

CONASIS NEWS – Fall & Winter Edition 2010

Award & Scholarship News

2010 Complimentary ASIS International Annual Seminar Registration

The chapter's 2010 complimentary registration to the event in Dallas, Texas was awarded to Region 18 ARVP Gary Miville. The board considered several applications, and made the award based on merit. Gary was instrumental in providing speakers and support for our CPP review course, which was run earlier this year, and has supported the chapter throughout the last several years.

2010 CONASIS Andrew J. Parr Memorial Scholarship

Michelle L. Poulin of Shelton was awarded the 2010 CONASIS Andrew J. Parr Memorial Scholarship. The award was made at our Annual CONASIS Law Enforcement Night held in November at the Farmington Club. Poulin, a sociology major with a minor in criminal justice at Southern Connecticut State University, received \$500 from the Chapter which will be matched with another \$500 by the ASIS Foundation.

The 2011 scholarship award competition will begin after the summer of 2011. All chapter members are encouraged to identify viable candidates in the field of criminal justice/security management; as well as consider applying for the Practitioner Award (a continuing education award to one of our members). Further information can be obtained by contacting the Scholarship/ASIS Foundation Chairman; Michael Wanik, CPP at mwanik@sscintel.com.

2011 ASIS International Allan J. Cross Award

Brian Carroll, Senior Account Manager - Securitas, at Pfizer, Groton, Connecticut was endorsed by the chapter and submitted his application for the Allan J. Cross Award to the ASIS Foundation. In early January 2011, the chapter was notified that Brian had been selected to attend the next CPP Review Course in preparation for CPP certification. Brian has been very active as a volunteer leader in the chapter serving in Chairman and Vice Chairman positions. He has also chaired the annual golf outing for several years.

Congratulations to Brian on his award.

Third Quarter Meeting – September 16, 2010



The third quarterly dinner meeting was held on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at The Colonnade, Glastonbury, Connecticut. The featured speaker was Sargent Llew Rowe, Connecticut State Police (CSP). Sargent Rowe, who supervises the CSP Firearms Training unit, gave an excellent power point presentation on Preventing, Responding and Recovery from Workplace Violence. Approximately twenty members and guests attended the meeting.

Fourth Quarter Meeting - November 11, 2010



Law Enforcement Recognition Night 2010 was a great success as one hundred twenty-five members, guests, and friends attended the evening activities at the Farmington Club, Farmington, Connecticut. Keynote speaker Chief Marc Montminy, Manchester Police Department provided slide show and insight on “Critical Events - Active Shooter - Lessons Learned” The Law Enforcement Recognition award for 2010 was presented to members of the Manchester Police Department and supporting units who responded to an active shooter incident in August 2010.

Chapter Chairman Dave Furtak presented the 2010 award to Chief Montminy who accepted it on behalf of the departments involved. The award will be displayed in a place of honor at the Manchester Police department.

The award inscription reads -

“In recognition of the bravery, dedication to duty, and professionalism displayed by members of the Manchester Police Department, and supporting State & Regional Emergency Services units who responded to an Active Shooter / Critical Incident at the Hartford Distributors Warehouse on August 4, 2010. “

The meeting also presented an opportunity to elect volunteer leaders for 2011. The following chapter leaders were duly elected during the meeting:

Chairman – Jeffery Mann
Vice Chairman – Martin Muzzey
Treasurer – Andre Greco
Secretary – Patrick Soucy

Photos taken at the event are posted on the chapter web site – Chapter Events tab.

Holiday Luncheon December 7, 2010



The chapter Holiday Luncheon was a well attended event with more than thirty members, guests, and friends attending at the Chowder Pot, Hartford, Connecticut. Keynote speaker U. S. Marshal Joseph P. Faughnan provided historical perspective and insight into the operations of the U. S. Marshal’s service. The meeting also provided an opportunity to honor the CPP and PSP review course volunteer instructors who provided their time and expertise to the chapter. Every instructor was offered the opportunity to attend the meeting as a guest of the chapter. Chairman Elect Jeff Mann provided a few brief comments, and indicated that his leadership team was preparing for an exciting 2011.