



FBINAA Chapter Chat

Chapter Chat is a monthly communication bringing you all updates submitted by members and chapters!

Please submit each month what's happening among your fellow Chapter and Session mates such as Chapter News, Retrainers, Promotions, Retirements, Awards, and Passings.

June 2024

By Our FBINAA Members

Africa/Middle East Chapter News

FBINAA Retrainer 2024

Cape Town, South Africa

Africa/Middle East Chapter

September 9-12, 2024

Retrainer Registration

fbinaa.formstack.com/forms/ame_2024

Registration Fee

NAA Member: U.S. \$ 100.00
Non-Member: U.S. \$ 150.00
Guest: U.S. \$ 50.00

Credit Card Registration Only

All fees are due upon registration



Registration Closes
July 11, 2024

For more information,
contact:

Nemraj Dayal
AME CHAPTER PRESIDENT
nemdayal@gmail.com
WhatsApp +230 5788 0367

AME Chapter FBINAA Retrainer 2024

The AME Chapter is excited for our annual retrainer this year in Cape Town, South Africa from September 9th-12th, 2024.

****New this year**** Registration will be open to all National Academy graduates and guests (domestic and international). For more information on this retrainer, [click here](#). The registration link is now open and available for all interested participants.

[Register Now!](#)

Promotions

Congratulations to **Dara Faruk Othman, NA Session 278**, on his promotion to Director of Combating Organized Crimes at the Ministry of Interior in Kurdistan which is a region of Iraq!

Passings



Isa Dogonyaro, NA Session 263

Isa Dogonyaro, NA Session 263, passed away on May 10th, 2024. He was 46 years old and a 16-year veteran of Nigeria's Economic and Financial Crimes Commission, from which he retired in 2017. He later became active in politics and served in the House of Representatives at the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria from 2023 until his passing.

California Chapter News



California Chapter President Randy Goddard, NA Session 267

California Chapter President **Randy Goddard, NA Session 267**, was a panel member sharing his insights on Revitalizing CompStat for Modern Policing at the IACP Technology Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Promotions



Michael Wells, NA Session 287

Congratulations to **Michael Wells, NA Session 287**, who is Citrus Heights PD newest Police Commander and will be overseeing the Operations Division. Michael started his career with the Oakland Police Department before transferring to Citrus Heights PD where he has risen through the ranks and participated in a number of sought after assignments. He was the founding member of the Department's SWAT Team and the Special Investigations Unit, and he is currently the handler for the Agency's K-9 therapy dog.

Conneticut Chapter News

Promotions



Daniel Loughman, NA Session 287

The CT Chapter congratulates and wishes the best to the following members who were recently promoted.

On April 15th, 2024, **Daniel Loughman, NA Session 287**, was promoted to the Colonel of the Connecticut State Police. Colonel Loughman has served with the Connecticut State Police for 18 years and has been the interim Commander Officer since November of 2023.

Marc Petruzzi, NA Session 282, was named as the Chief of Police in the Town of Vernon, CT. Chief Petruzzi had previously served as a Captain with the CT State

Passings



Edmund Mosca, Sr., NA Session 99

The CT Chapter is sad to report the passing of Retired Chief of the Old Saybrook Edmund Mosca, Sr., NA Session 99. Chief Mosca served with the Old Saybrook Police Department from 1960 until his retirement in 2009.

Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter News





Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter Annual Retrainer

The Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter's annual retrainer held in State College, PA was another success. Held from May 19th to the 21st, attendees enjoyed golf, a banquet dinner emceed by our friend Paul Butler, and top-notch presentations by retired Dallas PD Lieutenant David Graham, Benghazi hero Kris "Tanto" Paronto, well known leadership trainer Dean Crisp, and Lt. Col. George Bivens along with members of his staff. Thank you to everyone that came out and we hope to see you next year.

Chief **Ken Coalson**, NA Session 245, from Chester Township was presented with the president's award from chapter president John Potts. Ken was recognized for his commitment to the chapter, especially in the area of fundraising and event planning. Congratulations, Ken, and thank you for everything you do for our chapter.

Passings



John C. Stollsteimer Jr., NA Session 169

John Christopher Stollsteimer Jr., NA Session 169, passed away peacefully on Sunday, April 28th, 2024 at the age of 75 years. Born in Philadelphia, PA, to Anna (nee Rugel) Stollsteimer of Williamstown, NJ, and the late John C. Stollsteimer Sr., and has resided in Shamong, NJ since 2002. He is the Beloved Husband of Cheryl

Ruth (nee Balcer) Stollsteimer of Shamong, NJ, and the Loving Father of Holly MacDonald and her husband (Hugh) of Indian Mills, NJ, Heather Gardner and her husband (Brian) of Tabernacle, NJ, John C. Stollsteimer III and his wife (Stacy) of Erial, NJ, and the late Thomas Stollsteimer. John is survived by his 9 grandchildren, whom he loved and cherished. He is also survived by his sister Juliann Shockley and her husband (Mark) of Williamstown, NJ.

