



# The Sierra Searchlight Chapter #164



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## Chairman's Corner—Dean Hill



The end of the year is coming up fast. Our next meeting is the Law Enforcement Appreciation Awards Ceremony.

We are increasing the agencies with recipients being honored to nine this year! These include, in alphabetical order; Carson City Sheriff's Office, Churchill County Sheriff's Office, Douglas County Sheriff's Office, Dept. of Public Safety/NV Highway Patrol, Lyon County Sheriff's Office, Reno

Police Department, Sparks Police Department, Storey County Sheriff's Office, and Washoe County Sheriff's Office.

Since this is the chapter's primary fund raiser for the year, we need everyone to show their support by coming to the event, and bringing a guest (or several).

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### NEXT Meeting:

- November 4th @ 11:00 AM
- Atlantis Casino "Grand Ballroom 1" on the 2nd floor
- Keynote Speaker: The Honorable Judge David Hardy
- Subject: Annual Law Enforcement Appreciation

## Speak Out—Highlights from the Annual Seminar and Exhibits in Anaheim

As mentioned in several email messages and meeting announcements, we were extremely fortunate this year with awards from the Jack Buckley Fund for attendance at the Annual Seminar and Exhibits in Anaheim, CA this year. When you add these members with those

chapter members able to pay their own way, whether through support from their employers or from their own resources, we had an excellent turnout, and the chapter was well represented in Anaheim.

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### Officer information:

- Chairman—Dean Hill
- Vice Chair—Darrell Clifton, CPP
- Secretary—Jesse Janzen
- Treasurer—Dennis Smith, CPP

Opinions vary, if you disagree with any information provided, please let us know at:

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# CPP Review Questions-Information Security

1. The control software of a Private Board Exchange (PBX) can be accessed and compromised by calling the telephone number of a device on the PBX from a computer and modem. The name of this PBX device is the:

- a. Time Domain Reflectometer
- b. Remote Maintenance Access Terminal
- c. Current Carrier Signaling Port



d. Internal and Remote Signal Port

2. Which of the following is generally not true with regard to proprietary information?

- a. Secret information does not have to be specifically identi-

able.

b. Secret information must be such that it can be effectively protected.

c. The more narrowly a business defines what it regards as secret, the easier it is to protect that body of information.

d. It is difficult to protect as a trade secret that which can be found in publicly – accessible sources.

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## Standards Review—Comment Due Nov. 15, 2009

FOR IMMEDIATE ATTENTION – COMMENTS DUE: NOVEMBER 15, 2009

Federal Register Public Notice/Docket ID: FEMA-2008-0017

ANSI/ASIS SPC.1-2009 Organizational Resilience Standard

Under Consideration for DHS Adoption in PS-Prep

The ANSI/ASIS SPC.1-2009 Organizational Resilience: Secu-

rity, Preparedness, and Continuity Management Systems—Requirements with Guidance for Use American National Standard is under consideration for inclusion in the DHS PS-Prep, a voluntary program designed to

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If you are interested in purchasing a table, please let me know as soon as possible, as we are quickly running out of time!

Switching to another topic; the December meeting is the one in which we vote for the new board members! Please consider

throwing your hat in the ring for one of the positions available! We are always looking for “new blood” and new ideas, so there is no time like the present to step up to the plate.

We are also looking for a volunteer to take over the chapter

newsletter. While it can be challenging at times, it can be a lot of fun! I look forward to seeing you at the Atlantis on the 4th!



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## CPP Review Questions-Information Security

3. With respect to trade secrets, it may be decided that its disclosure by another was innocent rather than wrongful even in the case where the person making the disclosure really was guilty of malice or wrong intent. This situation may occur when:
- There is absence of evidence that an owner has taken reasonable precautions to protect confidential information.
  - The trade secret was not registered.
  - The trade secret did not involve national defense information.
  - The trade secret was not in current use.
4. The class of person under a duty to safeguard a proprietary secret is known as:
- Agents.
  - Principals.
  - Fiduciaries.
  - Business Associates.
5. Which of the following is not a correct statement, or a general rule, involving the protection of proprietary information?
- By operation of common law employees are presumed to be fiduciaries to extent they may not disclose secrets of their employers without au-

