



Jacksonville



St. Augustine



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Mark Your Calendar

Upcoming Events:

Board Meeting
March 12th 10:00am – 11:00am

Lunch Meeting
March 18th 11:30am – 1:00pm

***Free to Attend**

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Announcements:

- March is ASIS Member Appreciation Month! – Information on Page 4
- We still have Committee Chair positions open – If interested in serving, contact a Board member today
- If interested in hosting / sponsoring a monthly lunch meeting, please contact a Board member
- Check out our revitalized website. It has been updated with current information as well as new resources such as links to military to civilian transition resources.



Upcoming Lunch Meeting and Presentation

Join us for our March meeting where we will hear from our guest speaker, ***Sheriff T.K. Waters - Jacksonville Sheriff's Office***, whose law enforcement career spans over 30 years.



March 18, 2024
11:30 am – 1:00pm
Lunch provided by Allied Universal

Vystar Tower
76 S. Laura Street
Jacksonville, FL 32202



February Lunch Meeting and Presentation Recap

On February 13th, the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office gave the chapter an informative presentation regarding the ConnectDuval program. ConnectDuval is a new public safety program that allows residents and businesses to register and integrate their cameras with JSO. This program enhances emergency preparedness by allowing public safety to better assess and rapidly respond to criminal activity and emergency situations.

The presentation was given by Sgt. Robert Lisotta and his team. For more information go to the ConnectDuval webpage at:

[Home – ConnectDuval](#)

The meeting was hosted by The Bolles School who also catered lunch.



March is ASIS Membership Appreciation Month



March is ASIS Membership Appreciation Month and each day ASIS members can enjoy members only content releases, webinars, sales and giveaways.

Members are encouraged to join a subject area community, reach out to a mentor, partake in an upcoming event or pursue a desired certification.

Member Exclusive Sales

Each Week members can enjoy further savings on ASIS' most popular items.

- 1-6 March: [24% off the CPP Study Manual \(Print and eBook\)](#)
- 7-12 March: [24% off the PSP Study Manual \(Print and eBook\)](#)
- 13-18 March: [24% off the APP Study Manual \(Print and eBook\)](#)
- 19-24 March: [24% off all ASIS Certificate Courses](#)
- 25-31 March: [24% off all ASIS eBooks](#)

Log into your ASIS Member Account to automatically receive your member discount.

Member Exclusive Webinars

- 6 March - [ASIS Mentoring Program Meetup - How to Get Involved!](#)
- 6 March - [Networking Across Career Stages: A Panel Discussion](#)
- 12 March – [ASIS Member Orientation](#)
- 12 March – [Does Your Existing Active Assailant Plan Adequately Protect Your People from Harm and Your Company from Liability](#)
- 13 March – [Creating Impactful Presentations](#)
- 19 March – [Security Equality: Navigating the Gender Gap in the Security Industry](#)
- 20 March – [ASIS Member Orientation \(in Spanish\)](#)
- 27 March – [Ask Me Anything – ASIS Awards Program](#)

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2024 Event Calendar

Month	Event
Feb. 2024	Lunch meeting at The Bolles School – 11:30am – 1:00pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ConnectDuval presentation from the Jacksonville Sheriff’s Office
March 2024	Lunch meeting at Vystar Tower - 11:30am – 1:00pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sheriff T.K. Waters from the Jacksonville Sheriff’s Office 
Mar – Apr 2024	ASIS Grants and Scholarships applications accepted <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deadline is April 15th 
April 2024	Workplace Violence Prevention Awareness Month <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Goal of increasing awareness to recognize, prevent and respond to WV events
May 2024	Law Enforcement Appreciation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LE Appreciation week is the week of May 12th 
May 2024	Military Appreciation Month 
June 2024	Security 2 nd Annual LeadHER Conference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hosted by ASIS and SIA June 24th – 25th in Phoenix, Arizona 
Sept. 2024	Global Security Exchange (GSX) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> September 23rd – 25th in Orlando, FL 
Oct. 2024	Lunch meeting (Location TBD) Oct. 8 th 11:30am – 1:00pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsored by AlertMedia Speaker will be Sara Pratley, VP of Global Intelligence Topic: Emerging Threats and Threat Outlook 
Oct. 2024	Chapter Officer Nominations Finalized <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be finalized by October 31st
Nov 2024	Chapter Board Election <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voting takes place between November 1st and November 14th
Dec 2024	Chapter holiday gathering and charity drive <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Date, location and designated charity TBD



Legislative Update

Florida Legislature

HB 275 / SB 340 – Critical Infrastructure: Received resounding approval and is headed to Gov. DeSantis for signature. The Bill is designed to safeguard infrastructure integral to daily life, commercial activities, and the efficient flow of goods and services across the state.

