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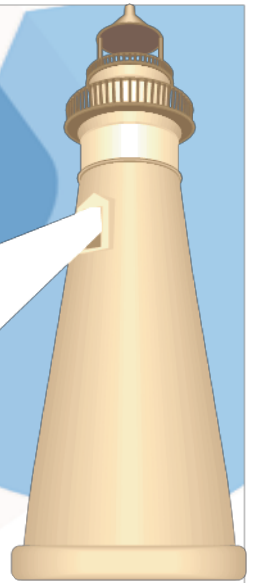
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CHAPTER #164



" The way a team plays as a whole determines its success. You may have the greatest bunch of individual stars in the world, but if they don't play together, the club won't be worth a dime. " Babe Ruth

Chairman's Corner

I know most of you were happy to see the white blanket of snow recently, as we so need to get moisture on the ground. This is also a gentle reminder to make sure those who have businesses, to make sure you are prepared for any unseen future weather related occurrences that may have an effect on the operation of your or your client's company, property, or organization. If you

do not have one, develop one....a Continuity Of Operations Plan....COOP. We are very fortunate that we have subject matter experts among us and great resources are available. Please take the time to prepare for the unexpected....NOW

Please when you see Rob Reeder, thank him for well done presentation and Rob, we do want to see videos next time. In

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Chapter Chairman
Chris Brockway, CPP



CHAPTER MEETINGS

Held the first Wednesday each month at the Atlantis Hotel Resort. starting at 11:30 am and includes lunch. Cost is \$20. Guests are welcome and encouraged

The next meeting will be :

March 7th Speaker will be safety and security coordinator for Truckee Meadows Water Authority **Chet Malewski**



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the coming months, our guest speakers will be providing great information for us to take away from the meetings. This coming meeting, Chet Malewski from Truckee Meadow Water Authority will be speaking about the current challenges they face with the ever changing dynamics of protecting our water resources.

Our April ASIS Meeting Speaker will be Christina Conti from Washoe County District Health Department. Christina will be speaking on Health

Emergency Preparedness. This program will blend what some of our local businesses have done in entering MOU's with the health district to administer inoculations themselves and what other

businesses and individuals can do to prepare for health emergencies that require inoculations.



KIDNAPPED

For those of you who are on LinkedIn, you will see the posting where our former Chapter Chair

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Submit articles or profiles.

This newsletter reflects your commitment.

Without your input, article submissions and profiles, the newsletter will lose meaning to the local chapter.

Be the first to mention this article to Treasurer Robert Nolan and receive an extra raffle ticket at next month's meeting

If you have not submitted an article please plan to submit one soon.

Please submit entries to:

jandressbelk@nvenergy.com

Guest Speaker - Rob Reeder



February's guest speaker was Rob Reeder Administrator - Security/Safety with the Regional Transportation Commission, RTC, joined us to tell us some of the many ways RTC partners with the local community. In addition to the maintenance and improvement of roads, the RTC is responsible for the many factors of public transportation.

Although many may think of public transportation as just the city buses, it involves the maintenance and upgrade of this equipment, the safety of the passengers and the security of

their items and persons. Additionally the RTC has partnered with the community as an integral part of emergency response. For example, recent fire evacuations enlisted the assistance of many RTC city buses to assist in the evacuations. Additionally the Reno Air Races tragedy utilized the RTC buses to perform efficient and effective evacuations.

Some of the tools that make this possible are a team of dedicated employees and hundreds of cameras. The cameras are not only for research of internal issues but to assist in the investigations of some of the many vehicle accidents the buses are involved in— nearly all when the buses are hit by other vehicles. The system utilizes access control systems in its 12 buildings and is occasionally required to enlist additional security when working with controversial projects. To find out more visit <http://www.rtcwashoe.com/>



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and all around good guy, Mark Crosby, will be kidnapped along with fellow employees from NVEnergy and held hostage until they raise \$15,000.00 for CARECHEST. As much as I would like to see Mark detained, I really feel empathy for the kidnappers, so please join me in bailing him out and allow them to exceed their goal. This is a very worthwhile project..Please contact Mark for details. Let's spring him so he has no excuse for missing the March 7 meeting.

