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WEB PAGE AOCP.ORG hough it may seem hard to believe, we are now in the 21st century. How time flies. . . A big welcome to the new president,

Randall K McGivney, DO

Other officers include Michael D Smith, DO, President elect, Charles Q Honeckman, DO, Vice President, Monroe H Adams, DO, Sec'y/Treasurer Brent Himes, DO, is now Immediate Past President.

The Board of Governors is served by Drs Mary Jo Robinson, Karen P Kantor, John G Steigerwald, and new appointee, Jeffrey J Bulson.

Unfortunately, the College is seeing a decline in membership, which in turn results in a decline in income. A letter requesting voluntary contributions has resulted in generous contributions from: Drs M Adams, E Bentley, D Bradshaw, R Cathie, D Devine, M Durishin, A Fox, L Gierke, H Gregg, S Gustafson, V Haws, G Himes, L Hynes-Longendorger, E Joseph, J Kasimos, W Kelley, R Kotz, R Lewis, G McDonald, A Pancioli, A Randall, MJ Robinson, N Sellas, T Shild, H Spellman, T Sresthadatta, J Steigerwald, and Joseph Watkins. There is still room to add many more names! Thanks to all !!



Just as you have entered the 21st century, so has the AOCP! There is now a web page, AOCP.ORG It was developed through a combination of the efforts from Drs Monroe Adams and Michael Smith.

Anyone can access the site and browse through the links, however, to access the membership page, you must have an "ID and password." Dr. Monroe Adams is the administrator/editor for the pages. Contact him for your web access. He can be reached by phone at 810/493-8153, email madams@misgate.mcgh.org, or Mt Clemens Hospital, 1000 Harrington Blvd, Mt Clemens, MI.

Also, be sure to contact Dr. Adams if there is a change in your address, telephone number, etc. It would be appreciated if you would notify the college of any changes, too. ENJOY!!





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Is it possible that another year is coming to a close in a few short months? Possible, but hard to believe. VERY soon will be the next annual college meeting - with the AOA - October 25 - Nov 1, 2000, Orlando Florida.

The AOA has finally given us the information that the "host hotel" will be the Peabody, across from the Convention Center. **Meeting** registration is through the AOA. **Registration for hotel rooms** are THROUGH THE AOA HOUSING BUREAU. Any further information regarding EITHER REGISTRATION is to be directed to the AOA, 1-800/621-1773.

The Annual 2000 has been developed by Dr. Karen P Kantor. This year too, proves to be an exciting conference. Between the venue and the seminar, this will be a "don't miss" meeting. See for yourselves!!! AOCP October 29 - November 1, 2000

Orlando FL
Orange Co Convention Center Rm # 221E

PLEASE NOTE:

College business meetings on Sunday and the reception on Monday will be held at the Peabody Hotel. Rooms Bay Hill III and IV on Sunday. The reception will be in the Bay Hill rooms IV and V on Monday evening, 6:30pm to 7:30pm.

Monday 10/30

9:00-9:30a Exhibits

9:30-10:20a Pathological Evaluation of Sentinel Lymph Nodes in Breast

Nini K Ku, MD

10:20-11:15a Pathological Evaluation of Sentinel Lymph Nodes in

Malignant Melanoma Jane L Messina, MD

11:15-11:30a Exhibits

11:30-12:15p Experiences Instituting a Freestanding Core Laboratory Linda J Trapkin, DO

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14.40/00		
Monday 10/30, continued		
12:15-1:00p	Non-neoplastic Lung Pathology Andras Khoor, MD	
1:15-2:30p	Alumni luncheons	
2:30-3:00p	Exhibits	
3:00-4:00p	Dysplastic Nevi and Melanoma Mary Beth Anderson, DO	
4:00-6:00p	Exhibits	
6:30-7:30p	AOCP Reception	
Tuesday, 10/31		
8:30-9:30a	Terminology and Controversy In Vulvar Disease Edward J Wilkinson, MD	
9:30-10:30a	Lipomatous Neoplasms: Practical Concepts and Unusual Entities John D Reith, MD	
10:30-11:00a	Exhibits	
11:00-12:30p	WHO Classification of Lymphopreliferative Disorders Differential Diagnosis of Small Lymphocytic Lymphomas for the Community Pathologist Michael D Smith, DO	
12:30-2:00p	Exhibits	
2:00-3:00p	ТВА	
3:00-3:30p	Scromboid Fish Poisoning and Ciguatera Fish Poisoning Charles H Chodorow, DO	
3:30-4:30p	Web-based Pathology Randall K McGivney, DO	

Wednesday 11/1	
9:00-10:00a	Review of Thyroid Cytopathology Kraig S Lerud, MD
10:00-11:00a	Review of Breast Cytopathology D Jeffrey Gray, DO
11:00-11:15a 11:15-12:15p	Exhibits Prostate Biopsy Pathology Jose Diaz, MD

Exhibits

12:15-1:00p

1:30-4:00p

Karen P Kantor, DO, MPH

Osattin Memorial Slide Seminar

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING American Osteopathic College of Pathologists, Inc. October 24, 1999

MINUTES

Please note: The Bylaws, Rules and Regulations were suspend at the start of the meeting. The meeting convened at 7:10pm and was adjourned at 7:21pm, with a total of nine in attendance. The actions at the Board of Governors meeting was briefly reviewed. For that reason, the minutes of that meeting are stated here. The main issues at the General Membership meeting were the nominations to the Board of the College and certifying body. The actions at this meeting follow the minutes of the Board of Governors.