HB 473 / SB 658 Cybersecurity: Passed by the House and headed to the Senate with an 81-28 vote. This Bill seeks to incentivize companies to embrace robust, nationally-recognized cybersecurity protocols and standards by offering liability protections if there is a data breach.

U.S. Legislature

H.R. 6150: To amend the National Security Act of 1947 to include school security as an element of the National Security Strategy, and for other purposes. The Bill would add a paragraph stating, *“To amend the National Security Act of 1947 to include school security as an element of the National Security Strategy, and for other purposes”*. The Bill would require the Secretary of Education and the Secretary of Homeland Security to conduct a comprehensive assessment of threats to elementary schools, secondary schools, and institutions of higher education in the United States; to consult with the chief executive of each State; and to jointly submit a report on the results of the assessment no later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of the Act to the appropriate congressional committees and congressional leadership.

H.R. 2899: To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide for additional grant amounts for protection against mass violence by inserting *“\$20,000,000, to be granted by the Attorney General to States, units of local governments, and other nonprofit organizations that serve victims of crime to provide compensation, training, and technical assistance to public assembly facilities to prepare against mass violence and to protect public assembly facilities from mass violence.”* The term “public assembly facility” means a permanent or temporary structure or facility, place or activity where concentrations of people gather in reasonably close quarters for purposes including deliberation, education, worship, shopping, employment, entertainment, recreation, sporting events, or similar activities.

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Fallen Officers

2024 Total Line of Duty Deaths:	23
2024 FL Line of Duty Deaths:	2
2024 Total K9 Line of Duty Deaths:	3
2024 FL K9 Line of Duty Deaths:	1

2024 Roll Call

[Deputy Sheriff Justin Smith](#)

Stone County Sheriff's Office, AR
EOW: Tuesday, January 2, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Eric Anthony Minix](#)

Coweta County Sheriff's Office, GA
EOW: Thursday, January 4, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Jeremy Malone](#)

George County Sheriff's Office, MS
EOW: Thursday, January 4, 2024

[Lieutenant David J. McShane](#)

New York State Environmental Conservation Police, NY
EOW: Monday, January 22, 2024

[Trooper Joel Popp](#)

Michigan State Police, MI
EOW: Wednesday, January 24, 2024

[Sergeant Michael "Zini" Kurinzi](#)

Elizabeth Police Department, NJ
EOW: Saturday, January 27, 2024

[Trooper Jimmy Cenescar](#)

Georgia State Patrol, GA
EOW: Sunday, January 28, 2024

[Chief Deputy Sheriff Ken Prorok](#)

Moody County Sheriff's Office, SD
EOW: Friday, February 2, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Timothy Tavarus Rivers](#)

Crawford County Sheriff's Office, GA
EOW: Tuesday, February 6, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Christopher Johnson](#)

Harnett County Sheriff's Office, NC
EOW: Tuesday, February 6, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Greg McCowan](#)

Blount County Sheriff's Office, TN
EOW: Thursday, February 8, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Rondald Bates](#)

Harris County Sheriff's Office, TX
EOW: Saturday, February 10, 2024

[Patrol Officer Jonah Hernandez](#)

Las Cruces Police Department, NM
EOW: Sunday, February 11, 2024

[Sergeant Nevada Krinkee](#)

Sheridan Police Department, WY
EOW: Tuesday, February 13, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Robert John Leonard](#)

Meigs County Sheriff's Office, TN
EOW: Wednesday, February 14, 2024

[Police Officer Paul Elmstrand](#)

Burnsville Police Department, MN
EOW: Sunday, February 18, 2024

[Police Officer Matthew Henke Ruge](#)

Burnsville Police Department, MN
EOW: Sunday, February 18, 2024

[Trooper First Class Chase Winston Redner](#)

Georgia State Patrol, GA
EOW: Tuesday, February 20, 2024

[Deputy Sheriff Charles Rivette](#)

Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, TX
EOW: Wednesday, February 21, 2024

[Police Officer Wisbens Antoine](#)

Knoxville Police Department, TN
EOW: Sunday, February 25, 2024

[Officer Cody Allen](#)

Independence Police Department, MO
EOW: Thursday, February 29, 2024

[Trooper Christopher M. Gadd](#)

Washington State Patrol, WA
EOW: Saturday, March 2, 2024

2024 K9 Roll Call

[K9 Nyx](#)

Rockford Police Department, IL
EOW: Sunday, January 28, 2024

[K9 Luca](#)

DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, MS
EOW: Wednesday, February 21, 2024

2024 Florida Roll Call



[Trooper Zachary Fink](#)

Florida Highway Patrol, FL
EOW: Friday, February 2, 2024



[K9 Leo](#)

Marion County Sheriff's Office, FL
EOW: Tuesday, February 20, 2024

Chapter Leaders

Elected Board



Chris Cannon
Chair



Michael Dunn
Vice-Chair



John Libby
Treasurer



Christie Walters
Secretary

Committee Leaders

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