

# CPAAA NEWS -NOVEMBER 2023



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CPA class 3-2023 graduates November 15. HCPA class 2-2023 graduated November 1st.

We welcomed Lt. Landon Reyes at our August meeting. See his bio in this issue.

Helping Hands is accepting monetary and food goods for Thanksgiving. Bring to meeting.

Christmas Fund-raiser is December 7<sup>th</sup>. See the details on what to bring and an up-to-date listing of the items on the auction block along with some premium raffles. We are still in need of some last-minute gift cards and dining certificates. Your attendance is greatly appreciated and the Board of Directors looks to a most successful evening. Pictures with the officers, great auction and raffle selections and a buffet of the best food is always a part of the evening. It's the biggest event of our year. Don't forget to wear your "ugly" sweater.

**MAKE RESERVATIONS AT [joeyklein@aol.com](mailto:joeyklein@aol.com)**

Board of Director elections will be held in January 2024. If you are interested in running; see the application in this issue. Deadline is December 31, 2023.

The annual Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service award application is in this issue. If you know of a member who goes above and beyond in their volunteer work, consider nominating them for this honor. Deadline is December 31, 2023.

**WE ARE: [#AMAZING TOGETHER](#) [#VEGAS STRONG](#)**

# **WELCOME LT. LANDON REYES**



**I AM  
HONORED TO  
BE A PART  
OF THE  
CPAAA AND  
HELPING TO  
FACILITATE  
THE GOOD  
WORK THIS  
ASSOCIATION  
DOES TO  
SUPPORT  
LVMPD.**

**I am Lt. Landon Michael Reyes, 41. Born and raised in Redondo Beach, CA and moved to Las Vegas in 2001. I worked in financial management and as a real estate loan officer until 2007.**

**I earned a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice and then joined LVMPD in 2008.**

**As a patrol officer I worked in DTAC, NEAC, and BAC and was assigned to an area command investigative unit for two years and then spent some time in the Internal Affairs Bureau.**

**When I became a Field Training Officer, I worked at NEAC, SEAC, and DTAC.**

**I was a member of LVMPD's search and seizure committee, pursuit committee, and the UOF committee along with being a Firearms Instructor.**

**I promoted to SGT in 2017 where I worked patrol in BAC, SEAC, NWAC and was a Field Training SGT. I was an IAB SGT for two years and also worked in the Office of the Sheriff as the ADMIN SGT for three years.**

In 2023 I was promoted to Lieutenant assigned as the ADMIN LT for DTAC from January to August and recently transferred to LVMPD's Organizational Development Bureau; specifically, the section that oversees AOST, RBT, MACTAC, EVOC, and the JETI.

I have twin boys that are 11. My wife is also on the department and we met in the academy in 2008. She is a SGT assigned to LVMPD's IAB section.

My brother-in-law is also on the department currently as a field training officer at NWAC.

When I am off duty my hobbies include family time, surfing (since I was very young), playing the drums and restoring a 1955 Volkswagen Beetle. Our family poodle is Potato.

**EVERY NOVEMBER WE SUPPORT HELPING HANDS OF NEVADA WITH MEMBERS DONATING CAN GOODS AND \$\$\$ TO ASSIST WITH THANKSGIVING BASKETS TO FAMILIES IN NEED**

**PLEASE BRING YOUR ITEMS AND \$\$\$ TO OUR NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> MEETING**

**THANK YOU CPAAA FOR CONTINUING THIS SPECIAL**

**ACT OF KINDNESS**



**GUEST SPEAKERS SHARE THEIR LVMPD AND COMMUNITY WORK**

**August 17, 2023**

**Joe Hearn – Manager of LVMPD Peer Support**



**OFFICER HEARNS SHARED THE NEWEST INFORMATION ON HOW HIS DEPARTMENT ALSO REFERRED TO AS PEAP HAS CHANGED TO ADD MORE SUPPORT INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS IN HELPING TO PROVIDE SERVICES FOR ALL LVMPD EMPLOYEES AND ASSOCIATE STAFF.**

**THE ADDITION OF JIMMIE THE DEPARTMENT SUPPORT DOG HAS PROVEN VERY POPULAR.**



**PICTURED IS: PRESIDENT BUCHMAN, 50/50 RAFFLE WINNER GUADALUPE SOLIS, OFFICER HEARNS AND OFFICER/HANDLER DARRYL McDONALD WITH JIMMIE.**

**SEPTEMBER 21, 2023**

**FBI Supervisor Special Agent for Counter Terrorism Las Vegas**

**No pictures were taken upon request of speaker.**

**A comprehensive explanation of how Counter Terrorism is handled by the FBI and its relationship to LVMPD. These agencies are able to work together via the shared intel as they strive to proactively protect our community. Great question/answer session.**

**OCTOBER 19, 2023**

**KEVIN ADAMS, ASSISTANT SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE - U.S. DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION – LV DISTRICT OFFICE & BRANDON LESKY – DEA GROUP SUPERVISOR**