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## Speak Out—Highlights from the Annual Seminar and Exhibits in Anaheim

Attendees included ARVP Douglas Laird, CPP (Award Recipient); Vice-Chair Darrell Clifton, CPP; Treasurer Dennis Smith, CPP; Bob Nichols (Award Recipient); Program Chair Mark Crosby (Award Recipient); Al Zajic; Jerry Higginson, CPP (Award Recipient); and James Stewart for the CPP Review only (Award Recipient)

Following are some comments from James Stewart, who was the recipient of the award for the CPP Review only. We also have the rare pleasure of sharing some of the personal photos taken by our RVP, Ron Sathre.

I recently received the Jack Buckley Fund scholarship to attend the CPP review in Anaheim, CA. For anyone who is signed up to take the CPP test or who has taken the CPP test, you know that studying for it can be a daunting task. I looked at all of the material that the CPP test questions are taken from and a person can get discouraged. I was honored to receive the scholarship and had great expectations from attending the CPP review. I was not disappointed.

From the moment I arrived, I knew this was going to an excellent course. That was because they had a wonderful breakfast and coffee buffet set

up (Just kidding). We received a binder with a course outline in it and got to work. The instructors were dynamic speakers and extremely knowledgeable. They stressed areas that were surely to be on the test and added "Good to know" information that will simply help security directors in the future. This kind of excellent instruction went on for two days.

I believe a good way to know whether or not a course was beneficial was to ask whether you left frustrated or with increased knowledge and understanding of the subject matter. For me it was defi-

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# Training and Development Opportunities!!!

ASIS Training opportunities are available in a variety of forums and locations. For more information, and a complete list, visit [www.asisonline.org](http://www.asisonline.org), call 703-519-6200,

or write to [education@asisonline.org](mailto:education@asisonline.org)

October Events  
25-27 Enhanced Violence Assessment and Management  
Las Vegas, Nevada

25-29 CCTV

Las Vegas, Nevada

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27 The Cost of Security  
Reno, Nevada

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28-29 Active Shooter  
Las Vegas, NV  
November Events

16-19 Assets Protections  
Course 1-Concepts and Methods  
Philadelphia, PA

PLEASE NOTE:  
THE TRAINING SEMINAR,  
SPONSORED BY CHAPTER 164 AND SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER HAS BEEN CANCELLED

## Guest Speaker-October 2009, Chris Smith



CHRIS SMITH

Washoe County School District

Emergency Management Director Chris Smith was the October Guest Speaker. Smith is a former teacher and principal with the district and a reserve deputy with the Washoe County Sheriff's Office.

Smith presented an overview of the school district's planning and response strategies to a variety of potential threats: medical/health, fire, outside threats, natural disaster, and hazardous materials.

Smith reported that emergency response teams with pre-determined roles are activated to respond to a variety of

emergency scenarios.

Smith emphasized the importance of advance planning so that every responder knows what to do and also knows what other responders are doing. Smith also emphasized the need for redundancy so that participants are reliably available at all response levels.

Finally, Smith reported that emergency response generally involve the need to either shelter or evacuate, depending on the nature of the emergency. In all, the emergency response tactics of the school district appeared to provide a good template for application in commercial environments.

# Standards Review—Comment Due Nov. 15, 2009

enhance national resilience in an all hazards environment by improving private sector preparedness.

What this means to your organization:

The ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard offers a business-friendly, globally tested and proven method, based on the ISO management system standard model, for organizations to im-

prove their preparedness performance.

The ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard is unique to other preparedness standards in that:

1. It is the only preparedness standard that takes an enterprise-wide view of risk management, enabling an organization to develop a comprehensive strategy to pre-

vent when possible, prepare for, mitigate, respond to, and recover from a disruptive incident.

2. It is also the only preparedness standard that is 100% compatible with existing ISO management system standards (such as ISO 9000, ISO 14000, ISO 27000 and ISO 28000), thus enabling a cost-saving integrated application.

