

NEXT MEETING:

When:

Tuesday – Sept., 15th
11:30 to 13:00

Where:

Jim's Family Rest.
8950 Laurel Canyon
Sun Valley
(818) 768-0213

Topic:

Covert Cameras in the Workplace

By Frank Faulk, CPP
PI Resources

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Remember

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gift for the raffle.**

Chairman's Corner

by Pat Salter, CPP

Hope you had a safe and sane Independence Day holiday as you celebrated the 233rd anniversary of the United States of America's birth. Funny thing, I don't think the British crown thought our founders were either safe, or sane.

Have you considered how the security industry, which we are a part of, serves this great country of ours? For the past eight years there has been a heightened awareness of security, because of the terrorist attack of September 11, 2001 in which fully fueled hijacked airliners took down the twin towers in New York City, damaged the Pentagon while one crash landed in Pennsylvania because of the determination of some American citizens.

The armed forces protect us from foreign attack; our police forces protect us from domestic crime while our private security companies protect public and private property and assets on a daily basis. Security managers maintain the protection of public and private assets while private investigators assist the private sector in myriad ways our public servants can't.

We serve our communities, state and country unsung with little notice unless we screw up. But no matter we are important if not vital to the safety, security and commerce of this great nation.

So, while you are sipping your adult beverage in the summer heat, pat yourself on the back for being a vital and necessary contributor to the freedom, security and independence of the greatest nation on God's green earth.

Getting back on track... Busy fall schedule!

Our Chapter is hosting a NIMS Training Seminar on October 15th.

In September, ASIS International is celebrating the 55th Annual Seminars & Exhibits in Anaheim and there is going to be a "Day of Hero's" at the Universal Amphitheatre open to only law enforcement, fire department personnel, professional security and their families.

Also, there are many classes listed on the website to add to your resume.



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The San Fernando Valley Chapter 130 Proudly Presents A Seminar On:

NRF, NIMS, SEMS & ICS

What Are They? & How Do They Apply To Me?

NRF – National Response Framework
NIMS – National Incident Management System
SEMS – Standardized Emergency Management System
ICS – Incident Command System

Date: Thursday, October 15th, 2009
Time: 08:00 Hours to 12:00 Hours +
Place: 120 E. Colorado St., Glendale, CA 91205
(Elk's Lodge)

Who should attend?

Anyone who may become involved in Emergencies or Disaster Situations as part of your employment or personal preparedness should attend this fast paced educational seminar.

What will you walk away with?

A CD full of all the information you will need to take and successfully pass the FEMA/Emergency Management Institute IS-100 and IS-700 exams.
(good information and nice credentials to add to your lists of expertise)

Registration Form is **NOW** Available on the Chapter Website

Costs per Person (with lunch included after the Seminar)

(Prior to Sept. 25, 2009) – Registration is \$75.00 per person

(After Sept. 25, 2009) – Registration is \$95.00 per person

(At the Door, Lunch Included **IF** Available) - \$120.00 per person

All proceeds go to ASIS Chapter 130.
The course is being presented as a courtesy of Borden/Lee Consulting.

News & Education ... from ASIS International

Tip of the Month

*Courtesy of
the Dept of
Homeland
Security*

"You should keep enough supplies in your home to meet the needs of you and your family for at least three days. Build an emergency supply kit to take with you in an evacuation. The basics to stock in your portable kit include: water, food, battery-powered radio and flashlight with extra batteries, first aid supplies, change of clothing, blanket or sleeping bag, wrench or pliers, whistle, dust mask, plastic sheeting and duct tape, trash bags, map, a manual can opener for canned food and special items for infants, elderly, the sick or people with disabilities. Keep these items in an easy to carry container such as a covered trash container, a large backpack or a duffel bag."

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55th Seminar and Exhibits | September 21-24, 2009 | Anaheim, CA

Please mark your calendar. The largest security exhibit in the world will be at our back door this September. **(THIS Month)** Make your reservations now....

