

PCRC-AACN Meeting, December 3, 2008

Members present: Julie Saindon, Gemma Marlia-Johnson, Mary Edwards, Beth Russell, Marcia Moffatt, Lori Lind, Sandra Molzen, Brian Marlia-Larsen, Lori Jo Marlia-Larsen, Chris Wood, Andrew Sanis, Shelley Bonas, Janet Bernard, Rose Sheets, Kelly Wells

CCRN/PCCN Review—Lori Lind brought the evaluations to review. Summary for net income/balance is not quite available as yet. This is contingent on looking at those who joined during the course. Julie to follow-up with a “Thank-You” to the speakers. Evaluations are to be reviewed for specific comments. In general, the weekend was a success with most attendees pleased with topics and speakers presented.

CCRN Dinner update/planning—Mary Edwards has the menu and pricing lists for the dinner at Red Lion Inn. New menu options were sent to Mary by the manager. Theme of “We Love Our CCRN’s, with a Valentine twist, is to be held on February 13, 2008. Updated list of eligible CCRN’s from RVMC to be sent by Mary. We still need a keynote speaker for the event. The possibility of patient from either PMMC or RVMC was discussed for a short time. “Healthy Work Environment” is the topic to be presented by Lori Lind. Fifty(50) people for the buffet is required to have the room at no additional charge. “Harvest Buffet” was selected.

Spring 2009—It will be a “Spring Potpourri” with Dr Cook to present “Is it an MI or not?” and Dr Ranielle with a renal subject to speak for about an hour each in the am. Sandra will speak with Dr Carlini about presenting a neuro based presentation during the afternoon. April 3 or April 17 to be proposed to MDs as possible dates. Mary will check with Red Lion for the dates and to request for window room. Suggestion made by Chris Wood for Centennial Golf Course as an alternate location. Once decided, Julie will be able to put a flyer together for mailing.

The idea of a Silent Auction was discussed. David Jewell and Debbie Hogenson were nominated as organizers for this endeavour (they were not present to accept as yet). Anyone willing to donate or arrange donation of an item or service please let Julie, David or Deb know.

Items/services donated at this meeting include:

Shelley Bonas--Cutting Board

Lori Lind—Watercolor painting

Julie Saindon—Jewelry

Mary Edwards—Quilted Wall Hanging

Rose Sheets—Lap Quilt

Beth Russell—Biomass/Dump run via trailer. Will pay for run and help load/unload

Andrew Sanis—Essential Oils/Aromatherapy with a Yoga DVD

Brian and Lori Jo Marlia-Larsen—Massage (one from each)

Fall 2009—Judy had presented the idea for Tom Ahrens, RN+ to be contacted to teach on the topic of hemodynamic monitoring. Follow-up discussion in January

NTI—Janet, Julie and Lori are all thinking of attending. No responses received, as yet, for the NTI scholarships.

Website—the site is partially operational. Check again soon. www.pcrcaacn.org. None of the links currently work but the problems should be fixed soon.

Chapter Manual—Julie is working on the manual.

Treasurer's Report—Savings, \$5147.50...Checking, \$6060.16...Vanguard Money Market, \$5490.49

Membership—many new email addresses to add to lists.

Miscellaneous—Some attended a Tom Ahrens webinar about a Virtual Patient educational program. There are a few different offerings such as Sepsis, Cardiac and Pulmonary and STO2 monitoring. Julie and Gemma had the Cardiac program given to them, as part of the price of the webinar, to try. If the program is acceptable, do we wish to purchase some? Discussion followed

Meeting adjourned at 5:20pm

Next Meeting at PMMC CCU Conference Room on Wednesday, January 7, 2009 at 1600h.