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Message from ASIS President, Michael R. Cummings, CPP: "ASIS International is proud that DHS has selected its American National Standard for consideration to help businesses effectively address potential disruptions. Regardless of an organization's

decision to participate in the PS-Prep, it can use the ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard to better manage its risks."

Points to Consider about the ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard:

- Provides a cost-effective approach to managing risk that addresses minimization of both the likelihood and consequences of disruptive events.

- Aligns with the way successful businesses manage risk by looking at the entire risk profile. It focuses on the holistic resiliency of the organization, not just Business Continuity Management and Emergency Management.

- Emphasizes a balance of adaptive, proactive, and reactive strategies for making organizations resilient based on their risk profile and business environment in which they operate.



Can be used for first, second, and third-party verification. Organizations can use it to improve resilience performance, as well as

demonstrate to customers, clients, and supply chain partners that the company has a robust resilience program.

- Applicable to organizations of all types and sizes, from public to private, small to multinational, in manufacturing, service, storage or transportation. In addition, the Standard has been developed

simultaneously in countries on four continents.

- Is aligned with the new ISO 31000:2009 - Risk Management which allows an organization to better integrate preparedness into its overall risk management strategy.

Take Action

It is imperative that security management professionals who endorse the

ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard voice their support by submitting comments to the Federal Register Public Notice/Docket ID: Fema-2008-0017.

Comments due: November 15, 2009.

Get your free download of the ANSI/ASIS Organizational Resilience Standard on the ASIS International Web site at [www.asisonline.org](http://www.asisonline.org).

# Speak Out—Highlights from the Annual Seminar and Exhibits in Anaheim

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nately the latter. Although a person should not use the CPP review course alone to take the test, it has given me a giant head start and direction on how to focus my study.

I want to thank ASIS and the Jack Buckley Fund for giving me the opportunity to go to the review. I would sum it up as invaluable.

James Stewart  
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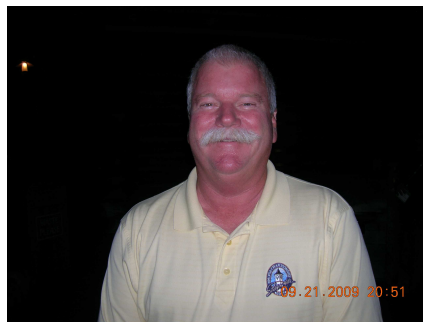
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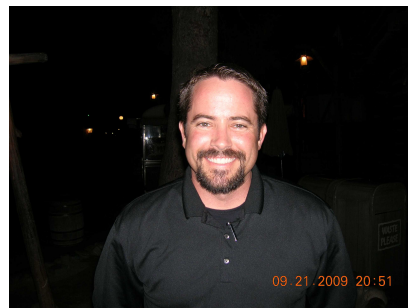


Left to right: SRVP Becki Lane and ASIS Int'l Vice-President Ray O'Hara talking to the group of us at the Region II and Region III pre-event meet-

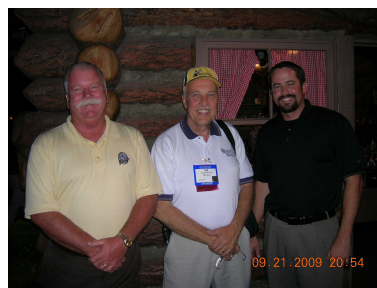
ing Sunday night 20 Sep. Chapter members Mark Crosby and ARVP Douglas Laird, CPP are to the right at the rear of the shot, behind the lady in the white top.



Chapter Treasurer Dennis Smith, CPP



Chapter Program Chairman Mark Crosby



Left to right: Dennis Smith, CPP; RVP Ron Sathre, CPP; Mark Crosby



Law Enforcement Appreciation Chairman Al Zajic



Vice-Chairman Darrell Clifton, CPP



Al Zajic and Darrell Clifton, CPP



Chapter member Bob Nichols



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## CPP Review Questions-Information Security

thorization.

b. As a class, employees are the largest group of persons bound to secrecy because of their status or relationship.

c. Other than employees, any other persons to be bound to secrecy must agree to be so bound.

d. Any agreements to be bound must always be in

writing and are not implied from acts.

