MORNA GAUZETTE

November 2020

President's Corner



Hello MORNA members!

Welcome all new and returning members to the 2020-2021 MORNA organization. At this time, I would like to introduce our MORNA executive:

President Elect- Kassandra Klassen

Past President (and Web Master)- Kim Goodman

Secretary- Vanessa Ferdinand

Education Coordinator- Stacey Brown

Treasurer- Carmen Saban

President- Dawn Affleck

MB Director of ORNAC Board- Dawn Affleck

It's been a different fall scene for us with MORNA activities. We managed a small hybrid wine and cheese evening on September 17th at the Winter Club. It was such a treat to be together both in person and in our virtual zoom setting. But sadly as our provincial COVID-19 infections have steadily risen, we now confirm that all of our MORNA business and education meetings will be done virtually until further notice.

On the local MORNA executive scene, we have been busy. We now have our very own MORNA Instagram page!!!! Check it out perioperative nurses!!! Search **morna.nurses**, click on the follow command and we will be sure to follow you back!! Thank you to Kassie for her graphic design and awesome communication skills to get this social media platform up and running for our MORNA members!!!

The MORNA Bylaws and Constitution committee has completed the revisions as discussed at our October meeting and members will vote at our November business meeting. Many thanks to Eva Marie Lessing, Kim Goodman, Lesia Yasinski, Kassie Klassen for taking time to review, revise, and complete the bylaws.

On the national front, ORNAC has made the difficult decision to move our biennial 27th ORNAC conference "Charting the Future of Perioperative Practice" to a virtual platform April 30th – May 2nd, 2021. This will be different but will also allow us to keep some national momentum in our continuing education requirements and connection with each other.

In other great news, our ORNAC/MORNA memberships are now rolling 1-year memberships. This means

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that you pick the renewal date that works for you. This change was done based on member feedback to provide more flexibility. Please remember and share with your teams that our $65.00 membership fee gives you over $400.00 in valuable educational opportunities and funding support. Go to www.ornac.ca for additional information on renewal or first-time membership. Our last membership count at the end of October was 79. Given there is over 400 nurses working in Manitoba ORs, we have some work to do!!!

As I write this, Perioperative Nurses Week is upon us. November 8-14, 2020 is themed "The Year of the Nurse: Under the Light of Nightingale, From Humble Beginnings, and Our Best Shines Through". With all of the challenges we are facing, I hope you will carve out a little bit of time amongst your teams to celebrate one another! Although it will look very different from the potlucks and close-knit staff lounge gatherings of past, it can still bring some joy and appreciation to our nursing specialty. The MORNA executive celebrates the light each of you brings to perioperative nursing and all that you do in the perioperative environments to keep our patients and each other safe. Keep an eye out for contests through our MORNA Instagram page and stay active on the site to maintain this momentum.

And lastly, I share in the angst and worry that you all feel, but also believe in the knowledge and power of perioperative nursing in a pandemic. You got this!!!! We've got this!!! Please be safe, model all of the perioperative standards and public health practices that have been identified, and remember to "Be the change you wish to see". ~ Gandhi

Keep Safe, Dawn Affleck RN MN CPN(C) MORNA President





Virtual Conference

Apr 30-May 2, 2021

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Association des infirmières et infirmiers de salle d'opération du Canada

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ORNAC AWARDS

Do you know a colleague that is deserving of an award? If so please visit https://ornac.ca/en/awards for the awards available to nominate your colleagues! Please reach out to secretary@morna.ca you need any help with the nomination process.



CONFERENCES - INTERNATIONAL

DATES

December 1- 2, 2020 International Conference on Perioperative Nursing and Patient Care Management, Auckland, New Zealand https://waset.org/perioperative-nursing-and-patient-care-management-conference-in-december-2020-in-auckland

January 14 – 15, 2021 International Conference on Perioperative Nursing, Bali, Indonesia

May 27 – 30, 2021 10th EORNA Congress European Operating Room Nurses Association, Stavanger, Norway http://www.eornacongress.eu/

August 7-11, 2021 AORN Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida. Registration opens December 2020. https://www.aorn.org/surgicalexpo

August 19 – 22, 2021 AfPP Annual Conference, University of York, Heslington, York https://www.afpp.org.uk/home

WINNIPEG and CANADIAN DATES

April 30-May 2, 2021 27th Bi-Annual National ORNAC conference. Virtual. https://ornac.ca/en/news-events/conferences/home-return-2021

June 8-13, 2022 PRNABC Biennial Conference Sun Peaks, B.C. https://www.prnabc.ca/

Please follow us on Instagram!



