

TCPAAA

State Board DISPATCH



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TEXAS CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

A NEW CONVENTION IS ON THE WAY

NEXT BOARD MEETING WILL BE JUNE 28th IN WICHITA FALLS

We say it every year, but this is sure to be a convention you do not want to miss!! From the opening bell to the ending gavel you want to be there every step of the way. Wichita Falls, Charles Elmore and Company are working diligently to make sure your trip to their city will be one to remember for a long time to come. For those of you who are interested John Davis/Temple is working on bus fare for this trip. More to come on the transportation issue. If you do not already know here it is: The Bellamy Brothers will give a concert for our association and the general public on Friday night of the convention immediately following the Cowboy BBQ. **GENERAL TICKETS GO ON SALE MAY 3rd.**

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Charles Elmore



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This is going to be a tremendous success for our association and the town of Wichita Falls. Tickets are \$10 each and we expect a large crowd. Your Convention Registration covers your ticket. If you bring guests they must purchase a ticket.

Classes are arranged and the Howard Johnson is our hotel. Reservations must be made by **July 1st** to get the convention rate. Classes are excellent as usual and **DO NOT MISS the Ice Breaker on registration day.** There will be a NATO Flair and a good time is assured for all

100 DAYS UNTIL CONVENTION

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DUES

Dues for the State Association are \$10 per year. Your dues are included in the convention registration always. If you are not going to the convention mail your dues to. This year only \$20.

TCPAAA
815-A BRAZOS #208
AUSTIN, TX 78701

REMEMBER

Each association is to appoint a delegate to the convention. Please check in at registration and let us know you are the delegate. One non-sworn and one sworn from each association. If your sworn delegate cannot attend you only have one vote instead of two on any item in the delegates meeting

ATTENTION

It is very important for us to be able to communicate with everyone in our state association.

If you have changed your email address or know someone who has please ask them to send their new email address

to
cthomas012@austin.rr.com

We continue to update our database, but get a lot of returned emails. We want each of you to receive our information through email.

It is never to soon to think about our next convention. REGION 1 Will host the convention in 2009 at Moody Gardens in Galveston. Watch for their web pages to go up immediately after the close of our Wichita Falls event.

Be sure to n o m i n a t e someone from your association to receive one of these very important awards.

2008

TCPAAA Award Nominations Procedure and Forms packet

includes all of the following:

RAY RAMON AWARD - Peace Officer of the Year 2008

BILL ENNIS AWARD - Alumni Member of the Year 2008

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION FOR 2008

ALUMNI MEMBERSHIP FOR 2008

Note the deadline for nominations is May 30

ALL CLASSES ARE TCLOSE CERTIFIED FOR YOUR SWORN REPRESENTATIVES ATTENDING THE CONVENTION. WE ENCOURAGE ALL SWORN REPS TO ATTEND FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY.



If you have not ever attended a State Convention you should!!! It is one of the most exciting, educational, and informative events we have each year. Our regions meet once a month. Our associations meet once a month. We have only one time a year to become more educated about what our law enforcement communities experience on a day to day basis in an expanded setting. The HOST CITY of these conventions work diligently all year to make sure your trip to their city is one to remember. You meet new friends, re-new old friendships and just have a good time. Your state board is busy behind the scenes assisting the host city in any manner we can.

We have all heard and know the price of gas is high!!! There are many ways for you to get to this year's event in Wichita Falls. We are working daily getting quotes and attempting to arrange for bus travel to save each of us money on the trip to our neighbor city to the north.

REMEMBER—we communicate through email so if your address has changed let us know (see above). We will be issuing regular updates on everything surrounding this year's convention. If you have a questions you do not have an answer to email it to cthomas012@austin.rr.com, and we will get the answer. The members of your state board are looking forward to seeing each of you at our Ice Breaker in Wichita Falls. Do Not Miss It.

Please mail your completed form and payment to:

TCPAA 2008 Convention
 ATTN: Registration
 P.O. Box 3092
 Wichita Falls, TX 76301-0092

Check out our website:
www.TCPAAconvention.org

2008
Texas CPAA Convention
REGISTRATION FORM

For more information, contact:

Charles Elmore
 WF CPA Treasurer
 940-855-0303
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We are excited to host the 16th annual TCPAA Convention, to be held July 9-12, 2008 at the Multi Purpose Events Center (MPEC) in Wichita Falls, Texas. As your hosts, the **Wichita Falls CPA Alumni Association, Wichita Falls Police Department and the City of Wichita Falls** want to make sure you enjoy the convention and make it even better than ever. To register for the convention and the events, please complete the form below (be sure to print legibly). You will receive a confirmation of your registration upon submission. **Note: We have arranged for a special room rate of \$79.00 per night with the Howard Johnson Hotel. Please visit them online or via phone at (940) 766-6000, by July 1, 2008 to receive the convention rate. Registrants are responsible for hotel reservations and cancellations.**

NAME: _____ DELEGATE? -- YES _____ NO _____

TITLE/ORGANIZATION: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ ALT PHONE: _____

Please indicate all of the activities that you want to register for:

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| Full Registration fee (includes all classes, two lunches, banquet, 1 ticket Bellamy Brothers and \$20 Texas State CPAA membership) | \$110 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Partial Day fees: | | |
| Thursday or Friday Only | \$30+ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Thursday- Lunch | \$20 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Thursday- Dinner | on your own | N/A |
| Friday- Lunch | \$20 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Friday- Awards Banquet | \$40 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Membership | \$20 (only if paying partial day fees) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Exhibit Hall table (one table, 2 chairs)** \$35 for non-profit organizations only | \$35 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| \$75 for profit business organization/ 10X10 area | \$75 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| \$40 for electricity | \$40 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| T-shirt ; size _____ (S, M, L, XL, XXL) | \$15 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (XXXL is slightly higher) | \$20 | <input type="checkbox"/> |

We must receive your registration and payment no later than June 16, 2008

- Please make checks payable to "TCPAA 2008 Convention".
- Registrations and payments received after June 14, 2008 must include a \$10.00 late fee.
- All cancellations must be made in writing by June 20, 2008, and refunds are subject to a \$10.00 fee.

** Requests for cancellation of vendor space must be in writing and are subject to the same refund rules as stated above.

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| OFFICE USE ONLY Received: _____ Check #: _____ Confirmation Mailed: _____ |
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