Florida Chapter News



16th Annual Pistol Shoot/HR 218

On May 3rd, 2024, the 16th Annual Pistol Shoot/HR 218 event was held at the Saint Lucie County Sheriff's Office Sergeant Gary Morales Memorial Range in Fort Pierce Florida.

Promotions



Sean McGovern, NA Session 282

Congratulations to **Sean McGovern, NA Session 282**, who retired from Boca Raton Police Department on March 29th, 2024 after 29 years! He started as the Police Chief for Tallahassee Community College on April 1st, 2024.

Hawaii Chapter News



Outdoor group photo of Retraîner attendees.

On April 10th to 12th, the Hawaii Chapter conducted its annual Retraîner on the island of Kauai. The Retraîner was hosted by Chapter president Elliott “Kalani” Ke and the Kauai Police Department.



On stage photo of the Executive Board being sworn in by FBI SAC.

At the retrainer, the 2024-2025 Executive Board was sworn in by Honolulu FBI SAC Steven Merrill. (L-R) 3rd VP Christian Jenkins, NA Session 285, President Wade Maeda, NA Session 272, 1st VP Thomas A. Shopay III, NA Session 257, 2nd VP Bradon Ogata, NA Session 269, and Secretary/Treasurer Robert Cravalho, NA Session 224.

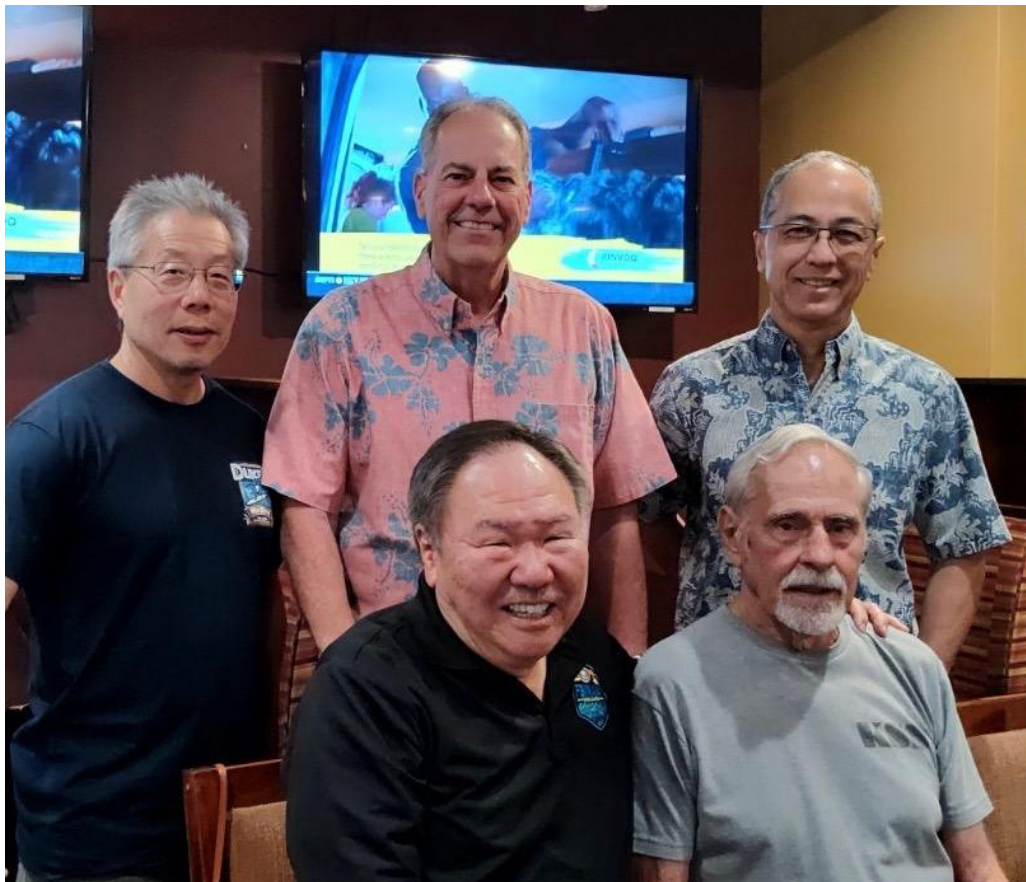


Photo of five former Chapter Presidents. Three standing, two seated.

