

DELINQUENCY CONTROL INSTITUTE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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Six Week Courses:

123rd Class:
September 11 -
October 20, 2006

124th Class:
January 8 -
February 16, 2007

One Week Seminars:

Child Abuse:
November 13-17, 2006
@Palm Desert
March 12-16, 2007
@Lake Arrowhead
May 14-18, 2007
@Lake Arrowhead

**Advanced Child Abuse
and Interviewing:**
December 4-8, 2005
@Lake Arrowhead
June 4-8, 2007
@Palm Desert

Juvenile Justice Update:
April 16-20, 2007
@Lake Arrowhead

PRESS RELEASE: NEW D.C.I. LOCATION ANNOUNCED

And it's good news! The Dean's Office has indicated that our long-awaited return to a permanent facility is eminent. Effective August 15, the Delinquency Control Institute will be housed downtown (1150 South Olive St.) in an 11th floor suite...with offices and a classroom! The areas are now being painted, carpeted and furnished, ...and we will have our own media equipment, along with a computer(s) area for student use. Although the Oakwood arrangement in Marina del Rey has worked-out well, it'll be nice to have our own space...akin to the situation we enjoyed for years in the Tyler Building.



“an 11th floor suite... with offices and a class-room!”

ICTA FROM THE DIRECTOR -

Yes, another set of successes! Both classes (121 & 122) went well, very well: As was evidenced by my reference at Graduation to my wife's question toward the end of the third week - She asked if anything was wrong with Dan and I, I said "No, why would you think so" ... "Because you're not always on the phone with him anymore," she replied. The point - we didn't have any DCI problems to solve!!
These last two classes were also more cozy - more comfortable - than most. Meaning to say, the relatively smaller size allowed each of us to really get-to-know one another.



Which in turn enhances our opportunities to exchange experiences, ideas, etc. (aka Networking!)

Lastly, Classes 121 and 122 continued "the trend" whereby academic performance was again better than before ...Which is a result of one of the few changes I'll take credit for, in that I have worked to make the usual assignments more relevant and reasonable, with an eye for a balance between the theoretical and the practical.
Until next time, with appreciation and anticipation.

-(Dr. W.) Garrett Capune
Director & Professor

MESSAGE FROM THE PROGRAM MANAGER

Hi Gang,

Well, we just completed the 121st and 122nd classes and we couldn't have had two better classes. As you know, we are conducting the classes at the Oakwood facility and we couldn't ask for better arrangements. The staff at Oakwood has been extremely cordial and helpful and because of laxed travel arrangements by P.O.S.T., many of the students are staying at the Oakwood apartments for the entire six weeks. Garrett and I both agree that our students and classes seem to be constantly improving.

As most of you know, we

started a memorial award named after Rick Crocker, the Santa Monica officer who was honor graduate of the 115th class. He was also a major in the Marine Corps who was in his second activation in Iraq when we has killed by a roadside explosive device. With the assistance of Chief James T. Butts Jr. and the U.S. Marine Corps. (who assisted in the making of the plaque) and along with Rick's family who attended the graduation to make the presentation, this honor is presented at each graduation to the officer who best exemplifies the outstanding character traits as lived daily by Rick Crocker. I'm proud to say that at the graduation of the 121st class Matt Rice, from Santa Monica

P.D., and Bob Higgins, from Hermosa Beach P.D., were recipients and from the 122nd class John Watkins, Long Beach P.D., and Alice Porter, Monterey Park P.D., were the worthy recipients. I have to say that knowing the kind of man that Rick was, I cannot think of a greater honor than winning this award.

The winners of the prestigious Bob Barry Directors Emeritus Award from the 121st class were Matt Rice from the Santa Monica P.D. along with Rodney Bishop from the South Gate P.D.; and from the 122nd class was Paul Pine from the Maywood P.D.

-Dan Kuhn

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D.C.I., Where are they Now?

Doings from Dan's Desk:

I know we're out of the Tyler Building, but please don't stop sending us info on your "doings" - just send them to dankuhn@adelphia.net so I can put them in the newsletter.

We start off with big news. Bill Brown, President of the 91st class (then Chief of the Moscow Idaho P.D. and currently the Chief of the Lompoc P.D.), is running for Sheriff of Santa Barbara County out here in California. I'm sure you all join me in wishing him the best of luck. We all know what an outstanding sheriff he will make.

Justin Eisenberg, Class 96 from L.A.P.D., is now a Lieutenant and in charge of the

Bomb Squad - Be careful with that stuff Justin.

Milton McKinnon, president of the 120th class and a member of the D.C.I. Alumni Association, was promoted to Sergeant - Couldn't have happened to a nicer guy Milt.

Clint Grimes, Chaplain of the 111th Class and all around good guy, has good news and bad news for us. The good news is he's high on the Sergeant list for Long Beach P.D., but the bad news is he's going to Kuwait for 8 months. Clint, we all wish you God's Speed and get back to us safely.

Also, two graduates of D.C.I. from the Los Angeles, Sheriff's Department have been promoted to Sergeant.

Bill Bevans from Class 111 and Albert Maldonado from Class 118 - Way to go Guys!

I'll wrap it up with some more good news. Our outstanding instructor from L.A.P.D., Jim Brown, was the recipient of the prestigious D.C.I. Alumni of the Year presented at each January graduation.

And finally, under the "we're keeping our fingers crossed section, Tom Eckert from the 105th Class is in line for the Chief's position with the Hermosa Beach P.D. He's one of 6 finalists - Good luck Tom. We'll keep you posted.

That's it for now gang. Please keep these cards and letter coming.

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