Executive Committee Nomination Results

Election of new officers for the St. Alphonsus Medical Center - Baker City (SAB) will be held online beginning Thursday, Feb. 27 at 8:00 a.m. and closing Friday, March 6 at 4 p.m.

Nominations were received for the following positions:

- Chair: Alyson Rino
- Vice Chair: Megan Nelson
- Secretary: Jaqqi Herrera
- Treasurer: Becky Sanders
- PNCC Chair: Jenna Hall
- Membership Chair: Riley Hall

If you are interested in serving as a unit steward or in receiving more information about your rights as a union member, please indicate by contacting your ONA labor representative, Ateusa Salemi, at Salemi@OregonRN.org or 541-571-8552. You can also contact any current member of the SAB executive committee. We welcome nurses from all departments and shifts to help keep our contract strong and maintain our hard-won wages and benefits.

Labor Management Committee

What is a labor management committee (LMC)? This committee is made up of members of our ONA elected local leadership as well as our labor representative, Ateusa Salemi. The purpose of the LMC is to meet with members of hospital administration and (hopefully) work through issues that are impacting the hospital and nurses.

In our last contract negotiations, we secured meetings of this committee to discuss several key issues. The first is the process for “sitting.” Our goal is to make the process safe, fair and consistent for nurses and patients. The other topic is identifying and creating better rest spaces for staff. Our current breakrooms are simply not comfortable places to take a true break from our work. The hospital has also asked to clarify the new per diem requirements and there is a mutual interest in discussing the rotation language for low census.

Our first LMC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 25, 4 - 5:30 p.m. See a member of our LMC, Alyson Rino, Jenna Hall, Becky Sanders, or Jaqqi Herrera if you have feedback you would like to provide prior to that meeting.
Your voice matters. Be part of ONA’s primary governing body, the House of Delegates (HOD). As a delegate you will discuss and vote on resolutions, amendments and other initiatives that will determine ONA’s direction.

Bring your perspective and join us at the 2020 House of Delegates on May 19 in Portland.

Visit www.OregonRN.org/Delegate for more information and to complete your delegate nomination form.

Questions about statewide offices or delegates? Email or call ONA Chief of Staff Whitney Wong at Wong@OregonRN.org or 503-293-0011 ext. 1325.

**DATE HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO FEB. 29!**

**Bring Your Voice to the ONA House of Delegates**

The 2020 ONA Convention and House of Delegates will be held on Monday, May 18 (CE Day) and Tuesday, May 19 (House of Delegates) in Portland, OR.

The convention’s theme is “Rising Up Together” and will feature sessions on professional development, nursing practice and workplace issues, as well as topics critical to ONA’s strategic plan including equity and inclusion.

Participants of the CE day on Monday, May 18 will be able to earn up to 5.25 continuing nursing education contact hours.

Oregon Nurses Association is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Registration is open through May 1, 2020.

Register today at www.OregonRN.org