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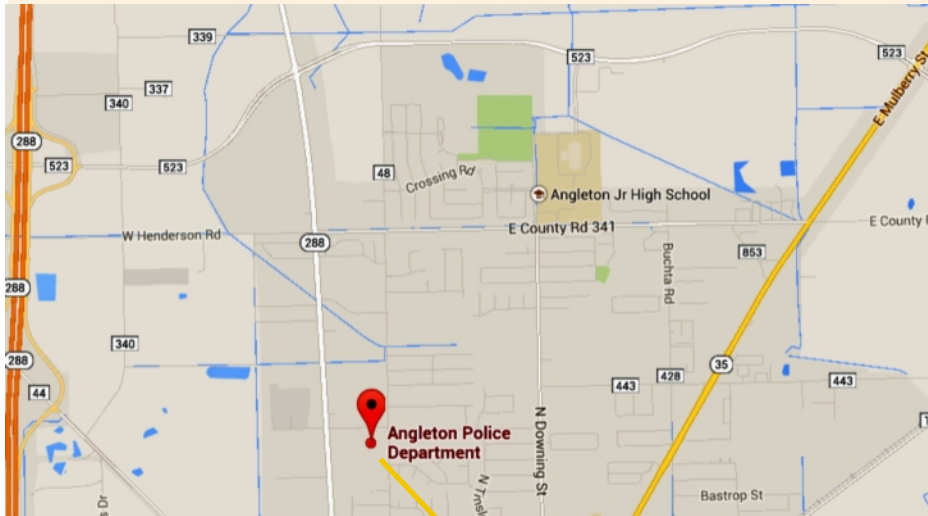
The Region One meeting for January will be on Saturday, January 10, 2015 in Angleton at 9:00 A.M in the Training Room at the Angleton Police Department, 104 Cannan Drive, Angleton.

Take Highway 288 South to the first Angleton exit (288-B). Coming into Angleton you will see Wal-Mart on the right and Kroger on the left. That light is Cannan. Turn left on Cannan and the Police Department is on the right next to the post office.

For those coming in from Hwy 35, you can turn right (west) onto Hwy 523 to Hwy 288B turn left (south) to Cannan, turn left, then right into Angleton PD. The phone number is 979-849-2383.

Come early for refreshments and fellowship.

The speaker will be Sgt. Quenton Rush. He is a forensic artist and will be presenting a program on this subject.



Meeting Schedule

2015

- January 10 -- Angleton
- February 14 – Liberty County
- March 14 – Humble
- April 11 -- Dickinson
- May 9 – Deer Park
- June 13 – Pasadena
- July 11-- La Porte
- Aug 2-4 – State Convention*
- August 8 – No Meeting
- September 12 -- Montgomery Co
- October 10 -- League City
- November 14 -- Texas City
- December -- No meeting

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- January 9 -- Angleton
- February 13 –
- March 12 –
- April 9 -- Dickinson
- May 14 –
- June 11 --
- July 9, August 13 – TBA convention
- September 10 -- Montgomery Co
- October 8 -- League City
- November 12 -- Texas City
- December -- No meeting

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Region One official mailing address:
524 Louisiana Avenue #15 Bacliff,
Texas 77518-2106

Note: Mail Dues to address shown on Renewal Form

Election Results and Dues Reminder

Elections were held at the November Meeting in Texas City with the following results:

Newly Elected 2015 Officers/Director:

President --- Calvin Walker
Vice President -- Dave Davis
Secretary -- Richard Melvin
Treasurer -- Barbara Cook
Director Position #2 -- Dolores Gant

We would like to express our gratitude to those who served on the 2014 Board which include Sandi Miller (President), Leo Waltz, Bob Milke and Jeanne Canales who served in Director positions, as well as incumbents Dave Davis, Richard Melvin and Barbara Cook who are now serving 2nd terms in their respective positions. Also a big thanks to Calvin Walker and Dolores Gant for stepping forward to serve! We depend on your leadership which brings strength to our organization.