6. Probably the chief reason for the loss of information about sensitive operations is:

a. Deliberately stolen by outsider.

b. Loss by fire or other disaster.

c. Deliberately stolen by insider.

d. Lost through inadvertent disclosure.

### Answers

1) b 2) a 3) a

4) c 5) d 6) d

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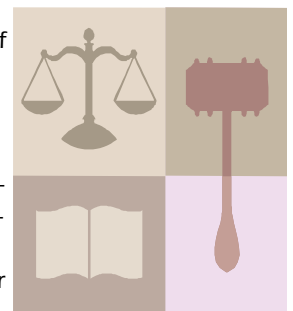
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ASIS CHAPTER #164  
MONTHLY TREASURER REPORT  
**October 2009**



Treasurer: Dennis Smith, CPP

Members Attending	22	Total Attendance	31
Guests	9		
No Pay (Comp)	1		

Beginning Balance \$7733.41

General Fund Collections

Collected Chapter Dues	\$ <u>20.00</u>
Collected Newsletter Ads	\$ <u>00.00</u>
Collected Luncheons	\$ <u>600.00</u>
Miscellaneous Collected	\$ <u>15.00 (Scholarship\$15)</u>

Total Collected General Fund \$ 635.00

General Fund Sub Total \$ 8368.41

**DEBITS**

Check #	Purpose	Amount
<u>1761</u>	<u>Atlantis</u>	<u>\$ 545.39 (Luncheon bill)</u>
<u>Transfr</u>	<u>Scholarship Fund</u>	<u>\$ 15.00 (Checking to Savings)</u>

Total Debits \$ 560.39  
Ending Balance \$ 7808.02

Luncheon net or loss \$ + 54.61

Scholarship Fund Previous Balance	<u>\$ 4459.80</u>
Deposits this Month	<u>\$ 15.00</u>
Interest Payments	<u>\$ .11</u> for September
	Sub Total Scholarship Fund <u>\$ 4474.91</u>
Debits (reason, amount)	
<b>National Scholarship Fund</b>	<u>\$ _</u>
Total Debits	\$
	Ending Scholarship Balance <u>\$ 4474.91</u>

ASIS International Chapter #164:

Meeting Minutes 10/07/09



Chapter Chairman Dean Hill called the meeting to order at about 12: 25PM.

The chapter adopted the budget report and minutes from the July 2009 meeting without opposition.

Chapter Webmaster Dennis Smith reported that the Security Seminar announcement has been added to the website.

Legislative Representative Hyong Cho reported that information regarding pending legislation would be forwarded separately for inclusion in upcoming newsletters.

Scholarship Chairperson Doug Laird reported optimism that scholarship candidates would emerge by next month.

No other committees reported any new business.

The chapter recognized representatives from Ross & Associates, who were proud to recognize the recent efforts of Security Officer Charles Pearson, during which Pearson exchanged gunfire with armed intruders on a property he was patrolling. Ross & Associates presented a plaque to Pearson, recognizing his outstanding performance. Indeed, Pearson protected the property with the type of courage and stoicism that reflects well on his organization and the broader Security community.

Following Smith's presentation, Hill presided over the monthly door prize drawing. Hill reminded members about the Law Enforcement Appreciation Luncheon that the chapter is due to host next month. Hill asked members to RSVP and to solicit \$250.00 donations from their organizations.

Hill adjourned the meeting at about 1:20 PM.

Jesse Janzen  
Secretary  
ASIS Chapter #164

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Dues are past due for 2009

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## New Members

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- Michael Donahe
- Jerry Higginson, CPP, PCI
- David Pennington
- Ricardo Gonzales
- Joe Trimarchi
- David Bennett
- Nicholas Curry
- Kelli Nidever
- Jay Martin, CPP

## ASIS, International Certifications

- Philip Bennett—CPP
- Chris Brockway—CPP
- Russell Brooks—CPP
- Cheri Bryant-CPP
- Darrell Clifton-CPP
- Douglas Laird—CPP
- Dennis Smith—CPP
- Jerry Higginson-CPP, PCI
- Jay Martin, CPP

