

**GUEST SPEAKER**

Jennifer Moore,  
FBI RAC

“If you want total security, go to prison. There you're fed, clothed, given medical care and so on. The only thing lacking... is freedom.”

Dwight D. Eisenhower



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**NORTHERN NEVADA  
ASIS INTERNATIONAL  
CHAPTER #164**

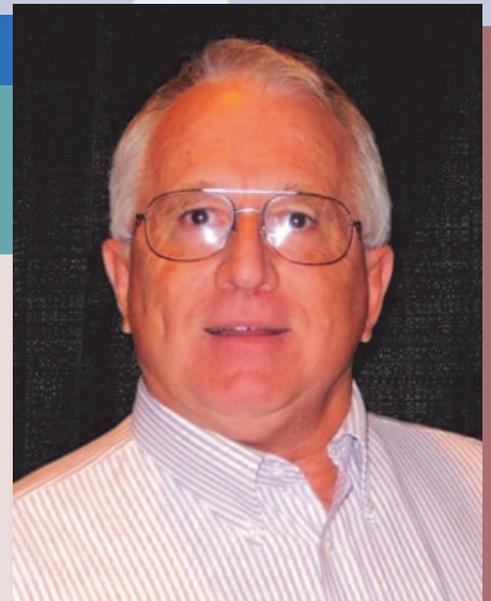
### Letter from the Editor

In lieu of the Chairman's Corner this month, a friendly reminder from the editor.

In taking on the challenge of maintaining the standard of quality expected from this Chapter's Newsletter, I am asking for assistance from our members. If any of you come across an interesting article or piece of information you feel is "newsletter material", please send the item to me directly via email. Any suggestions or help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

John C. Puccioni  
Newsletter Editor

The next meeting will be February 5, 2014



**Chapter Chairman  
Gerald Devore**

### CHAPTER MEETINGS

Held the first Wednesday each month at the Atlantis Hotel Resort. starting at 11/11:30 am and includes lunch. Cost is \$20. Guests are encouraged .The next meeting will be : February 5, 2014, our Guest Speaker will be Ira Vector from Data Clone Labs.



# President's Perspective



ASIS President Rich Widup, CPP, shares his insights on a range of issues in his monthly column.

## January

Happy New Year! I hope you had a rewarding and refreshing holiday season. I am excited, honored, and humbled to be your President and want to thank the many ASIS leaders who mentored me over the years and helped shape my career path, as well as deeply influenced my leadership and management skills. On that note, I would like to share some thoughts with you on professional and leadership development.

The start of a new year is traditionally a time of reflection and renewal. It is an ideal opportunity to reevaluate professional goals and plan concrete steps toward achieving them. I encourage you to pause and assess where you are today and where you want to be by the end of 2014. Not sure where to begin? Here are some tips that have worked well for me.

### **Nurture your network.**

Having a strong network is an essential part of a successful career. But maintaining it takes effort. It's easy to add someone on LinkedIn and then forget about him or her. Resolve to follow up with those you meet at conferences and chapter meetings. Be flexible with how you do this. It could range from recurring meetups for coffee or lunch to simple phone calls or email. Remember, your network is worth as much as you are willing to put into it.

### **Commit to learn something new.**

Education does not end when you've earned a degree or certification. The most successful people I know have made learning a lifelong commitment. Lifelong learning is a critical element of being a successful leader. Whether you sign up for a chapter event, devote a few days for a comprehensive professional development class, or set aside time at your desk for a webinar or *Ted Talk*, you'll find ongoing education and professional development to be one of the most satisfying resolutions to keep.

### **Help others.**

There are a number of ways to give back to the profession. You can help find speakers for your chapter meetings or serve on an ad-hoc committee. Are you a seasoned practitioner? Why not offer to serve as a mentor for the Women in Security and Young Professionals initiatives. No matter where you reside, you can share your expertise by drafting Foundation CRISP Reports, serving on a Standards and Guidelines Committee, joining one of our 29 councils, or participating in one of the ASIS LinkedIn groups. I can personally attest that volunteer service is personally and professionally rewarding. Some of my deepest professional relationships are with members I met through volunteer activities.

