

**Central Region SGNA Meeting  
Meeting Minutes  
Date: 4/22/23  
Location: Microsoft Teams**

**Present (Olympus Presentation):** Kayla Corrente, Shari Cohen, Joyce D’Annunzio, Donna Eike, Karen Hinchliffe, Jacquie Hollman, Maryanne Joachim, Samantha Kelly, Ellen Kenny, Maria Lavoura, Beverly Levanti, Gaye McLaughlin, Joanne Newman, Kyle O’Donnell, Sherine Olickal Carrie Orr, Natasha Santolla, Susan Scott, Eric Smith, Teresa Soldiviero, Gina Tango, Tatiana Valencia

**Present (Business Meeting):** Kayla Corrente, Joyce D’Annunzio, Donna Eike, Karen Hinchliffe, Maryanne Joachim, Samantha Kelly, Ellen Kenny, Maria Lavoura, Beverly Levanti, Gaye McLaughlin, Joanne Newman, Kyle O’Donnell, Natasha Santolla, Susan Scott, Robin Waters

**Absent:** N/A

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Recommendations/ Follow-up</b>
<b>Welcome</b> Natasha Santolla	Welcome and outline of CEU presentations to follow	N/A
<b>Old Business</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Navigating the Guidelines for Processing Flexible Endoscopes: “Brushing” Up on Changes</b> Eric Smith	AAMI and Multisociety guideline updates  1.0 CEU  Presented by Eric Smith from Olympus	To obtain CEU: Within 3 business days, an email will be provided with instruction to review the online study guide, complete a post course assessment and evaluation to complete your contact hour for this session
<b>Keep it Clean! Preventing Recontamination After Endoscope Reprocessing</b> Eric Smith	Keeping scopes clean after reprocessing  1.0 CEU  Presented by Eric Smith from Olympus	To obtain CEU: Within 3 business days, an email will be provided with instruction to review the online study guide, complete a post course assessment and evaluation to complete your contact hour for this session

<b>Introducing Officers</b> Natasha Santolla	<b>President:</b> Natasha Santolla BSN, MSN, RN, CGRN <b>President Elect:</b> Kyle O'Donnell, RN <b>Treasurer:</b> Beverly Levanti BSN, RN, CGRN / Lynn Weyand BSN, RN, CGRN <b>Secretary:</b> Samantha Kelly BSN, RN, OCN, CMSRN <b>Past President:</b> Teresa Soldiviero BSN, RN, CGRN	
<b>October 2023 Conference</b> Beverly Levanti and Natasha Santolla	Saturday October 14 <sup>th</sup> 2023 in Hackensack – full information on front page of NJSGNA website	Will follow up with Northern region regarding cost of conference
<b>October 2024 Conference</b> Natasha Santolla	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Overlook has begun looking for some speakers</li> <li>- Conference will take place in Overlook Auditorium</li> <li>- Virtual and in person options will be the same price</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reach out any contacts regarding possible speakers</li> <li>- Will follow up with North Jersey regarding splitting cost for Wufoo (payment and registration interface)</li> </ul>
<b>Treasurer's Report</b> Beverly Levanti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Received \$1,697 in dues from SGNA</li> <li>- Balance today is \$25,170.89</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Can still provide one scholarship for national conference</li> <li>- Need to reevaluate options for tri-regional conference scholarships</li> </ul>

**Next meeting scheduled for: Saturday September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023**

***Respectfully submitted,  
Samantha Kelly RN, BSN, OCN, CMSRN***