



# FBI MICHIGAN CHAPTER

## NATIONAL ACADEMY ASSOCIATES

### SPRING NEWSLETTER 2017

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

#### CHRISTOPHER JAHNKE

A lot has changed in the last 10 years since I went to the FBINA. In 2006 we were still on the upswing of public and media support, and now we are in the throes of a media upheaval; most departments still had some money to spend on training and developing their staff; and there were throngs of quality candidates at our doors. Ten years ago, I graduated from the FBINA (227) - it seems like yesterday, as it does to most everybody I talk too. Nine years ago, under the tutelage of my good friends; Troy Chief Gary Mayer and MSP Captain Monica Yesh, I joined the Curriculum Committee. It is here I met our Immediate Past President Neal Rossow. Right away, it was no question Neal deserved to be part of this group; he was a very approachable, likable individual with more integrity in his little finger than most people possess. It was not a surprise he was appointed to the Executive Board in short order, where he worked his way through the various positions to become President of our association. Thank you Neal for all the hard work!

We saw, through Neal's tenure, the Curriculum Committee grow, not only in size, but accomplishments. The Curriculum Committee has been shepherd by Colleen Mott and Greg Laurain for the past two years. Under their direction, we have had some of the best training and most successful events to date. Because of their dedication, we have been able to continue to support our Scholarship program while giving to those who have fallen on bad times; whether it is a fallen officer or those in need through the National Foundation.

I would like to take this opportunity to give a shout out to the 2017 Curriculum Committee members: Colleen Mott- Chair, Mark Newman- Chair, Martin Stress- FBI Training Coordinator, Members at Large: James Berlin, Matt Brumm, Al Cox, Tony DeGiusti, Keith Frye, Dan Keller, Lori King, Mike Krumm, John Leacher, Jeff Lewis, Mike McCormick, Jill McDonnell, Joshua Monte, Dan Pfannes, Fred Posavetz, Denise Powell, Shannon Sims, Ron Taig, Aric Tosqui and Charlie Yon. I would like to also thank recent past Curriculum members, Tim Donnellon, Corey O'Donohue and Dave Kiddle for all their efforts. In addition, thank you Tom Lindberg who left our Board after serving many years on the Curriculum Committee and Executive Board.

So now comes 2017, we have a new U. S. President who is definitely shaking things up. Any way you look at it, it will be interesting- There is plenty of passion on both sides; so tread lightly all. One thing I can say for certain, unlike politics, the FBINAA is a partnership which will not be broken. To this day, I keep in contact with friends from all over who I have met through the FBINA- they are not only a great resource for best practices, but also a cause for a few laughs in tough times. However, there are some downsides to these friendships- I now have to go find a University of Wisconsin shirt to wear at the National Conference this year...Thanks Spartan football !!!!

Be safe!

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# TREASURER'S CORNER

By Garth Burnside

Let me introduce myself, for those that don't know me. My name is Garth Burnside and I am the new Chapter Treasurer. I'd like to start by thanking Bob Young for his many years as Treasurer. He doesn't know it yet, but I will be reaching out to him on many topics until I can get up to speed. I have 29 years with the MSP and attended the 226th Session in 2006.

It is dues time again for 2017. You should have received notification from National and many of you may have already paid. If you have any questions about invoicing please contact Jennifer Watson, at 703-632-1944 or [jwatson@fbinaa.org](mailto:jwatson@fbinaa.org). The FBINAA National Office no longer allows chapters to accept dues. Please pay your dues directly to FBINAA National, either at <http://www.fbinaa.org> with credit card or mail a check to the National office at :

FBINAA, FBINAA Academy  
1 Range Road  
Quantico, VA 22135

This is for both state and national dues. National reimburses the chapters their state dues. Dues must be paid to attend State & National FBINAA functions.

Also, as a reminder for you and your departments the Michigan Chapter has a new mailing address. ALL correspondence/checks should go to this address:

FBINAA Michigan Chapter  
PO Box 413  
Lakeland, MI 48143

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.  
I can be reached at [BurnsideG@michigan.gov](mailto:BurnsideG@michigan.gov) or 734-260-5850.  
I look forward to seeing you at upcoming chapter events.



