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Have you visited the OASN website lately? Members can find access to past newsletters, legislative updates, a *Health Notes Section* (personalize and print a health newsletter for your school), and important announcements. The newsletter editor is seeking for information about community health events or fairs, awards or recognition received by school nurses in your community, and other items of interest. This is your place to share the great things that we do as school nurses, everyday!
www.oasn.org.

• President's Message

Greetings to all OASN members! The past several months have been a busy time in the life of the OASN organization.

- We are continuing with legislative efforts to mandate school nurses in every school district in the state of Ohio. This effort is being made with a group of school nurses lead by Sam Whitaker. We met on December 15, 2006 and January 12, 2007 in Columbus to brainstorm ideas of what we would like included in an omnibus bill for school nurses. We have begun the drafting of language and met with a representative of the governor's office, John Stanford, and Senator Stivers on February 2, 2007 in Columbus. We are at the first step in the process of developing a bill that will be introduced into law. More on the exciting initiative will follow.



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The Ohio Association of School Nurses is very proud to announce that Norma Nikkola, RN, MS has been recently chosen as the National School

Nurse of the Year, by the National Association of School Nurses.

Norma will be honored by her Ohio colleagues and school nurses around the world at the NASN **39th Annual Conference, June 28-July 1, 2007** in Nashville, Tennessee.

Please be sure to visit the NASN web site to view the official National School Nurse of the Year press release from NASN within the next month.

Norma, we salute you and we are honored that you will represent the state of Ohio at the national conference!

Upcoming conferences

OASN Annual Conference
March 16-18, 2007
Preconference available on March 15, 2007
Conference information and registration
<http://www.oasn.org/Annual%20Conference/AnnualConference.html>

Sickle Cell Education and Hemoglobinopathy Counselor Training Course
Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical

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- Plans are being finalized for the March 21, 2007 Nurses Day at the Statehouse. OASN is a sponsor for the day and we hope to meet with more legislators concerning our efforts for mandating school nurses. Registrations are still being taken at the ONA website. If you are interested, please make your plans soon, as they may reach maximum capacity.
- We are applying the finishing touches for the "cruise" for OASN membership in the form of our conference March 17-19, 2007. There are some fantastic classes planned and our keynote speaker is Pat Cooper. He is a dynamic speaker and his message on coordinated school health is one that every school nurse and administrator in the state should hear. Therefore, do not be bashful, but invite administrators in your school district to come and hear what Mr. Cooper has to say. His keynote speech is scheduled for Friday March 16, 2007 at 8:30am. This is one conference that you don't want to miss!!
- The OASN board of directors will submit By-Law revision proposals to the general membership at the conference. There is a proposal to change the length of the term of office for the president-elect and president. Please watch for this posting as a member alert and familiarize yourself with these changes so that concerns can be brought to the board at the business meeting on Saturday, March 17, 2007.

These are busy times in the life of our organization. I want to thank the executive board and legislative task force members for all of their hard work and support throughout the last couple of months. Together we WILL get school nurses mandated for all school districts!!

I welcome and encourage you to send any questions, comments, or concerns to my email address.

See you in Dublin, Ohio at the OASN conference!!

Sincerely,

Center
March 15-16, 2007
[Registration form](#)

Ohio Department of Health-Regional
School Nurse Conference
Sheraton Cincinnati North, Cincinnati,
OH
April 19-20, 2007
Cherry Valley Lodge, Newark, OH
April 29-30, 2007
The Lodge at Sawmill Creek, Huron,
OH
May 17-18, 2007

NASN's 39th Annual Conference
Children's Health: "Our Primary
Investment"
June 28 - July 1, 2007
Gaylord's Opryland Hotel,
Nashville, TN
[Registration information](#)

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• **Your Membership \$\$ at work for you!**

OASN seeks every opportunity to educate others about school nursing practice and the qualifications needed to be a School Nurse in Ohio. One of the ways OASN does this is by exhibiting in arenas where we can display our exhibit and distribute materials on school nursing and answer questions.



On November 13th and 14th of this past year, OASN had an exhibit at the Ohio School Boards Association Trade Show at the Columbus Convention Center. This trade show offers an opportunity for a lot of exposure as it is attended by school board members and administrators across the state. Gabi Karpowicz organized the first trade show display in 2004. Items this year were generously donated for a "wellness" basket by School Health, Inc. Love To Teach donated items for raffle that displayed the "10 Top Reasons to be a School Board Member". The raffles were a great way of pulling in school board members and superintendents to discuss



school nursing.

