



# FBI MICHIGAN CHAPTER

## NATIONAL ACADEMY ASSOCIATES

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### CHRISTOPHER JAHNKE



I certainly hope everyone had a great holiday season- I know we did. How quickly 2017 went by and how fast January scooted through- only one more month of Winter!

Recently, the National Executive Board increased our dues. This is in part as a result of ongoing costs of running an international organization. If we were to lose sponsorship, we would be insolvent, and a non-profit cannot be run that way. Just as our chapter is primarily run on dues- so must the National. In addition, we are, as a chapter, required to pay \$400 more for our share of the Youth Leadership Program (YLP). As many of you may know, in the past, we had lodged the participants of the YLP at Quantico, however, someone had pointed out, in 2016, by law, we were not authorized to do this- house minors. So, now we have to lodge our participants, chaperones and instructors off campus; feed them and bus them in every-day; which nearly tripled our cost from \$37,000 to \$109,000 per year. As you may have noticed- we have not increased our dues- in large part owed to your participation at our yearly events- WE THANK YOU!

Because, in part, I complained, whined and carped so much at the last Chapter Presidents meeting, I was asked by our Chapter 2 Representative, Scott Rhoad and Finance Committee Chairperson Kenneth Truver to put my name in the mix, to be a member for the Finance Committee. I did so, and President Scott Dumas approved the appointment...as they say- be careful what you ask for. None-the-less, I hope we can get a better understanding of where our money is going. I know in the past, there may have been a problem with planning for the future, but hopefully, that was rectified after last year's meeting. Stay tuned.

This year we have great speakers and venues set up for training- especially our Spring Luncheon April 20th being held at the new Little Caesar's Arena. Not only will we have a top notch speaker, we will have our own private "Behind the Curtain" tour of the facility, thanks to Vice President of Ilitch Holdings; Rick Fenton (Session 179). So bring your walking shoes for this 45 minute journey into the latest technological applications in keeping a global stage safe.

I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable winter and see you all on April 20!

# TREASURER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

By Garth Burnside

It is dues time again for 2018. 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 (\$15.00) and national (\$90.00) 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.

**Wisdom** is knowing the right path to take...

**Integrity** is taking it.

FBI NATIONAL ACADEMY ASSOCIATES  
MICHIGAN CHAPTER  
COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2018

The 14th annual FBINAA Michigan Chapter College Scholarship program is now accepting applications for 2018. The deadline is May 1, 2018. These scholarships grant up to \$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 the full 4 years. The student must:

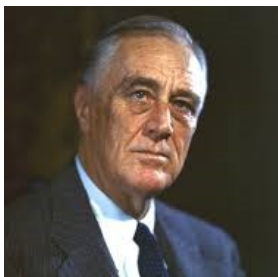
- Attend school full time.
- Maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- The education must be continuous with the exception of summer break.

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, 2018 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 8, 2018. All applicants will be notified. Persons with questions should contact Rick Kalm at (586) 291-1638.



We cannot always build the future for our youth,  
but we can build our youth for the future.

(Franklin D. Roosevelt)

# Michigan Police Executive Development Seminar

By: Bob Young

The 18th session of Michigan Police Executive Development Seminar (MPEDS) will be held this September at Garland Resort, Lewiston, MI. MPEDS provides a quality, cost effective, training opportunity, at an excellent venue, with great team building and networking opportunities. MPEDS includes classes on Improvised Explosive Devices, Grant Writing, media relations, Terrorism, task force investigations, cell phone tracking, executive leadership, and corruption. This one week of training is provided for \$995 including meals & lodging. Next year's class is September 16 - 21, 2018, registration is open, application's are on our website [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org) . Classes size is limited and fills quickly.

