

Partners on Patrol

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2003 Ballot Bios

President

Name:	Lou Baum
Class:	One
Birth Place:	Springfield, Missouri
Spouse:	Vicky
Children:	Katharine 17, Stacy 34, and Steve 36
Grand Kids:	Allison 4
Education:	BS in Marketing Kansas State University
Military Service:	2 Yrs US Army
Occupation:	Major Project Mgr for the City of Eules
Community Service:	Governor's Counsel for Children w/ special health concerns. Established a World Wide Foundation to transport children to Doctors via airplane.
Volunteer:	ECPAAA / ECFAAA
Hobbies:	Golf and Baseball



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Thank you to my CPAAA friends!

This past year has been extremely difficult, beginning with my Mom passing away in March, continuing through the worst health year of my entire life, and culminating with my back surgery. Your prayers, friendship, cards and support have given me strength throughout. Waking from surgery, one of the first things I saw was a beautiful huge plant – thank you! I am working as hard to keep it healthy as I am on my recovery. I'm following my doctor's orders exactly (which he is finding hard to believe) and hope to be back among you soon. It's impossible to find words and sentiments to adequately express my gratitude, so please accept a simple **Thank You** from the very bottom of my heart! *Linda Martin*

Happy Thanksgiving

We have 79
paid members
for 2002

Leah's Perspective



Hope everyone had a nice Halloween. I want to urge everyone to cast his or her vote for next year's officers. Remember, you can either mail in your ballot or bring it to the November 19th meeting and put it in the "Ballot Box".

Hope everyone that attended the meeting in October enjoyed the demonstration on the Crime Prevention Robot. The winning names of the robots will be announced at the meeting. I want to thank the Crime Prevention Robot Committee (Lou Baum, Leah Benoit, Chris Shanahan and Al Simmenroth) along with Sgt. Wayne Pavlik and our four Neighborhood Police Officers (Tony Burnett, James Gordon, Joe Hoerth and David Priest) for helping out with this contest/project.

We need to wrap up a few things before year's end. The first is to decide on the business/citizen brick to honor a business/citizen for their support of the ECPAAA. The second is to decide what you want to eat at the December meeting – Pizza or Sandwiches or Both. We also need to get around 12 volunteers for the Parade of Lights on December 7th. And last, we will be discussing the 2003 Budget. Please look over the proposed budget, enclosed

with this newsletter, carefully since we will be discussing and/or voting on the budget for next year at the meeting.

Here's the breakdown of the Alumni's volunteer hours for the month of October:

Crime Victims Assistance Program – 45 Minutes

CID Clerical – 6 Hours 30 Minutes

Citizens On Patrol – 90 Hours 30 Minutes

Number of Handicap Warnings Issued – 2

Number of Handicap Citations Issued – 0

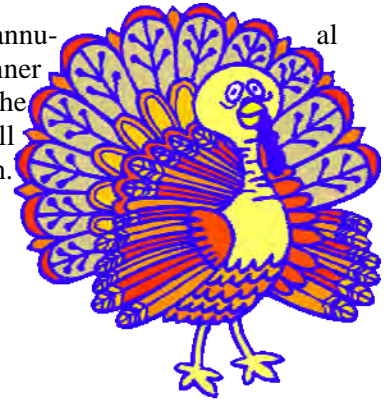
Number of Junk Vehicles Written – 0

Vehicle Maintenance – 43 Hours 30 Minutes

Miscellaneous – 27 Hours 45 Minutes

Total – 169 Hours

Don't forget, the second annual Police Appreciation Dinner will be held the night of the meeting and the food will be ready around 7:00 p.m. See you there.



Sgt. Pavlik



The sixteenth "Citizens Police Academy Class" will finish their last meeting on November 14 and will then graduate at the annual graduation banquet, at the Texas

Star Golf Course, on Thursday, November 21, 2002. This ceremony will be held at 7:00pm in the Large Conference Room and "Greens Barbecue" will be catered in for the main course. If you are interested in assisting with the banquet, please contact me at (817) 685-1563.

