

THE KEYHOLE NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2011

Minnesota Chapter of ALOA

It is starting to look like fall. Time to put away the lawn mower and make sure the shovels are at hand. Its also time to check all the lights on the van.

Now that half our days are in darkness we need to make sure we are safe on the roads and that we don't get any fix-it-tickets! I was glad to hear that Cheryl made the best of her trip to ALOA this summer. She gave a great presentation recapping the week. It's time to look ahead to nominations for board members.

The chairman, vice chairman, nominating and education seats are all up for election. It has been an honor sitting in the chairman's position but their would not be a meeting if it were not for Pat Moseng. When you run into him make sure you take the time to thank him for all the hours he puts in to make sure things run smooth each and every month.

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MN Members A Special Invite!

West Central Chapter of ALOA Invite to attend

Their Regular Monthly Meeting
Thursday, October 6 at 7:00pm
Location: Ojibway Golf and Bowl

www.locksmithnews.com

www.mnaloa.org

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MN CHAPTER OF ALOA NEXT MEETING

The Minnesota Chapter of ALOA meets the First Wednesday of every month (except July and August) at O'Gara's Bar & Grill located at the corner of Selby and Snelling Avenues in St Paul, Minnesota.

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm Social/Dinner Hour – if you wish to dine in the meeting room, please have your orders placed with the Sargent at Arms no later than 6:30 pm.

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm General Meeting

8:00 pm – 9:00 pm Educational Lecture

Everyone is welcome – please feel free to arrive late or leave early as it suits you. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, October 5th

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MINUTES OF THE BOARD:

September 7, 2011

Meeting called to order: 19:00

Visitors:

Adam – Mpls Lock & Key

Minutes of last meeting:

Read Motion to forgo:

Seconded by:

Treasurers Report:

Motion to Accept: Jim

Seconded by: Denny

Correspondence:

Foty mailed up some stickers from the ALOA convention.

Free for anyone.



Committee Reports:

Education:

Oct 29th, the Wisconsin Chapter will have a Ace class. Site and price to be determined. Contact Janel if your interested. 16th and 17th is the Doyle show. Email danalee337@gmail.com if you need to reach Dana. His other email not working. See newsletter for more information on education. CPR class is possible. 2-day class. February education weekend details will be coming. Nate mentioned he'd do a CO class. MEA has some classes for continuing education. ADI also has some classes coming next week. Mike would like to try and set up another date for a prison tour, do some lock training. Maybe sometime in Oct on a Saturday. (22nd) Free. Anyone interested, let Mike know.

Public Relations:

No Swap meet this year, let's shoot for Reinhardts next year. Dana and Rosemarie have been scoping out new locations for the 2012 Banquet and Education weekend. Also looking for new places for monthly meetings. Anyone with suggestions please let Rosemarie know.

Nominating: Earl is MIA again. Chris Chromey and Chris Clausen most likely will need to be replaced. Vice Chair, and Chair positions up this year.

Legislative:

None at this time.

Membership and Hospitality:

None at this time.

Old Business:

None at this time.

New Business:

Chris is attempting to sell his business up in Taylors Falls. Mike read details. One of the Elwood's children is being deployed to Afganistan for a year. (Matt) Vern has been getting advertising from Legal Locksmith.com. New program is around \$250 per year.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:37

Seconded by: Dana

Raffle: Nathan , Vern Derung, Bruce Marcy, Dana Lee

Education Tickets: Glenn Polyard

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CALENDAR 2011-2012

To volunteer your time, add classes / counter days, or suggest topics call Dana Lee at 612-968-3257
Or email danalee337@gmail.com

Every first Wednesday is Counter Day at Doyle Security Products. Please call 1-800-333-6953 for schedule.

Fox Valley one week beginning locksmith course. Contact Jerry for details. Jerrold G. Antoon, CPP, RL, Coordinator, Security and Crime Prevention Fox Valley Technical College 1825 N. Bluemound Dr. Appleton, WI 54912-2277

<http://www.fvtc.edu/security-crimeprevention> Email antoon@fvtc.edu

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Wednesday, October 5, 2011 Nate Spitz from IR SSC Introduction to Schlage Offline Electronic Lock.

