



# Advancing the care of persons living with vascular disease

For over 30 years, the Society for Vascular Nursing has been providing quality education through their Annual Convention. Join the leaders in vascular disease management in Boston, Massachusetts for their **31<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention** at the Sheraton Boston (May 8-11, 2013).



## 2013 Convention Brochure

## Annual Meeting

Founded in 1982, the Society for Vascular Nursing is a not-for-profit international society dedicated to promoting excellence in the compassionate and comprehensive management of persons with vascular disease. The Society's Annual Convention is a premier meeting to facilitate networking and the professional development of vascular nurses.

The objective of the Annual Convention is to enhance the practice of vascular nurses to improve the quality of services provided to patients, as well as formulate strategies to foster the role of the vascular nurse as patient advocate and educator.

## Dates & Location

This year the SVN will travel to the **Sheraton Boston** in Boston, Massachusetts for their 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention (May 8 - 11, 2013). Boston is one of America's oldest cities, with a rich economic and social history. What began as a homesteading community eventually evolved into a center for social and political change. Boston has since become the economic and cultural hub of New England and is home to many institutions of higher education and some of the world's finest hospitals.

## Target Audience

This program includes valuable information for all nurses, including advanced practice nurses working in vascular settings or caring for patients with vascular diseases. These settings would include medical/surgical, wound care, cardiovascular, perioperative, interventional radiology, ambulatory care (primary care), nursing homes and home health care.

## Accreditation

An application has been submitted to the Georgia Nurses Association for approval of contact hours. More information will be posted on the SVN website at [www.svnnet.org](http://www.svnnet.org) in the near future.

## Registration

All registrations for the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention must be completed online or mailed to the SVN National Office by **Monday, April 8, 2013**. All registrations after this deadline must be made onsite at the Sheraton Boston.

## Categories & Fees

Below are the registration categories and fees for the upcoming Annual Convention:

|            | Pre-Registration<br>Deadline: 4/8/2013 | Onsite<br>Registration |
|------------|----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| SVN Member | \$375                                  | \$425                  |
| Non-Member | \$500                                  | \$550                  |
| Student    | \$300                                  | \$350                  |

Registration fees will increase after the April 8<sup>th</sup> pre-registration deadline, so be sure to register early.

## Single Day Rates

The SVN will be offering single day rates for the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention. The fee structure for single day passes is below:

|            | Pre-Registration<br>Thurs <u>or</u> Friday | Pre-Registration<br>Saturday | Onsite<br>Thurs <u>or</u> Friday | Onsite<br>Saturday |
|------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| SVN Member | \$160                                      | \$85                         | \$185                            | \$95               |
| Non-Member | \$210                                      | \$110                        | \$230                            | \$120              |
| Student    | \$135                                      | \$75                         | \$135                            | \$75               |

If you are interested in registering for a single day rate, please contact the SVN National Office at 978-927-7800.

## Cancellation Policy

If written notice of cancellation is received by Monday, April 8, 2013, any registration fees paid, less a \$50.<sup>00</sup> administrative fee, will be refunded after the meeting. No refunds will be issued after this date.



## Hotel Information

The Sheraton Boston is conveniently connected to two premier shopping malls and steps away from the boutiques and fine restaurants on Newbury Street. Visit the Museum of Fine Arts, walk along the Charles River and dine at the bistros in the South End. Everything is just steps away.

On behalf of the SVN, a special rate has been secured over the dates of the meeting of \$209.<sup>00</sup> single/double occupancy, plus tax (currently at 14.45%). Please be sure to indicate that you are with the SVN Annual Convention to receive this special rate.

**Reservations must be made before the cut-off date of Saturday, April 13, 2013.** After this date, or once the room block has been sold out, the group rate cannot be guaranteed. We strongly suggest you book your room early.

## Airport

The Sheraton Boston is only 4-miles from Boston's **Logan International Airport (BOS)**. This year, **Delta Airlines** is pleased to offer up to a 10% discount off applicable airfares for the SVN Annual Convention. Go to [www.delta.com](http://www.delta.com), then to "Book A Flight." Enter the Meeting Event Code **NMF2X** in the box and continue with the booking process. Or you can call Delta Meeting Network® Reservations at 1-800-328-1111 and refer to the Meeting Event Code **NMF2X**.

## Transportation

With the Sheraton Boston just 4-miles from Logan Airport, grabbing a **taxi** once you arrive is the easiest option.

The Sheraton Boston has also partnered with one of the premiere Boston airport **shuttle services**, GoBoston. Offering 24-hour pick-ups, the GoBoston Shuttle is a leader in providing convenient and reliable Boston airport shuttle service to and from downtown Boston hotels for only \$17 per person. You can call GoBoston directly at 888-437-4379. Reservations are required.

