

## ***It's San Antonio in 2015!***

### **Conference a Grand Success!**

A HUGE thank you to the entire 2014 National Conference Strategic Work Team (NCSWT) for a wonderful 33<sup>rd</sup> National Conference!

**NCSWT Coordinator:** Susan O'Day

#### **Members:**

Deborah Ebert	Twilla Shrout
Nancy Strzyzewski	Jacque Crosson
Lori Silva	Katrina Bickerstaff
Cindy Hill	Linda Wilson
Linda Ziolkowski	Courtney Papp
Laura Atherton-Bonilla	Kevin Dill

We hope that you met some old friends and made many new ones, enjoyed your Las Vegas experience, took in the sights, played the slots, saw the shows and learned a lot.

Thank you to the entire ASPAN National Office Staff – Kevin, Courtney, Jane, Jean, Connie, Donna, Pam, Eileen, Doug and Marie. Their dedication and attention to detail made the conference run smoothly. No conference is possible without the many volunteer hostesses and moderators.

To NevPANA component members, thank you for the warm welcome. And to all who volunteered, thank you for a wonderful time in the *Entertainment Capital of the World*.

### **Closing Ceremonies, Closing Address**

The Closing Breakfast is a ticketed event. **Please be sure you have your ticket if you signed up for the breakfast when you registered.**

See the Presentation of Awards at the Closing Ceremonies and Twilla Shrout passing the gavel to Jacque Crosson, ASPAN President 2014-2015. Following the installation of the

ASPAN Officers and Board of Directors, Jacque Crosson shares her message for coming year and we'll get a sneak preview of the 34<sup>th</sup> ASPAN National Conference in San Antonio, TX. Today's Closing Address features *The Joy of the Job for Nurses: Key to Fulfillment in your Work* by Jody Urquhart. You'll learn the effect of being reenergized and balance in your life.

***Thank you to Hill-Rom for your support of the President's Reception!***

### **National Conference in San Antonio**

The 2015 National Conference Strategic Work Team asks you to mark your calendar for next year's fun-filled 34<sup>th</sup> National Conference, April 26-30, in **San Antonio, TX**. Look for details on 2015, the ASPAN Web site, in *JoPAN* and in *Breathline*.

### **Conference Evaluations**

For your contact hours to be validated, you **must turn in all top white** copies of your Conference Contact Hour and Session Evaluation forms. Also, please complete the ASPAN Overall Conference Evaluation form and include your suggestions for future topics. *Your opinion counts and we listen!*

### **Silent Auction Winners Posted**

The Silent Auction winning bids will be posted on bulletin boards at the Registration Desk area. Items may be picked up by no later than 12 noon **today** at the Registration Desk. Winners, take your auction form to the ASPAN Registration Desk to pay for items. A paid receipt must be presented to collect the auction item.

## **Leadership Development Institute (LDI) Site Announced**

The 2014 ASPAN Leadership Development Institute is set for Nashville, TN, on September 5 - 7, 2014. Watch for details in coming months.

### **Development Dream Walk 2014:**

**Component with the most number of walkers:**  
PANAC

**Component with the most amount of money raised:**  
NPANA

**Individual with most amount of money raised:** Judy Evans from NPANA

**Total raised: over \$6,700!**

This year's **Silent Auction** raised over \$4,300. Thank you to all who bid on the many beautiful items.

### **Certification Coaches Wanted**

Seek and promote CPAN/CAPA certification. Call ABPANC at 1-800-6ABPANC or visit their Web site at [www.cpancapa.org](http://www.cpancapa.org) for answers to your certification/recertification questions, and on becoming a certification coach, item writing and award programs.

### **ASPAN Member-Get-A-Member**

ASPAN membership grows one member at a time. With over 15,000 members—imagine the possibilities if each member invited one coworker to join ASPAN and attend a component or ASPAN seminar.

Keep up the good work! Ask them to add your name as a recruiter when they join. Let them know the rewards of being a recruiter and running for the monthly recruiter awards as well as the *ASPAN Recruiter of the Year Award*. Membership application forms are on the ASPAN Web site and at the conference.

## **MAHALO**

Hawaii was well represented at this year's conference and thanks everyone for a great time!

### ***Congratulations to the winners of this year's exhibitor game contest:***

Tricia Simonelli	Reta Lvontela
Jeanine Gray	Carolyn Broussard
Dale O'Connell	Stephanie Kassulke
Kim Griffin	Leanne Tullis

Winners may pick up their items by the Registration Desk on Thursday, May 1, between 7:00 am and noon.

### **Congratulations!**

The following components are celebrating their 30<sup>th</sup> anniversaries!

MASPAN  
NAPAN  
PANANM  
RMPANA  
SCAPAN  
WISPAN

### **Looking for Missing Cell Phone!**

Please return to ASPAN Registration Desk. Black with black otter box. Left in one of the Pavilion rooms.

### **Many Thanks!**

I offer my sincere appreciation and thanks to the National Office for all their assistance and support in being sure that *PARTiCULARS* reached you every day.

Thank you, Stephanie.

*Stephanie Kassulke, Editor,  
National PARTiCULARS ~ 2014*

***See you in San Antonio in 2015!***

