
Board Members Present: Tina Johnson, Lee Aine Powell, Amy Barnes

Members Present: Laura Franklin, Gentry Ridgeway, Sephanie Waluk, Tracy Thompson, Jennifer Ramos

ENA'S VISION STATEMENT

ENA is indispensable to the global emergency nursing community.

ENA'S MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Emergency Nurses Association is to advocate for patient safety and excellence in emergency nursing practice.

Meeting Minutes

6/11/2026

- A. Call to Order at 1817 (**Johnson**) 5 minutes
 - 1. Establish Quorum
 - 2. Welcome/Introductions
 - a. Introduction of Board members
 - b. Recognize sponsor – Stryker
 - c. Recognize speaker – Bridgid Lucas – spoke on mechanical CPR and ETCO2
 - 3. Adoption of April Meeting Minutes
 - 4. Adoption of Meeting Agenda
 - 5. Conflict of Interest Disclosure
- B. President's Report (**Johnson**) 5 minutes
 - 1. TCRN review
 - i. 22 paid
 - ii. 19 attended
 - iii. \$263.50 negative for TCRN
 - iv. Snacks left over are being utilized for Education Day
 - v. 30 folders from this purchase will be used for ABLS (negating that expense in October)
 - 2. Education Day
 - i. Registration open \$49/\$39/\$29
 - ii. Application submitted for CEU to ENA
 - iii. 7 paid registrations
 - iv. 2 pending
 - v. Please share with your teams
 - vi. Vendors
 - 1. Confirmed GCU
 - 2. Possible Mobia Medical



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3. Confirmed Calomosept: paying a fee to send their product to distribute to attendees
3. ABLS
 - i. Minimum 10 paid persons to hold class
 - ii. 3 paid
 - iii. 4 pending
 - iv. Lunch covered by a sponsor
 - v. Please share with your teams
4. Call for NCENA Delegates to ENA General Assembly - APPLY TODAY - Applications due by June 12!
5. NCENA Summer 2026 Certified Nurse of the Quarter - NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN! Due July 11th
- C. Treasurer's Report (**Johnson**) 10 minutes
 1. Finances good/stable
- D. Committee Reports 15 minutes
 1. Membership (**Barnes, A**) (numbers current as of 4/2/26)
 - a. Current 265, Lapsing June 12, New 3, Students 40
 - b. [ENA is committed to you!](#)
 2. Government Affairs (**Barnes, A**)
 - a. [Take Action | ENA](#) Join the EN411 Action Network
 - b. Current events – ENA supports new legislation to overturn Department of Education Rule – if passed, nurses would have access to higher federal student loan limits.
 3. QSIP (**Johnson**)
 - a. Helmet donations – acquire link from Emily/Dogwood Chapter to purchase helmets
 - b. Upcoming STB class at local school in Raleigh area 7/24/26 – Kristi Blankenship organizing
 - c. MCI event 6/27/26 at Campbell University
 - d. Members should fill out QSIP activities on the log
 - e. Call for members to become STB instructors stopthebleed.org –
 - f. Act – set up a STB class in your community
 4. State ENPC/TNCC – no report
- E. Unfinished Business..... 10 minutes
 1. Scholarship announcement - As part of our mission of advancing nursing education, the Cardinal Chapter of the ENA is announcing the annual education scholarship for 2026. Applications are currently open and will close on June 30, 2026, at 23:59 hours.
 2. Sponsors needed for October and December



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3. Representative for Government Affairs – position
needs to be filled – no interest voiced
- F. New Business 10 minutes
 1. T shirt brainstorming – members to bring ideas back to August meeting
 - i. Suggested ideas: Red cardinal, I've Seen Worse, OFF DUTY, Emergency Nursing – Calm in the Storm with the back check marks by the following: Prepared, Skilled, Unshakeable
 2. Family fun night – no definite plans, encouraged member participation for someone to take this on and plan outing
- G. Information Agenda (**Johnson**) (includes items that do not need action or discussion)
 1. Upcoming events:
 - Cardinal Chapter - Candidates will declare their intent to serve by July 1
 - Cardinal Chapter membership meeting 8/20/26 6:00pm
 - Delegate meeting 8/21/26 9:00-1:00pm Virtual
 - EN26 9/28-10/1/2026 Phoenix, Arizona
 - Cardinal Chapter membership meeting 10/15/26 6:00pm
 - Advanced Burn Life Support (ABLS) 10/19/2026 WakeMed Cary
 - NCENA 10/22/26 1930 TEAMS
 - NCENA Symposium, 11/5/26-11/6/26 Asheville, NC
 - Cardinal Chapter membership meeting 12/3/26 6:00pm
 - #ENATogether with Dustin Bass 12/15/26 virtual 12:00-1:00pm(CST)