

Genesee Valley Chapter ENA #276
Minutes
February 8, 2010
Rochester General Hospital

Present: S. Breese, V. Hebda, J. Doser, R. Waldroff, G. Jonas, G. Williams

Excused: Sue Knapp

Officer Reports:

Secretary: Gwen Williams

Minutes distributed and approved.

Treasurer: Virginia Hebda

Balance - \$10,613.18. Third and fourth quarter membership assessment checks have been received from ENA. RRC checked received for 12/09 and 1/10 TNCC and ENPC courses.

Net income 2009 - \$3160.

President: Joy Doser

Wende Tefel has reigned as President-Elect due to her work and school schedule.

Report on the NYSCENA Leg meeting in Albany given. Report will be in the next edition of the newsletter.

ENAF NYS Challenge – chapter will donate \$2/member - \$500 to ENAF to meet the NYS challenge.

Nominations for NYSCENA awards in Saratoga Springs on the website – due 4/1/10 to Mickey Forness.

Reminder of upcoming events:

2/10-21 – CEN review at Highland

3/11 – Legislative Reception

4/22-23 – Setting the Pace in Saratoga Springs

8/14 – State Council meeting in Newburgh

10/23 – State Council meeting in Batavia

MLREMS Council award nominations on their website – need nomination for Emergency Nurse. Recommendation to nominate Brian Thompson from Strong ED

2010 is 40th Anniversary of ENA – national membership goal is 40,000 members.

Committee Reports:**EMS:**

2/1/10 – EMS p and p changed in 2/10 – EMS no longer able to administer Ativan/Valium/Lasix in the field.

Blood transfusion policy is pending sign off.

Joint Commission was at Thompson – recommended a central line insertion cart. Tracers included holding patients in ED – VS, pain assessment and reassessment, refrigerator logs

Membership:

Approximately 180 members – membership list from National has not arrived with exact numbers. Holding steady because of 3 Magnet Hospitals in the Genesee Valley region. 4th quarter – 31 new/renewal received.

NYS ENA membership is approximately 3700.

Professional Development:

TNCC March 6-7 at RGH - 19 registered

CATN II in Poughkeepsie May.

TNCC/ENPC instructor course – will discuss in March.

GVCENA Dinner meeting 3/10 at Shanghai.

New business:

EMS Week May – suggestions for gifts – stylus for laptops with GVCENA logo.

Next meeting:

March 10 at Shanghai 5 PM.

Presentation:

Ginny Hebda on SAFE program.