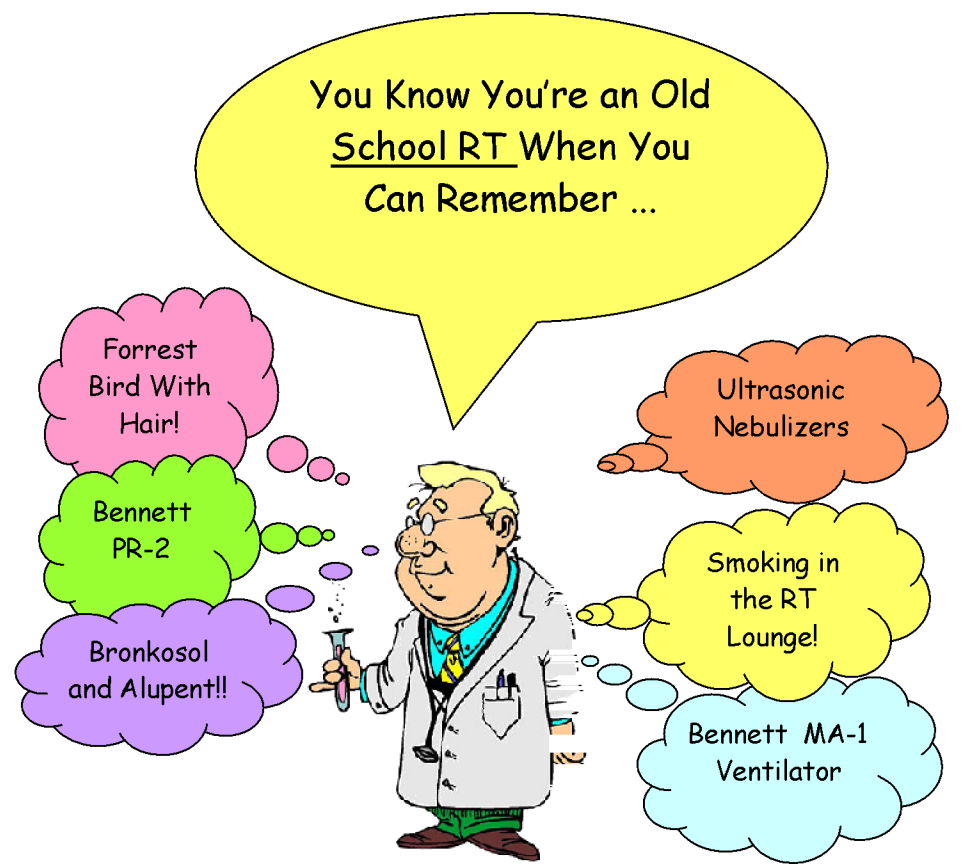


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Kansas Respiratory Care Society 30th Annual Education Seminar

April 18th-20th, 2007

**Marriott Hotel
Wichita, KS**



Welcome to the Kansas Respiratory Care Society's 30th Annual Education Seminar. Has it been 30 years already? The field has definitely changed! Thirty years ago we had bellow styled ventilators. Medications like alupent and bronkosol. Smoking was still allowed in the hospital and Pat Patterson still had hair! Some things don't change, though. EDUCATION! Still need it and still gotta have it!

The State Meeting has always been about education. From the speakers, to the Sputum Bowl and even the vendor reception it has always been our goal that you will walk away having gained some new knowledge. The meeting is a very social event as well. A time when we all get together and catch up. So let us be the first to welcome you to the:

"Class Reunion"... Old School Style!



Registration Form KRCS 30th Annual Education Seminar 2007

Name _____
 Address _____
 AARC# _____ License # _____
 Employer _____ E-mail _____

Advanced Registration (Must be postmarked by April 11th)

AARC Member Discount (Both Days) _____ \$90
 Thursday Only _____ \$70 Friday Only _____ \$40
 Non-Member (Both Days) _____ \$180*
 Thursday Only _____ \$160 Friday Only _____ \$130
 Student** AARC Member (Both Days) _____ \$45
 Thursday Only _____ \$40 Friday Only _____ \$20
 Student** Non-Member (Both Days) _____ \$95
 Thursday Only _____ \$90 Friday Only _____ \$70

Onsite Registration

AARC Member Discount (Both Days) _____ \$110
 Thursday Only _____ \$90 Friday Only _____ \$60
 Non-Member (Both Days) _____ \$200*
 Thursday Only _____ \$180 Friday Only _____ \$150
 Student** AARC Member (Both Days) _____ \$65
 Thursday Only _____ \$60 Friday Only _____ \$40
 Student** Non-Member (Both Days) _____ \$115
 Thursday Only _____ \$110 Friday Only _____ \$90
 Golf Tournament _____ (Advanced Payment Preferred) \$55