# President's Perspective



## **Embrace innovation.**

The phrase “doing more with less” may be overused, but the challenge of meeting your organization’s expectations with declining budgets continues to be a reality for many practitioners. It is essential that you understand the business needs of your organization and can articulate how security contributes to the bottom line. In the months ahead, ASIS will roll out tools and resources to help practitioners measure what matters and demonstrate the ROI of security programs.

In addition, our relationship with (ISC)<sup>2</sup> helps members connect and learn best practices from their IT security counterparts. As mobile devices continue to proliferate and cyber challenges grow in scale each year, collaboration between these functions will only continue to grow.

Developing a list of career goals should be a priority for all professionals. With planning and a healthy dose of persistence, you’ll position yourself for even greater success.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to thank 2013 President and now Chairman of the Board, Geoff Craighead, CPP, and all the volunteer leaders, for ably guiding ASIS this past year.

Let's embrace 2014 for all its possibilities and agree to tackle challenges together with a unified voice. I look forward to serving as your president this year and I will be relying upon each of you for input and advice as we move forward. My best wishes for a healthy and prosperous New Year.



**The Northern Nevada Chapter of ASIS International is seeking nominations for two new annual awards to recognize our colleagues in the security profession:**

***2014 Security Officer of the Year***

***2014 Security Professional of the Year***

Unique or special security achievements should be considered for the 2014 awards during the period of *June 1st, 2013-May 31st, 2014*. The award recipients will be honored during our June 2014 Chapter meeting. The criterion for the awards is:

- Outstanding achievements, or
- A specific act of prevention, detection, deterrence or apprehension, or
- A life-saving event, or
- Continuous excellent performance
- Nominees, or their respective organization leaders, must be a member of the Northern Nevada Chapter of ASIS International.

The **Security Officer of the Year** award is our opportunity to honor a colleague who has admirably served in a uniformed security role.

The **Security Professional of the Year** award is our opportunity to honor a colleague who has admirably served in a leadership role.

When submitting your nomination, please be as detailed as possible regarding their achievements and performance that qualifies them for this honorable award. Individuals may not self-nominate.

Please take a moment in your busy day and consider your colleagues and associates for either of these prestigious awards. Anonymous nominations will not be accepted.

Deadline for submission is **May 1st, 2014**. All submissions will be reviewed by the Chapter Awards Committee, then forwarded to the ASIS Northern Nevada Executive Board for review and final voting. The finalists in each category will be invited to the June luncheon meeting where they will all be recognized and the winners announced.

**To make a nomination for either award, please complete the attached nomination form and email it to the Awards Committee Chairperson, Mark Crosby, at [mcrosby@nvenergy.com](mailto:mcrosby@nvenergy.com).** If you have questions, please contact Mark Crosby via email or at 775-834-5837.

Please submit your nominations now. It is time to show our appreciation to those who have served our profession with honor.



# Nomination Form for Security Professional or Security Officer of the Year

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- Outstanding achievements, or
- A specific act of prevention, detection, deterrence or apprehension, or
- A life-saving event, or
- Continuous excellent performance

Deadline for submission is **May 1st, 2014**. All acceptable submissions will be forwarded to the ASIS Northern Nevada Awards Committee for consideration. The nominees and winners will be recognized at the June meeting.

## **Nomination for (check one only):**

\_\_\_\_ Security Professional of the Year \_\_\_\_ Security Officer of the Year

**Nominee's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Employer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact info:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for nomination** (please be as detailed as possible while protecting employer confidentiality and other's personal privacy – attach supporting documentation as necessary):

**Submitted by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Today's date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company/Contact info:**

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Please email this form and any supporting documentation to Mark Crosby at [mcrosby@nvenergy.com](mailto:mcrosby@nvenergy.com).