<http://www.asisonline.org/education/programs/anaheim/default.htm>

The ASIS International 55th Annual Seminar and Exhibits, September 21-24 in Anaheim, is one month away and the Chapters of Region 03 have been asked to help promote this important event. While the economic situation has caused many organizations to cut back and look for smarter ways of doing more with less - at the same time there is a greater need for security on many levels. Even with reduced travel and professional development budgets, we believe that ASIS 2009 is a smart investment for every security professional's future.

ASIS International has offered the Chapters in Region 3 to provide discounts to non-members for the Exhibit Halls. This will be a great opportunity to invite a colleague, client or vendor to share the experience of the largest display of security hardware and systems in the world for 2009. This year, non-member registration for Exhibits-only is \$75 after August 14.

Finally, another way to invite colleagues, clients, vendors and friends, is to add them to our chapter email mailing list. We would be happy to share our "award winning newsletter" with others. If you have someone you wish to add, please send a brief email with their information to Info@asis130.org.

CPP, PCI & PSP Certification Review in Anaheim

ASIS will host the final certification classroom review programs of 2009 in conjunction with ASIS 2009 in Anaheim, CA – September 18-19. For those in the chapter that are preparing for certification, or considering board certification – these 1 ½-day sessions are an excellent opportunity for learning and networking. Sign up NOW!

DATES:

Friday, September 18, 2009

Saturday, September 19, 2009

[See the Brochure!!!](#)

[CPP Classroom Review \(English\)](#)

[CPP Classroom Review \(Spanish\)](#)

[PCI Classroom Review](#)

[PSP Classroom Review](#)

Fees:

ASIS Member: \$700

Nonmember: \$900

The link for general certification information is: www.asisonline.org/certification

Up coming Speakers & Events...

Oct. meeting
Oct. 15th, 2009

Speaker:
**Robert Lee,
CPP
Borden/Lee
Consulting**

Topic:
**Chapter
Seminar for
NIMS
Training**

Up Coming ASIS Training:

Topic:
Social
Networking Sites:
Can You Always
Trust What You
See?

When:
Oct. 21st, 2009

Where:
Webinar,
only \$99

[More Info \(link\)](#)

**Get your seat
now!**

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September meeting: Our Topic.... Covert Cameras in the Workplace, Applications and the Law!

Covert cameras are always an issue when they are brought to the table in the work place. Privacy, employee relations, union rules and general morale are all a concern.

Keeping the cameras secret, obtaining usable information and presenting the findings are just as important.

Frank Faulk, CPP, PI, has been installing covert cameras for over thirty years and will share many of the need to know issues with the Chapter.

Please join our speaker with your questions at the end of the presentation.

Speaker Topics?

Each month, Tilford "Tee" Flowers, our Program Chairman, works diligently searching for speakers. He has done a great job since he has taken the chair position.

He is always looking for speakers that may be of interest to the membership as a whole, but there is always those that may have other interests. Please let him know what topics are of interest to you! AND... If you know of a speaker, that you may have heard recently at another venue, please pass on the information.

Please drop him an email at: tflowers@starbucks.com or call (909) 623-8071.

June meeting: See what you missed!!!



June 9, 2009 - Pat Salter, CPP presents our speaker, Charles Faulk a Certificate of Appreciation for his presentation on cellular technologies, practices and vulnerabilities. A lot of insight was shared on the subpoena process for information.

Famous Quotes

We are always looking for speakers with "hot" topics.

Please make your recommendations to Pat Salter at pat.salter@securitasinc.com

Or call him at (818) 782-6184

"Bigness comes from doing many small things well. Individually, they are not very dramatic transactions. Together though, they add up."

Author, Edward S. Finkelstein

"You have to think anyway, so why not think big?"

Donald Trump

Committee positions ... are available, and a new year is coming!

The chapter has a host of committees that are always in need of members. Jump on board in a committee that you believe you can make a difference.

"The reward of membership is discovered by involvement!"

The more involved you become in the Chapter, the more the Chapter and ASIS become significant in your professional security life. The Chapter is staffed and managed by its volunteer members. All of the committees have room for one or two more, so the choice is yours.

