

Texas Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association Region One
AGENDA
Conroe
Saturday, December 13, 2008

1. Call to Order: 10:00 a.m.
2. Prayer: offered by TCPAAA Region One president, Calvin Walker -
3. Pledge to Flags: Membership
4. Sgt. Bryce Herring presented cash awards to MCSO police cadets. One member, Mike Kelley, after graduating from the Citizen's Police Academy, went on to the Academy and became an officer.
5. Introduction of Speaker: Tamara Young, Criminal Investigation Division, Victim Witness Coordinator for MCSO. She went over some of the cases that she has been directly involved with.
6. Minutes of Previous: Minutes accepted by Yvonne Walker and seconded Evalyn Phillips.
7. Treasurer's Report: Accepted as reported
8. Committee Reports:
 - a. Fundraising: Pins & patches are still available for \$5 and shirts for \$45.00 caps are \$10.00.
 - b. Delores Gant reported for Dave Miller. Next year's (2009) conference will be in San Marcos at a brand new hotel. No concrete date has been set.
 - c. Scholarship
9. Birthdays:
10. Old Business:
11. New Business: Scholarship application: No one knows who is serving on the Scholarship committee. Dottie will check and contact those people.

Conroe Alumni members drew for door prizes: Georgie Benavides won a coin from the MCSO, Evalyn won a flag, Carroll Bagley won decorate glass and Dottie won package of candles.

President Walker will not be at next month's meeting – asked to have the new officers installed at this meeting. Membership agreed. MCSO Sgt. Bryce

Herring installed the new officers, President Calvin Walker, VP Carroll Bagley, Treasurer Georgie Benavides and Secretary Mildred Deal.

12. Adjourn: at 11:30 a.m.

All meetings are on the second Saturday of the month at 10:00 AM.

Email Dottie at robertduby@sbcglobal.net with your Alumni Activity Reports and/or if you would like to add an agenda item.

PLEDGE TO THE TEXAS FLAG: Honor the Texas Flag. I Pledge Allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible

Respectfully submitted,

Dottie Duby, Secretary
Region One CPAAA

Activity Reports:

Montgomery County CPAAA:

We would like to thank each one that came to Conroe for the December Region One Meeting. We had a good time and lots of food to share. Sgt. Herring presented from the Alumni Gift Certificates to 4 of our newly graduated cadets. Our guest speaker for the day was Tamara Young, Victims Assistance with the Sheriff's Dept. She spoke about abused victims the care and assistance that is available for them.

We also had a drawing and one lucky person received one of Challenge Coins. This coin was from our Fund Raiser we had. Several of our guest was able to purchase one of these coins.

On New Year's Eve we will be working our first DWI Step for the Year 2009. February 19, 2009 we will start our first CPA Class for the New Year.

Lake Jackson CPAAA:

The number of Disabled Parking citations written increased during the holidays. There is another Disabled Parking training class scheduled for January 2009.

The COPS program continues with patrols on weekends. A new COP car, a Dodge charger, has been given to the LJCPAAA to be used on the COP program and the Disabled Parking program. Patrols of both programs have been curtailed for the first two weeks of January as the new car is being painted with the new design selected by

members of the COP program. The COP program has new members in training at this time.

The election of four new board members will be held at the January 8 general meeting. Outgoing Board members are Joyce Beeson, Horace Driskill, Reuben Neiswander and Joann Taylor. Returning Board members are Van Kent, Teena Walls, Roy McKneely and Lou Bertrand.

Child ID done from October through December 2008 totaled 288. Child ID for January has scheduled Lanier Intermediate School in Freeport and Clute Intermediate in Clute.

Lake Jackson CPAAA is looking forward to hosting the February Region One meeting in Lake Jackson on February 14.

Angleton CPAAA:

We had a raffle for a 40 Caliber, Model 23 Clock gun. The drawing, on December 19th, was won by APD Dispatcher, Tamisha Wiley. Tamisha is currently attending the Alvin Police Academy and will graduate in May.

More pavers are being laid in the memorial outside the police dept. Pavers can still be purchased at \$55.00 each.

Class 19 ended just before Christmas. The class was a success with many of the class joining the CPA and volunteering in our many activities.

The over-night trip to Coushatta is coming up February 16th. Contact Dottie Duby if you would like to join us for this fun trip.

The Blue Star Officer of the Year award went to APD Sgt. Quenton Rush. This event is sponsored every year by Dr. Chris Pangan with the Angleton Chiropractic.

The ACPAAA had a fundraiser at GOE Kawasaki on Saturday, December 14th. We sold sausage on a stick.

Our Blue Santa program served over 75 children this year. We appreciate all the support we received from the Angleton businesses and the many individuals who donated money and new toys.

Sugarland CPAAA:

Sugar Land CPAAA started raising money in 2007 for a Trading Card Program. A bar-b-q fundraiser was held in October and raised about \$10,000.00. In the next year the "Adopt a Cop" fundraiser brought in \$15,000.00. Anyone that wanted to donate \$100.00 to Adopt a Cop was able to put their company name or personal info on the backside of 1000 trading cards. The program was such a success all 150 cards were sponsored. In

September of 2008 a kick-off party was held at the Police Dept. Radio Disney was the entertainment, game were played, pizza was served and the kids all had a great time. Even the Chiefs were hula hooping! This started an 8 week time where the kids collected the cards and checked in each Friday for a tour of the PD and to collect cards from officers or from departments that would not be easily attainable otherwise. Prizes were given each week. After the kids reached 100 cards they received a binder with sleeves to use for the cards. After the 8 week time everyone was invited back to the PD to see who collected all 150 cards and have their names put in a drawing for some great prizes. The prizes were a Dell Computer with accessories, A Wii Fit with a game, A Guitar Hero and a Nindendo PS3. Tickets were purchased to take the kids to a Rice Owls football game if they didn't win a prize however we had extra tickets so several of the prize winners were able to go also. A limo bus was rented and the Police Chief and Assistant Chief along with some of the parents and the kids attended the game and had a blast. Of course you had to have hot dogs, chips and drinks to top it off. A lot of hard work was put into the program and a lot of dedication. Thanks so much to those that worked so diligently.