Saturday, October 29, 2011 Detention Hardware ACE Class. L-43 Elective for NAational ALOA members. Instructor, Phillip Poindexter, CRL. Chippewa Falls High School, Chippewa Falls, WI. Contact Janell Briggs, 715-579-1138 for details.

Wednesday, November 2, 2011 Tony Stieber and the ongoing Information Security Forum.

Wednesday, December 7, 2011 Gene Simon presents Major Manufacturing new products, and some LAB news. Maybe, just maybe, Laurie will come along.

Wednesday, January 4, 2012 TBA.

Wednesday, February 1, 2012 TBA.

FEB 17, 18, 19 Weekend: I am considering Aluminum Storefront Servicing and Life Safety Codes with Dave Thielen, Computer Masterkey Programs and High Security Cylinders & Keys or Large Format IC Cylinder Servicing with Lloyd Seliber. And of course a PRP test Sunday morning. Most likely venue will be in Plymouth, MN.

Wednesday, March 7, 2012 TBA.

Wednesday, April 4, 2012 TBA.

Monday, April 30 - Saturday, May 5, 2012 SAVTA Convention & Trade Show, Myrtle Beach, SC. See www.savta.org for details.

Wednesday, May 2, 2012 TBA.

Wednesday, June 6, 2012 TBA

MOBILE LOCK AND DOOR SERVICE BUSINESS FOR SALE

Service area includes Twin Cities Northeast Metro and Western Wisconsin.

\$110,000 2010 gross income.

Includes Chevrolet 2500 Express service van and all equipment and inventory.

Medeco, Emtex, and Record Automatic Operator dealer.

Owner is a Certified Registered Locksmith and is willing to train purchaser.

Extensive account list for many apartments, shopping malls, cities, county, and hospital.

AAA, Allstate, and Signature Service Provider

Service contracts with several maintenance service companies.

Business includes 4 phone numbers, including 800 #.

\$59,000

For more information call Chris @ 651-674-8783 or chris@amadorlocksmith.com

APACHE LOCK & KEY/Locksmith Business For Sale - \$125000 (St. Anthony, Coon Rapids)

Locksmith business for sale. Turn key business. Almost 50 years in business. We do commercial, residential and automotive. It is about 60% commercial, 30% residential and 10% automotive. Had a storefront for almost 40 years and over last 6, expanded a vast amount into commercial and slowly phased out the retail store. It is a very well known and trusted name in the industry and community. Has a large amount of very good long standing accounts. Includes everything, van, tools, equipment, machines, inventory, telephone #'s and more. Everything the business uses now, stuff from years back and everything needed to ensure continued success into the next 50 years. Will stay on for first 6 months and always able to help and answer questions as long as needed to ensure continued success into your future. This business and my customers have meant a lot to me and I would want that for the new owner. Owner retiring. Serious inquiries only please. Email any questions to dsbier@q.com. Asking \$125,000/negotiable. 763-784-LOCK or 612-781-2102/Doug Bier

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES Contact Patrick Moseng, CRL at mnalookeynotes@comcast.net or 651-437-2749

Education Events

Any education event can be submitted to Dana for inclusion in the monthly calendar. See calendar for contact info.

Free Classes

if you have a free class coming up, we will publish your registration form in the newsletter at no cost.

Non-Free Classes

If you pay to print your single page flier, we'll include it in the newsletter at no charge. Multiple pages may be subject to charge for postage as applicable.

Articles, announcements, letters to the editor and other submissions are encouraged!

Submissions may be edited for content or length at the discretion of the editor.

Due date for all submissions is the 15th of the month prior to publication.



MN Chapter Locksmiths

As many of you have heard, our dear Locksmith Friends, Bill & Linda Smith from WI Locksmiths-West Central Chapter of ALOA experienced a sad loss this past weekend. Bill's son, Randy, passed away Friday, Sept 16th 2011.

To Bill & Linda and family we send our deepest sympathy for their grief and loss.

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