

WNY Chapter Officers

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**WNY Emergency Nurses Association Minutes February 2012**

Thank you to Gale Swanson and Anthony Mastastuono from the Office of Professionals of New York State. Great examples on how to protect our licenses!! Thank you to Matt Riggins of Vidacare EZIO for a lovely dinner – greatly appreciated !

**Reports**

Treasury Report given – available for review.

Profit was made from December raffle - $95.

ENA Candy bar Fundraiser to begin !! Boxes will be available for pick up at April ENA meeting. Any ideas for fundraising ideas welcome – Please email or let an officer know at future meetings.

NYSCENA representative – Karen Taggart reported key points from January 2012 meeting as follows:

* Legislation to require seatbelts for all auto passengers regardless of age.
* Assault on ED health care workers to be followed through legally
* Concussion training to be included in all schools (middle schools, high schools, and colleges)
* Nurses to be on legislative concussion boards

**Website and Education**

[www.wnyena.com](http://www.wnyena.com/).

Home page connects WNY ENA with links to national ENA and membership.

This site has guides to classes, conferences, registration, downloadable forms and future meetings.

Kaleida Gates 4hr Stroke program May 2012 in collaboration with western ENA – open to all.

ENA = free book if you write a review 1-800-900-9659 #4013

CEN review – MedEd with Jeff Solheim Oct 22,23 Cheektowaga – discount to ENA members

**TNCC/ENPC** 2012 sessions

TNCC - May 2 & 3,Oct 16&17

ENPC -May 30 & 31,Sept 25 & 26

On line registration Tjjmf40@aol.com or [www.wnyena.com](http://www.wnyena.com)

**CEU’s**

Go green! CEU’s now available online at <http://nursece4less.com/>

**Next Meeting**

April11 ,2012 at 6pm complimentary dinner ( sponsored by Stryker) with **RSVP by April 6th**

Lecture at 7pm Topic Helping Victims of Violence with Mary Travers- Murphy retired WKBW news.

Location : South Buffalo Mercy Hospital 565 Abbott Rd Buffalo 14220 Conference Room A

**FREE PARKING !!** Please bring parking ticket in to be validated.

Pass the word !!! RNs, nonmembers, LPN, student nurses, and EMTs welcome !!!

**Future Meeting topics**

Mark your calendars!!

June 13, 2012 topic Head Injuries- Speaker ECMC Trauma coordinator Linda Schwab

August 8th , 2012 topic Treatment of Burns – Speaker WNY Burn Center

*Suggestions for topic meetings always welcome. Please email or mention to ENA officer at future meetings.*

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