



Blue Ridge Chapter AMSN Meeting
March 17, 2017
Private Dining Room,
Lynchburg General Hospital, Lynchburg, VA

Attendees: Juanita Daugherty, Sandra Martin, Cindy Ward

Meeting led by: Juanita Daugherty, President

Minutes recorded by: Cindy Ward, Secretary

Treasurer's Report: \$8292.58 in checking, CD has \$791.19

Old Business:

Med-Surg Seminar:

2016 conference: 17 people attended. Conference was well received.

2017 Location: First Colony Conference Room

Date: Friday, September 22, 2017

Topics: Challenges of Caring for Patients with Addictions and Mental Health Problems on the Med-Surg Unit

Caring for patient with mental health/addiction on the med-surg unit

Pain management in the addicted patient

Geri-psych – Rhonda Miles, UM, Dr. Betz

Health care act

? hospitalist, somebody at Horizon, somebody at med school

CE: Need speaker info by June 15.

Catering: Olive Garden, Panera

Fundraiser: T shirts still available. \$10 each

New Business:

Sigma Theta Tau: Interested in collaborating with other nursing organizations for community service activities.

Community Service Opportunities:

April 6 – City of Danville Health Fair, 7 am

April 24 – Altavista YMCA Health Fair, 8 am

Upcoming Meetings/Speakers:

May 15

July 17

Sept 22 – Annual seminar

Nov 20 – Annual dinner

Save the Date: AMSN Convention, Palm Springs, CA, October 12 – 15, 2017

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