We heard many complimentary things about school nurses across the state. Some superintendents had questions about school nurse job descriptions and qualifications for school nurses. The opportunity to answer these questions made being there worthwhile. We also learned that there was even an expectation among some attendees that OASN would be there representing school nursing in Ohio when we heard comments like "I've been looking for your booth", "I was told to look you up". We plan to return to the OSBA Trade Show in the fall. Ask your superintendent and school board members to look us up. We'll have another raffle for them!

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In closing, many thanks to Judy Miller (*pictured in top photo on left, opposite Renee Besecker*) who assisted with the set up/take down and manning the booth, and Barb Carpenter who stepped in to provide relief. If your name is listed below, that means we saw one of your school board members or your superintendent and chances are they had something nice to say about you!

- Lucy Marino - Boardman
- Sharon Harper - Trumbull
- Judy Ganguly - Xenia
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- Lisa Werner - Brunswick City
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- Cynthia Turner & Shirley Boone - Beavercreek
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- Melissa Sutton - Upper Scioto Valley Local
- Candi Elliott - Lincolnview

I apologize in advance for any misspellings. This is not an exhaustive list, we wrote down as many as we could.

Renee Besecker, Executive Director OASN

• SWOSNA NEWS

SWOSNA held its second General Membership Meeting for the 2006/07 school year on November 16, 2006 at the Holiday Inn, Dayton Mall. Sixty-two people attended the meeting. Linda Hilvert was honored with a congressional certificate for being the Cameos of Caring recipient. Susan Praeger was honored for being the NASN School Nurse Educator of the Year. Julie Kolde RN, BSN, NCSN presented a useful presentation on "Integrating Technology Into School Nursing Practice" for 1.3 CEUs. Members

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update their school nursing practice through computer technology.

In January, the SWOSNA Board gave official support to "An Agenda for Southwest Ohio's Children, 2008- 09 State Budget Agenda." SWOSNA will be listed as an organization that assisted in the development of the Agenda and supports its contents. The Southwest Ohio Child Advocacy Group is planning to hold a briefing in late February for the Southwest Ohio delegation in order to present the Agenda and have a dialogue on the issues. The Agenda specifically requests for funding in the budget for school nursing services according to the standards set by NASN. The wording reads:

"Pass and fund legislation that provides for school nursing based on National Association of School Nurses standards. Reason: School nurses are the primary identifier and source of maintaining treatment for children with chronic conditions such as diabetes and asthma. Currently 55 school districts in Ohio have no school-based health services. "

The next SWOSNA Board meeting will be March 1, 2007 at Sycamore Hospital. We look forward to seeing all SWOSNA Members at the OASN Annual Conference in March where we will celebrate the honoring of our own Norma Nikkola as Ohio School Nurse of the Year! We will also see everyone at the Spring SWOSNA General Meeting on Tuesday, April 24, 2007, 4: 30 PM – 7:00 PM, topic and place to be announced.

Joan Hlinomaz RN, MS, NCSN Southwest Ohio Representative

www.swosna.org

• **NWOASN News**

The winter meeting of NWOASN was held on January 27, 2007 in Findlay Ohio. The presentation was the NASN Disaster Preparedness Program presented by Deb Strouse. There were 37 school nurses in attendance. The program was very well done and the audience was very appreciative of the comfortable meeting site.

Our business meeting was held from 12:15 to 1:15PM.

Southeast

Lesa Stack

Southwest

Eva Garcher

Hard of Hearing or Deaf Student in Your School?

Jane Klenk, RN, MSN, Columbus Public Schools Nurse, has been appointed to the board of directors of Deaf Initiatives. She would like to get the word out about the great services available for all deaf and hard of hearing (HOH) youth and families statewide.

Deaf Initiatives offers support to families with deaf and HOH children ages birth to twelfth grade. Age appropriate workshops are provided regularly and are offered free or at nominal fees. Klenk, who has a deaf son, has attended programs and gives them high marks. Programs are paid in part by supporters but also by a small business enterprise developed by Deaf Initiatives. The company employs and trains deaf and HOH job seekers. Statistics show that 60% of deaf adults are unemployed. Deaf Initiatives vision is to reverse this trend through all of their activities. Please refer to the web site for additional information www.deafinitiatives.org. Klenk will also be happy to help with any related questions and can be reached at 614-365-5824 during school hours.

Silent Auction Donations Needed!

This will be our 3rd Annual Silent Auction. The proceeds from the auction benefit the OASN Scholarship Endowment Fund and are tax deductible. Receipts are available upon request .

