



# Austin ASIS Chapter 179 News

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## Chapter 179's Executive Meeting

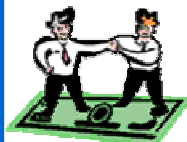


The 2010 Austin ASIS Chapter 179 officers met for lunch on Wednesday, January 6, 2010 at Chinatown off of Bee Caves Road and Walsh Tarlton. All four chapter officers attended – Laura Oswalt, Jay Baker, Richard Wright, and Ann Martick. The executive meeting was called to order at noon and adjourned at 1:30 PM. Our discussion items included:

- The Meeting Calendar and Location
- Upcoming Speakers
- Financial Status
- Auditors' Recommendations
- Newsletter and Secretarial Duties
- Committee Appointments
- Suggestions for Improvement and
- Allan J. Cross Awardee

On the meeting calendar and location, we discussed having 9 Business Meetings and 2 Socials for a total of 11 meetings this year. The calendar dates for the business meetings are: 01/14, 02/11, 04/08, 06/10, 07/08, 08/12, 09/09, and 11/11. The Spring Social will be an evening meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup> of March. We are planning for the Annual Golf Tournament to be held in May, and of course our December meeting will be the Christmas Social. We are expecting to finalize a contract with Texas Land & Cattle for 2010 prior to our January meeting. This year's **Annual Seminar** will be held October 12-15, 2010 in Dallas, Texas, so there will be no meeting in October.

Chapter Treasure Richard Wright agreed to contact Jim Burkey and confirm our January speaker will be Chief Art Acevedo of the Austin Police Department. The confirmation was received soon after the meeting adjourned. Further speakers will be listed on our Calendar of Events after Chapter Secretary, Ann Martick, confirms the listing with Program Committee Chairman Joe Requejo. It is thought that one or more meetings may be devoted to Webinars from ASIS International.



Chapter Treasurer Richard Wright stated our checkbook balance was \$5,108.02 and that we had funds in PayPal to be transferred to our checking account in the amount of \$95.90 from previous lunch meetings. The monthly financial reports will be printed out and available for interested members to pick up at the meetings and will also be posted in the newsletter. Per the findings and suggestions from the audit committee, the purchase of Quickbooks (\$99) was authorized by the executive committee. It was also decided to ask the current audit committee to serve throughout 2010 so that they can perform audits upon a chapter member's request and certify that we fulfill the recommendations. Audit Committee recommendations include uniquely numbered invoices and receipts, forms for requesting reimbursement of funds

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## Contact Us

### Chapter Chair

Laura Oswalt, CPP

### Vice Chair

Jay Baker, CPP, PSP

### Secretary

Ann J. Martick, ISP

### Treasurer

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### Membership Committee

Kim Stevens

### Law Enforcement

### Liaison Committee

Scott Stephens, CPP

### Scholarship Committee

Diane Gallatin, CPP

### Newsletter/Webpage

### Editor

Ann Martick, ISP

### Program & Speakers

Joe Requejo, CPP

### Education Committee

Jay Baker, CPP, PSP

### Golf Classic Committee

Wayne Archambault, CPP

### Student Liaison

Ross Greves

*A strong code of ethics is as reliable as a compass.*

*—H. Jackson Brown, Jr.*

## Executive Meeting

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spent require at least 2 authorizing signatures, and per Chapter 179's standard operating policy all purchases will have bi-officer approval and any deposits will be shown to another officer upon transaction.

It was also mentioned that Diane Gallatin is now a Regional 6 Vice President and Finances Subject Matter Expert and is available for assistance.



It was decided that the newsletter would be sent out after each business meeting except for January's, which will be sent out prior to the meeting. This means that there will be 9 issues this year. Advertising rates are still \$60 for 6 months and \$100 for a year. Chapter Activity reports will be forwarded to Chapter Officers for review prior to being sent in via the online form. The newsletter will include monthly financial reports. The Secretary's duties include taking minutes of the meetings and assisting with checking in meeting attendees. It was decided that Vice Chair Jay Baker or his designee would take notes if Ann had to be absent for a meeting so that the Chapter Activity Reports could remain informative.

The current committee appointments were reviewed. Suggestions were made on how the Membership committee could be more active including asking Kim Stephens to greet new folks and guests, and that she might work with Diane Gallatin, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee, and Ross Greves, Chairman of the Student Liaison Committee, regarding possible student members. Vice Chair Jay Baker volunteered to chair the Education (formerly Certification) Committee including hosting the CPP and PSP reviews and maintaining the Chapter Library. Purchase of materials and resources to assist with setting up and maintaining a Chapter Library were authorized by the executive committee.

Some suggestions for improving the Chapter Meetings and the value the Chapter offers it's members include reducing the line at the door by having a couple of tables and assisting the Treasurer in checking in prepaid attendees, offering Webinars at one or more chapter meetings, and submitting for more **awards** for chapter members and the chapter as a



whole. The first award for 2010 – the **Allan J. Cross Award** – was won by Tom Richey who is part of the LCRA security staff. It was noted only one application was received. The Allan J. Cross Award is offered for 30 ASIS International members and pays the registration fees to attend an ASIS Certification Review Course of their choice.

