

September 2011

# PACU PARAGRAPHS

CAPANA

EVENTS and NEWSLETTER

**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:**

**Dear fellow Peri-Anesthesia Nurse,**

**Welcome to CAPANA CEU offerings for 2011-2012. I am honored to be a part of this great organization. With the help of our many colleagues we hope to make our programs this year interesting and beneficial. I would like to focus on this year as "The year for Certification." I challenge each of you to become informed of the new Standards of Care, as well as, new information on pain relief, medications, as well as article sharing and best practice changes. Each meeting I will have focus tips for those interested in becoming CAPA or CPAN certified nurses. Take the challenge to be the best you can be for our patients at the bedside. This is the year to be "Beacons of Change, focusing on the future," the theme for this year's 31st National Conference. I look forward to an inspiring and fun year with all of you.**

**Sincerely,**

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## CAPANA 2011 -2012 PROGRAMS

September 21, 2011 "Bladder Neuromodulation"

Dr. Shank TCH

October 18, 2011 "Fluids and Resuscitation" Joint Mtg AORN/CAPANA

Dr. Johannigman TCH

November 16, 2011 "Not Just Another Fancy Block"

Dr. Manley TCH

December "HAPPY HOLIDAYS"

January 18, 2012 "Ketamine and Chronic Pain"

Dr. Stewart Evendale Medical Center

February 15, 2012 "Take The Fear Out of Certification"

TBA TCH

March 17, 2012 "SPRING WORKSHOP" TCH

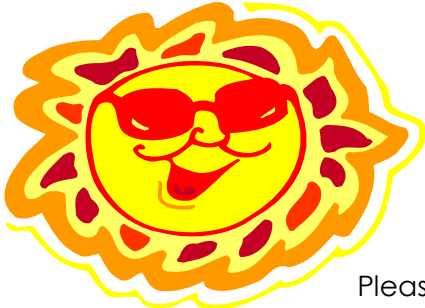
April 11, 2012 "It's Just Herbs. It's just vitamins. They won't hurt You!!!!"

Deb Niehaus Bethesda North Hospital

APRIL 15- 19 2012 "BEACON OF CHANGE.....FOCUSING ON THE FUTURE"

ASPAN NATIONAL CONFERENCE

May 16, 2012 Dinner and Business meeting 6:00p



**ASPAN NATIONAL CONFERENCE**  
ORLANDO, FLORIDA

Please try to attend the conference and help support our very own  
celebrity

Dr. Douglas Stewart

"TAP to a NEW BEAT" Wednesday April 18, 2012 10:45am

Celebrate Successful Practices Poster submission for ASPAN conference: deadline October 15, 2011...See ASPAN website for details!

**OFFICERS NEEDED!**

PRESIDENT ELECT

**2012-2013**

SECRETARY

WORKSHOP CHAIR 2013: contact Deb Niehaus

Workshop volunteers needed for 2012: Signup sheet @ CAPANA meeting registration desk  
Sept Meeting.



DON'T FORGET EACH MEETING:

**SPLIT THE POT**

A **LEGACY AWARD NOMINATION** FORM FOR MAY ANNOUNCEMENT

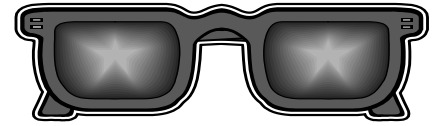
Drawing for the **ASPAN MEMBERSHIP** to be awarded at the business  
meeting in May

Record **Scholarship points**

**Collecting Cell phones** the women's shelter

**Collecting Eye Glasses** recycle for adults and children

Give to Barb Berling @ the CAPANA mtg



**OPANA News:** [.www.ohpana.org](http://www.ohpana.org)

**Outstanding Achievement award:** application on-line

**Fall Workshop October 15, 2011** Mt. Carmel East; Segal Center

**Spring Workshop May 19 2012** Cleveland, Ohio

**Rada Knife sale September** look for catalogs

**CAPANA COMMUNITY: DONATIONS NEEDED!**

COLLECTING SNACKS; CARDS; CARD GAMES;  
CRAYONS; COLORING BOOKS; ERASE BOARDS; SMALL  
GAMES ETC..... FOR THE CHILDREN AND NATO PERSONEL  
OF AFGHANISTAN. THE BOX WILL BE @ EACH CAPANA  
MEETING TO PLACE DONATIONS. THE DONATIONS WILL  
BE SENT AFTER THE NOVEMBER CAPANA  
MEETING..... THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



WE NEED SPEAKERS AND LOCATIONS FOR 2012- 2013!!!!!! Contact Barb  
Berling with information: [Barbara.berling@thechristhospital.com](mailto:Barbara.berling@thechristhospital.com)

PLEASE HELP SUPPORT CAPANA TO CONTINUE OUR FABULOUS PROGRAMS!!

Any news worthy events e-mail me @: [mjfricker@aol.com](mailto:mjfricker@aol.com)

Next newsletter will be sent in December

**SEE YOU AT THE MEETINGS!!!**

Janet Fricker BSN, RN-BC, CPAN