**AORN San Diego Chapter Meeting**

**General Meeting**

**October 26,, 2017**

* Called to order by President Serena Dubuque at 6:13pm
* Welcome to all visitors and guests.
* Bylaws - proposed revisions were posted for review to aornsandiego.org on September 20th. Motion made, seconded, and approved for the revisions/updates to our Chapter Bylaws.
* Announcements - President Serena Dubuque
  + Please log onto your AORN account and check to see if all your contact information is up to date (e-mail, phone, etc.)
  + Upcoming events:
    - **November 4th** - Authors of AORN Guidelines are coming to San Diego! Please join us as we learn the concepts, techniques, and proper implementation of the Guidelines. This course offers 4 CHs. Topics include: Prevention of Hypothermia, Hemostatic Agents and Sealants, Flexible Endoscope Processing, and Perioperative Pressure Injury Prevention. It’s simple to register, just go to our homepage aornsandiego.org and click the link highlighted in blue. Members $45
    - **November 18th** - Come join us for some fun as we will be getting together for a Happy Hour at Stone Brewery in Liberty Station. Bring your perioperative colleagues and come hang out with us as we celebrate Perioperative Nurses Week!
    - **November 19th** – We will be volunteering at the Ladle Project, Soup Kitchen at the First Presbyterian Church Downtown from 1-4 pm
    - **December 2nd** – We will be volunteering at Feeding San Diego from 9-11am. These are wonderful activities to partake in especially if you are looking for volunteer hours for your kids.
    - Event details can be found on aornsandiego.org under the calendar tab.
  + October Member of the Month is Michelle Finnell. Michelle has been a member of AORN since 1977. She has held numerous roles within our chapter, and is currently one of our Board Members. Michelle is also the chair of our Legislative committee. If you haven’t already done so please check out her posting on our Facebook page.
  + Members to highlight - nominations encouraged. Please see Maine or Stella.
  + Kudos: Ronald DeLeon - Ron will be presenting at the upcoming OR Business Management Conference in San Antonio in January. He will be part of a panel discussing, Spreading Business Intelligence Across Surgical Services.
  + AORN of Greater Houston - over $100 raised at last month’s meeting to help their members who were directly affected by Hurricane Harvey.
  + Scholarships: If you passed your CNOR/CRNFA exam during April1-September 30 you may qualify for one of our two $125 scholarships. Please submit your application to Lizette, our Scholarship Chair, by November 1st. We will be drawing our winners at our December meeting on December 7th. Winners will be awarded at our January meeting.
  + Fundraising – Gaylene Gossman is collecting your lollipop funds and See’s Candies Order forms. If you forgot them tonight you will need to get them to Gaylene no later than November 15th. Orders can be picked up from Serena’s house (13221 Avenida Grande, San Diego, CA 92129) on Saturday December 2nd from 9-11 or at our next Chapter Meeting on December 7th. Proceeds will help fun our Chapter Delegates to Expo in March.
  + Perfect Attendance Incentive - if a Lifetime Member wins the prize, the winner may nominate another recipient for the $160 to apply towards membership renewal.
  + No meeting in November due to Thanksgiving holiday. Next meeting is on December 7 and will be a potluck.
* Treasurers Report - Maria Millen
* Speaker Introduction - Ron DeLeon, Vice President
  + Speaker: Julie Randall and Cameron Kliem
  + Topic: Optimizing Patient Care Practices to Maintain Normothermia and Prevent Unplanned Hypothermia
* Meeting adjourned at 7:10pm

Respectfully Submitted,

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Secretary