- What would you like to do to get involved?
- Are there any changes you believe would make the Chapter a better resource?
- Do you like to write articles?
- Are you a person who knows a lot of different speakers?

There are many choices... come join a committee!

Menu selection for next meeting...

Please choose from one of the entrée selections below when you make your reservation. If your diet does not include entrée's from the selection, please let us know and we can make accommodations. When you send in your RSVP, please indicate BEEF, CHICKEN or FISH for yourself and your guest(s).

CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER (BEEF)

Chopped beef steak, breaded and fried. Dinner includes a choice of potato or rice pilaf, fresh sautéed vegetables, soup and salad bar.

CILANTRO CHICKEN

Tender breast of chicken, marinated and sautéed in cilantro butter sauce and served with rice, refried beans, Pico de gallo, fresh guacamole and tortillas.

FRESH SALMON AL PESTO DINNER (FISH)

Fresh Salmon filet topped with garlic-pesto sauce, serves on a rice pilaf with garden vegetables. Also comes with soup and a salad bar.

Upcoming Chapter Events!!!

A NIMS Training Day has been scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 15th, from 0800 to 1200 and then lunch.

Make your reservation NOW!

Please check out the events section of the website for up to date listings and registration information!!!

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CALL For Speakers

Our Speakers offer their time and expertise because they have been asked.

If you have recently heard a Speaker at another venue that you believe would be of a benefit to our members, please ask them if they would like to address our group.

If they offer their expertise, please forward the information to Tilford Flowers, our Program chairman.

We are always looking for Speakers with topic related to our industry.

Thank you...

Send to:
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or
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Welcome Aboard...

As professionals, we cherish new members because they bring new information and new ideas with them as they begin networking with each of us.

Please welcome our newest chapter members.

- Joseph LaRocca, Senior Advisor, National Retail Federation
- Daniel Pennella-Bayo, Security Officer, LA County Performing Arts Center
- James Stack, Consultant
- Sam Lax, Founder & Operating Mgr, LIFE Support Technologies
- Alan Polivka, Owner, UCO

Welcome aboard!

ASIS INFORMATION RESOURCES CENTER (IRC) (ASIS LIBRARY)

When you have a security question, where do you find the answer? Usually, your first choice is your Protection of Assets Manual. Next, you look at your bookshelf. What if you need the most up-to-date information? As an ASIS member, you can look online.

The ASIS Information Resources Center (IRC) provides ASIS members with security information and resources available in print, video, audio, cd-rom and online. The Reference Desk offers assistance by phone or email, and in-person to visitors. [Take a look at what is available..... \(login required\)](#)

Why get Certified?... CPP, PSP or PCI

The simple answer is that to remain as competitive as possible today, you must be certified. The bar has been raised in the security profession and employers, contractors, governments, and even clients are now taking additional steps to ensure that they are hiring or working with the most skilled and knowledgeable individuals in the business. Professional certifications from ASIS International offer them another screening tool -- one that has the backing and credibility of the preeminent professional society in the world for those who are responsible for security.

Every profession requires specialized skills. Not every employer knows that you have those skills. In short, certification is an investment in your career, your livelihood, your future. For details, contact Stephen Huss, CPP, your Certification Chairman.

Look at the employment section of the website...

www.asis130.org/employment.htm

If you know of an open position, please pass it on to Wayne!!!

CALL For Papers

If you have some information that you would like to share with the chapter, please send your article, notes or just an email with your idea to the newsletter editor.

We are always looking for information related to our industry.

Thank you...

Send to:
Info@asis130.org

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Man trapped in air conditioning duct at Tenn. museum told police he was on secret bomb mission

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) -- It wasn't the preferred way to enter the Knoxville Museum of Art, but Richard Anthony Smith told police he was on a mission. The 25-year-old Knoxville man called 911 from his cell phone before dawn Wednesday saying he was trapped in an air conditioning duct leading from the museum roof, Knoxville police spokesman Darrell DeBusk said.