Along with the graduation banquet, we are also in the process of planning the second annual ECPAAA Appreciation Dinner to be held at the Euless Police Department. This special event is scheduled for Tuesday, November 19, 2002 at 7:00pm in the main police kitchen. I have sent invitations to each of you and you should be receiving it in the next few days. I encourage all of you to please come to this dinner, to give us an opportunity to express our gratitude and appreciation for all of your contributions during the year. I have made arrangements for the traffic officers' to prepare the meal and this should be an enjoyable as

well as a memorable event. Following the dinner, we will have the scheduled monthly alumni meeting.

During the last few months and generally throughout the year, we have received a great deal of volunteer work from various members of the ECPAAA. These activities have range from daily car maintenance to filing paperwork in records, property and CID. If you are interested in participating in one of these projects, please contact me. Your assistance in these areas is greatly appreciated.

Once again, I would like to thank each and everyone of you for being a member of the ECPAAA and supporting your police department. See you on November 19..

Happy Birthday!!

Boyce Byers
Dale Derstine
Helio Rosental
David Shanahan
Ruth Zavala



*Eulesa Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association
Minutes of the Tuesday, October 15, 2002 Meeting*

GUEST SPEAKER: None

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT: President, Leah Benoit, Vice President, Chris Shanahan, Treasurer, Sara Munday, Secretary, Susan Vest, Jim Adair, Lou Baum, Jackie Benner, David Bolger, Bob Bouse, Karen Duncan, John Erickson, Sharon Finnegan, Erelene Hill, Pat Lane, Sherrod Munday, David Shanahan, Al Simmenroth, Barney Snitz, Faye Stinneford, Tim Stinneford, Paulette Tinker, Helen Wagner, Richard Zavala, Ruth Zavala and our guest, Cpl. Joe Hoerth



MINUTES: A motion was made by Tim Stinneford to accept the September 2002 Minutes as stated in the newsletter. Second by Betty Overstreet. Passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made by Faye Stinneford to accept the September 2002 Treasurer's Report as stated in the newsletter. Second by Tim Stinneford. Passed. Sara Munday announced that the August financials were included in the September financials due to checking account interest monies that were not available until mid September. She also mentioned that the Executive Board voted to pay for letterhead/envelopes with Inventory and Office Supplies line item budgets. Faye Stinneford made a motion to allow the Treasurer to pay \$318 for letterhead and envelopes from Inventory & Office Supplies, budgeted line items. Second by Tim Stinneford. Passed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Filling in for Sgt. Pavlik, Cpl. Joe Hoerth brought in the new Crime Prevention Robot purchased by the Association. He demonstrated how the robot would be used in the community. He said that there are already several requests for the robot. The robot will be at the Halloween Thing and in the Parade of Lights. Cpl. Hoerth also mentioned that Trading Cards for the robot will be a valuable tool. First graders are being asked to name the robots; the winners will receive a Pizza Party. Ruth Zavala asked if the robot would be available for other functions. Cpl. Hoerth said the robot would be used at all City events and anyone wanting to schedule the robot for other events should contact Sgt. Pavlik at 817/685-1536.

Cpl. Hoerth mentioned that the crime map was on the wall for anyone interested.

Cpl. Hoerth announced that the CPA Appreciation Dinner would be held at the next meeting on November 19 at 6:30 pm. The officers will be cooking this year.

Fund Raising Report:

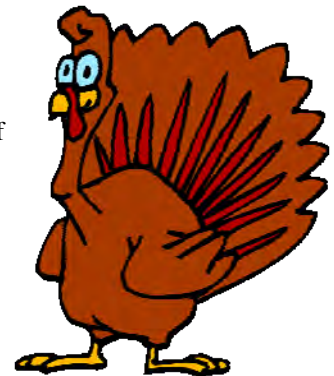
1. Leah Benoit thanked Lou Baum, David Bolger, Pat Hinde, Rose Marie Stevens and herself for working the "CRUD" event, in which the City gave us \$200 for helping.