## 2010 Event Calendar

Meeting Date	Location	Meeting Type	Speaker/Topic
January 14th 11:30-1:00 PM	Texas Land & Cattle 1101 S. MOPAC (Rollingwood Exit)	Luncheon w/ Speaker	Chief Art Acevedo Austin Police Department
February 11 <sup>th</sup> 11:30-1:00 PM	Texas Land & Cattle 1101 S. MOPAC (Rollingwood Exit)	Luncheon w/ Speaker	TBD
March 11 <sup>th</sup>	TBD	Spring Social	TBD

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Contact: Richard Wright

Passed the CPP, PCI, or PSP Exam? Submitting a topic for discussion in the newsletter, or an item to the newsletter?

Contact: Ann Martick, ISP

## Networking & Training Opportunities

ASIS International's Professional Development Programs

ASIS Education Calendar



## Timothy J. Walsh APC I Award

Pays tuition, transportation, and hotel costs (room fee & taxes for five nights) for an ASIS member to attend an ASIS Assets Protection Course (APC) I.

Applicants must be nominated by their chapter, be members in good standing, and have not already attended an APC I course. In addition, applicants must have at least two years of security experience. This scholarship is offered twice a year, in conjunction with the two APC I programs. Chapters may submit one per award. National officers, ASIS directors, and relatives of the ASIS Foundation Board of Trustees are not eligible for the award.

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Richard Wright



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## Allan J. Cross Award

For the first time, we have a January winner of the Allan J. Cross award. You may recall receiving notification in late December requesting applications for this award. The Cross award pays registration fees for 30 members to attend the ASIS certification review course of their choice. Each chapter may submit one nominee starting at midnight on January 1. Applications are accepted until the 30 slots are awarded. Our chapter received one completed application, and that person was submitted as our nomination. We promptly received notification that Tom Richey was our Cross award recipient. Tom has been an integral part of the security staff at Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) for the past seven years. He was affiliated with other security integration companies in Austin prior to joining LCRA. He expressed his appreciation for receiving this award, and is looking forward to, not only the class, but the opportunity to earning his certification.



# Congratulations Tom!

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*Knowing is not enough; we must apply.*

*Willing is not enough; we must do.*

—Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe



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### New Newsletter Feature

Vice Chair Jay Baker will be interviewing various security professionals for a new section of our Chapter Newsletter called

#### Spotlight on Security

February's newsletter will include Jay's interview of Mr. Robert Haugland at North Austin Medical Center.



### Open Security Positions

#### Access Control / CCTV Installer

Technik Enterprises is looking for an experienced Access Control/CCTV Installer. Contact: **Jamie Gomez**

#### Facility Security Officer

Ultra Electronics is looking for a Facility Security Officer.



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## 2010 Chapter Dues

The Austin ASIS Chapter 179 January meeting will be held at Texas Land & Cattle, 1101 S. MOPAC (Rollingwood Exit), on Thursday, January 14, 2010. Networking begins at 11:30 and the meeting starts at 11:45. Our featured speaker is Chief Art Acevedo of the Austin Police Department. Lunch Costs: \$20 for Austin Chapter Members (see below)/\$25 for all others.

It is recommended that you prepay for the meeting with a credit card via one of the following Paypal links:

- Annual Chapter Dues of \$50 + \$20 for January's Lunch = \$70  
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- January 2010 Meeting Lunch of \$25 [https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=\\_s-xclick&hosted\\_button\\_id=11036185](https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_s-xclick&hosted_button_id=11036185)

As mentioned at the November meeting, Austin Chapter annual dues for 2010 are **due by February 14<sup>th</sup>**.

### **Options for Chapter Dues Payment (and advantages of Chapter membership):**

- Pay Annual Dues of \$50:
  - Pay only \$20 for Lunches & Socials (pay as you go per meeting)
  - Free Access to the monthly ASIS Webinar (a \$1200 value)
  - Opportunity to win free registration to the annual ASIS Seminar
  - Access to Chapter Certification Workshops and Study Materials Library
- One Time annual Payment of \$180 (BEST VALUE) Includes:
  - \$50 Annual Dues
  - 9 Business Meetings
  - 2 Socials
  - Free Access to the monthly ASIS Webinar (a \$1200 value)
  - Opportunity to win free registration to the annual ASIS Seminar
  - Access to Chapter Certification Workshops and Study Materials Library

*We are what we repeatedly do.*

*Excellence, then, is not an act but a habit.*

*—Will Durant*

# Invoice for 2010 Chapter Dues

ASIS International  
Austin Chapter 179  
Invoice # \_\_\_\_\_ -10  
(ASIS ID#)

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Annual Chapter Dues \$50.00

- Pay only \$20 for Lunches & Socials (pay as you go per meeting)
- Free Access to the monthly ASIS Webinar (a \$1200 value)
- Opportunity to win free registration to the annual ASIS Seminar
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Best Value – One Time Annual Payment \$180.00

Includes:

- \$50 Annual Dues
- 9 Business Meetings
- 2 Socials
- Free Access to the monthly ASIS Webinar (a \$1200 value)
- Opportunity to win free registration to the annual ASIS Seminar
- Access to Chapter Certification Workshops and Study Materials Library

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