If you have anything that you would like to donate to the Silent Auction, that would be great! Think of what you would like to see and bid on. Be creative! This is your opportunity to re-gift something

Our current membership is 77. It was decided to send former members a copy of our newsletter with a special invitation to rejoin. The following slate of officers were elected for the 2007-2008 school year:

- Laurie Gladioux- President
- Denise Kauffman - President- Elect
- Candi Hendershot - Past President
- Ann Brunning - Treasurer
- Meg Sullivan - Secretary
- Mary Schwartz - Ways and Means
- Maureen Knowles - NW Rep to OASN
- Mary Beth Durbin and Mary Martin - Newsletter
- Ann Cipriani - Membership
- Jan Overmeyer - Website

The officers will be installed at the May 10, 2007 meeting to be held at St. Luke's Hospital. The topic for the evening's education hour is to be determined. Look for further information to be mailed to your home in March.

Respectfully submitted,
Maureen Knowles, NW Rep

<http://www.nwoasn.org>

• Meet the Candidates for OASN.....

The candidates for offices of the Board of Directors of OASN that need to be filled In March at our annual conference are: President Elect and Vice President. There is one candidate for each office, thus it is not necessary to have an election by ballot. The new President Elect term of office will be contingent upon the general membership approval of the new by-laws. If the by-laws are approved, then the new president elect position will be installed at the 2008 annual meeting.

Please read their vitae carefully and you will see that these candidates are highly qualified for the office that they have agreed to fill.

Office of President Elect
Eva Garchar RN, MSN, NCSN

Nurse/School Nurse Experience:
Eva is currently employed as a licensed school nurse in the Kings Local School District in Kings Mills, Ohio. She has served at Kings as the Nursing Coordinator for the district, and is currently the school nurse at Columbia Elementary. Previous experience includes working in health services for the Mason City Schools, pediatric home health care with Maternal Child Healthcare

you received as a gift that you would never use. If you are crafty, donate a beautiful piece of your own artwork (knitting, crochet, jewelry, etc.). Are you an independent consultant for a company like Longaberger, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, etc.? Do you have connections with someone who is a business owner and would be willing to make a donation or gift certificate to our fine organization (Who can say no to a nurse let alone a school nurse!)? Last year, Barnes and Nobles and Donatos were wonderful business donors. Donating an item to our Silent Auction does not have to be expensive.

I ask that whatever you donate be new or gently used/like new. We had many great sellers last year including books, CDs, kitchen and home accessories, Ohio State paraphernalia, Longaberger, Mary Kay, Avon, Vera Bradley, jewelry, school nurse items and clothing, and even clinic supplies.

I must receive all items no later than the first day of the conference. Please include the donor name and value of the item with the item. This information is included with the item description at the auction. If you cannot attend the conference, items can be sent with someone else or mailed to me in advance. Please email me if you plan to donate an item. This helps me know how we are doing in securing items for the auction.

Thank you very much. I look forward to seeing you at the conference.
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Services, and pediatric nursing at Tod Children's Hospital in Youngstown, Ohio and San Diego Children's Hospital in San Diego, California.

Education:

Eva received her AD and BSN at Youngstown State University and her school nurse licensure and MSN at Wright State University.

Professional Affiliations/Offices/Awards :

Professional organization membership includes NEA, OEA, NASN, OASN, and SWOSNA. Eva was the 2005 recipient of the OASN Pat Baum Scholarship award and is currently completing her term as President of SWOSNA.

Community Involvement:

American Red Cross instructor.

Office of Vice President

Maureen Knowles, RN, BSN, MEd., NCSN

School Nurse Experience:

Maureen is currently employed as a licensed school nurse in the Toledo Public Schools in Toledo, Ohio. She is currently the school nurse at Mc Kinley Elementary for grades K-6. She also served as a school nurse at Nathan Hale Elementary for six years.

Education:

Maureen received her BSN at University of North Dakota and her MEd. at the University of Toledo.

Professional Affiliations/Offices held:

Maureen is a member of the Sigma Theta Tau. She is a member of NWOASN, OASN, and NASN. She is currently of NW representative to OASN.

Community Involvement:

Maureen is the Medical Coordinator for the National Youth Sports Program.

• **NASN Update**



National Association of School Nurses

NASN NEWS YOU CAN USE

NASN has arrived!! During the NASN Board of Directors meeting held in January we had an opportunity to visit our new headquarters, located at 8484 Georgia Ave in Silver Spring, MD. The offices are very attractive and most important, are strategically located near public

transportation in the greater Washington DC area. Many other organizations with similar interest in health and education issues have their national offices near by.