After the annual Retraîner on the island of Kauai a dinner was enjoyed in Honolulu by five past NA Chapter Presidents: (L-R) top row: Ken Tanaka, NA Session 228, California Chapter, Robert Cravalho, NA Session 224, Hawaii Chapter, Kevin Lima, NA Session 197, Hawaii Chapter; bottom row: Wayne Ikeuchi, NA Session 182, California Chapter, Ed Ross, NA Session 79, Hawaii Chapter.

Promotions



Jeremie Evangelista, NA Session 271



Roylen Valera, NA Session 280

The Hawaii Chapter would like to announce two promotions with the Hawaii Police Department on the Island of Hawaii:

Jeremie Evangelista, NA Session 271, was promoted to Major of the Technical Services Division, May 16th, 2024. **Roylen Valera, NA Session 280**, was promoted to Captain of the South Kohala Patrol District, May 16th, 2024.

Illinois Chapter News

Promotions



Tim McCloud, NA Session 254

Tim McCloud, NA Session 254, was promoted to Chief of Police for the City of Rock Island, Illinois on May 20th, 2024.

Iowa Chapter News



Pictured Left: Jeffrey A. Hembera, NA Session 253, Iowa Chapter Executive Board 2016-2023; Pictured Right: Paul Sikorski, NA Session 274, Iowa Chapter Executive Board President

Our Chapter recognized the following members during our most recent Spring Retraimer held in Sioux City, Iowa, from April 24, 2024, through April 26, 2024.

Jeffrey A. Hembera, NA Session 253, for his involvement as an executive board member from 2016-2023. **John A. Godar, NA Session 255**, for his work as our chapter's Historian from 2022-2023. **Steve M. O'Konek, NA Session 205**, for being our Sponsorship Coordinator from 2022-2023.

Kansas/Western Missouri Chapter News



Time is getting closer to make sure you join your fellow classmates for the **2024 National Annual Training Conference in Kansas City, MO being held July 20th -23rd, 2024!** Registration is still open and we are putting the final touches on our plans to make this conference memorable! The Kansas/Western Missouri Chapter is proud to host this annual event and look forward to seeing fellow grads, classmates, enjoying great events, and excellent training while enjoying all Kansas City has to offer! [Register Now!](#)

Promotions



Dave Williams, NA Session 231

Congratulations to **Dave Williams, NA Session 231**, who was promoted to the rank of Captain as of June 1, 2024. He will be the Support Services Division Commander for the Jefferson City, MO Police Department. He began his career as a Narcotics Officer in March, 1993. He was assigned to the Patrol Division and promoted to Sergeant in 2000 followed by a promotion to Lieutenant in 2005. He has served in nearly all areas of the department including Operations Division, Community Services, and the Office of the Professional Standards Unit. Congrats to Captain Williams on his promotion!

Mississippi Chapter News

Passings

Lynn Edwards Boyte, NA Session 132, passed away on August 20th, 2023. Lynn proudly served with the MHP for 24 years as a patrolman, an assistant inspector and assistant director of the Implied Consent Bureau, a branch of the department of Public Safety. During this time, he also was appointed Senior Tactical Officer for multiple training classes for new recruits with the MHP. For 10 years, Lynn was a member of the MHP pistol team and was a member of the four-man team winning Nationals in 1977.

Following his retirement from MHP, he was elected sheriff of Lincoln County in 1988 and served the citizens of Lincoln County for four terms. Our thoughts and prayers go out to him and his family!

Nebraska Chapter News

Retirements



Brian Jackson, NA Session 233

Assistant Chief **Brian Jackson, NA Session 233**, retired May 3rd, 2024 from the Lincoln Police Department after a distinguished 37 total years of service (2 years with the Hastings, NE. Police Department and 35 years with the Lincoln, NE. Police Department) Chief Jackson worked a number of assignments that included Uniformed Patrol, Technical Investigations Unit, Crime Prevention Unit, Uniformed Patrol Sergeant, Training Sergeant, as Captain he was Duty Commander and Narcotics Task Force Commander before his final promotion to Assistant Chief in 2011. Congratulations Chief Brian Jackson on a very successful career serving the people of Lincoln, Nebraska and the surrounding area!

