NURSES CELEBRATION DINNER TO BE HELD MAY 8th

SUPPLY, NC—Each year, National Nurses Week focuses attention on the diverse ways America’s 3.1 million nurses work to save lives and to improve the health of millions of individuals. This year, the American Nurses Association (ANA) has selected "Nurses: Advocating, Leading, Caring" as the theme for 2012. The ANA supports and encourages National Nurses Week recognition programs through the state and district nurses associations, other specialty nursing organizations, educational facilities, and independent health care companies and institutions.

Locally, Chapter 22 of the North Carolina Nurses Association, in conjunction with the University of North Carolina at Wilmington (UNCW), will honor all nurses of Brunswick, Pender and New Hanover counties by hosting a dinner on May 8th at the Burney Center Ballroom on the campus of UNCW. The highlight of the evening will be the recognition of nurse honorees for their commitment and dedication to the profession of nursing, and the awarding of scholarships to candidates pursuing additional education in nursing. With the help of sponsors from all three counties the program was able to award over $3500 in scholarships to candidates pursuing additional degrees in nursing.

Nurses wishing to attend the event may register online at http://uncw.edu/son/. Registration is $20 before 4/16 and $30 after 4/16. Questions about registration and/or sponsorship may be directed to Dr. Paula Sullivan at Brunswick Community College by calling 910.755.8510.

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