ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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Message from the President

Ken Schintzius

Greetings retirees. I hope that each and everyone is having a wonderful summer.

Our treasurer, retired Sergeant Walter Ray, will step down from his position in July, I/we would like to thank both he and his wife Sandy for their dedicated service to our group. Both will stay on as advisory board members. I/we at this time would like to welcome Mr. Todd Fischer, as our new treasurer. Please see his bio under our "What Are They Doing Now?" column.

Remember, this is your Alumni Association, if you have any ideas or suggestions as to how we can improve it please let us know. We had 130 retirees and their spouses at the January meeting and 120 at our April 2011 meeting. This is directly attributed to members spreading the word about our meetings. Please continue to do this as it has been very beneficial. I hope to see you at our July 28, 2011 quarterly dinner meeting, and remember we are a family, let's stay in touch.

Message from Major Hartley

We can all breathe a little easier now that the Legislature is out of session. Sheriff Gee and I would like to thank everyone that lobbied the Senators and Representatives for bills that affect us and law enforcement in general. Those phone calls, letters, and emails helped sway many of the legislators and helped stop some very bad laws from being passed.

As you are well aware the only two things most politicians' think of are reelection and the election after that. So the way to influence them is to let them know that if they vote a certain way they will anger enough people that they might not get re-elected. That was done this year by your hard work with the calls and emails.

Thank you to your president Ken Schintzius who kept everyone in the loop with his frequent emails about important legislation during this session. Looking back at what was defeated and what passed I would say we were about 65% successful. There were some bad things that got through but it could have been a lot worse. Again I can't say thank you enough and we still must be vigilant because another session of the Keystone Cops will be coming up next year and I'm sure they will try to make another run at our retirees and law enforcement.

On a lighter note I hope to see everyone at the next dinner and hopeful I can get some of the Old Timers "like me " on the staff to go.

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Board Members

President
Ken Schintzius

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Bob Beckner

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Barbara Perott

Treasurer
Todd Fischer

Sheriff's Liaison
Major Ron Hartley

Quarterly Meeting

The next Alumni Association Quarterly meeting will be held on July 28, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at J.J. Taylor Distributing Company, 5102 S. 16th Avenue, Tampa, FL 33619 (see map). A buffet style **dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m.** Please come join in the fun.

Upcoming Meetings

The HCSO Alumni Association Quarterly Meetings will be held as follows:

October 27, 2011

January 26, 2012

For more information on the HCSOAA, please visit the Sheriff's Office website at www.hcso.tampa.fl.us

Dinner Menu

Dinner featuring Marinated Boneless Chicken Breast Saute, Rice Pilaf, Glazed Carrots, Salad w/Creamy Citrus Dressing, Vegetable Tray w/Peppercorn Dip, Cold Cuts & Sliced Cheese Tray, Assorted Breads and Orange Cake.

Directions:

FROM NORTH, EAST, WEST

Interstate 4 or 275 to the 50th Street exit. Take 50th Street (US 41) south to 16th Ave South and turn left. JJ Taylor Distributing is one block down on left. Landmark is King Automotive; it's across the street from 16th Ave. NOTE: If you get to Causeway Blvd, you've gone too far.

FROM SOUTH HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

North on 50th Street (US 41). Turn right on 16th Avenue South. JJ Taylor is one block down on the left. NOTE: If you come to Palm River Road you've gone too far.

What Are They Doing Now?

Todd Fischer, Treasurer

Todd Fischer, a licensed Chief Facilities Engineer is a former HCSO Facilities Engineer from 1988-1998 at the old Morgan St. Jail, then the Clark St. jail(, the Old Stockade) and then moved on to the Ultra-Modern Orient Road jail before taking vested retirement after 10 years of service.

Todd is now a Licensed Florida Real Estate Broker and Instructor, a Residential and Commercial Appraiser Instructor, and Professional Auctioneer. He runs a company called "Atcher Service" in his home-office in Brandon. So when Todd answers the phone at 813-654-8283, ` It's "Todd Fischer, Atcher Service"!!