Nominations Committee
 Deb Smith, Chair
 Billy Boehlke

A reminder that it is now time to remit 2015 dues for Region One. Please complete the renewal form (found on the website) so we will have a record of current information. The mailing address is on the form -- or you can bring the form & payment and turn in to Barbara Cook, Treasurer at any meeting.

We would like to recognize our 2014 Member-in-Good Standing alumni groups listed in the box below.

We encourage active participation in Region One activities as we all benefit from the shared experiences and information -- with each other and the excellent speakers at our meetings.

Membership Committee

Deb Smith, Chair

Maggie Spooner

Dolores Gant

2014 Region 1 Members	
Associations -20	Individuals -10
Angleton	Suzanne Kelly
City of Galveston	Nancy Crowe
Deer Park	Billy Boehlke
Dickinson	Deb Smith
Galveston Cnty Sheriff	Jeanne Canales
Houston	Robert Milke
Humble	Amelia Collins
Kemah	Susan Ernst
La Marque	Larry Stegent
La Porte	Lillian Jalliffe
League City	
Liberty County	
Montgomery County	(List from
Pasadena	Treasurer
Pearland	Reports)
Richmond	
Sugarland	(2015 List will
Texas City	start in February.)
Tri Agency	
Webster	

Web Links of sites relevant to items in this newsletter:

- Membership renewal form:
<http://tcpaaconvention.org/TCPAAA/Region1/#renewal>
- Updated 501.c.3 document:
[http://TexasCPAAA.org/special/501\(c\)\(3\)packet.pdf](http://TexasCPAAA.org/special/501(c)(3)packet.pdf)
- DOJ National Missing Children Day Poster Contest:
<http://www.ojdp.gov/programs/postercontest/>

2015 Region One Officer Roster

President - Calvin Walker	281-339-1107	cowboy@hal-pc.org
Vice President - William "Dave" Davis	832-722-8428	wdavninja@gmail.com
Secretary - Richard Melvin	281-337-8623	ramelv@comcast.net
Treasurer - Barbara Cook	281-615-7856	bcook013@comcast.net
Director, Pos 1 - Leo Waltz	281-316-2255	Leo@TexasCPAAA.org
Director, Pos 2 - Delores Gant	281-997-1015	dgant1883@yahoo.com
Director, Pos 3 - Bob Milke	281-617-6488	Unknown email address
State Rep, Non Sworn - Billy Boehlke	713-306-8920	bbelkey@verizon.net
State Rep, Sworn - Vacant	-	

Newsletter Staff

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 Leo Waltz

Thanks to Faye Leonhardt for
 "The Flash" logo on the front
 page nameplate.

Send all Activity reports to
 Region1News@TexasCPAAA.org

As we enter the New Year, I want to take this opportunity to extend my heartfelt greetings for the season and share how much I appreciate you all for your accomplishments and achievements during last year. Our "2014" has been a great year as far as achieving association goals were concerned. I thank one and all for your support and dedication, the extra hours that you devoted to achieve the purpose and commitment to our law enforcement associations, home towns and our Region One Family.

We have many more projects lined up in 2015 and I am sure with your enthusiasm and determination we will be able to move forward in sharing talents & activities. I know with your support Region One relationships will continue to grow and we will achieve success together once again.

Remember, Look to the future; Convention in El Paso, Hosting our monthly meeting (showcasing our local talent and special events), sharing our successes and assisting our associations as requested. It takes a village to make a plan work. A very special thanks to our "Flash" you make communicating easy and delightful.

See you in Angleton!

EL PASO IN 2015 !



Events Calendar	Event
Saturday, Jan 10, 2015	9:00*am Region One Meeting; Angleton * Members should arrive by 9:00 for breakfast and networking
Saturday, Jan 24, 2015	State Board Meeting Agenda will be posted to the TCPAAA web page in January
Saturday, February 14, 2015	9:00*am Region One Meeting; Liberty County * Members should arrive by 9:00 for breakfast and networking

Texas City Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association

DECEMBER 2014 UPDATE by Faye Leonhardt, Vice President



December was busy for the Texas City CPAAA. The City of Texas City Christmas Parade was Thursday, December 4. Volunteers assisted along with the Explorers for a fun time. After the parade CPAAA and the Explorers decorated the TCPD.



