Dear Students

The School of Nursing will be celebrating our 80th anniversary on November 2, 2013. By now, you should have received a Save-the-Date, if not, please mark your calendar. We will be inviting faculty, staff, students, alumni, and our community partners. This is expected to be a fun social event to celebrate 80 years of nursing education excellence. The celebration will be at the Ogden Museum of Southern Art. The band will be Category 6. We are planning a dinner buffet. On April 26, 2013, the Louisiana State Nurses Association will be hosting Nurses Day at the Legislature. I encourage your participation if you can attend. If you are in Baton Rouge on the evening of April 26, the nursing school will be hosting a social event for our faculty, students, and alumni. The exact time and place will be announced closer to the event.

Nurses Day at the Legislature is scheduled for April 26 and 27, 2013.

The New Orleans District Nurses Association Student Nurse Night is tentatively scheduled for April 18, 2013.
• All students are encouraged to come out and join us for the Alumni Association Spring Social at Rock-n-Sake on April 24th 6:30-8:30pm. See the Alumni flyer for additional information.

• The last day to withdraw for the spring 2013 semester with a “W” is April 25th for regularly scheduled courses. If you are thinking about not returning next semester, it is important to notify me. We must process your withdrawal.

• Pre-registration for summer and fall 2013 is over. If you did not pre-register for summer Undergraduate students must register May 20th and Graduate students on May 21st if there are open seats for courses. If you did not pre-register for fall Undergraduate students must register August 12th and Graduate students on August 13th if there are open seats for courses.

• Level Orientation for all Undergraduate Students will be on Tuesday August 13th, schedule is forthcoming. Classes begin August 14th. Level orientation is a requirement of all students, so mark your calendars and schedules plans around the dates.
Requirements for CNA Certification

1. Review the technical skills list under CNA policies and procedures. Print out the PdX of technical skills completed and ensure that you have met the requirements.

2. Ask a clinical instructor from Adult Health I or Mental Health for a letter of reference. This can be addressed to Who It May Concern so that it can be used for employment as well as certification.

3. Copy of unofficial transcript showing passing grades for Adult Health I and Mental Health.

4. Copy of your CPR card front and back

Bring this information to Katherine Carter, RN, DNP-C PHCNS APRN-B.C. office 3A11. Phone number 504-568-4764 or cell 504-220-2025. Email- kcart6@lsuhsc.edu
LSUHSC SON Alumni Association
Spring Social

Place: Rock-n-Sake
823 Fulton Street
Date: April 24, 2013
Time: 6:30-8:30
Cost: $50/person
includes: Sushi, appetizer & 2 drinks tickets

Silent auction to be held during the social

For more information contact-
Brandon Brown (president) - brown.b Brandon5@gmail.com
Or Amber Lambert (board member) - alambe@lsuhsc.edu
We will be selling the SGA polos and scrub jackets with the NEW logo. The Scrub Jackets are $30 and the Polos are $25. We have the items available; it will not be a preorder.

Upcoming SGA Events
Meeting dates (12 - 1p in MEB 10)
• April 8th

SALE DAYS (10 – 1p, 4th floor SON)
• April 15th
SNA Updates

MEETING DAYS (MEB 4)

- April 15th “Elections”

NOTE: Time change to 7am!!! Come get free breakfast.

SNA will be selling fleece, badge reels, and clipboards that are very helpful while in clinicals.

New fleur de lis SNA short sleeve t-shirt! Wear it to SNA events or just around school to show your support of SNA! We are taking preorders. $12 each,

UPCOMING SNA EVENTS

Habit at for Humanity, Saturday, April 20th – 7:45 – 4pm
On April 20th, we will be working with Habitat for Humanity to rebuild houses in the Greater New Orleans area. We will build simple, decent, affordable homes in partnership with families in need.