The meeting of the Board of Governors of the American Osteopathic College of Pathologists, Inc. convened on Sunday, October 24,1999 It was called to order by Brent L Himes, DO, President, at 4:00pm in the Marriott Hotel, San Francisco, CA

PRESENT:

Brent L Himes, DO, President
Randall K McGivney, DO, President-Elect
Michael D Smith, DO, Vice President
Charles Q Honeckman, DO, Secy/Treas
Monroe H Adams, DO
Mary Jo Robinson, DO
Karen Kantor, DO
John Steigerwald, DO
Joan Gross, Executive Director

Also attending were Drs. A Fox, B Fox, L Gierke, S erto. ABSENT: Dr LillianH-Longendorfer

MINUTES: The minutes of the previous meeting, were submitted with the agenda. The minutes were approved as presented.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT: Dr. Brent L Himes reported briefly. He stated that his hospital was now operating at full staff, easing the situation there. Continuing, he stated he spoke with Dr Bernard Fox regarding combined meetings of the American Osteopathic College of Pathologists and American Osteopathic Board of Pathology. Dr Himes' report was approved as presented.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: The report of the Executive Director was submitted with the agenda. A report of finances was presented at the meeting. There was a total in all accounts of \$58,870.07. It was noted that membership was down to 89 active members as of this meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE: (M Adams, DO) The membership report included applications for Active Membership from Drs. D Nelson and G MacDonald and Candice Black, a resident. A motion to accept e as new members was seconded and approved to be presented to the general membership. (CORRECTION -> accidentally, the name of D Kup Kuttner, DO, also approved for Active membership was inadvertently omitted.) REPORT OF PROGRAM CHAIR: Dr. Robinson was pleased to announce that there were no cancellations for her program. She stated that she was extremely satisfied that it was an excellent program and that the presentations should be well received. Dr Kantor stated that she would begin working on her program and was looking to contact speakers.

REPORT OF THE AOBP: Dr. Fox addressed the Board briefly. He stated that Dr. Roberto would continue with the report. Dr. Roberto continued and handed out the American Osteopathic Board of Pathology AOA reports to the Board. A copy of this report is included with these minutes. There was further discussion regarding the recertification examination and the fees involved, however, there were no specifics at this time. Dr Adams made a motion which was approved, that time should be n to figure in giving the examination at the time of the annual meeting, to evaluate the feasibility

and report to the Midyear Board meeting.

AOA BT/HD: (L Gierke, DO) Dr. Gierke's report was included with agenda.

All reports were approved as presented.

OLD BUSINESS:

A. Web Page (M Adams) There was considerable and lengthy discussion regarding Dr. Adams presentation about the web page. This was an open discussion with all board members providing input. There was only one motion, and that was that \$500 be approved for payment for the design and development of the web page.

B. Board of Pathology - this was covered in the discussion with Drs. Fox and Roberto, with no definitive action taken. **NEW BUSINESS:**

A. Nominating Committee: The Board appointed a nominating committee as follows: Chair, LW Gierke, DO, B Fox, and M Adams. They will make recommendations to the General Membership for a new AOCP Board member as a replacement for Dr. Hynes-Longendorfer, and re-nomination for Dr. Kantor. Additionally, Board of Pathology recommendations included a replacement for Dr. B Fox and re-nomination for Dr Collins.

B. Changes to the bylaws. This was discussed and recommendations were made, however, no individual or committee was named to develop these changes.

The Board adjourned and went into executive session at 6:40p Respectfully submitted, Joan Gross

Addendum, General Membership Meeting:

The Board of Governors recommended to the Membership that Drs G McDonald, D Nelson and DK Kuttner be approved for Active Membership and Dr C Black as a Candidate member. A motion was made, seconded and approved.

The The Nominating Committee nominated Dr. J Bulson to be appointed to the Board of Governors and Dr K Kantor reappointed. For the Board of Pathology, Dr Wright was reappointed and Dr B Baker nominated to replace Dr Fox who served three three year terms. With no further nominations from the floor, these were approved. There was brief discussion regarding bylaw changes.

Dr. McGivney was took the chair as incoming president. He recognized Dr. B Himes for his efforts during his term of office. Posing the question, "who are we," he commented briefly on the changes in the financial position of the college, the diminishing numbers of members, and the lack of residencies and elimination of training programs. The meeting was adjourned at 7:21.

Respectfully submitted, Joan Gross

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Special Reminder: Send or **email** any changes for the new directory asap



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