



November 15, 2013

# Alabama Locksmith Association

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## Lots of Great Things for 2014

### AESBL Meeting was Good

Alabama Locksmiths will be glad to know some great changes were made this November 5, meeting and one of those was starting January 1st, 2014 Locksmiths will only be required to have 8 CEU credits annually (yearly).

1. It was again discussed and decided that making a key for a car or anything effecting a door lock-picking, putting a tool in the door is considered servicing a lock and has to have a locksmith license.

2. Companies located out of the State of Alabama that call you to give you work do not have to have a license, because they are not doing the work. They do have to have a license if they have a web site that says they are locksmiths themselves. These companies are popping up more and more and refer work to locksmiths--Get as much information as you can about the company and web site.

3. Effective for licensing year beginning January 1, 2014, this board will phase in a licensing fee for a two-year period. For license year 2014, all companies with a name

beginning A through H and these company employees shall apply for a one-year license with annual fees. All companies with the name beginning I through Z and these company employees shall apply for a two-year license with double the annual fees. Beginning January 1, 2015, and thereafter, all companies and employees will apply for a two-year license with double the annual fees.

### 304-X-1-.07 Cease and Desist Orders

- (1) The Board may conduct inspections relative to the operations of unlicensed persons to ensure lawful compliance.
- (2) If the Board has information relative to a person's unlawful activity, conduct or practice, the Board may issue an order for the person to show cause why an order should not be issued directing the person to cease and desist from the activity, conduct, practice or the performance of any work being done or about to be commenced,
- (3) If the person who receives an order from the Board files a written request for a hearing before the Board within 14 days after receipt of the order, the Board, not less than thirty days thereafter, shall hold a hearing on the matter.
- (4) After a hearing, or if no

hearing is requested, the Board may issue a Cease and Desist Order in the name of the State of Alabama under the seal of the Board.

(5) If the person to whom the Board directs a Cease and Desist Order does not cease or desist the prescribed activity, conduct, practice or performance of the work immediately, the Board may petition any court of competent jurisdiction to issue a writ of injunction enjoining the person from performing the work.

(6) Upon a showing by the Board that the person has engaged or is engaging in any work prohibited by the Board's law, the court shall grant injunctive relief enjoining the person from engaging in such unlawful activity.

(7) Upon the issuance of a permanent injunction, the court may fine the offending person up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000), plus costs and attorney fees for each offense, and may be rendered in the same judgment in which the injunction is made absolute.

(8) Any person violating this Board's law who fails to cease work after a hearing and notification from the Board shall not be eligible to apply for a license from the Board for a period of one year from the date of official notification to cease work.

**Locksmith Test for 2013      Cost: \$100**

**Make checks payable to Alabama Locksmith Association**

Place: Holiday Inn  
2901 John Hawkins Parkway  
Hoover, AL 3 5244  
Time: 12:30 Noon

**Alternative Entry Techniques / Life Safety Codes w/ADA (P-07)**

Saturday December 7th - Sunday December 8th, 2013  
8 Hours on Saturday / 4 Hours (8am-12pm) Sunday

**B003 Alternative Entry Techniques**      This class deals with the last resort techniques and theory of cylinder bypass methods. Demonstrations of bypass techniques covering some of the most popular residential and commercial locksets will be performed.

**B012 Life Safety Codes w/ADA (P-07)**      This is a must class for the Locksmith/security professional of the 21st Century. The areas covered will include the new International Building Code, IBC 2006 Chapters 3, 4,10 & 11. The National Fire Protection Association, NFPA 80-2007, NFPA 101-2006, Underwriters Laboratories product listings, and ADA Act of 1990. Each student will leave with a clear understanding of how the building and fire codes work. Each student will receive a manual for a future reference guide. **Lab Fee \$45.00** for the class manual. The information presented will be useful in preparing for PRP section L-07.

Anyone needing help with their license packet, bring it Sunday  
December 8th at 12:30pm and we will help you fill it out

**Schedule for December 7th and 8th**

Saturday Dec 7th 8:00am Class Starts    12:00pm-1:00pm is lunch    5:00 pm class ends  
Saturday 5:00 pm General Membership Meeting and Election

Saturday 6:30 pm Christmas Party  
Sunday 8:00- 12:00pm Class                      12:00pm Filling out license packets

\_\_\_\_ Test 100.00      \_\_\_\_\_ Class 200.00      \_\_\_\_\_ Lab Fee 45.00

Registration on line or send in with check

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

December 14, 2014

Dallas Brooks with American Lock & Key in Montgomery is having IDN Armstrong, and Kaba E-plex to do a four hour class 8-12. There is space for 20 people ONLY and remember these credits are good for 18 months. The cost of the class will be 35.00.

