

George Eliot

Chairman's Corner

Today is the official day of summer and I am sure you are all wondering where the time is gone and for those who have departments, companies, or agencies, are probably readjusting your staffing for the summer months. This is one of the busiest times for the security industry in Northern Nevada due to all the special events held in this area. The big question is do you have your emergency operation plans updated and more importantly stored in a safe location in case of a disaster.

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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 encouraged The next meeting will be : September 5th. There will be no meeting in August



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Are you familiar with "ACAMS" Automated Critical Infrastructure Assessment System? ACAMS is a Webenabled information services portal that helps state, local, tribal and territorial governments build critical infrastructure protection programs. It provides a set of tools and resources that help law

enforcement, public safety and emergency response personnel:

• Collect and use critical infrastructure asset data,

• Assess critical infrastructure asset vulnerabilities,

• Develop all-hazards incident response and recovery plans, and Build public-private partnerships.

The reason I am familiar with this program as I am temporarily employed with Nevada Division of Emergency Management as the ACAMS Plans Coordinator. I am in the process of updating files of all the casino-resorts in the state of Nevada and some of you will be receiving letters requesting updates in the next month. Since becoming involved with this program, I can see as a very valuable tool for your organization as it provides you with a safe place of

The big question is do you have your emergency operation plans updated...

information storage and the opportunity to obtain more information

about protecting your assets.

I want to wish you all the safest summer months and try to stay cool during the upcoming hot months. I look forward to seeing you at our next regularly scheduled meeting in September.

Chapter Chair, Chris D. Brockway, MPA CPP 3/12

### **Guest Speaker- Brigadier General Frank P. Gonzales**



June's Guest speaker was Brigadier General Frank P. Gonzales. General Gonzales serves as the Assistant Adjutant General - Army, Nevada National Guard as well as the Commander, Nevada Army National Guard. General Gonzales oversees the training and readiness

- activities for all units assigned to the Nevada Army Guard.
- General Gonzales spoke to members and guests about his role with the Nevada National Guard 92nd Civil Support Team, CST, and about their role in our community. The CST is vital in its ability to respond to natural and man

made disasters. Because they are trained in so many disciplines and do not have the same jurisdictions as many state and federal agencies, they are able to provide protection and response for invasion, riot suppression or prevention, hazardous material, biological weapons, and even weapons of mass destruction response.

The CST can respond to casinos, office buildings and even provide city sweeps. When called upon the CST does not

report to military command but directly to the civil command. In addition to his role as Brigadier General, Frank Gonzales is also the Vice President of Corporate Services for NV Energy. When asked how he came to be so distinguished on so many levels General Gonzales advised " Never quit. Shut up and do your job, and never quit"



#### **Chapter 164 Member Profiles**

Your fellow ASIS members would like to know more about you. Please tell us a little about yourself for inclusion in the monthly newsletter We would like a photo or two - such as a professional bust shot and a more relaxed "action" shot of a personal or professional interest Educational and certification history, Past and current professional experiences, Brief synapses of your personal life and interests

It should be a half page to a page and a half, kind of a short bio about what makes you different and interesting both personally and professionally, but also showcasing any special talents you or your business may have that you want to share with other members This is your turn to showcase yourself. We look forward to hearing from you!





#### **MEMBER CERTIFICATIONS**



Act as if what you do makes a difference. It does. William James Philip Bennett, CPP Allen Bowser, CPP Chris Brockway, CPP Russell Brooks, CPP Cheri Bryant , CPP Darrell Clifton, CPP Mark Crosby, CPP Brook Doty, CPP, PSP Douglas Laird, CPP Jay Martin, CPP Mike C. Pacini, PCI Dennis Smith, CPP Jes Stewart, CPP Al Zajic, CPP

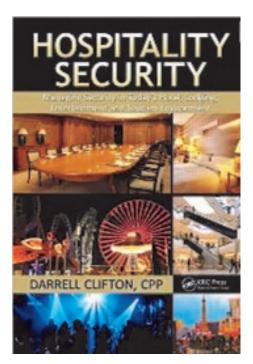
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## **HOSPITALITY SECURITY IS NOW AVAILABLE**

Active member and former Chapter Chairman Darrell Clifton, CPP, Director of Security at Circus Circus Hotel Casino has written an incredibly informative book titled Hospitality Security. Don't let the books title fool you; despite the title the book is full of information that is useful to anyone in any industry.