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (YLP)

By Darryl Hill



2016 YLP Participant Grace Kendziorski with her father, David Kendziorski and Darryl Hill.

The Michigan Chapter of the FBI National Academy Associates (FBINAA) has always been active in participating in the Youth Leadership Program offered at the FBI Academy. The Program is offered to qualified students (14 –16) who have demonstrated above average academic standards (3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale), as well as good citizenship. The youth have the opportunity to participate in an eight-day program of leadership development at the FBI Academy/DEA facilities in Quantico, Virginia. Michigan Chapter Candidates must be sponsored and related to a chapter member as a son, daughter, step-son, step daughter, grandson, granddaughter, niece, or nephew of the sponsoring member.

This exciting program is offered through the cooperation of the FBI, and individual participants are selected and sponsored by the various state chapters of the FBINAA, who will pay transportation and student sponsorship fees. Further, the counselors and instructional staff for the program will consist of National Academy graduates who are members of the FBINAA and select FBI Special Agent personnel. Guest lecturers in various professional disciplines will also address the students.

Although the program is not limited to young persons interested in a future career in law enforcement, interested candidates should possess a desire to gain knowledge of the American system of criminal justice, as well as ethics, leadership skills, and personal development.

Past Michigan participants in the YLP have had wonderful experiences during their participation in the program. Some have gone on to successful college careers including attending the United States Military Academy at West Point and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. Each year, the student from Michigan attends the chapter's fall luncheon and gives a presentation on their experience at the YLP.

This year's session of the Youth Leadership Program begins June 22, 2017 with arrival at Reagan Airport in Washington, D.C., and will conclude on June 30, 2017 with Departure from Reagan Airport in Washington, D.C. Deadline for Application is March 15, 2017. Please contact Darryl Hill at [hilld16@michigan.gov](mailto:hilld16@michigan.gov) for application information.

# COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2017



By Rick Kalm

The 13th annual FBINAA Michigan Chapter College Scholarship award for 2017 is now accepting applications. The deadline is May 1, 2017. These scholarships grant \$2,500 over four years to recipients to assist with their continuing education at an accredited college or university. A maximum of three (3) scholarships will be funded every year and awarded as follows: freshman year \$250; sophomore year \$500; junior year \$750; senior year \$1,000.

The intent of this program is to:

- Encourage an ongoing college education,
- Promote community involvement,
- Encourage active membership in the FBI National Academy Associates.

To be eligible, high school seniors must be a son, daughter, step-child, niece, nephew, or grandchild of an active FBINAA Michigan Chapter member. The following requirements must be maintained to continue to receive the scholarship for 4 years. The student must:

- Attend school full time.
- Maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- The education must be continuous with the exception of summer break.

Only high school seniors are eligible to apply.

Students wishing to be considered must complete a nomination form from the website at [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org). The application must be postmarked no later than May 1, 2017 and mailed to:

Executive Director Richard Kalm  
C/o Diane Brown  
Michigan Gaming Control Board  
3062 W. Grand Blvd, Suite L-700  
Detroit, MI 48202

The awards will be made no later than June 9, 2017. All applicants will be notified. Persons with questions should contact Rick Kalm at (586) 291-1638.

## **2017 Fall Training Conference**

By: Joshua Monte



The FBINAA Michigan Chapter is proud to announce that the beautiful Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island will host the 2017 FBINAA Michigan Fall Training Conference on September 6-8, 2017. Your Chapter Curriculum Committee is working hard to present another great conference that will once again include the pre-conference golf outing, the 5k run/walk, great guest speakers, topics relevant to today's law enforcement, and great networking opportunities.

Please spread the word to all NA graduates and encourage them to attend this year's conference on Mackinac Island. Join the Michigan FBINAA Chapter's Facebook page and watch the FBINAA Michigan Chapter website ([www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org)) for continuing updates about the 2017 FBINAA Michigan Fall Training Conference.

## **Michigan Police Executive Development Seminar**

By: Bob Young

The 16th annual Michigan Police Executive Development Seminar is scheduled September 17 – 22, 2017 at Garland Resort. This program is conducted by the FBI and FBINAA Michigan Chapter and is designed to provide law enforcement executives opportunity for advanced leadership training. Only executive officers serving in a department of 50 or less sworn members will be considered for attendance. This program is designed with small department executives in mind, providing access to information, programs, and instructors previously only available to larger departments.