If you are **driving or renting a car** and need directions from your specific location, you can use GoogleMaps, MapQuest or your GPS and enter the address for the Sheraton Boston: 39 Dalton Street, Boston, MA 02199

## Things To Do

The Sheraton Boston is centrally located in Boston's Back Bay and is just steps from some of the city's most popular attractions. Love to shop? The hotel is connected to the Prudential Center and upscale Copley Place Mall, offering more than 200 shops and restaurants, and is also just one block from famed Newbury Street, known for its designer boutiques. For the historian in you, the Freedom Trail will lead you through Boston, stopping at Paul Revere's House, Old North Church, Old South Meeting House and many other sites. The Aquarium, Museum of Fine Arts and the Museum of Science are also all nearby. Duck Tours can be arranged through the hotel.

### MUSEUMS/ATTRACTIONS

Museum of Science  
Children's Museum  
Museum of Fine Arts  
Isabella Stewart Gardner  
Museum  
House of Blues  
JFK Library & Museum  
The Mary Baker Eddy Library  
Institute of Contemporary Art  
Boston Symphony Hall  
Boston Duck Tours

### THEATERS

Charles Playhouse  
Colonial Theatre  
Opera House  
Wang Center  
Wilbur Theatre  
Shubert Theatre  
Orpheum Theatre

### AND MORE!

## Weather

You have to visit Boston in the spring - it's Boston's favorite season. As the weather turns nice, this New England city bursts to life. The locals bask in the newfound sunshine and the excitement is palatable. Spring in Boston really begins with the first pitch at Fenway Park. One by one, you'll see the shops on Boston's Newbury Street prop their doors open and the bars and restaurants set up their outdoor patios. A walk through Boston's Public Garden is a must when the flowers bloom just in time for the Flower Show.

The spring and summer months of April through June and the early fall months of September through mid-November are the most enjoyable, temperate seasons. By early May, the temperatures rise to a moderate 60-70 degrees.

# Preliminary Program

The following is the preliminary program for the upcoming 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention to be held in Boston, Massachusetts. Please note that dates and times are subject to change.

## Wednesday, May 8, 2013

5:30 pm - 6:15 pm New Member Orientation

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm Welcome Reception

## Thursday, May 9, 2013

7:30 am - 8:00 am Continental Breakfast /Visit Exhibits

8:00 am - 8:15 am **Welcoming Remarks**  
President & Planning Committee Chairs

8:15 am - 9:00 am **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**  
**Creating Synergy Between Vascular Research and Public Awareness: Challenges and Opportunities**  
*Reena Pande, MD, MSc*  
*Brigham & Women's Hospital, Boston, MA*

9:00 am - 10:00 am **GENERAL SESSION I**

9:00 am - 9:30 am **Aortic Rupture: Emerging Treatments and Improved Outcomes**  
*John Taggart, MD*  
*The Vascular Group, Albany, NY*

9:30 am - 10:00 am **Abdominal Compartment Syndrome: A Little Known Complication In ICU Vascular Patients**  
*Kathleen Rich, PhD, RN, CCNS*  
*IU Health La Porte Hospital, La Porte, IN*  
*ACS is an end-organ dysfunction that affects Vascular patients in the ICU setting. This presentation will provide an overview of ACS in the ICU vascular patient including pathogenesis, diagnosis, treatment options and nursing interventions.*

10:00 am - 10:30 am Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits/View Posters

10:30 am - 11:30 am

10:30 am - 11:00 am

11:00 am - 11:30 am

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

**GENERAL SESSION II**

**Endovascular Management of Deep Vein Thrombosis**

*Kate Dell, RN, Shoaib Shafique MD*  
*St. Vincent Health, Lafayette, IN*

*DVT and pulmonary embolism pose a significant health hazard and can lead to significant morbidity if untreated. New endovascular techniques to treat DVT can help decrease morbidity and has been endorsed by American College of Chest Physicians.*

**Phlegmasia Cerulea Dolens: A Potentially Devastating Condition With A Happy Ending**

*Patty Bozeman, APRN, CVN*  
*Hartford Specialists, Hartford, CT*

*This general session will discuss the potentially devastating complications and outcomes associated with extensive deep vein thrombosis. 2 case scenarios will be presented. A live testimonial will be presented to illustrate success when a multidisciplinary expert team is utilized in these cases.*

**MEMBER BUSINESS MEETING LUNCHEON**

**GENERAL SESSION III**

**Aortic Dissection**

*R. Clement Darling, III, MD*  
*The Vascular Group, Albany, NY*

**Diagnosing, Classifying and Treating Endovascular Leaks**

*Sharon Weinlein, RN, ADN*  
*The Vascular Group, Albany, NY*

*With the increasing use of endovascular techniques for repair of abdominal aortic aneurysms, the prevalence of leakage into the excluded aneurysm sacs, as a complication of repair, has risen. This session will clearly define each class of endoleak and provide illustration, including radiography and pictures to define these leaks.*