## FBINA SESSION 271



(Left to right- Chris Jahnke, Mike Jaafar, Patrick Saunders, Vernon Coakley, Edward Stern, Michael Sokol, Michael Brown and Jason Wright)

# 2017 Fall Luncheon

On November 3, 2017, the Michigan Chapter held our annual fall luncheon at the American Polish Century Club, in Sterling Heights, MI, which was very well attended. This venue has been a favorite of our association for a long time, due to the quality of the food, and the excellent accommodations provided to our organization, and of course the “cookies”.

The most senior member in attendance this year was retired Melvindale Police Chief James Brophy, who attended FBINA session 108. Chief Brophy began his law enforcement career in 1954. We appreciate his continued support and involvement with our chapter.

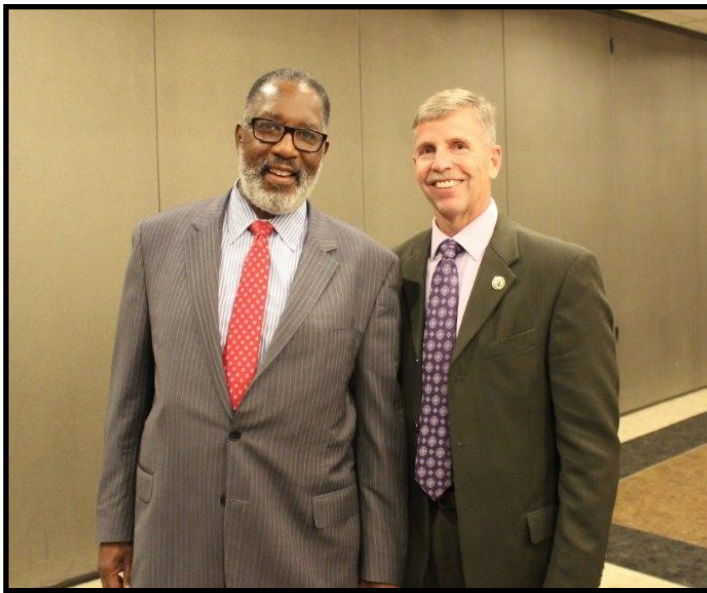
The most recent NA graduate in attendance was Jacqueline Pritchett of the Detroit Police Department, who attended the 269th session.

One of the highlights of the fall lunch is the presentation of our chapter's candidate to the Youth Leadership Program. This year's candidate, Carolyn Hagler, did not disappoint us. She gave us an outstanding and energetic report of her experience this past summer at Quantico. When she was finished it was clear that we had selected the right person to attend!

Carolyn is the daughter of Gary and Marian Hagler. Her father, Gary, is the Chief of Law Enforcement for the Michigan DNR. He is a graduate of the 203rd session of the FBINA.

Our guest speaker was Michigan Supreme Court Justice Kurtis T. Wilder. Justice Wilder gave a very interesting speech which focused on his background and his thoughts on serving as a Supreme Court Justice. It became obvious why Governor Snyder selected him for this position in May of 2017. Thank you Justice Wilder!

# FALL LUNCHEON PHOTOS



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# YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

BY GREG LAURAIN

The Youth Leadership Program is offered to qualified male and female students (14 –16) who have demonstrated above average academic standards (3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale), as well as good citizenship. Students have the opportunity to participate in an eight-day program of leadership development at the FBI Academy/DEA facilities in Quantico, Virginia.

This exciting program is offered through the cooperation of the FBI and DEA. Individual participants are selected and sponsored by the various state chapters of the FBINAA. The chapter pays transportation and student sponsorship fees. This year, participants will also be included from our sister organizations, including LEEDA, NEIA, and the Society of Former Special Agents of the FBI. 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, police organization and function, criminal law, the structure and operation of our criminal courts, as well as leadership skills and personal development.

In the past, participants in the YLP from Michigan 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. Every year, the student from Michigan attends the chapters fall luncheon and gives a presentation on their experience at the YLP.

This year's session of the Youth Leadership Program begins June 21, 2018 and will conclude on June 29, 2018. Qualified candidates are encouraged to complete the application forms found on our website: [www.fbinaamichigan.org](http://www.fbinaamichigan.org) and to submit the forms to Gregory Laurain at [glaurain@vanburen-mi.org](mailto:glaurain@vanburen-mi.org).