The CPAAA sponsored the 2nd Annual TCPD Christmas Party. There were about 200 people in attendance that enjoyed a fajita dinner. Santa was there to visit with the kids (and Explorers) and hand out goodie bags.

Our 29th CPA Class graduation ceremony was held at the party too. 14 students received their certificates and ID badges.



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Our 29th CPA Class graduation

Kneeling: Alyssa Tilton & Kelley Chupp

L-R: Sgt. Jess Colwell, Tammy Odom, Stanley Clayton, Sr., Mary Clayton, Karl Columbus, A. Frank Proctor, Michael Mouton, Steve Chupp, Cpl. Adolph "Corky" Velasco, L.T. Gordon, James "Jay" Johnson, and Chief Robert Burby.

Not pictured: Ron Starnes, Mary Stringer, Crystal Whaley

Texas City Explorer Post 200 assisted with the party. This is an enthusiastic and amazing group of young people that are always willing to step up and assist the CPA and the TCPD with special projects.



**2014 TEXAS CITY CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

YEAR TO DATE VOLUNTEER HOURS REPORT

12/23/2014*

ACTIVITY	TIME	Activity Description
Court Assistance	268.00	Warrant Calls, Filing etc for the TC Municipal Court
CPA Classes	112.00	Attending current CPA class
COP Patrol	360.50	Patrol in the COP car
Emergency Call-out	8.00	Called out for emergency, manning phones/lost child/etc.
Front Desk Duty	602.25	Man the front desk at the TCPD
Miscellaneous	183.50	Planning, discussing, assisting for CPAAA events
Monthly Meeting	582.00	Attended CPAAA monthly meeting
Other	749.00	Reports & documents for CPAAA & PD
Parade	326.00	Parade duty, traffic/crowd control
PD Ride-along	80.00	Ride-along with TCPD
Region1 Meeting	346.50	Attend Region 1 Meeting
Special Action	210.00	Any time spent not covered
Special Event	660.00	City Events assistance

YTD Total Hours: 4487.75
Value of Vol Hrs: \$102,096.31

Member Count* **63**
 Illegal Signs P/U YTD: **647**
 Lights Out Program
 Lights Reported **97**

Explorer Chase Lee greets Santa at the TCPD Christmas Party.



Brenham Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association

Annual BPD/CPAAA Christmas Party was held on Dec 12th.

CPAAA/COP Member Albert Green receiving the Officer's Choice Award, which was voted on by Police Officer's who felt Albert was the most helpful COP this past year.



CPAAA/COP Annette Tiemann being named our CPAAA Member of the Year for 2014. This award is voted on by her peers; and the honor was bestowed on her in 2010 also.



Cpl. Tommy Kurie receives a Commendation from Chief Rex Phelps for his humanitarian efforts which not only benefit the community, but reflect well on our Department



Cpl. Lance Weiss receiving a Commendation for his humanitarian efforts and his hard work with the Adam's Angels organization (Adam's Angels helps families with children stricken with cancer).



Det. Inv. Todd Ashorn being named the BPD Police Officer of the Year for 2014; chosen by his peers.



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A number of photos from Brenham of their parade float. (No captions were provided.)



Most of the hard working float crew was represented above and marched in this years parade. Again, a BIG THANKS to all that gave up their time and talents to ensure another Award Winning Entry.



The group that helped pass out gifts at the Brenham State Supported Living Center. L-R: Wayne Brown, Charles Lewis, Juanita Hickey, Bernadette Kamprath, Jack Murski, Wanda Aguilar and Michael Cowan.