IMPORTANT DUES AND MEMBERSHIP REMINDER

2012 ASIS International Membership Renewals
As a reminder, please communicate to your chapter members that their 2012 membership renewal is due. **After February 29**, a HOLD status will be reflected on all ASIS unpaid memberships, which will

2012 membership renewals are due

preclude them accessing the membership section of the ASIS website, prohibit member only discounts on education and products, and will shortly thereafter discontinue their *Security*

Management subscription. They may renew their ASIS International membership by selecting [THIS LINK](#), or by calling us at

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to those chapters who have already communicated this information to their chapter members. Regions and Chapter staff will be directly following up with 2012 Chapter Officers

Looking for submissions for the 2nd Annual Matthew Simeone Award

Please note that the 2012 Application has a typo with last year's due date. The actual deadline for submissions is May 18th, 2012 to the ASIS Foundation. The due date to our Chapter Representative, Jay Martin, is May 1st.

About the Award

The Matthew Simeone ASIS Award for Public Private Partnership Excellence recognizes outstanding achievement by members of an ASIS chapter in the advocacy, development, implementation, and practice of public private cooperation for public safety. Commencing in 2011, the award showcases an ASIS chapter's law enforcement - private security partnership to address crime prevention, antiterrorism, public safety issues and other difficult challenges. ASIS chapters that work with public private partnerships (P3s) are invited to apply. Sharing your success with the

members of the ASIS Law Enforcement Liaison Council (LELC) extends the reach of your efforts, giving others an example to follow in tackling issues that can best be solved by private and public agencies working together.

Eligibility

The award will be presented to the winning ASIS chapter-nominated P3 between a full-service law enforcement agency and a private organization that demonstrably improves public safety and private security. Note: This is a joint award. Individuals are not eligible. The P3 must be currently active and must have been in operation for at least one year. The private organization's contribution must be on a voluntary basis, not a commercial endeavor such as a security guard contract.



THIS MONTH'S RAFFLE PRIZES GENEROUSLY DONATED BY:

DEAN HILL

Director of Security at the Peppermill Resort Spa Casino

MICHAEL C. PACINI

Owner/Principal of Northwestern Solutions, LLC.

Please note these gentlemen donated last months prizes as well



ASIS International
Northern Nevada Chapter #164
ASIS Foundation Calendar-2012

Award Name	Description	Chapter Deadline
Roy Bordes Award	Chapter Award to host Physical Security Program.	9-Mar-2012
Matthew Simeone ASIS Award	Award for public, private, partnership (P3) programs that improves public safety and private security. Pays for one representative from each entity to attend ASIS Annual Seminar.	1-May-2012
Annual Chapter Giving Campaign	Chapters have an opportunity to support the ASIS Foundation with a monetary donation to further Foundation programs and awards.	1-Sep-2012
Timothy J. Walsh Award*	Winner gets to attend APC I Course free of charge. Submit application and narrative to Chapter Chairperson, Jay Martin. Only one nomination per Chapter.	21-Sep-2012
Student Writing Competition*	Research paper competition on various security themes. Open for all undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of discipline. Awards given for \$1500 for graduate winner, \$1000 for undergraduate winner and \$500 for the runner up. More info to become available in May. Apply directly to ASIS International by November 9th, 2012.	N/A
Chapter Matching Scholarships*	Matching funds for Chapter Scholarship Awards. Open to Chapter members, as well as students in a security-related discipline. Must be enrolled at least part-time. Chapter members eligible for up to \$1000 and students \$500. Submit application to Chapter Chairperson, Jay Martin.	26-Oct-2012
Alan J. Cross Award*	Pays for 20 members to attend ASIS certification review course of their choice. One entry per Chapter. Submit applications to Chapter Chairperson, Jay Martin.	15-Dec-2012

*These items are individual awards, all others are Chapter awards.

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Application forms and addition information can be found on the Chapter website at

www.asisnn.org

ASIS Foundation Website

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ASIS Exam Preparation - Certification Reviews

Note: Neither the Professional Certification Board nor the ASIS Certification Program staff members have any involvement in the ASIS review courses. Furthermore, the instructors of the review courses have no access to actual exam questions.

All examination questions are based on the respective reference books. Candidates are encouraged to use these books as the main source for their exam preparation. To supplement exam preparation, candidates may also choose to take advantage of:

Exam Preparation Resources

Learn about [reference sets, classroom and online reviews, and ASIS Chapter Resources](#).

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- Confirm your understanding and learn where you need to focus your study with a practice exam.

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[Computer-based Reviews \(Online and CD\)](#)

Ken Braunstein earns ASIS Lifetime Membership

Congratulations to Ken Braunstein for earning his lifetime ASIS Membership



To become a life time member, applicants must be a member in good standing for twenty years, be permanently retired from full time employment, and have made a notable contribution to ASIS International.