# Sheraton Boston · Boston, Massachusetts



2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

## GENERAL SESSION IV

2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

### Management of Hypertension

Christopher Arendt, PhD, RPh  
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

2:30 pm - 3:00 pm

### Mesenteric Ischemia: A Potentially Lethal Complication After Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Repair

Pamela Anderson, ANP-BC, MS, RN, CCRN &  
Karen Trenophol, NP-C, MS, RN  
St. Vincent Medical Group, Indianapolis, IN

A review of mesenteric arterial anatomy is discussed. The mechanism of intestinal ischemia for open abdominal aortic aneurysm and endograft repair is examined. Signs and symptoms of intestinal ischemia are highlighted. The session ends with a discussion of vascular nursing considerations for the patient with mesenteric ischemia.

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits/Poster Viewing

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

## GENERAL SESSION V

### Dialysis Access and Management

3:30 pm - 3:45 pm

### Dialysis Access: Evaluating and Treating Issues

Tiffany Street, RN, MSN, ACNP  
The Methodist Hospital, Houston, TX

Patients with poorly functioning access have increased morbidity, mortality, and suffer frequent hospitalization for access related complications leading to increased medical costs. Understanding the various dialysis access options available to patients and the ability to evaluate and identify access issues early is a valuable skill for the vascular nurse and the healthcare team.

3:45 pm - 4:00 pm

### Non-Thrombotic Complications of the Arteriovenous Dialysis Access

Monica Kincade, MSN, RN, ACNS-BC, CVN  
Peripheral Vascular Associates, San Antonio, TX

This presentation discusses the most common non-thrombotic complications and treatment of the arteriovenous access. These non-thrombotic complications include: ischemic steal syndrome, edema, neuropathy, aneurysm/pseudoaneurysm, and infection. The early recognition of and intervention can mean significant financial and health benefits.

4:00 pm - 4:15 pm

### Establishing A Program For Creation and Management of Successful Hemodialysis Access

Kristen Columbia, CRNP  
Baltimore Washington Medical Center,  
Glen Burnie, MD

One in 10 American adults, more than 20 million people, has some level of kidney disease (CDC). Creation of vascular access is both an art and a science. It requires patience, skill, creativity and dedication to get the best result for each patient. A multidisciplinary team of surgeons, nurses, vascular technologists and administrative staff is required to get the most successful outcomes for each patient.

4:15 pm - 4:30 pm

Panel Discussion

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

## PVSS INVITED PRESENTATION

### Iatrogenic Injuries Following Vascular Procedures

5:30 pm

Adjourn

5:45 pm - 6:30 pm

Committee/Task Force/Chapter Social

## Friday, May 10, 2013

8:00 am - 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast/Visit Exhibits

8:00 am - 3:30 pm

Silent Auction Opens/Bidding Begins

8:30 am - 10:00 am

## GENERAL SESSION VI

8:30 am - 9:00 am

### Assessing and Minimizing Peri-Operative Risk

Josh Beckman, MD  
Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

9:00 am - 9:30 am

### Diabetes and Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD): Are We Making A Difference In Acute Care?

Bertha Hughes, NP-Adult, MN, RVT, CCN (C), CDE  
St. Michaels Hospital, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

This multidisciplinary approach focuses on timely and appropriate management of this complex patient population in an acute care setting with a target to improve perioperative glycemic control in those with diabetes and PAD. There was an emphasis placed on unit education and rigorous documentation of glucose levels to assist improvement in practice.

# Society for Vascular Nursing

9:30 am - 10:00 am

## Medical Management of PAD

*Tiffany Street, RN, MSN, ACNP, Allison Wilson, PhD  
The Methodist Hospital, Houston, TX*

*Comprehensive risk factor management is essential to improved long-term outcomes and quality of life for patients with PAD. A prospective, observation study of 160 consecutive patients hospitalized with a diagnosis of cardiovascular disease was conducted. The purpose was to provide insight into our current medical management of patients with PAD. Consequently, we have developed a quality initiative that will assure patients are appropriately screened and managed for this disease.*

10:00 am – 10:30 am

Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits/View Posters

10:30 am – 11:30 am

## GENERAL SESSION VII

10:30 am - 11:00 am

### Aerobic Arm Exercise Training To Improve Outcomes In Patients With Severe Claudication and Ischemic Rest Pain

*Diane Treat-Jacobson, PhD, RN  
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN*

*Patients with severe PAD are often unable to engage in walking exercise due to activity-induced ischemic pain. Aerobic arm exercise has been shown to improve outcomes in patients with mild or moderate claudication. This session will describe the results of a pilot study to determine the feasibility and efficacy of aerobic arm exercise to improve outcomes in patients with severe PAD.*

