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President's Message



Dear Alumni:

I wanted to check in with our alumni to be sure everyone is doing the best they can during this incredible COVID19 pandemic. We have had to postpone the Mandalay Bay presentation, but we are planning to reschedule for later this year. Class 16 was supposed to start this past week and it was also postponed.

I checked in with SAC Jim Langenberg and told him that the alumni are here to support his team in whatever is needed.

Our Board of Directors have decided to partner with the Bernalillo County Sheriff's Citizen Alumni Academy and Sheriff Gonzalez to reach out and support our community during this time. We would hope our alumni could donate at [the link provided](#) or drop off some needed goods at the address in the press release below.

Even though we have had a delay in activities this year due to COVID 19, we look forward to a great year. We are also looking at adding another event with a great speaker in the 2nd quarter.

Stay safe and be kind to one another,

Tim

******* PRESS RELEASE ******* **BCSO Community Outreach**

Sheriff Gonzales Partners with Admiral Beverage, Albertsons Grocery, Sysco Foods, Jerry's Market, Smith's Grocery, Pepsi, Broken Trail Brewery, Altar'd State & JPR Gravel to Launch COVID 19 Community Service Partnership

Sheriff's Community Action Team hotline number is(505) 331-9378
for those in dire need of necessities

Albuquerque, NM - Today, Sheriff Manuel Gonzales III announced the Sheriff's Office will partnering with local businesses, nonprofits, and social services to help fulfill some of the basic needs of those who are unable to access the items or services that they require due to quarantine, mobility issues, or lack of public transportation. Sheriff Manuel Gonzales III has established a hotline for people to call to request basic necessities such as toiletries, bottled water, bread, milk, and/or similar products. This resource is intended for those in dire need who have exhausted all other means of obtaining these rudimentary necessities. The collaborative effort is a community endeavor and will do its best to help those who have genuine need of these items or social services.

"During a pandemic such as COVID-19, we recognize that service is of the utmost importance, and in a compassionate community, the needs of all the people must be recognized and met," said Sheriff Gonzales. "The well-being of each community member is a priority. Simply stated, in a compassionate community, people are motivated by empathy to take responsibility and care for one another. A community where compassion is fully alive has the ability to thrive and be resilient. It is a community whose members are moved by empathy to take compassionate action and are able to confront crises with innovative

solutions. Our community is resilient enough to bounce back from natural and man-made disasters such as COVID-19. I want to thank all of our partners for partnering with BCSO so we can care for our children, families, and seniors."

The Sheriff's Community Action Team can be reached at (505) 331-9378. If you wish to donate or participate please call this number.

Letter from Jeff Miller, President BCSO Citizen's Alumni Association.

Hello to All,

I hope everyone is doing well as we go thru this saga of life.

Sheriff Gonzalez and BCSO initiated a community outreach program yesterday with a call in hotline.

I am asking our Alumni to join in and help with this effort to help our community.

If any member can get any kind of donation, monetary or non perishable items, please do so

BCSO is setting up a go-fund me page in our name. If you are not comfortable with donating thru that page, I can pick up any donations from you or you are welcome to go the central drop off point where they have deputies working 8 AM to 4 PM.

*Central drop off point:
Admiral Beverage
3980 Prince St SE
It is off of Rio Bravo*

At this point, they are not encouraging any of us to physically help, this is for safety reasons. If that changes, I will reach out to you as needed.

I want to thank all of you for helping to make this Alumni the best Alumni Association in the country! Your participation and support has always exceeded any expectations.

I also want to thank Tim Sheahan, current President of the FBI Citizens academy for his involvement on getting their organization to partner with ours. I think this is the first of many joint projects in which the two alumni's will pursue.

Please do not respond all to this email -you can text me, call me or email me directly.

Everyone please stay safe and if you need anything, reach out, we are all in this together!

*Thanks
Jeff
505-385-9006*

Team here is an update: (March 20, 2020)

Exciting things going on! Just wanted to update all of our wonderful partners. The BCSO Community Action Team and delivered 40 boxes today! Thank you to everyone for all of the help and contacts. The BCSO Citizens Academy Alumni Association has started a GoFund me page to assist in our efforts. Here is the link if you know anyone else who would like to support.