See the national website for more details on how you can become a lifetime member

More Americans protect themselves with guns than you think

By Clayton E. Cramer
The Washington Times
Thursday, February 9, 2012

Every so often, a local news story about a victim of crime goes national. Most recently, it was Sarah McKinley, 18, home alone with her 3-month-old son, a few days after Sarah's husband had died of lung cancer. Two men apparently looking to steal pain medicine prescribed for the husband broke in. Sarah grabbed a shotgun and a pistol and killed Justin Martin as he forced entry into her home.

How often do such incidents happen? While the results from studies vary, the numbers are large. The National Crime Victimization Survey, for various procedural reasons, is at the low end, showing 108,000 such cases a year (although this was some years back, when crime rates were higher than now). The widely reported Kleck/Gertz study, which has its own set of problems, showed a range of 830,000 to 2.45 million defensive gun uses per year. Other studies have fallen solidly in the middle, with hundreds of thousands of defensive gun uses per year.

Our study examines a variety of incident types: concealed-weapon permit holders (285 accounts); home invasions (1,227 incidents); residential burglaries (488). There are categories that we would never have thought were all that common: 172 incidents where people defended themselves from animal attacks (some wild, some dogs gone wild); 34 were incidents where pizza delivery drivers defended themselves from robbery.

Startled? You might think from how rarely stories like this go national that defensive gun use is relatively rare in America. Why don't we see these stories more often, if victims are using guns in self-defense so often? Keep in mind that the vast majority of defensive gun uses never receive even local news coverage. "Homeowner scares away burglar, no shots fired" is not exactly a major news story, unless you live in a very small town.

Nonetheless, from 2003 through 2011, when I collaborated in an effort to gather local news stories and official reports of civilians using guns in self-defense here in the United States, I was astonished by how many such incidents there were, the vast majority of which never received national attention. Over a period of more than seven years, we compiled almost 5,000 such accounts. Most ended happily, with a burglar, carjacker or robber held for police. Some ended in bloodshed, as in the case of Sarah McKinley. Very few ended with the victim injured or killed.

Some of the news stories that did receive national attention are unsurprising, such as that of Matthew Murray, a mentally ill young man, who walked into New Life Church in Colorado Springs in 2007, carrying two handguns, an assault rifle and 1,000 rounds of ammunition. Murray had already murdered four people in the previous 12 hours, two of them in the church's parking lot. Jeanne Assam, who was licensed to carry a concealed weapon, drew her weapon and shot Murray, preventing what could have been the most lethal mass murder in U.S. history.

Some of the news stories that stayed local, however, were dramatic stories of life and death, good and evil, that seem like the dictionary definition of "human interest story." On May 4, 2009, two masked men with guns burst into a home in College Park, Ga., while a birthday party was in progress. Ten people, some of them college students, were inside the apartment. The intruders separated the men from the women. One of the intruders started counting his bullets; the other asked how many bullets he had. "Enough," he said. It does not take much imagination to figure out that there would be no survivors. At this point, one of the students managed to reach into his backpack, pull out a gun and shoot one of the intruders, who then fled the apartment wounded.

The armed student then caught the other intruder in the act of raping one of the women in the other room. The student shot the rapist as he jumped out the window.

Do law-abiding adults responsibly use guns in self-defense? The evidence we have amassed says yes, and frequently.

"I was astonished by how many such incidents there were, the vast majority of which never received national attention"

Clayton E. Cramer teaches history at the College of Western Idaho and is co-author of "Tough Targets: When Criminals Face Armed Resistance From Citizens and Armed America: The Remarkable Story of How and Why Guns Became as American as Apple Pie" (Cato Institute, 2006).

MEMBER CERTIFICATIONS



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Chapter Members Support Student Development

On groundhog shadow day February 9th Doug Simpson the Director of Security for the Atlantis took in 8 of Brian Markowski's students from the security vocation located at Sierra Nevada Job Corps in Stead, NV. The students were given a personal tour of the casino and an introduction to the daily operations of what a day is like behind the scenes as a security officer in the casino industry. The students were provided an introduction to covert and overt electronic digital surveillance as well as a tour of the dispatch control center and security officer's administration areas.

