



*Hays County Citizens Sheriff's Academy Alumni Association
Meeting Agenda*

Wednesday, July 20, 2022, 6:30 p.m. @ PSB

Coffee and treats will be provided

Call to Order	Cathy Gieselman
Introduction of Guest Speaker	Bruce Harlan
Guest Speaker	Sgt. Dara Bowlin Texas Office of the Attorney General Criminal Investigations Division Human Trafficking/Transnational Organized Crime (see attached bio)
Approve Minutes (June)	Ruth Diamond
Treasurer's Report (June)	Cathy Gieselman
Membership Report	Ruth Diamond
National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day (January 9, 2023) – Student Participation	Cathy Gieselman
Update on HCSO History Book	Cathy Gieselman
Update on Member Showcase	Cathy Gieselman
Change in Meeting Night/HCSO Liaison	Cathy Gieselman
Marketing & Fundraising Report	Jack Diamond
New Business Vote on Funding Amount for Fall Fundraiser	Board Members
Adjourn	Cathy Gieselman

PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK OUT THE CALENDAR INFORMATION ATTACHED

PLEASE REVIEW DATES FOR YOUR CALENDER

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

PLEASE NOTE DATE: SPECIAL August Alumni Meeting @ PSB **TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2022** (6:30 p.m.) – Jack Diamond, Marketing & Fundraising Chair will present. We will be having an Alumni social dinner to celebrate the LAUNCH of the Fall Fundraiser! **RSVPs are very important so we can be sure to have the appropriate room for attendees as well as enough food, please RSVP by August 5th.**

(Volunteer Opportunities – See sign-ups; any questions, please ask)

Greeter(s) for front lobby @ Hays County PSB (1 shift per day: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm Monday through Friday. If you didn't attend the Greeter Training but would like to be a greeter, please contact Ruth Diamond to schedule greeter training. Greeter sign-ups are posted monthly.

Upcoming/pending sign-ups (more information forthcoming):

SWAT Training Scenario (“Stop the Dying”)

Tuesday, August 9, 2022 – two shifts available: 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm & 6:00 pm – 12:00 am

Wednesday, August 10, 2022 - two shifts available: 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm & 6:00 pm – 12:00 am

Training will take place @ the Starplex Theater (1250 Wonder World Dr. SM) – if interested in helping with this greatly beneficial training; please sign up through the sign-up genius link that was sent to all members. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Others to just have on your radar to ‘think about’ what Alumni may want to plan for – these events are a ways out; but some are on the calendar every year) Sign-ups will be sent out once details are received:

Citizens Academy (Advanced) – **Wednesday, August 17, 2022** (attendees must have completed the Basic Academy prior to attending the Advanced Academy) – plan for 6-8 weeks of class. **More details regarding registration and schedule will be provided once confirmed.**

National Night Out (**Tuesday, October 4, 2022**; not sure of specifics at this time)

December (determine when we would like to do) – Honor all staff @ HCSO (last year we provided 400 gift bags with donated items) – those interested in helping with this important and very well-received morale-boosting project, please contact me.

Important Date to remember: **National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day (Monday, January 9, 2023)**; Teri Holtzclaw has volunteered to help with this project to ensure our LEOs are honored/remembered. **Please get with Teri if you would like to assist with this important endeavor.**

February 6-8, 2023 Hays County Crimestoppers Annual Campus Crimestoppers Conference. For additional information about Hays County Crimestoppers, please see their website: <http://www.callcrimestoppers.com/> and/or speak with Steve Meyer or Jeffrey Jordan.

July 9-12, 2023 Texas Citizen Police Academy Alumni (TCPAAA) and Law Enforcement Annual Training Conference (TCOLE credit available for LEOs) Hosted by Bryan/College Station/Brazos County. Please see website for further information: <http://texascpaaa.net>

Please provide any comments/suggestions you would like to share or feel free to e-mail Cathy @ president@hccsaaa.org or call @ (512) 944-5569 Thank you for your support!

Our HCCSAAA Website: <http://www.hccsaaa.org>

Guest Speaker Bio:

Sergeant Dara Bowlin, is an investigator assigned to the Texas Office of Attorney General, Criminal Investigations Division, Human Trafficking Unit and has been a certified Texas Peace Officer for over 17 years. She has a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Southwest Texas State University, as well as Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Texas State University and is a Master Peace Officer. Sgt. Bowlin has worked in Human Trafficking and Child Exploitation for over 10 years. In this assignment, she is responsible for the investigation of crimes involving the trafficking of adults and children, forced labor, and forced commercial sex. Sgt. Bowlin has been a member of the South Texas Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force for over 10 years and has specialized training in the area of digital child executions of search warrants.