Membership Report:

1. Chris Shanahan reported we now have 79 members.

Newsletter Report:

1. Chris Shanahan did not have anything to report.



EXECUTIVE UPDATES:

1. Leah Benoit read a "Thank You" letter from Judge Lacy Britten. Al Simmenroth, Chris Shanahan and Lou Baum volunteered to help Judge Britten with the Borders and Boundaries Educational Meeting. Leah also mentioned that she had sent a letter to the Mayor letting her know what the Association had done this year. Mayor Saleh sent the Association a "Thank You" letter. Volunteer hours through September 30 totalled 2,062 hours.
2. Leah Benoit mentioned we have three more events this year – November 19 – CPA Appreciation Dinner at 6:30 pm; December 7 – Parade of Lights (12 volunteers needed); and December 17 – Gift Wrapping Party at 6:30 pm. (A vote will be taken in November to decide on pizza, sandwiches or both.)

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3. Audit Committee: Ruth Zavala, Jackie Benner and Jim Adair volunteered to complete the annual audit by January 31.
4. Leah Benoit asked that when the Budget Committee meets Lou Baum and her be in attendance.
5. Merchandise Coordinators: Faye Stinneford and Mary Kruger have volunteered to display and sell the Association merchandise at the monthly meetings.
6. Brick Orders: Another order will be sent in around December 23. Anyone still wanting to get a brick needs to have their order in by December 20. The annual 12 X 12 brick for business/individual needs to be presented in December. The City of Euless or NYPD are names being suggested for the brick. Leah will take a vote in November.
7. Trading Cards for the Crime Prevention Robots: After discussing, Chris Shanahan will check on pricing at Office Depot or Office Max. The cards will not be ordered until the robots have been named. Tim Stinneford made a motion to spend \$450 on robot trading cards. Second by David Shanahan. Passed.
8. Leah Benoit wants to give a Volunteer of the Year Award. The award would be given in January 2003.
9. Barney Snitz announced the 2003 Slate of Officers. The ballot, as presented by the committee, will be mailed out in the November Newsletter. The ballots may be mailed by December 3 or placed in the ballot box at the November meeting.
10. Al Simmenroth mentioned that Linda Martin had surgery today. He also mentioned that he needed to get a list of everyone that did not receive their COP t-shirt and/or jacket. Al stated that Don Martin, Chris Shanahan and him worked with new COP members to help them get comfortable in riding out. Al said more volunteers were needed at anytime. Contact Sgt. Pavlik, Don Martin or Al Simmenroth. Anyone needing the gas pump number needs to contact Don Martin.
11. Sara Munday reminded everyone that the Association Dues are tax deductible except for the t-shirt portion.

COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR:

Anyone wanting to donate to the Food Bank may bring canned food to the Police Department through October 18.

Pat Lane mentioned that Crime Victims Assistance was able to help the Flobeck family when one of their sons was killed in Austin. He thanked Kathy Haecker for all of her hard work.

A motion was made by Pat Lane to adjourn the meeting at 8:05 p.m. Second by Tim Stinneford. Passed.



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Vice President

Name: Pat Lane
 Class: Ten
 Birth Place: Lakeland, Florida
 Spouse: Florane
 Children: Landon 10 and Magon 7
 Education: Associate in Claims Designation
 Occupation: State Farm Insurance Sr. Claims Rep
 Community Service: ECPAAA, Health and Hammers, Tarrant County Area Food Bank, Christmasing for Caring (KRLD) Denton
 Volunteer: Volunteer Fire Fighter Colleyville in the 1980s
 Hobbies: Scuba Diving and camping



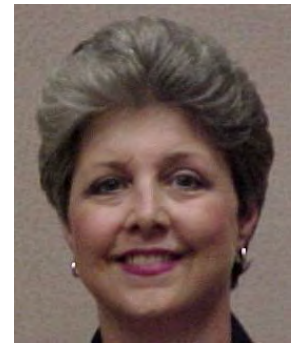
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Name: Wes Weeks
 Class: Fifteen
 Birth Place: Fort Worth, Texas
 Spouse: Annie
 Children: William and Alexa
 Education: Bachelor Degree in Computer Sciences
 Occupation: Assistant Engineer at Marconi
 Community Service: ECPAAA
 Hobbies: Curling

