



*Upstate Chapter  
of AANN*

**Meeting Minutes**

Date: October 20,  
2009

Present: Kathy Bethka, Sam Bua, Christina Burge, Michelle Cockrell, Cindy Crowe, Leigh Feltz, Jessica Gable, Joyce Griffin, Missy Guynn, Marty Henson, Valerie Johnson, Amber Mitchell, Kate Morrow, Sara Napierala, Shannon Sternberg, Michelle Gowler, Brigitte King, Cynthia Mace

**TOPIC**

**DISCUSSION**

**OUTCOME/  
FOLLOW UP**

Meeting:

Amber Mitchell welcomed everyone and opened meeting. Special thanks to Dr. Michael Ward for speaking.

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Minutes:

Minutes posted on website for review prior to meeting.

Minutes approved.

Finances:

Banking statement received from Michelle Cockrell after meeting.

Treasurers report approved.

October 2009 Report from the Treasurer  
Business Saving  
\$2550.48  
Non Profit checking \$2026.47  
Fixed CD \$2109.71  
Total funds all accounts \$6686.66

Membership:

Welcome to new member Michelle Gowler and the following first time guests: Brigitte King and Cynthia Mace

New members and guests welcome

Web site:

Website is live. Communications will happen through website including the

Further communication

	posting of the minutes. Members once again encouraged to subscribe to the site in order to receive email updates.	will happen through website and email.
Christmas Party	Tentative date for Christmas Party is Saturday, December 5, 2009. It will not be sponsored by chapter but pot luck style instead.	RSVP 11/23 Posting will be made on website
CNRN Exam:	Chapter will sponsor one full exam or half for two people in 2010. Names must be submitted by January 20, 2010	Approved by present members. An email will be sent.
Neuro Review:	Neuro review planned for spring 2010. Valerie Johnson and Christina Burge volunteered to help Shannon Sternberg with planning.	More news to follow
Community Service:	Discussion about information table to be set up at public education events. Possible theme NPH. Other topics discussed: brain tumors, Alzheimer's/ dementia, spinal cord injury, head injury. The following things need to be in place for public education: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. New Logo for local chapter.</li> <li>2. Banner made for our chapter</li> <li>3. Materials compiled and storage system purchased.</li> </ol>	Logo ideas will be submitted at January meeting. Theme for education will be decided upon in January.
Next Meeting:	Next chapter meeting January 19, 2009. Stroke Education: Lovenox Will count toward hospital required stroke education.	