***St. Louis University Nurses Association***

Meeting Minutes from September 6, 2017

Introductions:

members of the board/exec introduced themselves

Icebreaker:

two truths and a lie

What is SNA?

* student-run organization
* a part of NSNA
* social, education, and volunteer events
* connections with employers/scholarship opportunities

Membership Requirements:

* point-run system (10 points/semester)
* 1 point per meeting, different point values for other events
* meetings first month noon/1 in room 022
* always have makeup meetings on Wednesday 8:30 at Panera
* NSNA membership is strongly encouraged!
  + $40 for one year
  + $70 for two years
  + a form will come out in the weekly email
  + the signup link will come out in the weekly email
  + lots of perks for being part of national organization
    - scholarship opportunities
    - formal membership of your profession
    - will get benefits from SLU SNA like discounts on merchandise and potentially get free textbooks/Amazon gift card

Service Site:

* LifeBridge—specifically we will work with the SPARK program which is in a school
* 3-5 on Wednesdays and Mondays (but really need help Wednesdays!)
* Sign up once or twice/semester
* Go with another person (but someone needs transportation)
* 2 points for going (3 would be best on Wednesdays)
* Help with whatever life skills activity they are doing that afternoon
* Signup will be in weekly email

Upcoming Events for September

* Social events on Monday, September 18th
* White coat ceremony on Friday, September 22nd
* Homecoming Parade on Saturday, September 23rd
  + 9:30-11 for decorating; 11-1ish for walking
  + 2 points for decorating, 2 points for walking
* Beginning of October: education event, jobs in nursing
* Signups for Homecoming and White Coat Ceremony passed around
  + 1 point/hour you do

Merchandise:

* Designs in the works—we will keep you posted

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