Deadline for Application is March 16, 2018.



# RETIREE'S CORNER

By John Courie



## **Hoo-wee! 2018 has arrived!**

I hope that your holiday season has been filled with lots of fun and joy. This is the point at which many of us take a closer look at how we can make 2018 an even better year than 2017.

The FBI National Academy's "17,000 by 2017" campaign, was met. Worldwide, the FBINAA is the largest and strongest police organization.

**The Michigan Chapter ended 2017 with 354 active members.** That number represents a **5% increase** from 2016's figure of 336 members. I attribute our success to the work done by our outstanding curriculum committee, with great presentations at desirable cites.

The Michigan board encourages our members to participate, remain active, and take full advantage of the services that our organization provides. The Michigan Chapter does appreciate your ongoing support and membership.

I am told that the focus for 2018 will shift to "Engagement" through the quality training opportunities by the National and our hardworking Michigan Curriculum Committee. This year the National Conference will be held in Canada.

## **PREMIER TRAINING AND FAMILY FUN IN QUÉBEC CITY**

Designed around your professional development, educational and training needs, the conference has promised to be the most education-packed conference the FBINAA has ever presented. In addition they have planned plenty of local activities and excursions for families. Québec City, a historic European city close to home, is a destination not to be missed.

Membership in the Association is limited only to those law enforcement leaders who have completed the FBI's National Academy Program. Life is short so make the most of it. Contact old NA friends and tell them **SEE YOU IN CANADA!**

To register visit [www.fbinnaa2018.com](http://www.fbinnaa2018.com)

# Join us at Little Caesars Arena for the 17th Annual Spring Training Luncheon

Greetings FBINAA members! Mark your calendars because the Michigan Chapter will be hosting its Spring Training Luncheon on Friday, April 20, 2018 at 11:30am at Little Caesars Arena (located at 2645 Woodward Avenue in Detroit). Our guest speaker for the event will be State Senator and Attorney General candidate Tonya Schuitmaker. Senator Schuitmaker was named legislator of the year by the MACP for her strong support of law enforcement in our State. She will be speaking on issues surrounding various legislation that impacts OPEB, Open Carry and Forfeiture.

Following the luncheon, guided tours of the arena will be available to those who are interested. So come out for a great meal, a time of social networking and the opportunity to hear a very timely and insightful message from our keynote speaker. All FBINAA members are encouraged to attend and as always, guests are welcome. Your chapter looks forward to seeing you there.



# MACP ICEBREAKER PHOTOS



# Chapter Golf Outing

## Heading Back to Mystic Creek!

The Michigan chapter of the FBI National Academy Associates will be holding our annual spring golf outing at the beautiful Mystic Creek Golf Club in Milford, Township. The 18 hole event will be held on Friday, June 1, 2018, at 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 and the staff at Mystic Creek goes out of there way to make sure the event is successful.

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 up to 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

2018 Golf Outing

Friday, June 1, 2018

Mystic Creek Golf Club

Cost: \$100.00 / 18 holes, cart, lunch and dinner  
(Proceeds support the FBINAA Scholarship Fund)  
MYSTIC CREEK GOLF CLUB

One Champion Circle (Camp Dearborn)  
Milford, MI



**FORMAT:** 4-PERSON SCRAMBLE, REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST START AT 7:30AM  
Shotgun start at 8:30AM

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

**ENTRY FORMS/CHECKS SHOULD BE SENT TO:**  
GARTH BURNSIDE  
FBINAA MICHIGAN  
P.O. BOX 413  
LAKELAND, MICHIGAN 48143

Questions about payment and / or the event, contact Dan Keller at:  
(248) 935-6739  
dkeller@whitelakepolice.com

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS FRIDAY, MAY 25, 2018**

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

Name of Golfer:

Phone Number / E-Mail Address:

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2.	_____
3.	_____
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