Supervisor Brandon Lesky – President Laurie Buchman – Agent Kevin Adams – Captain Kurt McKenzie

Illegal drugs continue to hurt this community. Fentanyl, Meth, Opioids cause thousands of deaths. We viewed photos of prescription and street pills to see how hard it is to identify the unregulated ones. A comprehensive explanation of how the drugs get to Las Vegas along with the supply/demand driving the street market pricing. ONE PILL CAN KILL is the message they are trying to educate the public on. The take away is – only use legally prescribed medications issued from a reputable pharmacy. Buying in or from other countries is buying an unknown and often dangerous result. Questions from our membership were excellent.

**DUE TO THE NATURE OF THE SUBJECT MATTER OF SOME OF THE GUEST PRESENTATIONS; IT IS THE CPA REQUIREMENT THAT ALL WHO APPLY MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE. WE FOLLOW THAT GUIDELINE AND ASK THAT GUESTS YOU INVITE TO CPAAA MEETINGS ARE 18 YEARS OR OLDER.**

## **UPCOMING SPEAKERS:**

**TO BE ANNOUNCED ON FACEBOOK**



**WE NEED YOU  
CONSIDER RUNNING FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
SEE APPLICATION IN THIS ISSUE  
**BE A PART OF SOMETHING SPECIAL****

## MEMBERS ENJOYING THEIR AUCTION ITEM EXPERIENCES

SEPTEMBER 23 & 24

### NRA HANDGUN TRAINING COURSE & FIRING RANGE FOR 4

**John Perdichizzi wrote: Steve Esch was great. We met at my house Saturday where he spent over 8 hours going over the course. The next day we met at the Clark County shooting complex. He covered all the fees, guns, and ammo. He was very thorough and patient. I've been around firearms my whole life, but the girls in our group were novices, and he was great with them. He even met us at the range Thursday evening, so we could experience shooting a flintlock and precision cap hand gun.**



JOHN AND STEVE



# CONGRATULATIONS TO CPAAA ADVISOR – OFFICER SAM DIAZ

Officer Sam Diaz received a Las Vegas City Council Proclamation for his dedication to the Hispanic Community in Southern Nevada.

September 15, 2023 was proclaimed **Officer Sam Diaz Day**.





**BRING YOUR SPARE CHANGE TO OUR MEETINGS & DROP IT IN THE COLLECTION JAR. Proceeds Will Be Donated to THE VOLUNTEERS in Appreciation for their continuous help each FUNRAISER POTLUCK PARTY**

## **GOOD AND WELFARE**



**DO YOU KNOW OF A MEMBER WHO IS ILL OR HAD SURGERY?**

**MAYBE A CARD WOULD CHEER THEM UP. THE CPAAA WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.**



**CONTACT JANET DELANEY at [Janetd@lvcoxmail.com](mailto:Janetd@lvcoxmail.com)**

**CPAAA has several methods to pay for purchases at the store or when paying your dues:**

**Venmo - [@Vegas\\_Donna\\_Klein60](#) and**

**Zelle - [Bjovifan1@gmail.com](mailto:Bjovifan1@gmail.com).**

**You may also use a Visa, Mastercard or Discover credit card, check or cash as before.**



# **BIG SALE**

**AT THIS MONTH'S MEETING**

**FOR 15 MINUTES ONLY AT 7:00 PM**

**WE HAVE SEVERAL SHIRTS THAT CAME IN WITH THE  
WRONG LOGO COLOR AND WANT TO GIVE YOU THE  
CHANCE TO PURCHASE THEM AT A REDUCED PRICE**

**ONLY MEMBERS MAY WEAR THE  
OFFICIAL APPAREL AND YOU MUST BE  
PRESENT TO PURCHASE**

**SIZES AND STYLES VARY**

**WHEN THEY ARE GONE, THEY ARE GONE**

**GREAT  
AUCTION  
ITEMS ONLY  
AVAILABLE AT  
OUR EVENT;  
TERRIFIC \$1  
AND \$5  
RAFFLE  
PRIZES TOO**

Here is what to bring for  
the Potluck:

Last name begins with:

**A - M** APPETIZERS,  
VEGETABLES, SALADS,  
CASSEROLES

**N - Z** MAIN DISH

**DESSERTS/DRINKS** – the  
Fundraising Committee  
Members

**PLEASE BRING  
ENOUGH TO SERVE  
10**

REMINDER: WE HAVE  
NO ELECTRICAL PLUG IN



**2023 CPAAA  
CHRISTMAS  
HOLIDAY**

**FUNDRAISER/POTLUCK**

DECEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> AT  
HEADQUARTERS  
ON MLK  
BEGINNING AT 6:00  
PM

MARK YOUR  
CALENDARS FOR  
THIS EVENING OF  
FUN, FOOD,  
FUNDRAISING AND  
FRIENDSHIP

**BACK BY POPULAR  
DEMAND**

**UGLY SWEATER  
CONTEST**

**WEAR YOURS AND YOU  
MAY WIN A PRIZE**

**MAKE RESERVATIONS AT [joeyklein@aol.com](mailto:joeyklein@aol.com)**

## **7th ANNUAL**

# **Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service Award**

The Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service Award is awarded annually to the Las Vegas Metro Police Department Citizens' Police Academy Alumni Association (CPAAA) member who demonstrates the quality and character exemplified by Dick Bennett in community service to the City of Las Vegas and Clark County.

