Hail, Honor, Salute! at the ASPAN Development Luncheon

ASPAN Development Event Today

Lunch will be served with a big side helping of leadership skills today. Come *Hail, Honor, and Salute!* with ASPAN Development. The luncheon, a ticketed event, will be held in Orange Ballroom A - C. Lois Schick, MN, MBA, RN, CPAN, CAPA, explores creative team development with her presentation "Leadership Behavior: What Character are You?" You'll also have a chance to honor a colleague, friend, or component with a Hail, Honor, Salute! donation to Development. The luncheon is sold out.

Play Exhibitor Bingo

This is your last chance to visit the Exhibit Hall to check out the latest products and technology. Complete your Bingo card before the Exhibit Hall closes at 9:00 am. While there, look at the Best Practice Posters. Take time to vote for your favorite component newsletter - the winners will be announced at the Closing Breakfast tomorrow. This is a good time to say a final "thank you" to the vendors for their support of ASPAN and perianesthesia nursing.

Military and International Reception

A reception to recognize and honor our Military and International attendees will be held tonight, 7:00 - 8:00 pm. ASPAN thanks our members serving in the armed forces and welcomes all international colleagues.

Last Call to Ask ABPANC

The ABPANC staff is available to answer your certification and recertification questions. Ask how you can become a Certification Coach in your component, and mentor others to earn recertification points. Commemorate your certification, or that of a colleague, with a beautiful certification lapel pin.

Closing Gavel for Silent Auction

Make sure that yours is the final bid for that special item that you want. Winning bids will be posted in the Registration area. Winners can take the auction form to the ASPAN Registration Desk to pay for item(s). With the paid receipt, winners can pick up their treasure(s) between 4:00-6:00 pm at the location provided.

Thanks to Hill-Rom!

ASPAN gratefully acknowledges Hill-Rom for hosting last night's amazing President's Reception in honor of Chris Price. Everyone had a great time!

Visit the ASPAN Booth

Come by to meet and greet ASPAN leaders before the Exhibit Halls closes at 9:00 am. Please take the time to pick up some membership brochures to take back to your colleagues.

Last Chance to Shoppe

Today's ASPAN Shoppe hours are 8:00-9:00 am; 12:00-2:00 pm; and 5:00-6:30 pm in Clear Lake. *This is your final full day to shop*. Don't leave without buying some nice gifts for your colleagues at home, and treat yourself to an ASPAN logo shirt or other small item that can be packed in your suitcase.

Specialty Practice Groups (SPGs) Meet

The Management and Preoperative Assessment SPGs meet today from 5:15-7:15 pm. ASPAN members can join a SPG (\$15 fee) and attend the meeting to receive the 1 contact hour awarded for the educational part of the meeting. If interested, please stop by the Registration Desk for more information.

Special Educational Event Repeated

ASPAN Speaker Development graduates will hone their speaking skills and provide 2 extra contact hours in back-to-back presentations from 5:15 – 7:30 pm in Orlando Ballrooms IV and V.

Component News

CSPAN members will get together tonight at the Piano Bar at 6:00 p.m. All Maryland, D.C., and Delaware nurses are invited.

ILSPAN invites members for dessert and beverages this evening from 7:30 to 9:30 pm in the Sand Lake room.

INSPAN has planned a night out for Indiana members tonight at David's Club from 6:30 - 8:30 pm. Join us for a group picture and district meeting.

VT/NH APAN and *MESPAN* host a meet and greet event for all members tonight from 7:30 - 9:30 pm in room 1645.

PANAC Members

Please plan to come and decorate the Closing Breakfast tables to celebrate our own Sue Carter on Thursday at 5:00 am.

ILSPAN Thanks to everyone who stopped by our table at Component Night. Four hundred dollars will be donated to Shepard's Hope, a non-profit group who helps uninsured patients in the Orlando area.

Component Night Winning Tickets

Please contact the component to collect your winnings!

12 Step Meeting

A meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon from 5:00 – 6:00 pm in Sand Lake.

Leadership Development

For anyone interested in becoming more involved in ASPAN, you have the opportunity to grow your leadership skills with the guidance of an experienced ASPAN mentor. If interested, this chance of a lifetime to work with an seasoned leader who can support your growth into a leadership role in your area of interest. Mentees can be nominated by the component or anyone may self-nominate. For more information visit the ASPAN Web site to review the *Leadership Development Manual*.

Closing Breakfast

Thursday's Closing Breakfast is served complementary to all attendees, and requires an admission ticket to attend. The breakfast begins at 7:00 in the Orlando Ballrooms II and III. Conference Closing Ceremonies, awards, the installation of officers, and Presidential address follows the breakfast. Please make sure you have a ticket in hand!

ASPAN Shoppe

The Monday daily drawing winner is **Jodi Beier**. Please visit the ASPAN Shoppe to collect your prize *Congratulations to all of our winners!* The final eligible winner will be announced today.

Correction

2013 International Conference

The 2nd International Conference for Perianesthesia Nurses (ICPAN) is heading to Dublin, Ireland! "Converging Practice – Celtic Style" will be held on September 19-22, 2013. In addition to networking time with international perianesthesia colleagues, you will share practices, view poster presentations and hear from presenters from around the globe! Be sure to plan some additional time to explore Dublin and the rest of the Emerald Isle while staying at the Citywest Hotel.



Much appreciation to Stryker for sponsoring the *National PArtiCUlArs*, the official newsletter of the ASPAN National Conference, and to Ernie Nunes, today's guest editor!