Humble Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Phil Niewald, VP Humble CPAAA



2014 Officers for Humble CPAAA
Billy Ward-President.
Phil Niewald-Vice President
Gwen Key-Willis Treasurer
Julie Valenti-Secretary



2015 Officers for Humble CPAAA
Rich Peters Sr. - VP
Billy Ward-President
Marcia Folmsbee-Secretary
Gwen Key-Willis Treasurer



Humble PD new Tahoe starting the annual Christmas Parade. This was the biggest one to date!



Humble CPA volunteers make ready the parade line up. L-R: Darlene Ward, Gwen Key-Willis, Marcia Folmsbee



Humble PD CPAAA Liaison
Chris Green lining up the floats.



Carol Robinson and Darlene
Ward lining up the parade
participants.



Humble volunteers working
with Humble PD officers on
the parade information.

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Humble CPAAA, Continued



Volunteers finalizing parade line up.



Final parade line up adjustments.



...and the parade is off and running!

Harris County Sheriff's Office CPAAA District Two

Submitted by Phil Niewald, Parliamentarian, HCSOCPAAA-District Two



Deputy of the Month Award presented to Deputy Carter by HCSO CPAAA President Lauren Clifton and HCSO Sergeant Schattel.



District 2 HCSO deputies and alumni at the presentation.

Houston Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Andrea Schmauss 1st Vice President - HCPAAA

The Houston CPAAA held its annual holiday party at a historical venue, the Houston Heights Woman's Club. The Club was organized in 1900 as the Houston Heights Literary Club and in 1912 moved into its present club house at 1846 Harvard Street.

The event was coordinated by 2nd Vice President, Teresa Wilson who beautifully planned and orchestrated the evening. Music was provided by Wanda Mashue on the piano.

HPD Chief Charles A. McClelland Jr. spent the evening visiting with the CPA members and their guests. Also in attendance from HPD were Regina Woolfolk, Deputy Director, Public Affairs and an HCPAAA member; CPA liaison Treva Mott; CPA Academy instructors and liaisons Michelle Collard and Debra Allee; Otis Latin and James Byrd from Public Affairs.

Guest speaker was Dana Tyson of SUNNY 99.1 morning show and a constant supporter of HPD and HCPAAA. The highlight of all holiday parties was the arrival of Blue Santa who came to collect the toys brought by the attendees.



Wanda Mashue on the piano.

Below: HPD Chief Charles McClelland; CPA Parliamentarian Mike Weingart and his wife Judy. Background: Officers Michelle Collard and Debra Allee.



Right: Regina Woolfolk, Deputy Director, Public Affairs; CPA 2nd Vice President Teresa Wilson, and Jeanette Einkauf.



Angleton Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by J.J. Landry

President: J J Landry
1st V.P.: Carol Albright
2nd V.P.: Eddie Salazar
Secretary: Carol Blake
Treasurer: Belinda Lyons

Board:

Jerry Albright
Maria Salazar
Norma DeWeese
Ernie Roberts
Steve Hill
Dianna Hlavaty

- In September Shady's had a golf tournament for Blue Santa and donated \$2000.00. Our alumni also sponsored a hole in this tournament. We started our fall CPA class on September 11th with 13 people attending. We had the DEA Drug Drop on Saturday September 27th. ACPAAA members also helped out with the Child Safety Seat Inspections.
- In October was the Brazoria County Fair and the alumni helped out with the parade. The Angleton Police Officers Association held a golf tournament and donated \$500.00 to our Blue Santa program.
- In November a City Appreciation for 1st Responders was held and the alumni was invited to attend. Market days was held the weekend before Thanksgiving. The alumni sold sausage on a stick and taco soup. The taco soup was a new item and sold very well.
- In December we held the Blue Santa golf tournament. The CPA class graduation dinner and alumni Christmas party was held at the same time and all 13 class members graduated. We had a great time and fellowship. We have a few new alumni members for 2015 from this class. Our Blue Santa party was a great success and our thanks to Eddie Salazar for being our Blue Santa this year. The children that attended loved having him there. The alumni voted to give the Angleton Police Department gift cards this year. Each member of the APD was given a \$25.00 gift card to use as they needed.

