and seconded by Peggy Jacobs to approve this donation.

Tom Mulkerin, CPAANT representative, reported the next CPANNT meeting is scheduled for 3/5/2016 at 10:00 am at the Plano Police Training Center.

Kathi Mulkerin, Vice-President, announced the Back The Blue Bash is scheduled for 3/4/2016 at 5:30 pm. Dress code is casual and PJ Brock has voiced a need for 5-6 volunteers. Information can be found at website - arlingtonpolicefoundation.org.

Gena Reese, Secretary - minutes of January 2016 ACPAAA general meeting were in the Newsletter. Correction was made i.e. CERT stands for Community Emergency Response Team. Motion was made by Kathi Mulkerin and seconded by Candy Ford to approve the minutes.

Paul Goodman, Treasurer, presented the January 2016 Treasurer's report. Purchases included cost for directories and providing food for new graduates.

Chuck Haines, Director of Programs, presented a summary of the Topic Ideas Survey results. The 4 topics most requested are 1) demonstration of new equipment being rolled out to officers, 2) new laws that went into effect 1/1/2016 that had a direct impact on how APD interface with the public, 3) a guest speaker from



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the US Marshall’s Service to discuss their role in law enforcement, and 4) officer training development – how new hire and recurrent training is changing to prevent instances where an officer’s actions are highlighted in the press in a negative manner.

Stacy Milligan, Director of Events, reported a good turnout at the ACPA training class, members provided the desserts, and \$139.90 was spent on food (pizza - \$115.00, misc. \$25.00). Special thanks to Patti Noe for getting pizzas at \$5.00 each and to Kathi Mulkerin for picking up the pizzas.

Phil Kabakoff, Director of PR/Marketing, reported the February Newslink has been sent out.

Elaine Noe, Director of Membership, reported:

- The 2016 ACPAAA Directory is available for members that submitted their information. Directory is in PDF form if any member would like to bring flash drive to download a copy. Please pick up your copy if you submitted information for the directory.
- Contact Elaine Noe for T-shirt orders. Order will go out this week.
- Drawing was held and door prizes given out to the lucky members.

Susie Kasper, Director of Fundraisers, was not in attendance.

Art Dennis provided an update to plans regarding the Golf Tournament.

- 3rd Annual ACPAAA Golf Event at Tierra Verde Golf Club for May 23, 2016 flyers and tri-folds are available at back table.

- Still need volunteers and sponsors and sign-up list placed at back table.
- Pat McColgin has requested that he be notified before meeting with possible sponsors or requests for donations in order to prevent duplication of requests.
- There is a change in the sponsorship requirements – paid members can donate \$100 for officer to play.
- Next planning meeting to be held at Tierra Verde on Monday 2/15/2016 at 5:30 pm.

Lt. James Long, Sergeant at Arms, did not present at this meeting.

Officer Tim Hayden, APD Liaison, reported the CPA class finished the 2nd week of the 11 weeks. The next 2 day class is scheduled for 4/25-4/26/2016 and graduation will be for both classes are scheduled 4/28/16, at 7-8 P.M.

The February 2016 ACPAAA meeting was adjourned at 7:52 P.M. Motion was made to close this meeting by Richard Sinner, seconded by Carol Moody and motion passed.



respectfully submitted by
Gena Reese, Secretary



DON'T FORGET

To log you hours when you have completed an activity!



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Volunteer of the Month



We would like to congratulate **Phil Kabakoff** for receiving the *Volunteer of the Month Award* For January from Police Chief Will Johnson. Phil wears a lot of hats and is very active in the Arlington Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association. He plays a vital role with our Volunteer program on North side. Thank you Phil for your dedication with APD and we appreciate all you do!

The Caring Committee

If you know of someone that is ill please let me know.

The new directories are available to those who signed up for one. Please come to the next meeting to get your copy. Directories can also be picked up from my house. Just give me a call



Elaine Noe
817-480-0411



Did You Know . . .

Arlington placed 3rd in the country for the number of National Night Out locations this past fall.