Dick Bennett, who passed away on 6 June 2017, served with distinction as the President of the CPAAA from March 2002 – June 2017. During his tenure, the CPAAA saw its membership increase as well as the money raised to support various police department initiatives.

Dick also worked to raise the awareness of various divisions within the LVMPD to CPAAA membership. The CPAAA has organized trips to prisons, the coroner's office as well as other civic organizations. In addition to the time he devoted to the CPAAA, Dick also served as a LVMPD Volunteer and "leading by example," he volunteered over 22,000 hours of public service to the Police Department.

Each year, the Board of Directors will identify one CPAAA member as the recipient of the Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service Award from the applications submitted. This individual is someone who is not currently serving on the CPAAA Board of Directors; not only an active member of the CPAAA, but also works in the community as a volunteer through the Metro Volunteer Program or other community service organization, which supports the citizens of Las Vegas and the surrounding Clark County. Members in good standing of the CPAAA are encouraged to nominate someone they feel is deserving of the award and applications will be submitted by the end of the current year.

The Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service Award will occur annually at the CPAAA February monthly meeting. The award winner will receive an inscribed plaque presented by the Sheriff commending that individual for his or her service to the LVMPD and the greater Las Vegas community.

**SEE NEXT PAGE FOR APPLICATION**



# DICK BENNETT Memorial Community Service Award Nomination Form

The Dick Bennett Memorial Community Service Award is awarded annually to the Las Vegas Metro Police Department Citizens' Police Academy Alumni Association (CPAAA) member who demonstrates the quality and character exemplified by Dick Bennett in community service to the City of Las Vegas and Clark County.

The recipient will be someone who is not only an active member of the CPAAA, but also works in the community as a volunteer through the Metro Volunteer Program or other community service organization, which supports the citizens of Las Vegas and the surrounding Clark County.

If you would like to nominate a fellow CPAAA member for the award, please fill out the information below and return it by December 31, 2023 c/o **Gerrie Holmes at 9880 West Cheyenne Ave. Las Vegas, NV 89129 or via e-mail at GHolmes@LVMPD.com**. The board of the CPAAA will review the nominations and determine the winner of the award, which will then be presented at the February 2023 meeting.

Nominated Member:

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Submitted by:

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Description of Qualifications of Nominated Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

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**YOU MAY ADD ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NEEDED**

3 Board of Director seats will be available in January 2024. Election takes place at the meeting. Consider helping the LVMPD CPAAA by serving a 3-year term. We need you.

# LVMPD CPAAA BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPLICATION

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ CELL NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CPA GRADUATING CLASS \_\_\_\_\_

I WOULD LIKE TO PLACE MY NAME IN NOMINATION FOR ELECTION TO THE CPAAA BOARD BECAUSE: \_\_\_\_\_

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SUGGESTIONS I HAVE FOR IMPROVING THE ASSOCIATION: \_\_\_\_\_

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SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Applications must be received by Gerrie Holmes, CPAAA, @ 9880 W. Cheyenne Ave., Las Vegas NV 89129 no later than December 31, 2023.

**DON'T FORGET TO  
BUY YOUR RAFFLE  
TICKETS AT OUR  
MEETINGS FOR THE  
50/50 DRAWING  
YOU COULD BE THE  
WINNER!!!**



[CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE](#)

PUT THIS IN YOUR FB SEARCH:

**LAS VEGAS CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

**GET THE LATEST INFORMATION & PHOTOS**

**WE CONTINUE TO COLLECT YOUR OLD CELL PHONES AND CHARGERS  
THEY ARE CLEANED AND PROGRAMMED TO DIAL IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.**

**GIVEN TO THE LVMPD DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BUREAU**

**THANKS FOR HELPING**

# BUILDING THE BASKETS FOR THE FUND-RAISER

OCTOBER 23, 2023



**SHARON, ELANE, DAVE  
& JANET**



**KATY & COOKIE**



**DONNA, GERRIE,  
KAREN & LAURIE**



**THESE LOOK GREAT TEAM!**



## **FUTURE FIELD TRIPS:**

**Don't miss out on these exciting opportunities.....**

**\*FBI \*SWAT \*FORENSICS \*NELLIS AF BASE and more**

**email MONICA CASILLAS @ [monicacasillas55@gmail.com](mailto:monicacasillas55@gmail.com)**

### **2024 MEETING SCHEDULE - HELD AT ACADEMY:**

January 18   February 15   March 21   April 18   May-no meeting  
June 20   July 18   August 15   September 19   October 17  
November 21

**DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>**

**SAVE THE DATE – 2024 ANNUAL CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY  
FUNDRAISER/POTLUCK/AUCTION EVENT AT HQ**



### **CHANGE IN PAYING YOUR 2024 DUES**

**WE WILL OFFICIALLY BEGIN COLLECTING DUES IN JANUARY THROUGH MARCH. THOSE WISHING TO PAY EARLIER: PLEASE USE ELECTRONIC OR CHECK. DUES NOTICES WILL BE MAILED THE FIRST WEEK OF JANUARY. YEARLY FEE OF \$25 WILL CONTINUE. **THOSE WISHING TO PAY DUES AT THE CHRISTMAS PARTY – CASH OR CHECK ONLY THAT NIGHT.****



# CPAAA Store Price List

Polo Shirts (All Sizes): Men's \$20, Ladies \$23

Sweatshirts (All Sizes): \$25.00

T-Shirts - CPAAA (All Sizes) – \$15.00 / Silk Screen (All Sizes) \$12.00

T-Shirts – SWAT: L~XL: \$12.00 / 2X~3X: \$17.00

Tank Tops (Silk Screen- All Sizes): 10.00

Ball Caps – CPAAA / Swat: \$15.00

Pins - CPAAA: Lg: \$11.00 / Sm: \$5.00      Blue Line Flag Pin: \$6.00

Earrings: \$10.00 \*\*\*2023 NEW ITEM\*\*\*

Pendants: \$5.00 \*\*\*2023 NEW ITEM\*\*\*      Tote Bag: \$16.00

Bottle Opener/Challenge Coin: \$10.00 \*\*\*2023 NEW ITEM\*\*\*

Drinkware: \*\*\*2023 NEW ITEMS\*\*\*      Handcuff Mug: \$15.00      Ceramic Mug: \$17.00

CPAAA Lanyard: \$4.00      Coaster: \$5.00

Patches - LVMPD: \$10.00      CPAAA Logo Patch or Car Magnet: \$5.00 \*\*\*2023 NEW ITEMS\*\*\*

Mouse Pad: \$5.00      Logo Decal: \$1.00      Blue Line Mask: \$8.00

Christmas Ornaments: Blingy Pewter Bell \$8.00 / Green Christmas Bulb \$6.00

STORE IS  
OPEN  
FROM 6:15 –  
7:00 AT  
EACH  
MEETING

**CPAAA ACCEPTS PAYMENTS BY VISA, MASTERCARD AND DISCOVER**

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO: CPAAA**

Venmo: [@Vegas\\_Donna\\_Klein60](#)

Zelle: [Bjovifan1@gmail.com](mailto:Bjovifan1@gmail.com)

## **2023 CPAAA Christmas Party Auction & Special Raffles**

**MAKE RESERVATIONS AT [joeysklein@aol.com](mailto:joeysklein@aol.com)**

**Helicopter Ride:** When was the last time you soared over the Las Vegas valley? Today can be your lucky day. **One** lucky winner will take a thrilling helicopter ride with the Metro Air Support Unit throughout the Las Vegas valley. This is a once-in-a-lifetime adventure to be in the passenger seat for a breathtaking view while Metro fights crime from a different dimension. The winner of this event will schedule their flight with Metro directly. **Winner MUST be a CPAAA or MVP member in good standing.** Bidding starts at \$250

**Emergency Vehicle Operator Course (EVOC) at the Speedway:** Gotta lead foot or a need for speed? Come check out what our boys in blue set up at the Speedway to scratch that itch. Do you think you are good because you can maneuver through the cones on the I-15 like an agile leopard? Well, that's child's play compared to this spectacular course where you will spend a few hours of intense emergency vehicle driving – lights, sirens and all. They've pulled out all the stops...literally. Learn to safely chase a suspect vehicle, controlled braking, police turns, crash avoidance, precision driving skills, and even how to do a pit maneuver playing both good and bad guy roles. You will have the time of your life. If this course doesn't scratch that itch, it wasn't there to begin with. This one is a must! There will be **five** auctions for this event. Bidding starts at \$50. **Winner MUST be a CPAAA or MVP member in good standing.**

**Virtual Reality Scenario Training Experience:** Fasten your seatbelts folks because crime fighting training just hit a new dimension. This is as good as it gets so don't miss it. How good do you think you would be at making split second decisions officers do on a daily basis? Here is your chance to experience situations so real you will think you are actually there while safely being in a training environment! That's right folks, this virtual training is so real, you actually catch the virtual perpetrator in the middle of a crime, attempt to de-escalate situations where you then try to negotiate with the bad guy, deal with social situations that look harmless that go seriously wrong in a second, and be put in the situation to have to make that life changing decision to use your weapon or not. This is as real as it gets, so come see what our officers deal with every day. **Five** lucky winners will have the chance to experience this top-notch training technology first hand. Bidding starts at \$50.

