

The January 2023 meeting was held on the 17th at 1800. The meeting was called to order by President JD Buchert.

Celebrations and Announcements; JD has a poster accepted for AORN Expo and is hosting several webinars in the near future. CONGRATS!

The November 2022 minutes were approved and are posted on the chapter website.

The treasury report was discussed and a motion was made (K.Bhore/S. Sharrock) to approve the Treasurer report. The report was approved and is on the website.

The proposed Dallas AORN cookbook discussion was led by Greg Jeter. The chapter would like to collect recipes online from as wide a group as possible. Karen Hammett has two previous Dallas AORN cookbooks and will select a variety of recipes from former members to be included in the updated cookbook. We hope to have the “vintage” recipes noted in some way.

The chapter has a need for a Social Media Chairperson. Interested parties are encouraged to contact. JD or Kate.

Joslin Swansfeldt introduced the Vendor Fair ideas and hopes for a May 5 date. We are seeking nurse-led CEs for the program and need a facility to hold the meeting. Kate and Karen are in discussion with BUMC as a possible meeting place.

AORN Global Expo is scheduled for April 1 – 4 in San Antonio. Chapter members who are interested in serving as a delegate are encouraged to register via the chapter online form. There will be expectations of those serving as delegates, at a minimum both Forums, both House of Delegates, voting, any chapter meeting called while in San Antonio, presenting information from an educational session at our May chapter meeting and actively participate in Dallas AORN. A lively discussion was held re: the amount the chapter will reimburse the delegates. Those present agreed to cap the President’s reimbursement at \$2500.00 and delegate reimbursement at \$1000.00 with maximum total reimbursement of \$10,000. National is seeking volunteers to serve in several capacities for all interested.

The chapter online store is in place. Please consider taking a look at the merchandise and placing an order.

The Dallas AORN Journal club is still in a development stage and Cavelle Frederick

This evening’s CE Presentation is “Synthetic Gloves Reducing Latex Allergy Impact” by Brian Conom with Molnlycke. We were provided a great update of the past and current status of gloving and its impact on clinicians. The meeting was adjourned at 1940.

Respectfully submitted by Karen Hammett Secretary Dallas AORN