\$ 35.00 Members      \$ 50.00 Non-Members

American Lock & Key    Dallas Brooks  
4021 E Troy Highway  
Montgomery, Al 36116  
334-286-9801

Registration on line or send in with check

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_

Christmas Party

Saturday December 7th, 2013, right after class and Election Meeting

Place: Holiday Inn  
2901 John Hawkins Parkway  
Hoover, AL 3 5244

Party should start about 6:30pm with food music and fun for the kids and Adults. The Adults will play DIRTY SANTA, **but you must bring a gift worth no more than 20.00 to play**. It can be a locksmith gift, a bottle, or anything for a man or women. And their will be door prizes given out by Santa Clause , but you must be present to win. There will be crafts for the kids and goody bags. If you have never been you must come and bring the family as we celebrate and fellowship with fellow Locksmith families at this very special time of year.



Register for Christmas Party

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_

Child \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

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# Nominations for Officers and Committees 2014

Nominations must be from a paid member of the Alabama Locksmith Association in good standing with the AESBL Licensing Board. Please list name and company.

**We all need your votes and support at the Christmas Party Thanks**

**Chairman:** The chairman will be expected to attend all State Board meetings and direct association meetings. Keep up to date on all changes to rules, laws or attentive law changes.

1. John David Orr has been co-chairman for the last two terms owns Brooks Lock & Key in Decatur, Al and another location has been a locksmith for nine years
2. Lee Schofield was chairman before and during his term was instrumental in providing a lobbyist to help us become part of the AESBL Board and law and stop Alarm laws from taking over all electronic work he is located in Clanton
3. Bryan Rayburn has been a locksmith for twenty+ years and a member of this association he owns Lighthouse Locksmith in Mobile, Al
4. Van D. Johnson has worked for Cullman Locksmith for twenty years has been a member of this association during that time and was very instrumental in providing the board with information to help come up with the definition of a lock for cars
5. Tom Robertson works for Pop-A-Lock he is in Birmingham area and has helped catch locksmith scammers in the act and wants to do more to stop them

**1<sup>st</sup> Co-Chairman:** The co-chairman will be expected to be located in another part of the state from the chairman and attend to any business in their location that the chairman cannot. Also, they will be expected to oversee any meeting the chairman cannot attend. Will take chairman's place if he has to resign for any reason.

1. John David Orr                      2. Lee Schofield                      3. Bryan Rayburn 4. Van D. Johnson                      5. Tom Robertson

**2<sup>nd</sup> Co-Chairman:** The 2<sup>nd</sup> co-chairman also needs to be in another part of the state from the chairman and co-chairman and attend to any business in their location that the chairman cannot. Also, they will be expected to oversee any meeting the chairman cannot attend.

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**Secretary:** Record the proceedings of all meetings of the ALA. Distribute a copy of the board minutes to the board members within thirty (30) days and keep up to date copies for future reference. Have custody of all books and papers except those specifically assigned to other officers and chairmen. Help the other board members anyway needed.

1. **Beryl Adkisson** Owner of Jubilee Lock & Key in Daphne, Al for the past seven years, and served on the board for the Nursing Association and the continuing education approval Attends many of the AESBL Board meetings.

**Treasure:** Oversee all ALA money accounts. Keep an accurate account of all moneys received and disbursed; Disburse money for approved budgeted items upon receipt of invoice or other documentation from the member responsible for the budget item. Provide information for the filing of all ALA tax and accounts forms on time. Prepare a financial statement for ALA meetings

1. **Barbara McGowin** owner of St. Clair Lock & Key in Pell City for twenty-seven years with husband Robert, have served as Treasure of Association

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** Ensure attendance of restricted meetings is limited to ALA members in good standing; Ensure peace and security at all ALA meetings; Perform other duties as directed by the board.

1. **Troy Bramlett** owner of Troy's Lock & Key in Hazel Green, Al has been a Sargent-in-Arms in another association

### **Committees:**

Committees are very much needed for any association to grow. Spouses of licensed locksmiths or employees along with licensed locksmiths can be of so much help to the association in so many areas. Please think of any talent you or someone else has and volunteer to help. Thanks

**Web Site:** Help maintain and make changes to web site as needed

1. **Keith Ledbetter** has been our web master for some time works for Dallas Brooks at American Lock and Key in Auburn, Al

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support your  
Alabama Locksmith Association**