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**CPAAA Logo Merchandise Basket:** Sweatshirt, Polo, 2 T-Shirts, Tank Top, Ball Cap, Grotto Ceramic Mug, Handcuff Mug, Insulated Mug, Bottle Opener/Challenge Coin, CPAAA Logo Patch, Mask, Coaster, 2 Christmas Ornaments, 1.5" Pin, 1" Pin, Blue Line Flag Pin, Lanyard, Decal, Patch, CPAAA Logo Magnet, and Mouse Pad. You may exchange shirts for size. Reminder: **Only CPA Alumni may wear the apparel.** Value \$213. **Bidding Starts at \$50.**

**Reality Based Training Night:** "Tactical Night" or as many know it was the old "Sergeants Night". So...slap on your proverbial badge because you are the new sheriff in town! This action-packed adventure places you in live scenarios with real perps while acting out typical service calls our uniforms in blue face every day. It's dark and the bad guys are sneaking around corners and hiding in stairwells. Can you differentiate between them and the good guys? Do you have what it takes to make those life altering split-second decisions and walk in the shoes of a LVMPD officer? If so, bid on one of the **six** auctions and come be part of the excitement. **Bidding starts at \$50.**

**A Day at the Range:** Calling gun enthusiasts or wannabes. Never shot a weapon? Want to sharpen or learn new skills? The range is pulling out the stops for this auction. You will get a chance to be taught weapon safety and then...Get Locked and Loaded – The Fun's About to Begin!!! If you dislike your boss or have been scorned by a cheating lover, feel free to bring a silhouette of your choice and relieve some tension or do some self-help anger management. There will be **six** separate auctions. **Winner MUST be a CPAAA or MVP member in good standing.** **Bidding starts at \$50.**

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**Lunch with Assistant Sheriff Yasenia "Yas" Yatomi:** A/S Yatomi has been with LVMPD for more than 23yrs. As Assistant Sheriff, Yaz oversees the Detention Services Division, Professional Standards Division, Business Technology and Support Division, the Office of Labor Relations, and Internal Oversight and Constitutional Policing Bureau. Prior she served as the Deputy Chief of the Tourist Safety Division and was responsible for the tourist corridor to include the Airport, Support Operations, and Traffic Bureaus. She also served as the Deputy Chief of the Community Policing Division where she was responsible for eight area commands and over 2,000 employees. Her extensive resume' includes Bolden Area Commander, Gang/Vice Bureau, and the K9 Commander. Her impressive climb up the command chain is a true display how women can overcome the barriers natural to this position. She is the real deal and is one unparalleled lady. **Three** lucky winners will get the chance to learn more about her impressive career as well as learning how she will serve our community going forward. Plus, she might serenade you on the guitar if you ask kindly! Times/date will be determined by the host's availability. **Bidding starts at \$50**

**Lunch with Gary Schofield, US Marshal for District of Nevada:** Marshal Schofield leads the operations of the U.S. Marshals Service in Nevada. Additionally, he serves on the Nevada Joint Terrorism Task Force Executive Board, the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Executive Board, and the Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force executive board. Prior to his appointment, Schofield served with the Las Vegas Metro Police as a Deputy Chief of Police. **Three** lucky winners will have the chance of a lifetime to dine with the distinguished Marshal. Who knows, you may even get a tour of the Federal Building. Time/date will be determined by the hosts' availability. Bidding starts at \$50.

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**Lunch with Deputy Chief Reggie Rader:** We all know and love him and **three** lucky bidders will get the chance to have lunch with him. As one of our newest Deputy Chiefs, Rader is responsible for the East Community Policing Division, which oversees the Northeast, Southeast, and South Central Area Commands as well as the Airport Bureau. As a Lieutenant and then Captain, Reggie oversaw the complexities of the Organizational Development Bureau (ODB) which encompasses the Academy, Field Training Program, Firearms Training and Tactics Unit, Advanced Officer Skills Training, Reality Based Training, Emergency Vehicle Operations, Multi-Assault Counter Terrorism Action Capabilities Section, In-Service training, and most importantly he was the beloved Liaison to the CPAAA...he continues to be one of our biggest supporters. Don't miss this unique chance to spend time with our beloved Deputy Chief. Time/date will be determined by the hosts' availability. **Bidding starts at \$50.**

**SWAT Experience:** Hold on for a night to remember! The **five** lucky winners of this auction will tour the SWAT hangar (as a group) and check out all the specialized equipment they use to conduct high-risk search warrant services and support crisis negotiations. Be ready for the time of your life. This is sure to be a thrilling adventure you will never forget! **Winner MUST be a CPAAA or MVP member in good standing.** **Bidding starts at \$75.**