The Angleton Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association would like to send a Happy New Year to all the members of Region One.

We would also like to thank everyone who helped out and participated in all of our functions this year.

J J Landry
President
ACPAAA

Pasadena Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Gene Wheeler, 2nd Vice President

On December 6, 2014 our Citizens on Patrol vehicle was entered as one of the participants in the Holiday Light Parade, along with many other entries in the City of Pasadena. Driver was Gene Wheeler and passengers were Pam Winfrey and Amy Meyers.



On December 16, 2014 four of our members, David Terrell, Glen Howard, Wanda McFarland and Jane Harper assisted our Community Service Officers with the Blue Santa program. The members assisted the officers with packaging and delivery of the toys. (Photo: Officer James Coker, Pasadena Police Department)



Webster Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Leo Waltz

The Webster CPAAA's new officers will be sworn-in at the January 22 meeting.

President: Alex Dietrich, Vice-President: Marty Graves

Secretary: Beverly Gaines, Treasurer: Mei Ling Lee



The CPA Liaisons are Sgt. Richard Horbach and TCO Denise Thomason



Sgt. Mike Munson receives appreciation award from the WCPAAA for his service since 1996 as CPA Liaison.

Shown are Alex Dietrich (2014 Treasurer and 2015 President-Elect), Sgt. Munson, Larry Tosto (2014 President).



Galveston County Citizen Sheriff's Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Ann Leeman

December 17, 2014 Press Release

Deputy Claus Brightens Lives Of Hundreds Across The County

For Deputy Claus of the Galveston County Sheriff's Office 2014 was a banner year for putting fun in the lives of children throughout the entire county. The event was hosted by the Galveston County Citizen Sheriff's Academy Alumni Association was an overwhelming success this year.

With tremendous help from the students of CCISD the toys collection was overwhelming this year. On Saturday, December 13, Deputy Claus provided toys directly to 250 less fortunate children from throughout the county, a number of which were special needs. Also on hand for the kids entertainment was Horseshoes from the Heart covered wagon ride and Tropical Impression Race Team car.

The collection of toys was so successful that after the event the CSA with the assistance of Deputy Claus delivered toys to Ronald McDonald House of Galveston, Children's Advocacy Center of Galveston County, St. Vincent's House of Galveston, Galveston PD's Blue Santa, U.S Marine's Toys for Tots, Dickinson PD's Blue Santa and Horseshoes from the Heart organization.

As special thanks to the CCISD Jr. ROTC for their help in this event.

Respectfully,
Lt. Tommy Hansen
Citizens Academy Coordinator

Montgomery County Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Submitted by Karen Ham, Second Vice President

We have been pretty busy in December; starting with November we did the following:

- Lighting of the doves November 22 in the Woodlands
- December 13 Wreath across America at the VA cemetery.
- We donated:
 - Nine bicycles to three different food pantries
 - 3000 notebooks, 125 backpacks and soft binders to Montgomery county youth services.
- New Year's Eve we will feed all personnel who come into the jail. Our menu is chili stew black-eyed peas.

We had two sheriff's deputies that were injured while helping a stranded motorist on I 45 one officer was severely injured the other just had minor injuries. Our organization donated \$2000 to them.

As you have heard we lost a very dear friend and a very active member Jeanette Graff. We will have a memorial service for her Saturday, January 24 from 1 PM to 3 PM at Security Community Center, 18760 Highway 105, Cleveland, Texas. Keep her family in your prayers.

Hope you had a Merry Christmas and will have a very safe new year.

Information and Notices

TCPAAA Treasurer Stan Appleton has updated the 501.c.3 document and it is posted to the state web page.

The direct link is

[http://tcpaaconvention.org/TCPAAA/special/501\(c\)\(3\)packet.pdf](http://tcpaaconvention.org/TCPAAA/special/501(c)(3)packet.pdf)

**Next TCPAAA board meeting is
Jan 24 in Buffalo**



The Region One membership renewal form, located on the Region web page, has been updated with a new address to expedite processing of your renewals for 2015.