March Donations – Ronald McDonald House
We will be collecting donations for the Ronald McDonald house. Families travel from miles for their children to receive specialized care from hospitals and doctors here in New Orleans. Ronald McDonald House offers the families a place to stay while also providing support during the hospital visit. We are collecting paper products, and snacks for the house. (Paper plates, paper towels, plastic utensils, cake and cookie mix, individually wrapped snacks).
Dear Faculty and Students,

The Student Nurses Association will be hosting a blood drive for a 15-year-old boy who is a patient at a local hospital. He was diagnosed with Hodgkin’s T-Cell Lymphoma at age 9 and is constantly in need of platelets due to his low platelet levels. Because of his Hodgkin’s, he is unable to produce enough platelets, and even a scratch or a cut could be devastating.

This is our chance to help him out! Come out and donate blood for this young man! The blood drive is April 15th from 10am – 3:30 pm and will be held in MEB 4 directly across from the cafeteria on the third floor. This blood drive is exactly eight weeks since the last one so if you donated then, you will be able to donate at this one as well!!

Thanks for donating,

Anne Cerniglia  
School of Nursing SNA Community Service Coordinator  
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Senior I Class

Nora Tile T-Shirt

Nursing (arched) sweatshirt

Senior I's are selling NURSING t-shirts and sweatshirts!!!

Nola tile “NURSING” charcoal gray t-shirt $16
Charcoal gray collegiate NURSING (arched) sweatshirt $26

We will begin taking preorders on the next sale day, Monday February 18th on 4th floor student lounge.

We still have extra Saints We Bleed Black and Gold t-shirts for sale! ($16 short sleeve, $20 long sleeve)

Class Dues:
The dues due date is April 15th, 2013. Remember dues are $40 per semester. Please find your treasurer, Sara Lacey, to pay.

The SR I class are selling LSU Nursing cups!

20 oz. insulated cups with top and straw--great for tailgating, keeps your drinks hot or cold. Cups are $14 each.

Email rsteen@lsuhsc.edu or sraym2@lsuhsc.edu if you would like to order one or if you have any questions.
The Junior I's will be selling Mardi Gras t-shirts for $18 to kick off the carnival season! Come support our class and place your order during the sale days. Please email Kaitlyn Moser (kmoser@lsuhsc.edu) if you would like a shirt but are unable to attend a sale day.

Junior II Class

Jr II's will be selling their new, short-sleeved shirt "Top 10 Reasons Why I Decided to Go to Nursing School" with pocket for $18. Please contact either Caitlyn Blanchard (cblanc@lsuhsc.edu) or Catie Brown (cbro12@lsuhsc.edu) to purchase a shirt or visit us on the sale days! Cash or check made out to Class of May 2014 LSUHSC SON.
The Sophomore II class are still selling Nightingale ball t-shirts from this past fall. Please contact one of the class officers if you would like to purchase one.

The Sophomore I/ Senior I Class party is March the 15th!! Remember, you need to pay the dues to attend!

- The SGA Craw fish Boil is March 23rd, 12-4 at the School of Dentistry. It's 20$ for all you can eat craw fish, beer, hamburgers and hot dogs. Invite the entire family! Be on the lookout for the our SGA Rep, Brittany Chambers for tickets.

The deadline for Class dues has been extended to April 19th. After April 19th, there will be a $5 late fee, and you no longer will be allowed to pay the $200 for the entire 6 semesters at LSUHSC. After April 19th, dues will always be $40/semester.
If you want to attend the annual Crawfish Boil, please purchase your tickets from our SGA Rep, Diana Ramirez. Ticket price is $20.

Tentative date for composite photos is April 4, from 3:00-5:00 (we will meet immediately after MGMT class; NICU students will go first). Please mark your calendars, as this is the only date we will be taking pictures. Location and uniform will be announced at a later date.

Final Exam Schedule

2 blocks down and 3 to go! Make sure to check your email and look for the updated schedule for next block.
Is anyone interested in being tutored or tutoring someone else?

IF SO, POST YOUR REQUEST HERE!!!

If you would like to post something, please email SGA secretary@lsuhsc.edu so that it will be on the next Nurses’ Notes.