

March 19 AORN Meeting

Meeting begin time 1805

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Introductions and Celebrations

JD was elected to the National AORN Board of Directors

Meeting Minutes Approved and on Website

Cookbook

JD has template and an invitation has been sent to all Texas chapters to participate in the project. Cheri and Kristen offered to help compile the cookbook

Journal Club

eChapter's February journal club discussed telesurgery providing remote robotic surgery for military and underserved populations. The discussion explored growing capabilities in robotic surgery to provide surgical services to remote locations via internet connections by surgeons at their own hospitals.

The next meeting will be May 18. A flyer will be shared via the website inviting our chapter members to participate.

TCORN Updates

First NLAC meeting

Smoke Evacuation progress is ongoing.

Senator Miles and Senator Johnson will be filing the bill on the first day of session which will get the smoke evacuation bill to committee faster.

JD will information as the progress of the bill develops.

Elections

President Elect begins in May

An email will be sent presenting nominees for the chapter to elect the next president elect.

Terri will send out an email presenting nominees which will include a brief bio, and the vote will be open for 7 days at the end of March or beginning of April.

Upcoming Events

Happy Hour April 5 at 4:30 PM - will be held at the Happiest Hour (2616 Olive Street)

Next Chapter Meeting will be May 21 at 6:00 pm

There is an opportunity for a Stryker Event. Stryker currently has a new facility in Flower Mound and has invited our chapter to come out and visit.

North Texas Chapter Vendor Fair is April 6 - Information for the event is on the [North Texas Chapter Website](#)

Delegate Presentations of the AORN Expo was shared and will be on our website

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Meeting was adjourned at 1928

