



Monthly Newsletter

Turner's Message



Greetings all,

There's been a lot of good stuff going on lately and there's a lot more to come.

Civilian Police Academy #46 is off to a good start with 22 eager students ready and raring to go. Once again, we have a wide range of ages and backgrounds in the class and a few already interested in joining the Alumni (you've made a good impression). After the Alumni business meeting on the 17th feel free to stop by the class and say hello.

We have a **Lunch and Learn** scheduled for this month so mark your calendars for **Wednesday, March 18**. The topic will be Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Sleep Hygiene presented by Dr Amber Ludtke with DeTar Healthcare System. She'll be discussing the causes of apnea and how to get a better night's sleep, which I'm sure we all need. The meal will be sponsored by DeTar and from the rumors I've heard, it's going to be pretty good. **Don't forget to register by March 13 if you plan on attending.**

We will also be participating in the **Kiwanis Kids Fest on Saturday, March 21 from 10-2**. For those who are looking for something to do, we could use a few volunteers at our info booth. This event will be at the **Riverside Park Special Events Area**.

On **Tuesday, March 24th** we will be hosting a **Coffee w/Cops event at our new building from 7am – 9am** so if anyone would like to take a closer look at the building, promote the CPAAA and enjoy some coffee and snacks, please join us.

We'll also need some assistance with a couple **CPA classes. On March 31st**, we'll need our aspiring actors to make an appearance at **Traffic Stops**. The more we have, the better it is. If we can get at least 8 volunteers we can have two groups of students going at once. Two weeks later on **April 14**, we'll need your acting skills again for **Building Searches**. 8 to 10 volunteers would be perfect.

Another date to pencil in your calendar is **Saturday, April 18**. We're planning another **free shredding event with the Back Office and Victoria Police Foundation**.

And a big thank you to all who assisted with the livestock show and the past couple of CPA classes. All of your assistance is greatly appreciated.

For those who have wanted to volunteer but missed out, don't worry. We're adding more events to our calendar on a daily basis.

Thanks again for all you do, John

2026 Officers:

PRESIDENT: DR. PHYLIS CANION
VICE PRESIDENT: DANA WRIGHT
SECRETARY: DONNA BERNARD
TREASURER: RHONDA WILLIAMS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Steve Canion 2/20
Dorothy Sappington 3/10
Donna Bernard 3/21

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Ralph & Mona Gonzales - 52
Ken & Debbie - 54
Steve & Phylis Canion - 46



President's Message

HELLO ALL,

What a way to kick off spring in our new Police Safety Headquarters building. It is an awesome building and how exciting to be a part of such a new adventure! With so many volunteer opportunities on the horizon, please know that you all are the heartbeat of VCPAAA and the amount of time you share volunteering is deeply appreciated. On behalf of VCPAAA, I want to extend a heartfelt thanks to Officer John Turner and Officer Dinah Levario for their time, support and guidance they share with us-we would not be what we are today with their leadership! Happy Easter to all!

DR. PHYLIS CANION, PRESIDENT

Thought for the Month

"Serving as a police officer is the toughest job in our country. As they put themselves on the line to keep us safe, they deserve our gratitude and support." — William Barr

OFFICER OF THE MONTH



Sgt. Jacob Garza is our
February
Officer of the Month.
Jacob won a \$100
ACE Hardware gift card.
He was unable to attend
the meeting.

VICTORIA POLICE DEPARTMENT
PRESENTS

Lunch & Learn

March 18, 2026
From 11 am to 1 pm
Community Center Annex
2905 E North St

Presentations brought
to you by
Dr. Amber Ludtke from
DeTar Healthcare

**Obstructive Sleep Apnea
and Sleep Hygiene**

- Take an inside look at what causes Apnea.
- Hear about solutions and hygiene.
- Learn how to stay informed and be involved with your health.

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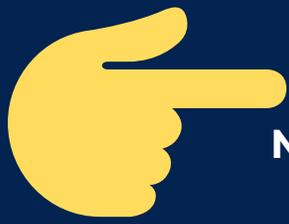
To register, go to victoriapd.com

2026 Volunteer NEW Goal

1800 Hours

As of February 28th:





**CURRENT EVENTS NEXT MEETING:
3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
NEW PUBLIC SAFETY HQ 2525 N. MAIN
AT 6:00 P.M.**



**DUES NOTICE: \$25.00 (includes late fee)
There is a form at the end of the newsletter.**

Mar. 17 - CPA - VCSO, Crime Scene Unit, Fingerprinting (HQ - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Mar. 17 - CPAAA - Monthly Meeting *****Enter at main doors and go to the Municipal Court to the left. This will be for March and April.*****

Mar. 18 - Lunch & Learn - Dr. Amber Ludtke from DeTar Health Care will presenting on Obstructive Sleep Apnea & Sleep Hygiene. REGISTER BY MARCH 13TH.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Mar. 21 - Kiwanis Kids Fest - 10:00 - 2:00 p.m. - Riverside Park Special Events Area

Mar. 24 - Coffee with Cops - 7:00 - 9:00 a.m. - at new Headquarters

Mar. 24 - CPA - Use of Force, TASER, Deadly Force Scenario (HQ - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Mar. 31 - CPA - Traffic Stops: NEED ACTORS/VOLUNTEERS, last year only a few people showed up... (HQ - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Apr. 7 - CPA - SWAT and K-9 (HQ - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Apr. 14 - CPA - Building Searches (Location: TBA) **NEED ACTORS/VOLUNTEERS**

Apr. 21 - CPA - DWI/Field Sobriety, Firearms Handling/Range Rules (HQ - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Apr. 21 - CPAAA Monthly Meeting

Apr. 25 - CPA - Saturday - Firing Range Day at 490 Adcock Ranch Rd

Apr. 28 - CPA - GRADUATION OF CLASS #46! (HQ - 6:00 p.m.)

