



RECAP – A QUICK LOOK AT THE

DALLAS AORN

November 2023 Membership Meeting

This CE presentation provided 1.0 contact hours to the attendees. It will be available in January as an enduring event In the [eChapter enduring library](#).



Empowering the Perioperative Registered Nurse

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INTRODUCTIONS & CELEBRATIONS

Our immediate Past-President, **JD Buchert** has been selected to run for the AORN Board of Directors

We are SO proud of him!! Be sure to VOTE!!

Congratulations to **Daphny Peneza** and **Terri Goodman** on becoming AORN Fellows

News & Updates



BARBARA CRIM, MSN, BSN, RN, CNOR
MARCH 3, 1951 - OCTOBER 3, 2023

**WE TOOK A MOMENT TO CELEBRATE A GOOD FRIEND
AND LONG-TERM DALLAS AORN MEMBER**



Meeting Minutes

[September 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)

NOTE: Click on the blue things... they're live links

Treasurer's Report

TREASURER'S REPORT FISCAL YEAR

5/1/2023 TO 11/20/2023



BANK ACCOUNTS

Bank of America Checking	\$ 8,167.41
Capital One Savings	\$ 33,604.76

Income/Expense by Category

Income

Membership Dues	\$2,978.00
Interest	\$17.56
	\$2,995.56

Expenses

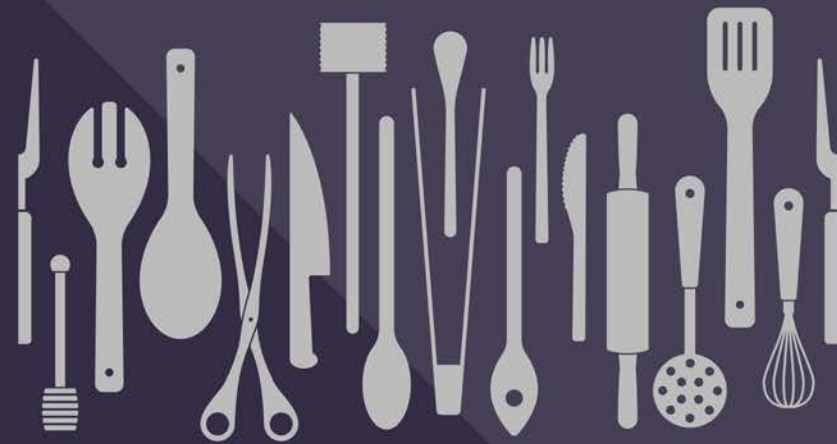
Communication	\$296.84
Webmaster	\$1,125.00
Cinco de Mayo	\$895.00
	\$2,316.84

Notes:

- Some vendors chose to leave their Cinco de Mayo vendor table purchase for our next event

Dallas AORN Cookbook

Submit your beloved recipes online!



We elected to expand the search for recipes to other chapters throughout the state. The goal is to have the cookbook printed by May of 2024.

Journal Club

Attendees were enthusiastic about contacting the eChapter and San Diego chapter Journal Clubs to see if there might be synergy in working together ... perhaps we might join forces, with the chapters rotating to host the meetings.

PLEASE SEND IN ANY ARTICLE
SUGGESTIONS

WE WILL STON START HAVING
ONLINE DISCUSSIONS

Please submit your suggestions for articles/topics

AORN Conference 2024

Plan to join your Dallas AORN colleagues in Nashville for the 2024 AORN Surgical Conference and Expo. We PROMISE you a good time!

“MAKING YOUR MARK”

MARCH 9 - 12, 2024

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

DELEGATE FORMS WILL
BE ON THE WEBSITE
SOON



[CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE DELEGATE APPLICATION](#)

TCORN UPDATES

SURGICAL SMOKE EVACUATION LEGISLATION

House Bill 4365 and Senate Bill 707 made it out of committee and went to the floor for a vote, but time ran out before the vote.

President Elect

We have only ONE elected position,
President-Elect

The rest of the work is done by
volunteers, so check out the options
and help make our chapter relevant,
productive, and FUN.

NOMINATIONS WILL START IN
JANUARY

VOTING TO HAPPEN AFTER NOMINEES
ACCEPT

RESULTS REVEALED IN MAY

**CHECK OUT OUR WILLINGNESS TO SERVE FORM TO SEE WHAT
YOU CAN DO TO PARTICIPATE ACTIVELY IN THE CHAPTER.**

Holiday Items

SCOTTISH RITE ADOPT A FAMILY

OUR FAMILY: JAYDEN (12-YEAR-OLD PATIENT), HIS SISTER JERRANNA (AGE 2), AND THEIR AUNT/GUARDIAN, PATRICIA

THEY ARE WANTING WINTER CLOTHES AND SHOES, A POTTY CHAIR AND GIFTS

WE WILL BE PURCHASING GIFT CARDS TO THEIR CHOSEN STORES

[PLEASE CLICK HERE TO DONATE](#)

THE CHAPTER WILL MATCH ALL MEMBER DONATIONS

Holiday Items

We're all too busy for a 2023 holiday social, but we're planning some fun get-togethers for 2024, starting with a

HAPPY HOUR on at the **GRAPEVINE BAR on January 12th on the corner of Redfield and Butler in the Dallas Medical Center.**

Look for an email invitation, and, of course, the information will be on our website calendar.



One of our 2024 initiatives is to explore

WHAT DETERMINES THE RELEVANCY OF OUR CHAPTER

We'll be asking for your input ... your ideas, expectations, and suggestions to activities and initiatives that will make your membership in Dallas AORN relevant to your personal needs and lifestyle, as well as your professional & clinical needs.

How can this chapter be
meaningful for you?

NEXT MEETING

PUT THIS ON YOUR CALENDAR.... THE NOVEMBER MEETING WAS DYNAMIC WITH ENTHUSIASTIC PARTICIPATION, SO YOU'RE NOT GOING TO WANT TO MISS THIS ONE.

JANUARY 16, 2024

DR. ALAN FRANKFURTER WILL BE PRESENTING

*From Whole Blood to Normal Saline crystalloid And Back Again:
What's New in Hemorrhagic Shock Resuscitation...is Old!*

(Meeting will be virtual)