1. Minneapolis
2. San Antonio
3. Arlington

CPAANT

The CPAANT meeting for March will be in Plano MARCH 5, 2016 at the Richardson/Plano Police Training Center
4912 14th Street
Plano, Tx 75074

For more details: cpaant.org



Tom Mulkerin
CPAANT Representative

The internet went down and I had to spend time with the family.

They seem like good people!



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3rd Annual ACPAAA Golf Tournament

Monday, May 23, 2016

at the

Terra Verde Golf Club

**7005 Golf Club Drive - Arlington, TX 76001
817-478-8500**

Please join us at Terra Verde Golf Club for a fun-filled day of golf. This event is an opportunity to enjoy a great time with your friends while supporting the Arlington Police Department.

Get a foursome together and sign up today.

SPONSORSHIP

All Sponsors will be on the Sponsor Banner

Chief Level: \$2,500 and above
TWO (4 person) teams for play
3 x 5 Banner Display at
Tee Boxes #1 and #10

Lieutenant Level: \$1,500
1 (4 person) team for play
3 x 5 Banner Display Sign
at tee Box #1

Sergeant Level: \$1,000
One (4 person) team for play
Hole Sponsor Sign
Company Name on Sponsor Board

Corporal Level: \$500
Two Players Registration
Tee Box Sponsor Sign
Company Name on Sponsor Board

Officer Level: \$200
1 Player Registration
Tee Box Sponsor Sign
Company Name on Sponsor Board

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Do you need an Alumni Shirt ??



- * Available in black or blue
- * Long sleeve or short sleeve
- * For men or women in several sizes



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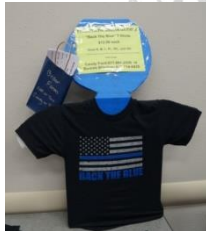
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Fund Raiser

Citizens on Patrol are having a fundraiser by selling T-Shirts "Back The Blue" pictured below. Our black T-Shirts are \$12.00 each that come in sizes S, M, L ,XL, 2X and 3X. Also available in long sleeve \$15.00 each. They will be on sale at the meeting. If you know anyone who is interested in purchasing one please contact one of us. Cash or check (made out to COP)



Thank you,



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Our February Speaker Charles Fernandez and his wife Edna with Paul Goodman

Arlington Citizens Police Academy

The new class #59 of the Arlington Citizen's Police Academy is one of the largest ever. There are 53 signed up for this session.



Alumni are welcome to assist Officer Tim Hayden on Monday evenings with anything that might come up. There will be a 2 day class on April 25 & 26 if you know someone who would like to attend.

Graduation for both classes is April 28. The location is TBD.

Getting Old . . .

Another year has passed
And we're all a little older.
Last summer felt hotter
And winter seems much colder.

There was a time not long ago
When life was quite a blast.
Now I fully understand
About 'Living in the Past'

We used to go to weddings,
Football games and lunches..
Now we go to funeral homes
And after-funeral brunches.

We used to have hangovers,
From parties that were gay.
Now we suffer body aches
And wile the night away.

We used to go out dining,
And couldn't get our fill.
Now we ask for doggie bags,
Come home and take a pill.

We used to often travel
To places near and far.
Now we get sore asses
From riding in the car.

We used to go to nightclubs
And drink a little booze.
Now we stay home at night
And watch the evening news.

That, my friend is how life is,
And now my tale is told.
So, enjoy each day and live it up...
Before you're too damned old!



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March 2016						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesd	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 ACPAAA BOD MTG 6:30 West Station	4 Back the Blue 5:30 PM Arlington Convention Center	5 CPAANT MTG 10 am Plano
6	7 CPA CLASS Training Academy 7 PM	8	9	10 ACPAAA MTG 7 PM West Station	11	12
13 Daylight Savings Time Set your clocks ahead 1 HR	14 NO Class This Week	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 CPA CLASS Training Academy 7 PM	22	23	24	25 Good Friday	26
27	28 CPA CLASS Training Academy 7 PM	29	30	31		

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