MORNA has a new Instagram account! Follow **@MORNA.Nurses** on Instagram for updates, reminders, and to stay in touch with your Perioperative nursing family across Manitoba!

It is a private account, so expect a direct message from the @MORNA.Nurses account to confirm you should be included in the group!

CERTIFICATION/RECERTIFICATION

Consider becoming certified in your specialty as a perioperative nurse – CPN(C).

Important dates 2021

Initial or renewal by exam

	Application window	Exam window	Results
Spring	January 14-March 8	May 1-15	June
Fall	June1-September 1	November 1-15	December

Renewal by continuous learning (CL)

	Application window
Renewal by CL	January 14- November 1

2021 CNA CERTIFICATION
COMMIT TO EXCELLENCE

The **CNA Certification Program** offers the only bilingual, nationally recognized nursing specialty credential. Being CNA certified shows that you're committed to an advanced standard of professional competence and have a comprehensive understanding of your nursing specialty.

IMPORTANT DATES

SPRING 2021

January 14 – March 8
Application window to **write or renew by exam**

May 1-15
Certification **exam window**

FALL 2021

June 1 – September 1
Application window to **write or renew by exam**

November 1 – 15
Certification **exam window**

YEAR ROUND

January 14 – November 1
Application window to **renew by continuous learning**

CURRENT SPECIALTIES

CARDIOVASCULAR
COMMUNITY HEALTH
CRITICAL CARE
CRITICAL CARE PEDIATRICS
EMERGENCY
GERONTOLOGY — for registered nurses and registered psychiatric nurses
GERONTOLOGY — for licensed/registered practical nurses
HOSPICE PALLIATIVE CARE
MEDICAL-SURGICAL — for registered nurses
MEDICAL-SURGICAL — for licensed/registered practical nurses
NEONATAL
NEPHROLOGY
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH
ONCOLOGY
PEDIATRICS
PERINATAL
PERIOPERATIVE
PSYCHIATRIC AND MENTAL HEALTH — for registered nurses and registered psychiatric nurses
WOUND, OSTOMY AND CONTINENCE

RENEWAL BY CONTINUOUS LEARNING ONLY

GASTROENTEROLOGY
NEUROSCIENCE
ORTHOPAEDIC
PERIANESTHESIA
REHABILITATION

Since 2019, exams to obtain or renew a certification in any of these specialties are no longer offered. Certified nurses can renew by submitting CL hours.

CANADIAN NURSES ASSOCIATION

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Care to Be the Best



It's time to renew. Your Association membership, including your professional liability protection (CNPS) at a discounted rate, expires December 31, 2020. Your membership includes:



We know you're busier than ever, so we've made membership renewal simple. Plus, when you renew with the Association first, it makes your College renewal process easy.

Renew now

Once signed in, click the 'Renew Now' button

We'll check it off your list. Once you complete your renewal, our site connects with the College of Registered Nurses of Manitoba and automatically checks off the CNPS professional liability protection box on your College renewal checklist.

A few things you should know

Our office doors may be closed to the public due to the pandemic, but we're here for you. Our staff are available to provide renewal support by phone, email or live chat on our website.

To meet your needs, we've added new payment options including payment with Interac Debit by appointment. For the full list of options and instructions, visit arnm.ca.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- CNPS Liability Protection
- Professional Development
- On-demand Webinars
- Perks for Nurses
- COVID-19 Supports
- Advocacy
- Canadian Nurses Association

RENEW EARLY FOR MORE CHANCES TO WIN GREAT PRIZES!