It maybe a small company, but he gives discreet professional service to buyers and sellers of houses, land, farm and ranch, condos, and vacation properties across the state. He also offers buyers, sellers, and investors discreet Professional Advice and Consulting to those who are interested in short-sales, foreclosures, and can provide property management of those properties, so you don't have do any of the work, and you get all the benefits and profits, while Todd takes care of all the problems and work for you for a small fee.

Todd and his wife Diana have lived in Brandon for over 20 years and have no children. Todd's wife, Diana is the Facilities Supervisor at Bausch & Lomb Pharmaceutical Plant in Tampa, and she is a graduate of St. Leo's University with an MBA degree.

Todd is a member of the Brandon Masonic Lodge #114 F&AM, The Tampa Scottish Rite, and Egypt Temple.

I am going to be your new Association Treasurer and hopes to serve all of you to the best of my ability. Feel free to give me a call at 813-654-8283 for any of your needs.

If you would like to submit an article, you can email it to tpreza@hcso.tampa.fl.us or send it by U.S. Mail to Tanya Preza, 1201 N. Orient Road, Tampa, FL 33619

Letter from the Editor

If you would like to receive the quarterly newsletter via email instead of U.S. Mail please email your name and email address to Tanya Preza at tpreza@hcso.tampa.fl.us

ATTENTION NEW MEMBERS

Since the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Alumni Association does not collect dues, we are accepting a voluntary, one-time donation of $10. Anyone who is interested in making the on-time donation can do so at the quarterly meeting or mail a check to HCSOAA, P.O. Box 6843, Brandon, FL 33609-6015.

Donations

We are still in need of sponsors to support the quarterly meetings. If you or someone you know would like to sponsor a meeting by donating $300, please contact Ken Schintzius.

UPCOMING EVENTS

2011 Bowl-a-Thon

August 20, 2011

1:00—4:00 p.m. 2010

Pin Chasers at Veterans

5555 W. Hillsborough Ave, Tampa

2011 Ranch Run

September 17, 2011

Temple Terrace Elementary School

124 Flotto Avenue, Tampa 33617

Sheriff Gee's Sporting Clays Shootout

October 14, 2011

Fish Hawk Sporting Clays

13505 Hobson Simmons Road,

In Memory Of...

Retirees

Tony Aguilar, Detention Deputy

Mark Darst, Master Deputy, Law Enforcement

Current employees

Vernon Clark, Photo Lab Technician

Richard Moore, Central Breath Technician

Shirts, Decals, Etc

HCSO Alumni Association merchandise will be available for purchase at the meetings. To purchase items, contact Ken Schintzius.

If you are ordering merchandise through the mail, make checks payable to HCSOAA and send to the address listed on page one of this newsletter. For stickers and decals, add $.50 to your check for additional postage and $5.00 for shirts, caps, and jackets.

Items	*Cost*
Window Stickers	*$2.00*
T-Shirts (up to XL0	*$10.00*
T-Shirts (up to XXL)	*$11.00*
T-Shirts (up to XXXL)	*$12.00*
*Polo Shirts ***	*$27.00*
*Jackets ***	*$30.00*
Baseball Style Cap	*$12.00*

***by special order only*

Baseball Style Cap

Window Sticker

WELCOME TO THE CLUB

Marshelle Alexander
Lorraine Alfonso
Carol Beck
James Burnham
James Campbell
Andrea Ceraulo
Phillip Cotham
Yolanda Corrales
Laura Coulon
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Social Events Committee

Bob Beckner
Evelyn Yates

Special Thanks

The dinner for our July 28th meeting is being sponsored by retires, Bill Davis, Paul Davis, and Albert Perotti. All had great careers with the H.C.S.O. and have been very good friends of the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Alumni Association. We thank them for their kind and generous donation.