Method of Payment

Check _____ Make checks payable to: KRCS
 Master Card _____ Visa _____ c/o Beverly Urmev
 Credit Card# _____ 2508 Persimmon
 Exp.Date _____ Signature _____ Derby, KS 67037

Sputum Bowl Sign Up

Sputum Bowl Name _____
 Captain _____
 Team Member _____
 Team Member _____
 Alternate _____
 Institution (if applicable) _____

* Includes AARC Membership when application is completed during the seminar.
 ** All students must submit verification of current student status from their program director. Students are not eligible for CEU's.

\$30 Service Charge For All Returned Checks.

2007 KRCS Westwood Annual Golf Tournament



Join us at Hidden Lakes Golf Course for a challenging round of golf. This par 72 course is made up of bluegrass fairways and bentgrass greens. Bunkers guard every green and as the course's name suggest, there is an interconnected channel of lakes dispersed throughout the entire course to test even the best player's skill.

Watch out... this course may be schooling you.

This year's four-person scramble has a few extra twists: A \$10,000 hole-in-one prize on the 158 yard number 3. The three other par 3 holes are non-target hole-in-ones with the chance to win a Bose Wave CD/Radio, a set of Ben Hogan Edge GFT irons or a complete Dell Computer system. Hole #3 is also the location for the \$20 Casino Hole. With the purchase of \$5 Mulligans and Texas Tees you will have every opportunity to move to the head of the class.



The **GRAND FINALE**: Every registered player receives a free custom hybrid club compliments of Hole in One International and Magique Golf. Tournament includes five additional hole prizes and a cash prize to the team with the lowest stroke total.

Directions: Hidden Lakes Golf Course at 6020 S. Greenwich Road in Derby, KS. From Wichita, take US 54/400 (Kellogg) eastbound. Then go south (right) on Greenwich Road approximately 6 miles. Course is on the left (east) side of the road.

Cost: \$55 per player. This includes green fees, cart, complimentary beverage cart and lunch. That's so cheap I had to slap my mama!!
The Meal is Served Before the Start Time! So get there early!!

Date and Time: Shotgun start at 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18th. To pre-register, contact Jay Simon at (316) 776-0664 or e-mail: wongyes@hotmail.com.

Education Committee

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Seminar Objectives

- ◆ Discuss the most common errors DME providers make that violate the law and strategies to keep them in line with regulations.
- ◆ Understand the proposed changes to the NHLBI asthma guidelines and how they will affect care and treatment of asthma patients.
- ◆ Describe the difference between various oxygen conserving devices and how to fit the patient to the most appropriate device.
- ◆ Discuss the current goals of the AARC and the legislative push for Medicare part B reimbursement for respiratory therapists.
- ◆ Discuss the impact of the bronchiolitis protocol on appropriateness of care at Wesley Medical Center and how to implement the protocol.
- ◆ Understand the pathophysiological changes associated with pulmonary hypertension, the treatment of and the role of RT in administering nitric oxide to diagnose reversibility of pulmonary hypertension.
- ◆ Discuss the how benchmarking can aid the manager in tracking and supporting RT services and how to start a benchmarking program.
- ◆ Describe the difficulty of working a Level I Trauma/ED and how internet message boards, humor and pun can be used to relieve stress. Discuss the epidemiology of three common reasons for admission to the ED.
- ◆ Discuss the evidence supporting the use of spontaneous breathing trials in ventilator weaning and how the trial is initiated and monitored.
- ◆ Describe the use Airway Pressure-Release Ventilation in the critical and difficult to ventilate patient.
- ◆ Understand the pro's and con's of MDI and DPI for delivering medications and describe the various inhalers and the proper instruction that must be included for each.
- ◆ Understand what the day-to-day care of a home pediatric ventilator patient is like from a caregiver's perspective.

Entertainment (Recess)

All aboard the "Party School Bus" for a night of fun and frolic in Wichita's Oldtown District. The bus will be leaving the Marriott Hotel at 1900 and will make frequent trips between the Hotel and Wichita Oldtown. Look for a map in your seminar packet that highlights the Oldtown hot spots. Join us for our version of the "School of Rock" where the teacher is a DJ and the principal is a bartender.

Continuing Education Units

KRCS Continuing Education Coordinator, on behalf of the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts has approved the 30th Annual KRCS Seminar for 12 CEU's (8 on Thursday and 4 on Friday).