# **Awards for ASIS Members or Students Northern Nevada Chapter #164 ASIS Foundation Calendar-2014**

## **Military Liaison Council Certification Scholarship**

Apply: May 13-June 28, 2014

This award provides scholarships for active duty military members of ASIS to pursue ASIS board certification. Scholarships cover the application fee, preparation (online review) and testing costs. [Learn more](#)

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The Professional Certification Board recognizes individual and organizational contributions to the board certification program.

## **Certification Award—Regional**

Closed: Applications due June 13, 2014

Recognizes individuals that make a significant contribution to the advancement of ASIS board certifications. Winners are recognized at the Annual Seminar and Exhibits (September 29-October 2 in Atlanta). [Learn more](#).

## **Certification Award of Organization Merit**

Closed: Applications due June 13, 2014

Recognizes an organization for demonstrated leadership and a commitment to the professional development of their security team through certification or for significant contributions toward the advancement of ASIS certification programs. [Learn more](#).



**For more information, please contact:**

Chapter Chairperson, ASIS Foundation

**[MCrosby@NVEnergy.com](mailto:MCrosby@NVEnergy.com)**

**Or [Brian.Markowski@gmail.com](mailto:Brian.Markowski@gmail.com)**

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

[www.asisnn.org](http://www.asisnn.org)



# Training Opportunity

## Northern Nevada Chapter #164

### Cyber Security for Awareness for Public Safety

Date: February 27th

Location: Nevada Division of Emergency Management  
2478 Fairview St. Carson City, NV 89701

#### Course Description:

This Cyber Security Awareness Public Safety is a course specifically designed for Telecommunicators, First Responders and public safety official. As the tools being use by public safety with the move to a national public safety broadband network are changing day to day it becomes critical that public safety understand the risk involved with these new technologies. This course covers many of the basics on network security from a user point of view or more commonly referred to as the "Human Factor". This awareness course will focus on basic network security threats and everyday work task that can be improved the help insure network security.

**Audience:** Telecommunicators, First Responders, Government Officials

**Application Deadline:** February 21st, 2014

**Time of Course:** 9:00 am – 11:00 am

**Location:** Nevada Division of Emergency Management 2478 Fairview St. Carson City, NV 89701

**Prerequisites:** None

**Enrollment:** Applicants are encouraged to enroll via the NDEM training website at:

[http://dem.nv.gov/training/DEM\\_Course\\_Registration\\_Form/](http://dem.nv.gov/training/DEM_Course_Registration_Form/)

UNDER THE "B" OPTION

Applicants wishing to register via the internet and experiencing difficulties should call NDEM Training at (775) 687-0320,



**Northern Nevada ASIS International Chapter #164**  
**Meeting minutes 1/8/2014**

The meeting was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Introductions were done by all members in attendance.

The Treasurers report was approved by the membership.

Dean Hill discussed the LEA. Publication to include sponsors. Added corrections. Need keynote plaque. Most publications sent to agencies. Darrel Clifton said he's hearing from everyone that it was the best one so far. Ken Braunstein mentioned the lighting in the room is troublesome for photos. He said we need place to take pics and need the lighting to be better.

Dues are now due for 2014. Darrell Clifton made a motion to renew annual lunch invoicing. It was seconded by Dean Hill approved.

Discussion was held on the Foundation scholarship. We missed deadline for 2013. A vote was held to roll the money to 2014. Markowski made a motion, Jerry Devore 2nd. Approved

Darrell Clifton swore in the new officers for 2014. Jerry Devore Chairman, Brian Markowski Vice Chair, Dennis Smith Secretary, Austin Bharadwaja Treasurer.

John Puccioni member referral gets discount? Darrell consolidate NNSDA? Security officer of the year and Professional of the year good timing to involve NNSDA. Braunstein - involve LE. PILB involvement. Jennifer Moore FBI RAC was this months speaker.