New York/Eastern Canada Chapter News



2nd Annual Greater Toronto Area Shoot





The NYPD Campbell/Teddy Roosevelt shoot was held on May 2nd at the NYPD's Rodman's Neck Firearms Training Facility. The "Top Shot" award went to Lt. **Sean Finnegan, NA Session 284**. The event's guest speaker, NYPD First Deputy Police Commissioner Tania Kinsella, was presented a plaque on behalf of the Chapter membership as a thank you for speaking and her support of law enforcement. The Teddy Roosevelt Inspirational Leadership Award went to James Rogers.

The 2nd Annual GTA Range Day was held at Gagnon Sports in Oshawa on May 17th. The sponsors for this event were Investigative Solutions Network, Movie Armaments Group, Molson Canadian, and Glock. The "Top Shot" awards for this event went to Supt. **Dave Rydzik, NA Session 269**, and **Mark Cousins, NA Session 231**.

Announcements

The annual Bart Hose Memorial Shoot and Beach Chili/BBQ will be held at the SCPD Firearms Training Facility and Westhampton Beach Village's Rogers Beach on September 13th.

The Chapter Conference will be held September 15th to 17th at the Saratoga Casino Hotel. This year's conference promises to provide two days of training as well as networking with vendors. Highlights of the training seminars include presentations on cardiac health for first responders, financial wellness focused on programs for law enforcement officers, reviews of major criminal cases presented by those who led the investigations, combating officer burnout and other interesting topics.

Oregon Chapter News

We are proud to announce Lane County Sheriff Lieutenant Richard Glessner, Keizer Police Department Lieutenant Trevor Wenning and Astoria Police Department Thomas Litwin will be representing the Oregon Chapter at NA Session 291 starting in July.

Announcements

Our annual Summer Social/Barbecue effectively known as the "Pig Out & Social", will be held Thursday, August 6th, 2024, at the Wilsonville Memorial Park (River

Shelter), 8100 SW Wilsonville Rd, Wilsonville, Or 97070. The event is scheduled from 5:00 pm to 8:30 p.m. and cost \$30 (no cost for retired members). This is a great social event, and the Hawaiian food is excellent!

Our Executive Board is working diligently in putting together our fall re-trainer. The conference will be September 10th-13th, 2024 at the Eagle Crest Resort, 1522 Cline Falls Rd, Redmond, OR 97756. Lt. Colonel David Grossman will be one of our featured presenters on Thursday, September 12th, 2024. The chapter will provide further details when they come available.

Promotions



Todd Engstrom, NA Session 287, and Tom Engstrom, NA Session 130

Last month, we announced that Silverton Chief **Todd Engstrom, NA Session 287**, was going to be sworn in on May 20th, 2024. We want to include that Chief Engstrom's father, **Tom Engstrom**, retired Lakeport Police Department Chief (California) and **NA Session 130** graduate was able to pin his son's badge on as Chief Engstrom accepted his new position! Retired Chief Engstrom was in full uniform for the ceremony. A proud dad moment for sure!

Rocky Mountain Chapter News

Retirements



Jimmy Martinez, NA Session 211

Congratulations to **Jimmy Martinez, NA Session 211!** Jimmy recently retired from the Denver Police Department after 42 years of service, but then took a position of Commander with the Sheridan, CO Police Department. Good luck in your new role!

Utah Chapter News

Promotions



James Bigelow, NA Session 287

James Bigelow graduated the **NA Session 287** as a member of the West Jordan Police Department. On April 29th, James was sworn in as the Chief of Police for Woods Cross City.

Virginia Chapter News

Promotions



Tricia Powers, NA Session 248

Lieutenant Colonel **Tricia Powers** is retiring from the Virginia State Police after more than 30-years of service. Tricia, **NA Session 248**, was very active with the Virginia Chapter and served in many roles with the chapter board to include serving as chapter President. We wish her all of the best and thank her for her decades of service to the community.

Wisconsin Chapter News

Retirements



Mark Ferguson, NA Session 193

Police Chief **Mark Ferguson, NA Session 193**, retired from the Glendale Police Department following nearly 40 years of service. Ferguson's last day on the job was May 31st, 2024. He served the department for nearly 39 1/2 years and became the police chief in 2018.

Want to share updates from your Chapter?
Submit chapter news on the [Chapter Chat Submission Form](#) by the 25th of every month to be in the next edition.

Please attach to the email high-resolution digital .png, .jpg or .tif photos to:
ChapterChat@fbinaa.org.

[View this Chapter Chat Edition and Past Editions on Our Website](#)



UNSUBSCRIBING from this email will **STOP ALL EMAILS** from the FBINAA
You can edit your Communication Preferences from your Profile on the FBINAA Website.

FBI National Academy Associates, Inc. | FBI Academy Building 8-102 | Quantico, VA 22135
US

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)



Try email marketing for free today!