Environment

The "classroom" temperature is difficult to control. For your comfort we suggest you bring a jacket. No smoking is allowed. We ask that you turn your pager and/or cell phone to vibrate or off. This is an adult class and children are not permitted.

Accommodations

The Marriot Hotel (1-316-651-0333) has reserved a block of rooms for the seminar at a rate of \$87 per night. Deadline for reservations is April 2nd. After this date the rooms will be released for reservations at the rack rate.

Grants Received

The planning committee would like to extend a special recognition for the unrestricted educational grant by:

GlaxoSmithKline

Sputum Bowl/Early Registration

Didn't you hate it when the teacher put you in the front of the class and then grilled you with questions! We're no different! The intellectual Sputum Bowl will begin at 1930 at the Wichita Marriott. Contestants can sign up using the registration form or contact Brandee Clark at blcrtt@yahoo.com. Early "enrollment" will be available Wednesday evening at 1800. You can pick up your nametag and seminar packet early and beat the rush on the "1st Day of School."

Vendor Reception

Join us in the "Old School House" to review the latest patient care gadgets. The industry "teachers" can provide you with the tools to successfully complete your projects, big or small. From state-of-the-art ventilators and BiPAP/CPAP systems to patient interfaces, oximeters and monitoring. These teachers are eager to help you find that special product that will make the difference for your patient. As always, complimentary beverages and appetizers will be served. Make sure you register for the myriad of door prizes that will be given away. Doors open at 1635. Friday only participants are welcome at the reception. Admission requires your seminar nametag or a \$25 fee. You must be at least 21 years of age to consume alcohol.

Vendor Recognition

It is through the generous contributions of vendors that we are able to provide this seminar. The vendors help offset the cost of speakers and special events such as the Sputum Bowl, Golf Tournament and Entertainment. Be sure to thank your sales representatives for their support of this years event.

Faculty

Joe Lewarski BS, RRT, FAARC
VP Clinical and Governmental Affairs, Inogen

Tom Kallstrom, RRT, FAARC
Associate Executive Director/COO, AARC

Deb Fox, RRT, MBA
Wesley Medical Center, Wichita

Bill Dubbs, RRT, MBA
AARC Management/Education

John Flesher, MD
Pulmonary Medicine, Wichita

Damien Beilman, RRT, BS
Wichita Specialty Hospital/Wesley Medical Center, Wichita

Joseph Nold, MD
Trauma Intensivist, Via Christi, Wichita

Steven Trombold, MD
Pulmonary Medicine, Wichita

Mari Jones, ARNP, RRT, AE-C, FAARC

Hannah and Kristen Lindner
Wichita, Kansas

(All times are in 24 hour military time)

Wednesday April 18, 2007

1200 Golf Tournament, Hidden Lakes Golf Course.

1800 Student Reception/Pre-registration.
Sponsor: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, OK.

1930 Sputum Bowl Competition/Welcome Reception.
Sponsor: PDS Medical

Thursday April, 19, 2007

0745-0800 Registration

0800-0805 Welcome

0805-0855 "Liability and the HME; Experiences from the Field" Joe Lewarski, RRT, FAARC.
Sponsor: Inogen

0855-0945 "New Asthma Guidelines: What to Expect."
Tom Kallstrom, RRT, FAARC. Sponsor: AARC

0945-1000 Break

1000-1050 "The Science of Oxygen Conserving"
Joe Lewarski, RRT, FAARC
Sponsor: Inogen

1050-1140 "An AARC/PACT Update."
Tom Kallstrom, RRT, FAARC Deb Fox, RRT, MBA

1140-1300 Lunch

1300-1350 "Bronchiolitis Protocol: An Update on Success."
Deb Fox, RRT, MBA

1350-1440 "Using Nitric Oxide to Diagnose PPH"
Dr. Steven Trombold, MD

1440-1455 Break

1455-1545 "Benchmarking for Success"
Bill Dubbs RRT, MBA Sponsor: AARC

1545-1635 "What I Have Learned From My ED Patients!"
Damien Beilman, RRT

1635-1800 "Vendor Reception"

1900-0000 Recess

Friday April 19, 2007

0745-0800 Registration

0800-0850 "Spontaneous Breathing Trials; Evidence for Weaning" John Flesher,
Sponsor: Pulmonetic Systems, Inc.

0850-0940 "Airway Pressure-Release Ventilation"
Dr. Joseph Nold, MD

0940-0955 "What You Need to Know About Administering Asthma Meds: MDI's, DPI's and More"
Mari Jones, ARNP, RRT, AE-C, FAARC

1045-1135 "Patient/Caregiver Presentation: Living With a Child on the Ventilator."
Hannah and Kristen Lindner

1135 Wrap-up