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### December 13, 2009

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The quarterly meeting of the OKAA was held on December 13, 2009 at the home of Angela Brazael in Tulsa OK. Business meeting was preceded by a potluck and thereafter we had a teaching by Timothy Trujillo, our vice president of the OKAA on Hands on Hypnosis.

Members present were; President Helen Zhou, Vice president Timothy Trujillo, secretary/treasurer Yvonne van Eijk, Shirley and Jeff Nicholson, Jamie Whartenby, Angela Brazeal, Bhavani Indu, Mark Hovis, Tim Williamson, Xiao Hai Li, Eldon St.Clair, Anna Veronesi, John Yang, Deborah Bright, David Zeliff and Minh Chau Mark.

Meeting was opened by Yvonne at about 1:10pm

It was suggested that we will have extra teaching sessions aside from our regular meetings.



1. Three extra teaching sessions per year of 2 hours each, on top of our quarterly meetings. There will not be a potluck at those sessions, this is strictly for teaching.

2. Cost per class will be \$25.00 or a suggested donation of that amount, for the teacher so he/she can be compensated for their time. If more was given, that money will go into the OKAA fund.

3. A CEU should be available for each student per class.

4. Possible 12 credit hours per year.

Vote was motioned by Eldon St. Clair, second by Dr. Yang, accepted by all.

Suggestion still out there for someone to coordinate the course curriculum and at the next meeting we need to set a date for the first teaching and what will be taught.

Yvonne mentioned also the website of Mesothelioma . We were contacted as an Association to list our directory of acupuncture doctors for free on their website. There would not be any cost to this, the only thing they asked was for us to provide a link to their Alternative Mesothelioma Treatment. Eldon St. Clair motioned that we would accept that, but then Shirley Nicholson second motioned this to be withdrawn and to first find out what their website was all about and if there were any legalities and if they are connected to any law cooperation. Yvonne will try to find out about that before we decide to allow this on our website.

Yvonne went over the changes on our website and the cost of those changes. Cost were \$200.00 for Lars Turpen. This will be send to him this month out of the OKAA bank account.

Changes that were made is that now only members can see the minutes of the meetings. The Member site we have headings of Herbal Formula's, Case Studies, Points of Interests, Books, Cd's, Resources.

Also when the members subscribe to the email list, they can then be contacted for a mass mailing that is for us only concerning the meetings or any workshops. She will be sending every member a password and login for the OKAA member site and the password. Only Members will then be able to post in this section and share with other members.

Deborah took the floor at about 2:15 and discussed the issues concerning the certification. Suggested that membership of the OKAA is not a pre-requisite to be certified however you become automatically a member when you pay your \$50 fee for the certification.

David Zeliff motioned to accept the boards recommendation, Mark Hovis second, all voted in favor.

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Deborah handed me all the notes and minutes of the certification board and will be available to read by request.

Timothy Trujillo suggested a course in occupational kinesiotaping and for everyone to think of possible courses and send those on the bulletin board in the membership section for us to read so we can talk about these things in our next meeting.

Meeting date for the first one in 2010 is set at the 14th of March in OKC tentative at Amit Gumman's house. This will be confirmed before the end of January 2010

Business meeting closed at 3:00pm and we enjoyed a teaching by Timothy Trujillo on Hands on Hypnosis.