[GoFundMe Link](#)



FBI MEDIA ALERT: Albuquerque FBI Division presents Director's Community Leadership Award

Albuquerque FBI Special Agent in Charge James Langenberg presented the 2019 FBI Director's Community Leadership Award today to Chris Schueler, the Emmy® Award-winning founder of Christopher Productions, for partnering with the FBI to host youth events about the dangers of opioid abuse, vaping, and other important topics.

Each of the FBI's 56 field offices annually selects an individual or organization to receive this award, which honors efforts in combating crime, terrorism, drugs, and violence in America.

Mr. Schueler, who has received 27 Emmys, is also the executive director of SafeTeen New Mexico, a non-profit established in 2001 to help youth make healthy decisions. The organization has reached more than 250,000 teens.

"Although I'm honored to receive this fantastic recognition, it's really a recognition of all the work of our youth partners that is being honored by this," Mr. Schueler said. "I'm certainly thrilled to receive this on behalf of them, the SafeTeen Board, and our crew from Christopher Productions. Our real joy is working with youth to help their peers and everyone else in our community make healthier decisions for the future."

SAC Langenberg presented a certificate to Mr. Schueler at the Albuquerque FBI Field Office. Mr. Schueler has been invited to a ceremony that will be held on May 1, 2020, in Washington, D.C., where FBI Director Christopher Wray will present him and other recipients with crystal awards.

In October 2019, Mr. Schueler supported an Opioid Awareness Summit hosted by the FBI Albuquerque Citizens Academy Alumni Association and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration. He agreed to be a speaker and also provided a documentary he created on the use of E-cigarettes by the youth community.

Mr. Schueler in the past 20 years has created more than 100 television programs that have been broadcast throughout the country and around the world. A former teacher, Mr. Schueler focuses on educational and social issues in creating children's programming, cultural and social documentaries, and family series television.

"Our recipient this year has used his extraordinary talents to help young people lead healthier, happier lives," SAC Langenberg said. "We are proud to present the FBI Director's Community Leadership Award to Chris, who has been an enthusiastic ally of our efforts to protect the next generation."

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Mark your calendars for the following:

- March 18, 2020 2020 Citizens Academy Begins-POSTPONED
- March 26, 2020 Mandalay Bay Presentation-POSTPONED
- April 10, 2020 Breakfast with SAC Langenberg-POSTPONED
- June 15-18, 2020 Washington, DC and Quantico Trip
- August 19-21, 2020 National Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- August 27, 2020 Pulse Nightclub Presentation



Membership Reminder:

Those of you that have already renewed your 2020 Gold Shield Membership, a sincere thank you for your continued service and support with the FBIACAAA!

If you have not renewed or maybe even never been a member, we request you please consider renewing or becoming an FBIACAAA Gold Shield Member! In addition to supporting the mission and objectives of the FBIACAAA! To pay your dues online, follow this link. If you prefer to send a check, please send it to: PO Box 92142, Albuquerque, NM 87199.

We have a wonderful event schedule planned for 2020, and events exclusive for Gold Shield Members only. Gold

Shield Member events include:

- The opportunity to join SAC James Langenberg at a bi-annual informal breakfast to discuss current areas of interest and ask questions.
- Participate in a private tour of FBI Headquarters in Washington, DC as well as the FBI Academy in Quantico, VA.
- Additional special guest speakers throughout the year.
- You will be sent special invites at the discretion of the SAC throughout the year as opportunities arise.

We hope you will consider joining us as Gold Shield Member for \$50 and supporting FBIACAAA in 2020!

See what's happening on our social sites.



Mission

The Albuquerque Citizens Academy Alumni Association is a community-based and supported organization, distinct and separate from the FBI. The association is expected to project a positive image of the FBI in the communities, identify crime problems affecting specific communities, and establish the exchange of information between the FBI and the community.