The next meeting will be February 5, 2014.

Chairman Puccioni closed the meeting.

## Northern Nevada ASIS International Chapter #164

### Meeting minutes 1/8/2014 (cont.)

Jennifer Moore from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Resident Agent Charge of Reno was a guest speaker for January. She has spent more than 19 years in San Diego and in Dallas as a security agent investigating public corruption of law enforcement officers. The bureau in Reno is growing and one main focus is child trafficking. Keeping the safe streets task force going, dealing with gangs, counter terrorism, cyber terrorism, counterintelligence. She also deals with any felony case on tribal land.

She says agents must have a very wide skill set because officers deal with local terrorist to international terrorist. Recently they located and apprehended and international tourist from India who had a mutually beneficial relationship with Al-Qaeda, as one of the top wanted on the FBI watch list. Gang problems are on the rise for theft of copper, as well as group or unit oriented tactics to generate money.

Thank you Jennifer for keeping our state safe and taking the time to share what you do with us in the security profession.

The next meeting will be February 5, 2014.

Chairman Puccioni closed the meeting.



# 2014 ASIS CHAPTER #164 MEMBERSHIP INVOICE



Please select applicable payment options below and then enclose a check payable to ASIS CHAPTER #164.  
Send Payments to **ASIS International / Northern Nevada Chapter #164 / P.O Box 21093 / Reno NV 89515.**  
(Note: Payments must be received by Wednesday 02/05/14 at 12PM to insure savings described in option 1 below.)

**OPTION #1: ADVANCE LUNCHEON PAYMENT WITH ANNUAL DUES WAIVED - \$200.00 (Save \$20.00)**

My \$200.00 payment is enclosed and I would like to pay for all luncheons (February through December) in advance. (No luncheon is held in August due to Hot August Nights.) I understand that by paying for all luncheons no later than Wednesday 02/05/14 at 12PM, my annual chapter dues for 2014 will be waived, a savings of \$20.00. I understand that I cannot designate anyone else to attend luncheons in my place if I am unable to attend. I also understand that advance payments are non-refundable.

**OPTION #2: ANNUAL DUES - \$20.00**

My \$20.00 payment for 2014 chapter dues is enclosed. I understand that annual dues are required to keep my chapter membership active, but my schedule is uncertain, so I cannot predict luncheon attendance in advance. Still, I want to remain involved with ASIS chapter #164, so I will attend as many luncheons as possible in 2014, and I will pay for each luncheon individually.

**OPTION #3: ADVANCE DOOR-PRIZE TICKET PURCHASE - \$50.00**

My \$50.00 payment is enclosed. I already paid for 2014 luncheons in advance, or I am doing so now by selecting option #1 above and enclosing my payment; but I also believe in supporting the chapter's scholarship fund, so I would also like to contribute \$50.00 (\$5.00 for each remaining 2014 luncheon) in advance toward that cause. I understand that by contributing \$5.00 per month toward the scholarship fund, I will receive six extra door-prize drawing tickets at all luncheons I attend during 2014.

**OR**

My \$50.00 payment is enclosed. I selected option #2 above and enclosed payment for my annual chapter dues, but I have opted not to pay in advance for the monthly luncheons. Still, I believe in supporting the chapter's scholarship fund, so I would like to contribute \$50.00 (\$5.00 for each remaining 2014 luncheon) toward that effort, even if I do not attend every luncheon. I understand that by contributing \$50.00 to the scholarship fund, I will receive six extra door-prize drawing tickets at every luncheon that I am able to attend during 2014.