1 of 3 $50 Amazon gift cards donated by Centum Financial



GoodLife items & $50 gift card (your choice) donated by Johnson Insurance



1 of 2 $50 gift cards (your choice) donated by Johnson Insurance

Thermal experience & robe rental for 2 donated by Thermea



1 of 2 Google Home voice-activated speakers

1 year subscription to Masterclass.com donated by Visual Antidote

1 of 8 90 minute floats from FloatCalm

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2020-2021 Executive List

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Standing Committee Chairpersons

Communications Committee & Newsletter Vanessa Ferdinand, Stacey Brown, Kassie Klassen

Dawn Affleck, (Ex-Officio)

Constitution & By-Laws Committee Kim Goodman, Dawn Affleck (Ex-Officio), Vanessa Ferdinand

Education Committee Stacey Brown

Nominations Kim Goodman

MORNA Meeting Dates

2020 – 2021

Date	Day of Week	Event	Host	Location
September 17, 2020	Thursday	MORNA Annual Wine & Cheese 1800 hrs	St. Boniface & Misereicordia	Winnipeg Winter Club 200 River Ave. Wpg., MB
October 22, 2020	Thursday	Business and Education Meeting 1830 hrs via Zoom	HSC- ADULT	VIRTUAL MEETING VIA ZOOM
November 26, 2020	Thursday	Business and Education Meeting 1830 hrs via Zoom	Women's & Victoria	VIRTUAL MEETING VIA ZOOM
January 13, 2021	Wednesday	Business and Education Meeting 1830 hrs via Zoom	Childrens'	CRNM Conference Room- Main floor 890 Pembina Hwy
February 13, 2021	Thursday	Business and Education Meeting 1830 hrs via Zoom	Pan Am & Concordia	CRNM Conference Room- Main floor 890 Pembina Hwy
March 6, 2020	Saturday	MORNA Spring Workship	MORNA	Samuel N. Cohen St. Boniface
April 14, 2021	Wednesday	Business and Education Meeting 1830 hrs via Zoom	Grace & Maples	CRNM Conference Room-Main Floor 890 Pembina Hwy
May 21, 2021	Thursday	MORNA Annual Dinner 1830 hrs	MORNA AGM	Winnipeg Winter Club 200 River Ave. Wpg.

***Check back for any changes in dates/location and for more info about the workshop**

MORNA Spring Workshop

March 6th, 2021	Saturday	MORNA Saturday workshop	Details to follow	Samuel N. Cohen St. Boniface 351 Tache Ave

MORNA Membership

Category	Fees	Send to
Active Canadian Perioperative Registered Nurse Membership	$65.00- Valid for 12 months from registration.	**ORNAC Registration Online at ornac.ca** Rolling Membership **Workshop Registration:** **MORNA TREASURER c/o Carmen Saban P.O. Box 1363 Souris, MB., R0K2C0** **carmen.n.saban@gmail.com**
Healthcare Professional Associate	$70.00	
Student Nurse Associate	$55.00	
Retired Perioperative Registered Nurse Associate	$55.00	

Election Announcement



This year we are to elect a new Treasurer, Educator and a new Secretary (for a one-year term)! Treasurer and Educator are to be elected for a 2-year term, which begins July 1, 2021 till June 30th 2023.

Duties of the Treasurer

1. Is a signing officer for MORNA, with the President and President Elect.
2. Keeps an accurate record of all monies received and disbursed, and submits a yearend financial statement. (See Article 14 Finances, Investments and Contracts).
3. Submits a report on the balance in the treasury at all MORNA Meetings.
4. Prepares a budget for the ensuing fiscal year July 1st to June 30th of the following year in consultation with the Board of Directors and presents it to membership for approval at the first meeting of the fiscal year.
5. Recommends and receives approval from the membership for the appointment of an independent accountant with a professional designation (CA, CMA, CPA or CGA) for the current fiscal year. Is responsible for having the books audited or a review engagement that is to be determined by the Executive done at the end of the fiscal year and presents the financial statement to the Executive and Membership at the first meeting of the new fiscal year. Provides documentation as required to the accountant.
6. Receives and maintains an updated membership from ORNAC.
7. Maintains an accurate and confidential list of all members. Use of the membership list requires approval from the membership.
8. Receives all monies from workshops, conferences, dinners, fundraising, etc., unless alternate arrangements are made. Accounts for all such monies in the MORNA Statements.
9. Submits reports and issue cheques as required.
10. Is responsible for processing members requests for educational funding according to established criteria and submitting requests to the Executive.
11. Performs other duties as requested by the President.
12. New Documents will be kept in accordance with the Income Tax Act and The Canada Not for Profit Corporations (NFP) Act.
13. Ensures an Annual Income Tax Return is files in accordance with The Canada Not for Profit Corporations (NFP) Act.