As a participant in the Seminar, you independently and in cooperation with others, experience a program that forces you to think about your role as a law enforcement executive. During the Seminar, you examine issues of importance to people in this role, experience life-like examination of organizational behavior through media, leadership and legal training, share experiences and problems experienced by others in small departments, and develop solutions that make you a better executive. This program is sanctioned by the Law Enforcement Executive Development Association (LEEDA) and graduates are invited to join their organization.

This Seminar is limited to 40 individuals and applicants are registered on a "first come, first served" basis, and seats fill quickly. Total cost for the seminar is \$995 per person and includes all lodging, meals, and training materials. Those interested can find more information and registration at [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org).

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## 2016 Fall Training and Luncheon

This year's Fall Luncheon Event was held on November 4, 2016, at The Polish Cultural in Sterling Heights. More than 110 members and guests attended and enjoyed a great lunch (and probably a few too many of the famous cookies).

The keynote speaker was Michigan Secretary of State, Ruth Johnson. She provided some great background on the Michigan Department of State's accomplishments though the last 8 years, and expressed her dedication to Law Enforcement for ferreting out fraud both internally and externally at MDOS. As a surprise, she presented our own FBINAA Michigan Chapter Secretary, Darryl Hill, with a Special Tribute for his exemplarity service as Director of MDOS Office of Investigative Services.

We also heard from one of our most recent FBI National Academy Youth Leadership attendees, Grace Kendziorski, a Bay City Western High School student from Auburn, Michigan. She expressed her gratitude and thanks to the audience for selecting her to represent Michigan at the Youth Leadership Academy. Grace is the daughter of David and Gretchen Kendziorski and David is a Lieutenant with the Saginaw Police Department as well as a graduate of the 260th Session of the NA. The FBI National Academy Youth Leadership program continues to be a valuable program for our young people.

Once again, this FBINAA Michigan Chapter Training and Luncheon provided a great opportunity for our membership to network with other law enforcement and private sector executives. Thank you to our Executive Board and Curriculum Committee for another successful and well-attended event.







# RETIREE'S CORNER

By John Courie

We are going back by popular demand to the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island.



*NOW IS THE TIME TO  
RENEW YOUR DUES!*

*When you renew your  
dues and receive your re-  
ceipt, you will receive a  
25% off Coupon to 5.11*



I hope everyone had a great Christmas and is having a great new year. Now is the time to support the association. The National has a campaign and goal of bringing the membership in the FBI National Academy Associates to seventeen thousand in 2017. As you know, membership in the FBI NAA is limited only to those law enforcement leaders who have completed the FBI's National Academy Program.

Your first year's dues in the FBINAA are picked up by the National. After that, it is our responsibility to pay our National and State Chapter dues in order to remain a member.

If you know someone who allowed their membership to laps but would like to get involved again tell them they are not required to pay their back dues to rejoin. Encourage everyone to participate, remain active, and take full advantage of the services that our organization provides.

If you know someone who went through the NA but allowed their membership in the FBINAA to expire, send me their E-Mail or phone number and I will personally contact them to explain the reasons they should get back involved. I can be reached at [jcourie@schoolcraft.edu](mailto:jcourie@schoolcraft.edu).

If anyone prefers to deal directly with the National, Ms. Jennifer Watson is the Membership Services Coordinator and can be reached at 540-628-0853 or [jwatson@fbinaa.org](mailto:jwatson@fbinaa.org).

# Join us at Bakers of Milford for the 16th Annual Spring Training Luncheon



Greetings FBINNA members! Mark your calendars because the Michigan Chapter will be hosting its Spring Training Luncheon on Friday, April 21, 2017 at 11:30am at Bakers of Milford (located at 2025 South Milford Road in Milford, Michigan). Our guest speaker for the event will be announced soon, so watch our website for details.

We have a delicious menu planned for the event. As always, there is sure to be some social networking and our keynote speaker will provide an insightful message. All FBINAA members are encouraged to attend the event. Take advantage of a wonderful lunch, listen to a guest speaker, see some old friends and make some new contacts. Guests are welcome and encouraged. Your chapter looks forward to seeing you there.