July 12 - 15, 2026 - CPAAA Convention in Garland, Texas

FUN WITH COPS



Blue Santa has a new suit -
Thanks Karoyn Scogin!

StockShow Booth



NEW ITEMS

VCPAAA GOODS



CPAAA LOGO LAPEL PIN	\$8.00
BLANKET	TBD IF INTERESTED
UMBRELLA	35.00
LOGO COFFEE MARK	15.00
VISOR	15.00
BUCKLE & BELT	25.00

MEMBERSHIP ITEMS

S/S BLACK TEE SHIRT (S-XL)	18.00
(2XL-3XL)	21.00
S/S BLACK POLO SHIRT (S-XL)	24.00
W/ COLLAR (2XL-3XL)	27.00
L/S BLACK POLO COLLAR (S-XL)	30.00
(2XL-3XL)	33.00
JACKETS (S-XL)	28.00
(2XL-3XL)	31.00
LOGO BELT BUCKLE	50.00
CAPS	20.00
STICKERS	2.00
PATCHES	5.00
SEW PATCH ON @ INITIALLY YOURS	5.00
EMBROIDERED LOGO ONLY @ INITIALLY YOURS	16.00
LOGO TUMBLERS	28.00

PUBLIC ITEMS

POLICE SUPPORT SHIRT	\$20.00
LAWN SIGN w/ HOLDER	15.00

Some items available at meetings. Order forms also available.

VCPAAA MEMBERSHIP FORM – 2026

Dues in currently \$25.00 (includes \$5.00 late fee)

Name:

CPA Class #:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Date of Birth:

Date of Anniversary (if married):

(For Treasurer's Use)

Date Dues Paid:

Amount Paid:

Method of Payment (Cash, Check, Venmo):

Please mail your completed form and payment to:

GARLAND CPAAA
2026 Convention
 ATTN: Registration
 P.O. Box 461116
 Garland, TX 75046

2026 Garland



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2026 Texas CPAAA Convention & Law Enforcement Training
REGISTRATION FORM (complete 1 form per person)

The **Garland CPAAA** is honored to host the **34th Annual TCPAAA Convention & Law Enforcement Training July 12-15, 2026** at the **Courtyard by Marriott Allen at the Event Center** in Allen, Texas! Please join us for 3 full days of classes, training and fun. A special room rate of \$115.00 plus tax per night has been arranged. To make your room reservation Call Reservations: 800-321-2211 give them the Group Name "**TCPAA Convention**" for the special rate. Or book online using this link [TCPAAA2026](#) Hotel Reservations must be made by June 13, 2026 to receive the special convention rate.

***Registrants are responsible for hotel reservations and cancellations**

NAME:

TITLE/ORGANIZATION:

MAILING ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

PHONE: ALTERNATE PHONE:

First Time Attendee check this box:

WHAT TCPAA REGION ARE YOU IN?
 (See map page 2)

Region 1-6: _____

ARE YOU A DELEGATE?

CPAA Delegate: ___ Yes ___ No

Alumni _____ or Sworn Officer _____

You are a delegate if you are selected to represent your alumni and law enforcement.
 (1 alumni member, 1 sworn officer)

Please indicate which activities you would like to register for:

Full Registration Fee: Includes all classes, 3 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 1 banquet, and the \$10 Texas State CPAA membership fee Please list any special food requirements: _____	\$150	<input type="checkbox"/>
Late Fee*	\$50 \$10	<input type="checkbox"/>
TCPAA membership (only if not attending the convention)		<input type="checkbox"/>
Meal Tickets (NON-conference guests ONLY):	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monday – Breakfast \$35 Lunch \$35 Both \$65	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tuesday – Breakfast \$35 Lunch \$35 Both \$65	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wednesday – Breakfast \$35 Awards Banquet \$65 Both \$100	\$25	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exhibit Hall Table – NON-PROFIT (1 table, 2 chairs) 10'x10' area – Limited to 20 booths – Electricity is available but you must supply your own extension cords		<input type="checkbox"/>
Exhibit Hall Table – FOR-PROFIT (1 table, 2 chairs) – Hallway Space	\$75	<input type="checkbox"/>

Total Remitted: \$ _____

*Please make checks payable to "**GARLAND 2026 Convention**".

*Registration and payments received after June 19, 2026 must include a \$50.00 late fee.

*All cancellations must be in writing by June 29, 2026 and all refunds are subject to \$15.00 fee.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Received: _____ Check# _____ Confirmation Mailed _____

Refund Date: _____ Refund Amount: _____