Duties of the Educator coordinator

1. Coordinates all aspects of perioperative nursing education for the association.
2. Participates on the Communications Committee as Co-Chair, with the Secretary (Co-Chair) and President Elect (Chair). Participates in the production of the MORNA Newsletter.
3. Keeps membership informed of all opportunities for educational activities related to perioperative nursing (both MORNA and other) through the newsletter.
4. Works in close communication with the Secretary to ensure that there are timely notices of educational events and submits MORNA educational information to be placed in the affiliate association's calendar of events.
5. Confirms rooms for all meetings.
6. Ensures appropriate audiovisual equipment is available for meetings and educational sessions.
7. Maintains a list of MORNA educational material and other available resources for use by MORNA members.
8. Performs other duties as requested by the President.

Duties of the Secretary

1. Records and distributes the minutes of all MORNA meetings.
2. Maintains an accurate record of attendance at all MORNA meetings. Provides an annual verification of attendance report as required for membership purposes e.g. certification or educational funding.
3. Completes correspondence as directed by the Executive or Board of Directors.
4. Maintains all MORNA records, documents and correspondence for the most recent two years, and then scans documents to be archived electronically.
5. Participates on the Communications Committee as Co-chair with the Educational Coordinator (Co-Chair) and President Elect (Chair). Responsible for the production of the MORNA newsletter and maintenance of the MORNA Website.
6. Co-ordinates tele health bookings and availability of rooms.
7. Distributes all notices of meetings and educational events.
8. Responsible for the production, distribution and updating of resources for Hospital Representatives. Ensures approval of the Executive and / or Board of Directors prior to distribution of changes.
9. Performs other duties as requested by the President.
10. Ensures all electronic backup files using current format and file storage technology.
11. Ensures Corporations Canada is notified of changes to the Executive Officers of the Board of Directors.

Duties are recopied from the MORNA Constitution and Bylaws, available from your MORNA Rep and on our website. The election will be held at the MORNA Annual General Meeting, Spring 2021. Please forward nominations to Kim Goodman (Chair Nominating Committee) email at mornamatters.kgoodman@gmail.com

WINE AND CHEESE SEPTEMBER 2020 – DOOR PRIZE WINNERS







PERIOPERATIVE NURESES WEEK!!!

November 8-14, 2020

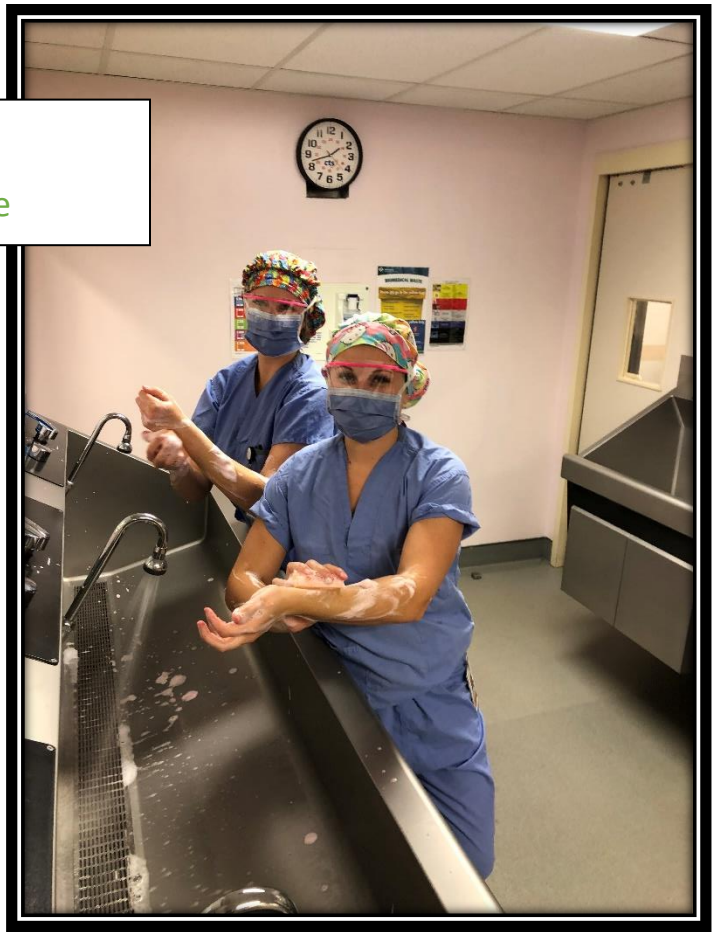
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2020 the year of the Nurse and Midwife and what a year it has been! Celebrating Perioperative Nurses week will look different this year with COVID19 impacting our world. But lets all try to take a moment this week to celebrate what makes this speciality so amazing! Continue keeping our patients #1, keeping them and our Perioperative team safe during this time. Please stay safe. Stay Healthy. Thank you everyone who was able to send in pictures of your teams from around the province!