**OPTION #4: GENERAL DONATION**

I strongly support ASIS CHAPTER #164's commitment to the local Security industry. I might have selected other options above, but I wish to participate further in endowing the organization by contributing the following:

- \$25.00
- \$50.00
- \$100.00
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Enter Amount)

**OPTION #5: SCHOLARSHIP DONATION**

I strongly support ASIS CHAPTER #164's commitment to awarding academic scholarships to qualified applicants that pursue higher education in law-enforcement-related curriculum. I might have selected other options above, but I wish to participate further in endowing the scholarship fund by contributing the following:

- \$25.00
- \$50.00
- \$100.00
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Enter Amount)

**OPTION #6: LAW ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION DONATION**

I (and/or my organization) strongly support ASIS CHAPTER #164's commitment to hosting an annual luncheon that publicly recognizes and honors the Northern Nevada Law Enforcement professionals that distinguish themselves in service to their communities. Accordingly, I/we wish to contribute the following toward the 2011 LAW ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION luncheon:

- \$250.00
- \$500.00
- \$1,000
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Enter Amount)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

Notes: Donations to ASIS may be tax deductible (ASIS CHAPTER 164 TAX ID: 52-1435011). Please contact Chapter Treasury for further information. The chapter endeavors to avoid disclosing identities of contributors or amounts of donations to the general membership without the consent of donors. However, contributions are subject to purview of board members and board-appointed auditors. Donors that wish to contribute anonymously are encouraged to do so by simply sending a money order or other unidentifiable instrument to the address listed above. Chapter Treasury appreciates all donors, perhaps especially those members too busy to attend monthly luncheons on a regular basis but still support the aims of the chapter. Additionally, Chapter treasury appreciates non-members and former members that participate and donate periodically. Finally, Chapter Treasury gratefully acknowledges local corporations and small businesses that support the annual Law Enforcement Appreciation event and other chapter activities throughout the year.

**Treasurer's Report: Northern Nevada ASIS Chapter**  
**(December 2013)**

**Checking Account**

**Deposits**

**November Lunch: \$130.00.**

Deposited in checking on 12/06/13.

**Total Deposits: \$3,128.20**

**Withdrawals**

**ASIS LE Appreciation Lunch (Check #1845):  
\$2,500.00**

Withdrawn 12/04/2013.