Doug Simpson was also kind enough to share his background in law enforcement from Ohio



as well as the things that he enjoys most about his career, one of which is helping out young people like the students he came in contact with that day to make advancements in the security industry in pursuit of their own professional career goals. The discussions continued on into a question and answer session addressing a lot of inquiries the students had about his history and interests as well as the way security has evolved since his introduction to the field. Thank you Doug for taking the time with these young students in pursuit of their vocation and

supporting the next generation of young security professionals, your efforts and actions to reach out and mentor the students really had a great impact.

Submitted by Brian Markowski



*" The boss drives people;
The leader coaches them.
The boss depends on authority;
The leader on good will.
The boss inspires fear;
The leader inspires enthusiasm.
The boss says I;
The leader says WE.
The boss fixes the blame for the breakdown;
The leader fixes the breakdown.
The boss says, GO;
The leader says Lets GO! "*
H. Gordon Selfridge

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ATTENDANCE (01/04/2012 Luncheon)

Paying Members:	26
Paying Guests:	25
Complimentary Guests:	01

LUNCHEON SUMMARY

COLLECTIONS:

Luncheon Collections	\$ 1,240.00
Annual Dues Collections	\$ 180.00
Extra Door Prize Ticket Purchases	\$ 60.00
Unknown Overage	\$ 35.00

TOTAL COLLECTIONS: \$ 1,515.00

EXPENDITURES: \$ 516.14

LUNCHEON PROFIT/LOSS \$ + 998.86

GENERAL FUND (Checking Account)

BEGINNING BALANCE: \$14,213.58

Credit 1/04/2012 \$ 1,515.00

SUBTOTAL: \$15,728.58

Debit 01/04/2012 Check 1806 – Atlantis Luncheon \$ 516.14

Debit 01/13/2012 * Check 1805 – Jay Martin Reimbursement \$ 877.87

ENDING BALANCE:

\$14,334.57

SCHOLARSHIP FUND (Savings Account)

BEGINNING BALANCE:

\$ 3,987.58

Credit 1/04/2012 Door Prize Ticket Collections

\$ 60.00

Credit 1/04/2012 Interest Payment

\$.03

ENDING BALANCE: \$ 4047.61

***NOTES:** Check 1805 to Jay Martin was reimbursement for his out-of-pocket expenses for the Roy Bordes Award Seminar



**Treasurer
Robert Nichols**

Meeting Minutes

12:15 Pledge of Allegiance

Introductions

-This month in addition to the member and guest introductions, the chapter was formally introduced to the new Sergeant of Arms, Brian

Markowski

Reading of the Minutes

- postponed to allow members the opportunity to thoroughly review the minutes

Treasurer's report or discussion on treasurer's report

- currently not available, will be added to next

month's reports

Committee Reports—Membership, certification, foundation, etc

- Dean Hill is working on this year's LEA luncheon, and any assistance is always appreciated.

Additionally consideration is being made to move the luncheon to April or May and a dinner

Chairperson's Report

-"Power of Collaboration" -Recruitment

Old Business

New Business

Special Recognition -Life Membership to Ken Braunstein

Introduction of Speaker

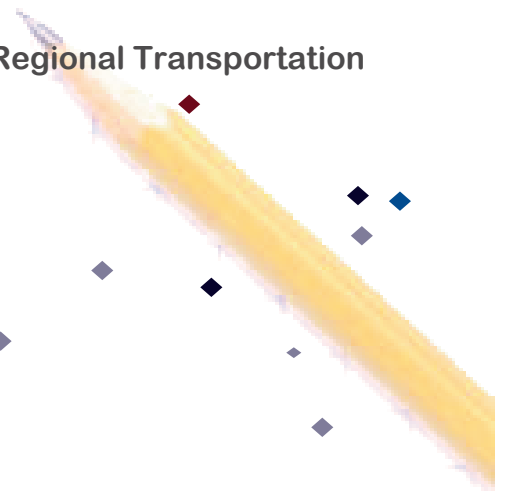
Rob Reeder- Administrator - Security/Safety, Regional Transportation

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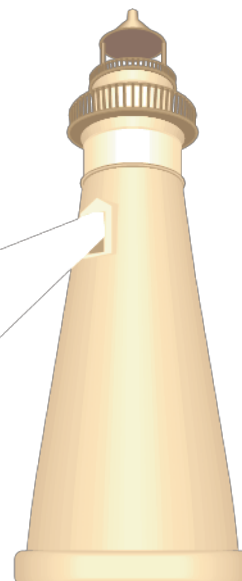
Conclusion of Meeting and Raffle Prizes distributed



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