

## Women's Health College National Committee Meeting

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Present:	Denise Braid Susan Rae Robyn Kemp Trudy Galer Janice Grant Wendy Diack Kate Weston PNA	Apologies: Ann Simmons Andrea Sim
AGENDA ITEMS	DISCUSSION	ACTION & RESPONSIBILITY
Previous Minutes	<ul> <li>Minutes true and correct.</li> <li>Matters arising</li> <li>Amendment –One paper presentation submitted from Ines Blaj at ADHB (noted in last minutes that nil had been submitted)</li> <li>Kate contacted Carol Beaumont and blurb was received next newsletter</li> <li>Susan contacted Sue Hazelwood and she accepted offer of funding of 2020 conference in</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>lieu of delayed response for 2019 conference funding application</li> <li>Julia Glentworth has not submitted report for newsletter</li> <li>Susan emailed Christine Clapcott hers and Denise Braids names for NZNO AGM &amp; Conference in September</li> <li>Susan could not add NZNO AGM remits to July agenda, as not yet sent out</li> <li>Proposed: Denise Braid Seconded: Janice Grant</li> </ul>	Denise to contact Julia Glentworth directly
Inward communication	<ul> <li>College of Child and Youth Nurses (CCYN)</li> <li>Interested in a joint conference with another Section/College.</li> <li>After discussion, consensus was that it's better to remain a women's health conference.</li> </ul>	
Treasurers report	<ul> <li>Current balances         <ul> <li>Conference account: \$11,608.57</li> <li>Contingency account: \$11,354.53</li> <li>Education Fund: \$18,605.09</li> <li>Working account: \$4,647.73</li> </ul> </li> <li>Conference costs for committee: Total cost for accommodation, taxis &amp; meals: \$2,137.57</li> <li>Airfares for July meeting: Total cost \$1,370.</li> <li>22nd - 23rd October meeting: agreement for Robyn to book airfares and accommodation bookings.</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>2019 Conference Committee Thank You:         Agreement that national committee would fund dinner for conference committee in lieu of thanks you gifts</li> <li>Agreement for Robyn to move \$6,608.57 from conference account:         <ul> <li>\$1,400 to Education account</li> <li>\$2,208.57 to Working account</li> <li>\$3,000 to Contingency account</li> </ul> </li> <li>Agreement that committee to pay for one nights' accommodation for Denise Braid for NZNO Conference in September, as not funded by NZNO.</li> <li>Email approval by Robyn Kemp and Denise Braid on 27 May 2019 for new Secretary Susan Rae to purchase a laptop mouse. Purchase made – total cost \$26.24.</li> <li>Proposed: Janice Grant Seconded: Wendy Diack</li> </ul>	
PNA Report	<ul> <li>Pay Equity</li> <li>Brief discussion re: Pay Equity</li> <li>Combined with MERAS &amp; PSA</li> <li>Selection of nurses from across country to be interviewed (ENs RNs NPs etc)</li> <li>National working group has been set up</li> <li>Must be completed by Dec 2019</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>MECA Report</li> <li>Brief discussion re: recent CEO Memo that report findings will not be released at this time</li> <li>Bargaining process for 2020 to begin shortly</li> <li>One Member – One Vote</li> <li>Be alert for any information leading up to the AGM about remits</li> </ul>	
Membership Report	3 resignations and 2 new members since May 2019 AGM. Total membership = 555.	
Education Fund	<ul> <li>An application from Deborah Davis requesting \$400 towards accommodation for "Pathophysiology of Incontinence" paper in Christchurch. After discussing, the application was declined as other funding sources had been accessed.</li> <li>Discussion re Committee representation at the RANZCOG Conference in Melbourne in October 2019. Denise was considering attending and planned to seek funding through CCDHB. Discussion about committee funding any shortfall.</li> <li>Proposed – Robyn Kemp Seconded – Susan Rae</li> </ul>	Susan Rae emailed applicant re outcome from 5th July Committee Meeting.
Newsletter	Newsletter sent June 2019. Great feedback from the committee to Janice.	

	<ul> <li>Next Newsletter due to be sent out November 2019.</li> <li>Janice to send Newsletter with blurb about committee members – roles / workplaces for member's information in between.</li> </ul>	
Conference 2019 wrap-up	<ul> <li>Denise is awaiting final amount from Conference Accountant. NZNO Accountant, Kevin Simmonds advised Denise that provisional conference profit approx \$6,000.</li> <li>ISTAR is happy to continue to sponsor provided some abortion content in the conference programme.</li> </ul>	
Conference 2020 update	<ul> <li>Confirmed Conference dates: 21- 23 May 2020</li> <li>Recommendation to Trudy that contact is made with MTANZ for Registrations and Trade Stand Liaison.</li> </ul>	Susan to update WHC Website of confirmed dates.
GENERAL BUSINESS	DISCUSSION	ACTION & RESPONSIBILITY
Invitation to provide feedback on revised Maternal (Pregnant and Breastfeeding Women), Infant and Toddler	Can place feedback individually if wanted. Decision made not to feedback as a committee.	

Dietary Statements		
2020-2025 Strategic Plan	Update from PNA: The NZNO 2020-2025 Strategic Plan is currently under external review. Therefore, a suggestion was made that any work on the WHC 2020-2025 Strategic Plan is put on hold until NZNO review complete so that these can be aligned.	Kate Weston to update WHC Committee when NZNO external review is completed.
NZNO Board Nominations	<ul> <li>Discussion about potential nominations for NZNO Board. Suggestion made about potential nominee to be nominated by Committee.</li> <li>Wendy Diack to approach potential nominee.</li> </ul>	
WHC logo discussion	<ul> <li>Following discussion at the 2019 AGM in Wellington, PNA Kate Weston wrote to Kerri Nuku, Kaiwhakahaere to ask for assistance regarding the Women's Health College Logo, the possibility of including a translation of the name in Te Reo Māori or a Whakataukī, and how best to progress this work with the hope of a resolution by the 2020 WHC AGM. Kerri to D/W Te Runanga and respond.</li> </ul>	Kate Weston to follow up with Kerri Nuku and update committee
Proposed changes to Gynaecology Assessment & Day Unit	Discussion about proposed changes at Mid Central Health. Concerns raised re: proposed changes – PNA Kate Weston will draft a response to Mid Central DHB.	

Service at Mid Central Health		
Chairperson Signature:		