Police and firefighters reached the roof, found a rope and cable and followed them to a vent shaft. Peering inside, they spotted Smith about 45 feet down.

"Mission failed," he told them.

Hoisted up and read his rights, Smith told police he was a "special agent from the United States Illuminati, badge number 0931" and had rappelled onto the museum from a helicopter, a police report said.

He said he was following orders to "defuse and confiscate" a Soviet-made nuclear warhead, specifically a "MERV6SS-22AN" warhead, according to the report. The bomb supposedly was hidden in a blue, plastic cow sculpture in the museum basement, he said.

However, Smith told officers his "agency" called while he was in air-vent limbo to say it made a mistake and the bomb might be in a Memphis museum instead.

Police charged Smith with aggravated robbery. He was being held on \$2,000 bond at the Knox County Jail. Authorities said he did not have a lawyer.

"Fortunately he was able to reach his cell phone," DeBusk said, "or he may not have been found for quite some time."

"Learn to laugh at your troubles and you will never run out of things to laugh at."

Real Estate Agent, Lyn Karol

Placement...

Our group represents a diverse collection of talents spanning a wide range of experience, skills and certifications. Sometimes it can be quite challenging for our members to find a career position that utilizes all of their talents. As the group's Placement officer, I can be of tremendous assistance matching positions to your career goals.

Our most recent job posting seems to be an exciting opportunity for the right person. If you are looking, checkout the website on a regular basis, it is updated as things change.

Please contact me with your questions or special needs. All communications are kept in the strictest confidence and privacy.

Please call your Placement Chairman – Wayne Horton, CPP at (626) 844-6960 or e-mail at whorton@nortonsimon.org

Think About Next Year!

Every year the Chapter needs to have a nucleus of volunteers to fill the various positions, both on the Board and the Committees.

A new group of leaders will need to step up to the plate this fall when nominations are requested.

The present volunteers will step aside and automatically be added to the long list on the "Executive Board"

The Board, all of which have held various positions over the years, continues to offer guidance, if and when requested, year after year.

If you believe you have a little time to offer to the Chapter and wish to add your influence to how this Chapter serves the membership, take a look at your plate and see if you can step up!

NEWS ARTICLES FROM ASIS THAT NEED TO BE SEEN!

["Workplace Bullying No Laughing Matter" Workplace Bullying Institute Finds Growing Number of Employees Being Bullied](#)
The ChronicleHerald.CA- Business

[Avoiding Workplace Tragedy](#)
Associated Press (08/27/09) Arbel, Tali

[Online Social Networks Leak Personal Information to Third-Party Tracking Sites](#)
Worcester Polytechnic Institute (08/24/09) Dorsey, Michael

Call for a donation...

As we are growing, the Chapter is in need of a projector screen for our meetings. Most of our speakers bring their own projectors and everything else required for their presentation. We have been using the wall. Now, as our attendance is growing, we will need to change the seating and the wall will no longer be an option.

If you have a screen that can be donated, please contact Pat Salter, CPP. Any monetary donation for a screen, can be given to Bill Nelson, *Chapter Treasurer*.

Be a part of the ASIS Member-Get-A-Member Program

This Member-Get-A-Member campaign is really about you. We know that if you are satisfied with your membership in ASIS International, you will encourage other security professionals to join. (After all, it is one of the best professional decisions they can make for their careers.) And we want to reward you for doing that!

The 2009 Reach Out! campaign runs from **January 1, 2009 through November 30, 2009**. Awards will be announced in January 2010.

If you have another security professional decide to apply for membership, they'll need to put **your name and employer (company) or phone number on the membership application line:** Person who introduced you to ASIS. If they join, you get the credit. And we keep track of your recruitment activity for you. It's that simple. ([*For more info, follow this link*](#))

In our ongoing effort to provide a good meal selection, good parking, some degree of privacy and a convenient location, we are meeting at:

Jim's Family Restaurant
8950 Laurel Canyon Blvd.
Sun Valley

...the corner of Sheldon & Laurel Canyon, just off I-5 at Sheldon...