

## Region 10A News

Happy New Year to everyone in the Akron/Canton, Cleveland, Columbus, Lake Erie and Pittsburgh Chapters! I am pleased to announce that I and Dave Riber have been reappointed to the positions of Regional Vice President and Assistant Regional Vice President respectively. Together we are here to support each Chapter within our region. I recently returned from attending the ASIS International annual meetings in Washington DC where we set our goals and objectives for the coming year.

During my trip to Washington, DC, the Chapter Award winners were announced for the IB Hale Chapter of the Year, the Website of the Year, and the Newsletter of the Year. I am so pleased and honored to announce the following:

IB Hale Chapter of the Year	Columbus – Honorable Mention
Website of the Year	Cleveland
Newsletter of the Year	Columbus

Congratulations to both the Cleveland and Columbus Chapters! That said it was announced at this year's meeting that National would like to see all Chapters submit for an award in 2012. Considering what stellar Chapters we have within the region there is absolutely no reason why every Chapter cannot submit for at least one award. So let's get started collecting the information and putting together the applications to win.

I am also pleased to announce that two of our Chapters are celebrating anniversaries this year. The Lake Erie Chapter is celebrating 30 years and the Pittsburgh Chapter is celebrating 55 years. When you get a chance, please drop the Chapters a note and congratulate them on their fine accomplishments.

There is nothing better than supporting such great Chapters within ASIS International. It makes Dave's and my job so much easier. Keep up the good work and please know that either one of us is only a phone call or email away.

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