The new address is
c/o Barbara Cook, Treasurer
2208 Eriksson
La Marque, Texas 77568

Committees

Committees

Audit: TBD annually

Benevolence: Dolores Gant, Chair, 281-997-1015;
dgant1883@yahoo.com

Budget: TBD

ByLaws: TBD

Membership: Deb Smith, Chair, 713-254-4292,
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Merchandise Sales: Sandi Miller, 281-489-7752

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Scheduling: Jeanne Canales, Chair, jrcales@sbcglobal.net

Scholarship: Jeanne Canales, Chair, jrcales@sbcglobal.net
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Evalyn Phillips, 936-377-3891;
Adell Boren, aboren1@sbcglobal.net;
Calvin Walker, cowboy@hal-pc.org

Future activities should be sent to Leo Waltz, the Region One and Texas CPAAA web manager, at the following email address: Region1News@TexasCPAAA.org

Region One Email List (currently has 245 email addresses)

In February, we started an email list like the one used by the state, and this new list is for all CPAAA's, their members, liaison and coordinators, police dept personnel interested in Region One activities. A link to this newsletter will be emailed to those on the list; no newsletters will be sent as attachments because of the file size being rejected by many mail servers. Of course the newsletter will be available on the Region website as soon as it is published, but we recommend that you get your email address on the list to receive more timely information also. There is a link on the Region web page or you can visit this link:

<http://lists.tcpaaconvention.org/mailman/listinfo/regionone>

Next Month's Meeting

Date: Feb. 14, 2015
Time: 9:00 AM
Place: Liberty County



This newsletter is a monthly publication of Region One of the Texas Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association. All officers are volunteers.

**Region One website:
TexasCPAAA.org/Region1**

**Deadline for
February Issue is
Jan 31, 2015**

Have a 5th Grader? TCM has a poster contest



Attention 5th Graders!

We welcome your participation in the U.S. Department of Justice's National Missing Children's Day Poster Contest

You, your parents, and teacher could win a trip to Washington, D.C.!

Contest Rules

Students must create a poster that demonstrates the theme "Bring Our Missing Children Home".

- The finished poster must be 8 ½ x 14 inches.
- The slogan "Bring Our Missing Children Home" must appear somewhere on the poster.
- Posters must be created by hand. Posters with printed images, collages, and stamping are not eligible.
- Posters should be original in design. Be creative! Use acrylics, watercolor, pencil, charcoal, magic markers, spray paint, crayons, pastels, and etc. To view previous artwork, visit: <http://www.ojdp.gov/programs/postercontest/>
- The poster must be submitted with a completed application, which includes a description of the poster and a brief biography of the artist.
- Posters must be submitted to your state contest manager for local judging.



Find out how to contact your state manager by visiting: www.mecptraining.org/poster-contest

"The American flag means that this is happening around the world and the country. This is a problem that needs to be stopped."
-Dawson M., Alabama
2014 National Winner

**TEXAS CENTER
FOR THE MISSING**

For questions or to submit your artwork, contact Texas Center for the Missing at 713.599.0235
support@tcftm.org
Centerforthemissing.org
Artwork due by 2/23/15





Texas Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association – Region One Membership Application (FY 20____)

(Check One: New: ____ or Renewal: ____)

CPA Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, & Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Web Address: _____

Number of Members: Active: _____ Inactive: _____

Membership Fees
CPAAA's: \$30 / yr
Individuals: \$10 / yr

CPA Meeting Information:

Date(s): _____

Time(s): _____

Location: _____

CPA Officers and CPA Liaison

Name	E-Mail Address	Telephone	Cell Phone
President:			
1 st VP:			
2 nd VP:			
Secretary:			
Treasurer:			
Sergeant at Arms:			
Parliamentarian:			
CPA Liaison:			
CPA Liaison:			
Note: Month when Officer(s) take office:			

Send Membership Fees to:
Texas Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association – Region One
c/o Barbara Cook Treasurer
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La Marque, Texas 77568