**Lunch with Sheriff Kevin McMahon:** You don't get better than lunch with Vegas' "Top Cop". The Sheriff has an extensive 31-yr career with his prior position being Undersheriff. He also managed challenging positions in Narcotics, Internal Affairs, Academy Staff and Patrol and possesses a strong background in Homeland Security. **Three** lucky winners will all dine together and have a one-on-one with the Sheriff and a Metro representative. This will be a once-in-a-lifetime chance to voice your concerns, share experiences, and learn first-hand how Metro officers are fighting crime today as well as his future plans to combat the ever-changing world threats. Time/date will be determined by the host's availability. **Bidding starts at \$50.**

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**Lunch with Assistant Sheriff Jamie Prosser:** A/S Prosser has been with the LVMPD for 23 years. Prosser was appointed as Deputy Chief of the Professional Standards Division which is composed of the Internal Affairs Bureau, Office of Human Resources, Organizational Development Bureau, Police Employee Assistance Program and the Metro Volunteer Program. She was then transferred as Deputy Chief of the Homeland Security and Special Operations Division where she oversaw Air Support, Special Weapons and Tactics, Events Planning and the Southern Nevada Counter-terrorism Center. In July 2023, she was promoted to Assistant Sheriff of the Law Enforcement Operations Group. As one of three female Assistant Sheriff's, she is a true trailblazer and an inspiration to all women looking to join the force. Come hear more of her interesting story and learn from her perspective how fighting crime has changed. **Three** winners. Time/date will be determined by the host's availability. **Bidding starts at \$50**

**Staycation at the Palms:** Win a hotel getaway at the Palms Casino resort. For one special night, you will slumber in a Fantasy King room and enjoy a savory dinner for two at Scotch 80 Prime with a \$300 dining credit. This all-expense certificate includes tax and resort fees. Valued at \$750. **Bidding starts at \$200**

**Luxury RV Vacation:** EVOC is cool, but glamping is off-the-charts fun! Win a certificate for a five-day, 4-night, fully furnished, self-contained Winnebago RV. Two different floorplans to select from – “Winnie” or “Kooper”. Each has fully equipped dinette and sleeps 6-8 people. 500 miles and 12hr of generator usage is included. Scan barcode on stage setup to learn more. Valued at \$1,350. **Bidding starts at \$300**

**ACT Training:** This certificate from Campbell Defense Academy is for **two** people for a two-day Armed Civilian Training course to assist everyday citizens in “Bridging the gap” between concealed/open carry and self-defense. Statistics show that over 70% of victims who were shot, were shot with their own gun. This class teaches you Krav Maga, Hapkido, Jui-Jitsu, and Marine Corps Martial Arts techniques to gain the extra edge you need for gun retention and self-protection in the instance you have no gun. You will learn “Shoot/Don’t Shoot” scenarios, moving target situations, and so much more. No matter if you are 18 or 80, the moves you will learn are easy to learn and effective, no matter your size, age, or gender. This offer also entitles you to a complementary Multi-State CCW class to be scheduled on a separate date. Valued at \$1,400. **Bidding starts at \$200**

**Men’s Invicta Dive Watch:** Gentleman’s Pro Diver, quartz watch, model 12818. Blue dial with luminous gold-tone hands and diamond set hour markers. Water resistant to 200 meters, 22mm. Valued at \$900. **Bidding starts at \$150**

**Women's Invicta Dive Watch:** Master of the Ocean's Pro Diver Ladies quartz watch, model 35602. Water resistant to 100 meters. Gold tone, 16mm. Valued at \$600.

Bidding starts at \$100

**StayCation at the California:** Winner will receive a hotel getaway for 2-nights at the California Hotel & Casino downtown on Fremont Street and enjoy fine dining at the Redwood Steakhouse with a \$200 dining credit. Valued at \$500. Bidding starts at \$150

**Samsung 43" 4K LED UHD Smart TV:** Elevate your entertainment experience with Crystal UHD in PurColor and go beyond HDTV to enjoy your content in 4K resolution. With Smart TV powered by Tizen built in, it's easy to find and stream the latest shows and movies in just a few clicks. Est Value \$350. Bidding Starts at \$100

**VGK Stuff:** We have yet to receive VGK items from the Foley Foundation. We have lots of swag and VGK wine. Tickets and memorabilia are always a possibility from the foundation. More to come.

**Hawaiian Goodie Basket w/Wine:** A true treasure trove of Hawaiian delights: 5Bts of wine, several boxes of Hawaiian macadamia candies, chips, cookies, jam, tea, Kona coffee, macadamia nuts, BBQ sauce, Hawaiian unique bags/towels, and much, much more. You will definitely feel the Aloha with this deliciously appointed basket. Est Value \$225. Bidding starts at \$75

**CPAAA Logo Cornhole Game:** GoSports regulation 4' x 2' natural wood, heavy duty game boards with the CPAAA logo on each board; 8 regulation bean bags in a CPAAA logo case., Outdoor game. Includes a carrying case. Est Value \$250. Bidding Starts at \$75.