Our new NASN Ex. Director, Amy Garcia, is aggressively pursuing grant money to secure programs and relationships for NASN with other agencies and corporations. NASN membership has grown to over 14,000 members and Ohio has 549 members.

The last paper exam for national board certification for school nursing (NBCSN) will be given prior to the annual NASN Conference in Nashville, TN. this June. Web based testing will be done after that.

To be more inclusive, NASN has established an award for a Private/Parochial School Nurse of the year. There is also a discussion list serve for Private/Parochial School Nurses. Check it out!

NASN conducted a School Nurse Staffing Survey. This scientific investigation, surveyed school nurse delivery systems in 1,055 schools in 50 states. Final results will support local efforts for improved ratios of school nurses to students.

Take the time to check out the NASN Website (www.NASN.org), which has added many new features that can be helpful to you in your School Nurse practice, such as the following:

- Grant resource page-Members only
- An updated advocacy page
- SNAMP (School Nurse Asthma Management Program)- Trainers are ready for all states.
- Research button linking School Nurses with School Nurse educators and other experts in this area.
- A full membership on line survey will be conducted during February and March. Ten conference scholarships will be randomly awarded to those completing the survey.
- Disaster Preparedness for School Nurses-At least 16 more workshops are planned over the next year.
- H.A.N.D.S. (Helping to Administer to the Needs of the Student with Diabetes in School)
- MAT – Managing Asthma Triggers
- MAP-Managing and Preventing Diabetes and Weight Gain Project
- S.C.O.P.E.- School Nurse Childhood Obesity Prevention Education Program. This replaces the Healthy Weight program. A Grant has been submitted for funding.
- On line NCE (Nurse Continuing Education)- The goal of NASN is to develop enough low cost NCE offerings

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that will offset the cost of membership in states that require NCE.

- Influenza Vaccine- Considerations in Children: This program will be free to the first 2000 school nurses thanks to a grant from Sanofi Pasteur.
- Access to an updated Diabetes IHP-it will also be in NASN March Newsletter.
- Remember to periodically check out Position Statements (PS) and Issue Briefs (IB) because they are periodically reviewed, updated, retired, or replaced.

Aurelia Barney, Ohio NASN Director

• **NEA and OASN discuss school nurse advocacy**

In the January 2007 issue of NEA Today, an article appeared entitled, "A Band-Aid Solution." It was about school health, but focused on non-professionals providing health services to children. Shortly after publication, NASN seized the opportunity to again help educate NEA regarding school nursing. Sue Will, Amy Garcia and Mary Louise Embrey were able to meet with Reg Weaver, NEA President, and Allan Jehen an NEA Today staff employee.

It was explained to them that in effect they were "praising breaking state laws and Nurse Practice Acts by supporting such activity as was noted in the article." They were reminded that a Resolution was passed this July in support of our recommended of a 1:750 ratio in a regular school population and adjusted downward based on the health acuity of the population served. NEA is encouraged to support their local units in bringing school nurses into representation at their levels.

As a result of this meeting, Amy Garcia, NASN Executive Director, will be attending the NEA's Health Information Network meetings and there will be an article co-written by NASN and NEA on what school nursing SHOULD BE!

Grass roots effort should continue at all levels for more individual involvement with our educational local units and perhaps we should start saying that not only does EVERY CHILD DESERVES A SCHOOL NURSE but also that EVERY TEACHER NEEDS THE SUPPORT OF A SCHOOL NURSE!

Norma Nikkola

- **OASN/NASN Membership registration alert!**

**SCHOOL NURSE NEW MEMBERS AND THOSE
RENEWING MEMBERSHIP IN NASN/OASN**

If you are applying for membership or your anniversary date for renewal is coming up, ensure your receipt of important mailings from NASN and OASN, by giving a complete address (street number & name, city, zip code). The OASN office has received returned mail due to incomplete addresses. Please consider providing your home address rather than your work. If you do provide your work address, make sure you provide complete mailing information, not just the name of the school district and the city. We want to be sure you get the service you deserve from your professional organizations.

Lynette Rice, Outgoing Membership Chair
Renee Besecker, Exec. Director, OASN

- **Promotional Activities for National School Nurse Day**

School nurses across the country will celebrate National School Nurse Day on May 9, 2007. This day was established to foster a better understanding of the role of school nurses in the educational setting.