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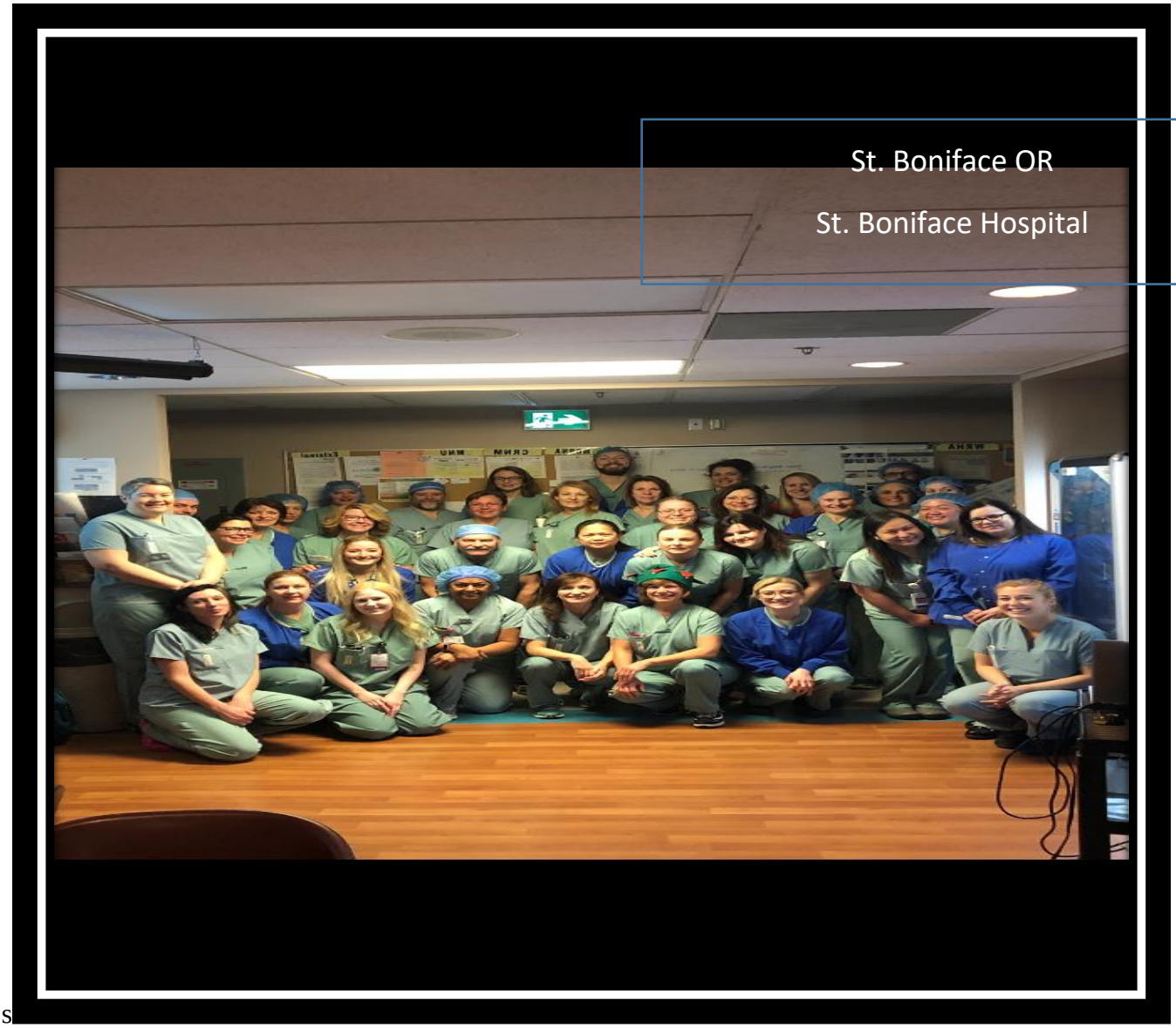


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