**90-Minute Psychic Medium Video Reading for Three:** Your personal phone-line to heaven. A Psychic & Pet Communicator who has worked on numerous investigations, works with parents of murdered or missing people, performs Spirit Galleries, and works with many celebrity clients. The medium will mediate communication between familiar spirits or spirits of the dead and living human beings. Using the spirit energy surrounding the person(s), the medium uses her psychic or intuitive abilities to see past, present, and future events. Est Value \$250. Bidding starts at \$50



**Special Raffles: \$5.00 each**

Place your **GREEN** raffle ticket into the container in front of the item of your choice)

- **Gift Card Tree** – Est Value \$200 (2 ea)
- **1-Hr Psychic Medium Video Reading**: See description above in auctions. A single person reading. \$100 Value.
- **Pet Basket for Dog**: - Est Value \$110 Value
- **32" Bluetooth Wireless Sound Bar**: \$50 Value
- **HP Deskjet 2752E Printer**: Wireless All-In-One w/ 6mos ink included. Est Value \$65
- **Sennheiser Wireless Earbuds**: 27hr battery life w/ on-the-go charging case. Est Value \$95
- **McLaren 765LT Radio Control Car**: Scale 1:12, 2.4GHz, w/ variable speed transmitter. Est Value \$90
- **Little Giant Ladder**: With lots of additional tools and shop accessories Est Value \$150+
- **Holiday Serving Dish Set**: Serving set for six. Includes dinner plates, dessert plates, bowls, and mugs Est Value \$60 (2 ea)
- **Grilling & Picnic Package**: Grilling pan, thermometers, pitcher, chill tray, chopper, and grilling glove. Est Value \$90
- **Party Serving Set**: Service for four. Includes plates, glasses, mugs, pitcher, games and margarita glasses. Est Value \$70
- **Beautiful Purse**: Beige formal purse, beautiful scarf, several blingy accessories and premium adult beverage. Est Value \$90
- **Tahari Serving Sets**: Serving platter, bowls, storage containers, 2-tier serving dish, and casserole bowl. Est Value: \$75 (2 ea)
- **Movie Night**: Sandwich press, chip/dip server, serving platter, casserole dish, 2-tier serving dish. Est Value \$70
- **It's Bake Night**: Silicone bakeware set, hand mixer, measuring cups, pie pan, casserole dish, and cutting board. Est Value \$70
- **Cookware Set**: Saute pan, All-in-One cookware set, immersion blender, serving utensils. Est Value \$75
- **Bakeware Set**: Baking pans (3), cutting board, pie pans, casserole pans, mixing bowls, and prep bowls. Est Value \$75 (2 ea)
- **Mens Spa Package**: 2 Bathrobes, towel sets, 3bts of shower gel, candle, grooming tools. Est Value \$75
- **Wine Time**: Thermos Wine Chiller, two bottles of wine, and electronic wine opener: Est Value \$85
- **DeBrekht: Quiet Night Santa**: Wood-carved and artisanal hand painted Christmas décor. Est Value \$230
- **National Parks Pass**: includes an official park book, goodies and more. Est Value \$100.

**\*\*Note: Wine is included in most baskets above**



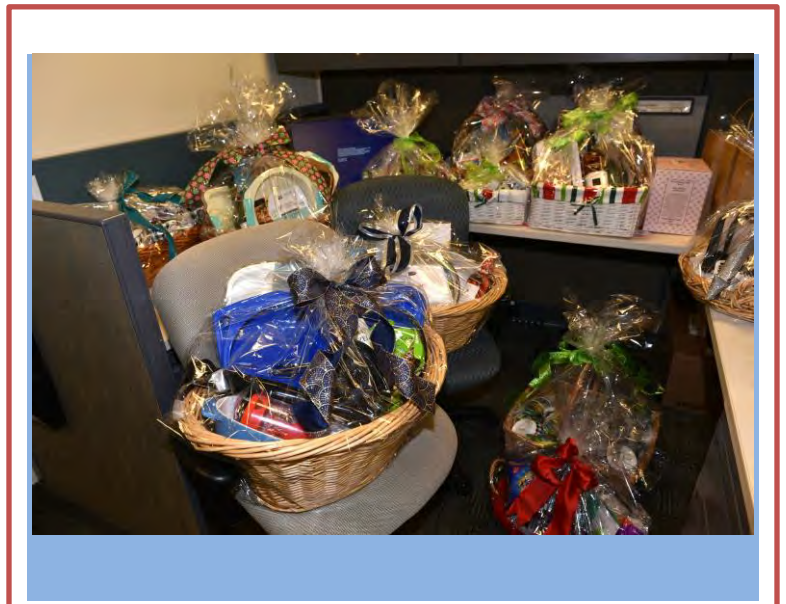
**Regular Raffles: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00 RED Tickets**