## Chapter Golf Outing Save The Date      New Location!

The Michigan chapter of the FBI National Academy Associates will be holding our annual spring golf outing at a new location this year. The 18 hole event will be held on Friday, June 2, 2017, at the beautiful Mystic Creek Golf Club, <http://www.mysticcreekgolfclub.com>

Mystic Creek Golf Club is located on the grounds of historic Camp Dearborn, in Milford Township, Oakland County, MI. It is only 6 miles north of I-96 and Milford Road. There is no gate entry fee to play in this outing.

The spring golf outing is one of our longest standing traditions, and an event that we all look forward to. Friendships are renewed, and a good time is had by all.

This outing is open to all NA graduates, their guests, and supporters of our organization. Mystic Creek has 27 holes, and can accommodate 200 players, so get your entry in early to secure a four-some.

We have kept the cost at \$100 per player, and this includes golf with cart, registration gift, continental breakfast, lunch at the turn, and dinner after the round. There will also be a 50/50 raffle and other prizes.

Registration begins at 7:30 AM, and the shotgun start is at 8:30 AM.

We also use this event to raise money for our scholarship fund. The Michigan chapter annually awards approximately \$7,500 in college scholarships.

We offer hole sponsorships with signage for \$100. Your assistance with sponsorships would be greatly appreciated. Registration forms are located on our chapter website, [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org)

If you would like to be a sponsor, or have any questions, please contact Dan Keller at [dkeller@whitelakepolice.com](mailto:dkeller@whitelakepolice.com)



FBI National Academy Associates  
**Michigan Chapter**  
 2017 Golf Outing  
 Friday, June 2  
 Mystic Creek Golf Club  
[www.mysticcreekgolfclub.com](http://www.mysticcreekgolfclub.com)



**Cost: \$100.00 for 18 holes with cart  
 Continental Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner  
 Registration Gift also Included!**  
**Proceeds support the FBINAA College Scholarship Fund**  
**MYSTIC CREEK GOLF CLUB**  
 Located on Camp Dearborn at  
 One Champion Circle, Milford, MI

**FORMAT:** Four person scramble, registration and  
 breakfast start at 7:30 a.m., shotgun start at 8:30 a.m.

**PAYMENT:** Checks can be made to FBINAA or paid by  
 PayPal. If PayPal go to [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org)



Send forms/checks to:  
 Robert Young  
 FBINAA Michigan  
 PO Box 481  
 Williamston MI 48895-0481

Name of Golfer	Phone Number	Email

Questions about payment, team information or the event, contact:  
 Dan Keller at (248) 935-6739 or [dkeller@whitelakepolice.com](mailto:dkeller@whitelakepolice.com)

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS FRIDAY MAY 26, 2017!!**

All are welcome to golf.....no need to have attended or be affiliated with the FBINAA.



# FBINAA

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**Thank you for Rejoining the FBINAA! Please complete this form with your current information so we may update our records.**

**Membership Type:**

Member # (if known): \_\_\_\_\_ Session #: \_\_\_\_\_

Active Membership (Sworn position)  Retired Membership

**Additional Membership Options** (choose these only if they apply to you)

Dual (joining additional chapter)  Transfer to/from another chapter

2016 Membership REJOINER Application

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Mailing Address:  Work  Home

Home Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

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Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Chapter Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**DUES:**

Enter the dues amount (\$70 for Active National; \$35 for Retired National; \$15.00 for International) - \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Enter your corresponding Chapter dues (contact Membership if you are unsure) - \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**FORMS OF PAYMENT:**

\*For Credit Card Payments: Fax form to 540-628-0862, email [jwatson@fbinaa.org](mailto:jwatson@fbinaa.org) OR call 540-628-0853 with payment information. Credit Card information will NOT be kept on file & is shredded after processing.

\*For Check Payment, make checks payable to FBINAA, and mail directly to: FBINAA, Attn: Member Services, 422 Garrisonville Rd., Ste 103 Stafford, VA 22554.

Payment Method:  Check  Credit Card (VISA, MASTERCARD, AMEX, DIS)

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

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