Darrell utilizes his vast experience from twenty-five years in security management working his way thru every security position from front-line security officer to his current role as security director. Additionally, Darrell was trained in every operational department within the hotel and casino enhancing his perception of the company as a whole and how best Security interacts with the entire business.



In addition to his Security roles at the Circus Circus, Darrell is very active in community committees. He is a FEMA certified Continuity of Operations Manager and participates in several state task forces to plan, write, and implement COOP, COG and other emergency plans.

Darrell serves on the Alcohol Advisory Board, Downtown Police Tax District, Washoe County Business Preparedness Committee, and



the Board of Directors for Secret Witness, AlertID, and is the Vice Chairman of the Hospitality, Entertainment and Tourism Council. He is an active member, speaker, and former chairman of the Northern Nevada Chapter of ASIS. Darrell's works are often published in the Security Magazine and Casino Journal and was named by Security Magazine as one of the most influential people in the security industry. Darrell is a frequent contributor to Reed Exhibitions, University of Nevada - Reno, and Gamepath Darrells book can be found on Amazon.com or by following the link below. http://www.amazon.com/Darrell-Clifton/e/ B006T9XUD0/ref=ntt dp epwbk 0

Clifton takes his years as a proven industry professional and converts it in writing that should become a part of any hospitality security director's professional library. This book will demonstrate to the reader what a true professional security director is and ways to become one."

-Alan W. Zajic, CPP, CSP, from the Foreword

"Darrell has produced a magnificent compendium covering all aspects of hospitality, entertainment, and tourism security. A mustread for those entering the hospitality security industry after college or from law enforcement. The book serves as an excellent reference resource for the seasoned hospitality security professional."

-H. Skip Brandt, CPP, CLSD, Executive Director, International Lodging Safety & Security Association







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

Award Name	Description	Chapter Deadline
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
	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 www.asisfoundation.org

Congratulations Brian Thompson For winning free Registration to the ASIS 2012 Seminar



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ATTENDANCE (04/04/2012 Luncheon)		
Paying Members:	22	
Paying Guests:	00	
Complimentary Guests:	01	
Complimentary Guests.	01	
275		
LUNCHEON SUMMARY		
COLLECTIONS:		
Luncheon Collections	\$ 300.00	
Annual Dues Collections	\$ 00.00	
Extra Door Prize Ticket Purchases	\$ 15.00	
TOTAL COLLECTIONS:	\$ 315.00	
EXPENDITURES:	\$ 516.14	
LUNCHEON PROFIT/LOSS	<b>\$ - 201.14</b>	
GENERAL FUND (Checking Account)		
BEGINNING BALANCE:	\$ 18, 854.25	
Credit 4/04/2012	\$ 315.00	
SUBTOTAL:	\$ 19,169.25	
Debit 04/04/2012 Check 1815 – Atlantis Luncheon	\$ 516.14	
Transfer Checking to Scholarship (Savings)	\$ 15.00	
ENDING BALANCE:	\$ 18,638.11	
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**Treasurer** Robert Nichols

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		Credit 4/30/2012
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# **Meeting Minutes**

11:30 Members enjoyed networking and a meal

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading of the minutes by Vice chairman John Puccioni—Approved

Treasurers report—Approved

Committee reports

Jay Martin reported on the Walsh Award,

Chairpersons report



New Business— Jay Martin volunteered to conduct a drawing for the free ASIS registration giveaway

- Washoe County Emergency Manager

Aaron R. Kenneston is seeking security contacts to enhance communication and Emergency Response—(775) 337-5898 <u>akenneston@washoecounty.us</u>



Chapter Secretary and Newsletter Editor Jennifer Andress Belk

Guest Speaker—General Frank P. Gonzales. General Gonzales Assistant Adjutant General - Army, Nevada National Guard regarding Nevada National Guard 92nd Civil Support Team duties and capabilities

Ken was a photographer for the N.Y. Times, and was scheduled to meet a plane on the runway to take him on a job. "Hit it," said Ken climbing into the first plane he saw on the runway. The pilot took off, and was soon in the air. "OK," said Ken, "fly low over the trees over there, I want to take a few pictures."

"What do you mean?" asked the pilot. Ken looked at the pilot and answered a little annoyed,

"I need to take some pictures for the N.Y. Times, so please....."

There was a long pause, before the pilot asked in a shaky voice, "you mean your not my pilot instructor?"

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