The Public Relations Committee of OASN has gathered several resources to assist school nurses in their effort to publicly promote this special day. Many ideas are listed below. In addition, the latest edition of the "Health Notes" (School Nurse Health Watch), has a newsletter article that is available to print and distribute to families, board members, community members, etc. A special resource web page at OASN.org will be created so that school nurses can access other publicity and resource information.

We would also like to hear from you! What activities do you have planned for National School Nurse Day? Do you plan to contact a legislator or perhaps honor a school nurse in a special way? Please email Rachel Little, PR chairperson or Jennifer Ferris, Newsletter editor with any information about school nurse promotion activities that are planned to occur in May. In a future edition of the OASN newsletter, we'll include a summary that highlights school nurse activities in our great state!

ACTIVITIES TO PROMOTE SCHOOL NURSING:

- Teach a class.
- Sponsor or take part in a health fair, screening program or other health-related event.
- Provide health tips, first aid tips or healthy lifestyle articles to the school or local newspapers.
- Participate in legislative activities that affect schools and children.
- Be visible at open house and parent- teacher conferences. Remind parents about all the resources the school nurse has to offer.
- Write monthly articles for your school
- Write articles for your District newsletter.
- Write articles for your Union newsletter
- Write or speak to your school board and
- Write articles for your local or suburban
- Arrange for local TV stations to spotlight
- Write your legislators.
- Thank your legislators for something
- Speak at a PTA meeting.
- Send students home with stickers or

Sincerely,

Public Relations Committee
Rachel Little, Chair

• **Endowment-Creating a legacy**

The Columbus Medical Association Foundation states that, "Legacies (Bequests) are one of the simplest and most commonly used methods of Charitable Giving. They are convenient ways to give for many, as they allow an individual to make a future gift commitment while retaining full control of their assets. A bequest through a will or trust can take many forms. Below are some options available to donors that can be used to make a gift to the OASN Education and Research Fund through the Columbus Medical Association Foundation:

1. **Specific Bequest:** The donor places a provision in his/her will or trust that directs a specific asset, a list of assets, or a specific sum of money to be distributed to the OASN Endowment Fund.
2. **Percentage Bequest:** The donor places a provision in his/her will that directs that a percentage of their estate be distributed to the OASN Endowment Fund.
3. **Residuary Bequest:** The donor places a

provision in his/her will or trust that directs that the remainder of this estate after all other provisions in his/her will or trust are satisfied be distributed to the OASN Endowment Fund.

4. Contingent Bequest: The donor places a provision in their will or trust directing assets to the OASN Endowment Fund only if those named as primary beneficiaries predecease the donor.

CMAF would be happy to work with you or your advisors to develop bequest language and fund descriptions that will be beneficial to you and the OASN Endowment Fund. All information shared with them is held in strictest confidence. Individuals setting up a legacy become members of the Foundation's Legacy Society. Decisions regarding any publicity related to any gift or potential gift is left entirely to the donor.

Unlike cash or other outright gifts, a bequest in a will or trust will not provide you with income tax charitable deduction. However, your estate will receive an estate tax charitable deduction for the fair market value of your charitable bequest.

The services of a competent professional who specializes in this area and who is knowledgeable of state law governing wills, trusts and charitable gifts should be engaged to evaluate your personal situation and provide technical assistance needed to accomplish your goals.”

Norma Nikkola, Endowment Chair
nnikkola@earthlink.net [Donate online](#)

• Summer jobs available!

Want to make a difference in the life of children this summer? American Camp Association accredited Summer Camps throughout Ohio are looking for NURSES for a variety of camps.

Usual responsibilities include dispensing medications, general first aid and care for youth ages 6 and older through adult staff, health education and camp safety. Salary and job responsibilities vary from camp to camp.

Length of season can also vary from one to 10 weeks. Some camps will allow your school-age children to attend camp all summer long!

To find a camp that fits your needs, please visit our

website at http://find.acacamps.org/finding_a_camp.php

Anderson Western Colorado Camps

Camp Nurse position available July 3rd to July 23rd
and/or July 25th to August 17th.

Activities include: Whitewater Rafting, Mt. Climbing, Rock Climbing, Horse Pack Trips and Trail Rides, Caving, Campfires, Hikes, Archery, Trap Shooting, Swimming in our heated pool, Rocketry, Fishing, Skits, Cabin fun, and much more.

Contact Information, our location, camp photos, and applications are available at our website: www.andersoncamps.com or email gail@andersoncamps.com or call for more information.

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