One free 2024 CPAAA membership (\$25 value), UV Sanitizing Hand Vac, Steam Iron, Waffle Maker, Deluxe Sewing Kit(s), Etched Glass Vase, Grill Press, Waffle Stick Maker, Pizzelle Maker, Wine Opener Set, Stackable Meal Set(s), Coffee Maker, 3p Glass Container Set, 2-Slice Toaster(s), Air Popper, Margarita Glass Set(s), Picture Frame Set, Can Opener, Stainless Steel Water Bottle(s), 5Qt Slow Cooker, 1.5Qt Slow Cooker, Pickleball Racket/Ball Set, Retractable Hamper, 7-Compartment Server, Sonic Toothbrush, Action Camera Accessory Kit, Hawaiian Goodie Baskets w/wine, games and a myriad of other items that are sure to delight each winner!

**Red Sock Specials (during the auction): Artistic Creations from G. DeBrekht Artisans – 8 Pieces**

**DeBrekht** is an artistic studio which does remarkable hand-crafted seasonal decor. The legacy of G.DeBrekht began as a personal hobby. More than three decades ago this “hobby” set the foundation of one of the most remarkable studios in the world today. G. DeBrekht developed a distinctive style- a combination of hand-carved wood and multi-layer decorative painting. In G.DeBrekht’s magnificent collections you will find a variety of beautiful glass and wooden ornaments, woodcarvings, an array of collectible figurines and more. All our products are majestically hand painted with unforgettable scenic illustrations- unlike anything else that you would find on the market today. DeBrekht Studio is committed to the old-world craftsmanship, and each piece has spent countless of hours in the hands of our talented artists. Each brushstroke is meticulously done, with love and passion, to add depth and dimension. It takes thousands of delicate strokes, layers of transparent painting and devotion to perfect every piece.

Other **Red Sock items** during the auction too: Men’s jacket and Official German Police Dress Shirt.



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## 2023 WRAP UP

AS WE COME TO THE END OF 2023, I WANT TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE A FEW WORDS. THE CPAAA FAMILY HAS HAD A STRONG YEAR. WE HAVE WELCOMED MANY NEW MEMBERS FROM CPA AND HCPA GRADUATES.

TOGETHER WE MET THE SUMMER \$1000 MATCH - 8 YEARS STRONG.

THE FACEBOOK PAGE, WEBSITE AND NEWSLETTERS HAVE KEPT YOU INFORMED. THANK YOU FOR THE WONDERFUL COMMENTS ABOUT THESE.

THE FIELD TRIP WAS WELL ATTENDED WITH MORE TO COME.

GUEST SPEAKERS THIS YEAR HAVE BEEN OUTSTANDING.

THE BOARD STAYS FOCUSED ON PREPARATIONS FOR THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY POTLUCK FUNDRAISER. WE ANTICIPATE A SUCCESSFUL EVENT AND YOUR ATTENDANCE IS IMPORTANT. 2022 WAS THE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN RAISING FUNDS AND PARTICIPANTS AS WE INVITED THE MVPs AND SO MANY ATTENDED. 2023 IS EXPECTED TO SURPASS THAT MILESTONE. WE ARE CLOSING IN ON \$200,000 DONATED BACK TO LVMPD.

PERSONALLY, I WANT TO EXPRESS MY APPRECIATION TO YOU, THE MEMBERS WHO GIVE ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET THIS TREMENDOUS CHALLENGE OF KEEPING THE CPAAA ON COURSE FOR THE PAST 6½ YEARS. I HAVE NOT DONE IT ALONE. I AM; AND YOU SHOULD BE VERY PROUD OF THE HARDWORKING DIVERSE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. EACH HAS TAKEN ON GREAT RESPONSIBILITIES WITHOUT HESITATION. FOR THE PAST 12 MONTHS THEY HAVE BEEN A COHESIVE, TASK DRIVEN, RESULTS ORIENTED GROUP GIVING FULL COMMITMENT TO CONTINUE OUR PURPOSE AND A HEALTHLY FUTURE.

**\*COOKIE\*DONNA\*GERRIE\*JANET\*JOHANNA\*MIRIAM\*MONICA\*DAVE\*JORGE**

WE ARE GREATFUL TO OUR LVMPD ADVISORS AND CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES WHO FACILITATE MANY OF OUR NEEDS: SPEAKERS, TRIPS, LOGISTICS AND ALL THAT WE ASK: **LT. LANDON REYES, OFFICER SAM DIAZ and CAPT. KURT McKENZIE** AND OUR MVP LIAISON: **SHARON HARDING**

WISHING EACH OF YOU PEACE AND HEALTH IN 2024

LAURIE BUCHMAN, PRESIDENT

**THANK YOU CPAAA**

**THANK YOU LVMPD**