

The Nurse's Headliner

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Message from Your President *Peggy Roberts*

Members, I am so excited! This is going to be a good year. I know we are already four months into the New Year, but I have some exciting news. I have been traveling to different schools in different cities, and speaking to the students. It has been very productive. On March 16th, I went to Tyler County Hospital and spoke to the students. We now have six new members from Woodville, Texas. On March 23rd, I spoke to the students, and we now have nine new members from Baytown, Texas. On March 30th, I spoke to the students at Southmost College in Brownsville, Texas, and we now have nine new members from Brownsville. Mr. Tony Cortez from Southmost College was really interested in our Association, and wants to get a division started in Brownsville. By the way, he is the coordinator of the school. How lucky can we be? I have a couple more coming up this summer. My next project is working on the delinquent membership.

My other exciting news is San Antonio is getting ready for a Kick Off!

We are looking at May 14, 2016 from 1-5pm. It will be held at Sorrento Nursing and Rehab, 2739 Babcock Rd, San Antonio, TX 78229. We would like to invite all divisions from all over the state. Our tentative schedule is as follows:

- Meet and Greet: 1-2pm
- Meeting: 2-2:45pm
- Break: 2:45-3pm
- Speaker (CNE): 3-4pm
- Silent Auction: 4-5pm

Dr. Margaret Finley will be our speaker, and has so graciously stepped up to help this Association get back on its feet. I really feel confident we are going in the right direction.

If you have any items you want to donate to the silent auction, please bring them with you that day by 12pm. Dr. Finley is really excited about this and so am I. The Director of Nurses of the facility is also very supportive. Cont. on page 4

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Reminders

We need candidates for Nurse of the Year, Scholarship, Scrapbook, Yearbook, and Newsletter. Please get your applications and scrapbooks turned in to the awards committee by the deadline which is October 1st.

We need help with getting new and old members to join the Association. Please help the First Vice President in accomplishing this.

We are needing the divisions and committees to start turning in their reports to be included in the newsletter.

Cookbooks

I am requesting recipes from all members to make a new cookbook for the Association. I am wanting to make an updated cookbook as we have learned new recipes or even found new ones.

Deepest Sympathy

To the family of Lula Price as she passed away in April 2016. Her family will be kept in our prayers and you have our deepest condolences.

LVNAT Division Reports

Division 6 Galveston

Division 82 Fort Worth

Division 8 San Antonio

Division 9 Houston

Division 8 San Antonio

We will be holding our meetings starting on May 14, 2016 at Sorrento Nursing and Rehab, 2739 Babcock Road, San Antonio, TX 78229 quarterly. We are getting a little late start, but that's all right. Dr. Margaret Finley will be speaking at various meetings, as she will break the subject down into sessions. She has a lot of good ideas to help us build our membership. Looking forward to seeing all of you there!

President: Peggy Roberts

Division 6 Galveston

Our meetings are held on the 4th Thursday of the month at the Rosenberg Library 2nd Floor McCullough Room from 4-5:30 pm.

Secretary: Joyce Payne

Division 9 Houston

Meetings held on the third Saturday of the month at Daisy Sancho's home.

Division 82 Fort Worth

We meet on the second Monday of the month.

Fall Convention

If anyone has any old medical equipment or textbooks they would like to donate to the Association, please let Peggy Roberts know.

We would also like any ideas on speakers for the upcoming convention. Everyone please help us with this.

So lets get together and make this a really good Kick Off! By the way, Dr. Finley was an LVN once! Lets show her our spirit.

God bless each and every one of you!

Your President,
Peggy Roberts

Welcome New Members!

Your President, Peggy Roberts, would like to welcome our newest members to LVNAT, to include:

Woodsville: Joy Gibson, Abronah Desire McGuire, Aminat Maliki, Kristen Clow, Cynthia Sherrard, and Ray Williams Jr.

Baytown: Belinda Chong, Tori Leon, Martha Gonzalez, Teresa Geiger, Carolina Alvarado, Katrina Broussard, LaTarsha Johnson, Daniela Mayden, and Rachael Basquez.

Brownsville: David Gonzalez, George Rama, Karina Perez, Fabiola Garcia, Reyna Arriaga, Alexandra Rodriguez, Brenda Vazquez, Alexis Zamarron, and Cristal Rodriguez.

We also have two new members from the website to include: Alycia Lynn Scroggins and Ashleigh Moore.

Austin: Lannie Hood

Dallas: Christy Lashell Dies

Please forgive me if I misspelled any of your names. I had a hard time reading some of the writing. Some of you have such beautiful handwriting, that it's hard for me to read. Welcome to LVNAT!

LVNAT Committee Reports

Membership Report

Active:	25
Retired:	16
Provisional:	27
Institutional:	0
Supportive:	3
Total:	71 members

Continuing Education Report

February:	1
March:	1
April:	1
Total:	3 classes

Nominating Committee Report

Everyone please start thinking about who would like to run for the following officers up for election this year and who you would like to vote for:

President

Second Vice President

Treasurer

Two Board of Directors

Five Nominating Committee Members

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ANNOUNCEMENT: ATTENTION ALL DIVISIONS

WANTED: LVNAT Competitions 2016

1. Your Division Newsletter
2. Your Scrapbook
3. Yearbook
4. Names for Scholarship Recipients
5. Names for Nurse of the Year

All entries must be received by October 1, 2016

Please submit your names to Committee Chairpersons or to LVNAT Headquarters

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