**ASIS LE Awards (Check #1847): \$628.20**

**Total Withdrawals: \$3,128.20**

**Current Balance: \$12,672.52**

**Savings Account**

**Deposits**

**Interest Payments: \$0.03**

**Total Deposits: \$0.03**

**Withdrawals**

**None**

**Current Balance: \$4,258.44**

**Treasurer: Austin Bharadwaja**



**The 2014 Line of Officers for the  
Northern Nevada ASIS Chapter #164**



***Chapter Chair: Jerry Devore***

***Vice Chair: Brian Markowski***

***Secretary: Dennis Smith***

***Treasurer: Austin Bharadwaja***

***Membership: Mark Crosby***

***Program: Mark Crosby***

***Newsletter: John Puccioni***

***Law Enforcement Liaison: Ron Jones***

***Legislative: Ken Braunstein***

***Webmaster: John Puccioni***

***ASIS Foundation: Mark Crosby***

***Photographer: Ken Braunstein***

***Audit: TBD***

***Certification: Dennis Smith***



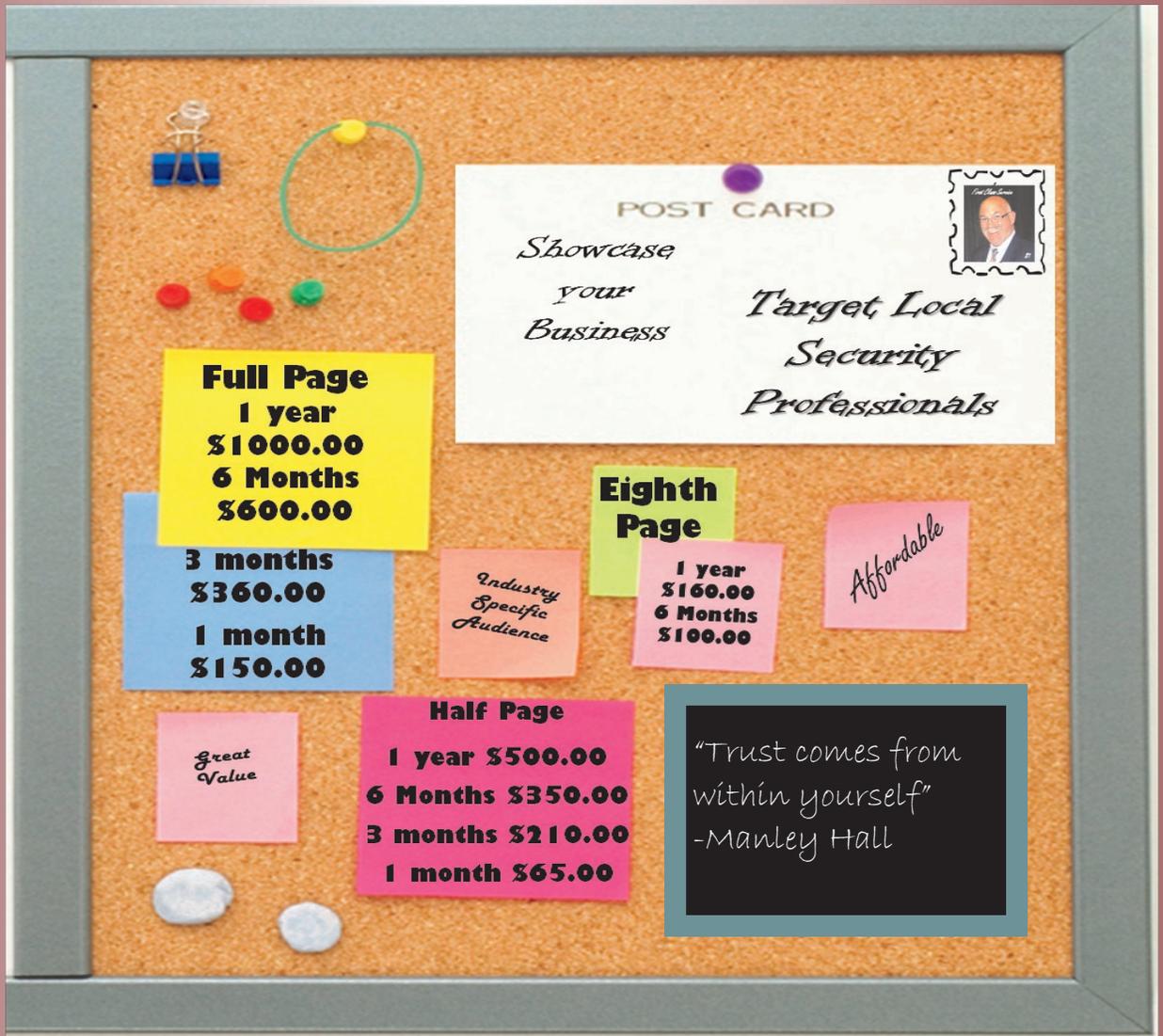
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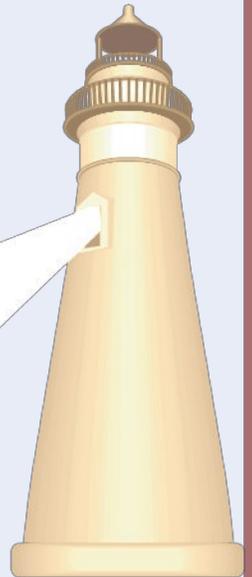


Current Northern Nevada Chapter Members who have attained the Certified Protection Professional Designation from ASIS.

Philip	Bennett	CPP
Allen	Bowser	CPP
Chris	Brockway	CPP
Russell	Brooks	CPP
Cheri	Bryant	CPP
Darrell	Clifton	CPP
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