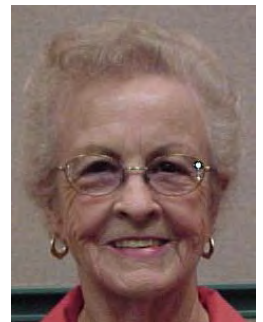


Second Vice President

Name: Kathy Haecker
Class: One
Birth Place: Thibodaux, Louisiana
Spouse: Gary
Children: John, Andy, Ben, Rachel, and Dan
Grandchildren: Molly and Mabel
Education: BS
Occupation: Victims Asst. Liaison, Employee City of Hurst
Community Service: EPCAAA
Volunteer: Church
Hobbies: Reading and computers



Name: Erelene Hill
Class: Fourteen
Birth Place: Cleburne, Texas
Spouse: Deceased
Children: 2
Grandchildren: 6
Great Grand Kids: 9
Education: Business College
Occupation: Retired
Community Service: Crime Watch in neighborhood
Volunteer: ECPAAA
Hobbies: Sewing, Ball Room Dancing



Secretary

Name: Karen Duncan
Class: Two
Birth Place: Sheybogan, Wisconsin
Spouse: Michael
Children: Aaron
Education: 2 yrs Business College
Occupation: Airline Reservationist
Community Service: Arbor Daze
Volunteer: ECPAAA
Hobbies: Gardening and antiques



Treasurer

Name: Rose-Marie Stevens
Class: Ten
Bio not submitted.



Eules Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association 2003 Proposed Budget

INCOME:

Arbor Daze Parking	\$10,000
Bass Pro Events	\$750
City Crud Pick Up Event (2 @ \$200 Each)	\$400
Grocery Care Cards	\$300
Heroes Celebrity Game Parking	\$650
Member Merchandise Sales (T-shirts, Caps, Visors, Decals, Pins)	\$300
Membership Dues (60 + 12 from Class 16 + 24 from Classes 17 and 18)	\$1,900
Monogrammed Brick Sales (80 for Pals \$2,000)	\$5,000
Other Income	\$1,000
	\$20,300

EXPENSES:

Police Annual Award Banquet	\$5,000
Pals Summer Camp	\$2,000
Furniture (2 Display Cases)	\$3,000
Arbor Daze Food Requirements	\$250
Arbor Daze Ending Social	\$1,500
Purchase Monogrammed Bricks (Sell 200 @ \$11)	\$2,200
I.D. Trading Cards for Police Officers and Robots (10 Officers + 2 Robots)	\$1,600
Christmas Providers (1 Family)	\$400
Member Merchandise	\$300
Postage for Newsletter (based on 100 Members)	\$450
Postage for Board	\$50
Membership T-shirts (New Members Only)	\$300
Police Appreciation Week	\$400
Police Christmas Food	\$250
9-1-1 Day	\$200
Water by the Gallon	\$200
State Convention (3 Registrations, 2 Banquet Dinners, 1 Booth)	\$320
Awards and Gifts	\$200
Flowers and Cards	\$200
Heroes Baseball Game Food/Water	\$150
Other Social Events	\$400
CPAANT Dues	\$25
Office Supplies	\$200
Web Site / Domain Name	\$220
	\$19,815

Reminders...

- ⇒ ECPAAA Meeting Tuesday, November 19, 2002
- ⇒ **Public Conference Room at the Police Department at 7:00 PM!**
- ⇒ Christmas Parade of Lights Dec 7
- ⇒ December 17 ECPAAA Meeting @ 6:30pm.

- ⇒ ECPAAA's web page address <http://www.ecpaaa.org>
- ⇒ Brick Location is up and running on the ECPAAA Web Page.
- ⇒ There is a Brick Location book located in our office for those of you that do not have internet access.

ECPAAA 2002 Events

- ◆ Christmas Parade of Lights Dec 7
- ◆ Christmas Providers Gift Wrapping Party -
December 17 Meeting @ 6:30pm.
- ◆ Christmas Lunch and Dinner for Police
Department - December 25

Newsletter Submissions

If anyone would like to include an article in the newsletter, there are a couple of easy ways to accomplish this.

- 1) you can e-mail it to news@ecpaaa.org
- 2) Or type it in MS Word, save it on a disk and leave it in the ECPAAA box in our office with Chris written on it.

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Next Meeting:

2003 Proposed Budget / 2003 Ballot

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