11:00 am - 11:30 am

### Age and Disease Severity Are Related To Prolonged Post-Exercise Ischemia Recovery In Patients With Claudication

*Erica Schorr, BSN, BSBA, RN  
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN*

*This presentation will illustrate the unique symptom recovery trajectories and overall recovery times exhibited by twenty participants diagnosed with peripheral artery disease (PAD). Additionally, the relationship of baseline characteristics such as age, gender, smoking status, diabetes and resting ankle-brachial index (ABI) will be explored.*

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

## President's Luncheon

1:15 pm – 3:00 pm

1:15 pm - 2:00 pm

2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

2:30 pm - 3:00 pm

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

3:30 pm – 4:15 pm

## GENERAL SESSION VIII

### Endovascular vs. Surgical Intervention For Lower Extremity PAD

*Edwin Gravereaux, MD  
Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA*

### Carotid Endarterectomy: Where Shall We Manage These Patients Immediately Post-Op?

*Tanghua Chen, BN(Hons), MPH, John Crozier, MD & Eric Farmer, MD  
Liverpool Hospital, Sydney, Australia*

*This session will provide attendees with information regarding an immediate post-op management protocol for patients undergoing carotid endarterectomy at Liverpool Hospital and the impact on outcomes as they relate to this protocol.*

### Drugs For Carotid Artery Disease (Pre- & Post-Op)

*Christopher Arendt (Pharmacist)  
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN*

Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits/Poster Viewing

Silent Auction - Last Chance To Bid

## BREAKOUT SESSIONS 1

1A

### Writing For Publication

*Cynthia Lewis, MSN, RN, ACNS-BC  
Aurora St. Luke's Medical Center, Franklin, WI*

*During this interactive session the required elements of a manuscript submission will reviewed. Key components of a journal submission and the processes involved in publishing will be discussed.*

1B

### The Pretty Side of Vascular Surgery: The Art & Business of Sclerotherapy

*Aubrey Harman, MSN, ARNP-BC  
Vascular Specialists of Central Florida, Orlando, FL*

*This session will provide an overview of sclerotherapy techniques and strategies to incorporate this service into a vascular surgery practice.*



1C

## **Proactively Preventing Post-Operative Respiratory Depression**

*Gail Davis, MSN, APRN-BC, CCRN*

*Barnes-Jewish Hospital, St. Louis, MO*

*A fundamental responsibility of a nurse is to maintain the patient airway, facilitate ventilation and safely provide acute pain management. We track post-operative patients who require a reversal, naloxone, for symptoms of respiratory depression to assess for trends in which patients seem to be predisposed to respiratory issues postoperatively.*

4:30 pm – 5:15 pm

## **BREAKOUT SESSIONS 2**

2A

## **Detour Ahead: Exploring Peripheral Arterial Disease**

*Pamela Anderson, RN, MS, ANP-BC, CCRN*

*St. Vincent Medical Group, Indianapolis, IN*

*Prevalence statistics, diagnosis, lifestyle modification to reduce risk factors and treatment of the conditions are addressed. Nonsurgical therapies for intermittent claudication including exercise and pharmacological therapy are reviewed. The benefits of a supervised exercise program are expounded. Surgical bypass and Interventional Radiology interventions are discussed.*

2B

## **Diabetes Management: The Whole Picture**

*Michelle Tinkham, MS, BSN, PHN, CNOR, CLNC, RNFA*

*Eisenhower Medical Center, Palm Desert, CA*

*This presentation will include an overview of differences between Type I and Type II diabetes. Diagnostic methods, symptoms and risk factors will be reviewed.*

2C

## **Preventing the Unpreventable: Discussion of Surgical Site Infections (SSI) and Heel Pressure Ulcer (PU)**

*Leah Dickter, RN, MSN, PCCN & Patty Shaw, FNP-C, MS, WOCN*

*Albany Medical Center Hospital, Albany, NY*

*Experience post-operative surgical site infections in a new light. Both SSI and heel PU are described as mostly preventable. Review early warning signs, causes, and complications of both conditions. Analyze interesting case studies. Learn innovative strategies to prevent what we often believe to be unpreventable.*

6:30pm - 9:30 pm

**FUN NIGHT (See page 9 for details)**

# **Saturday, May 11, 2013**

8:00 am – 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast

8:30 am – 10:00 am

## **GENERAL SESSION IX**

8:30 am - 9:00 am

## **Management and Treatment of Venous Thromboembolism (VTE)**

*Karen Fitzgerald, MSN, RN, NP, CVN*

*The Vascular Group, Albany, New York*

*It is estimated that approximately 600,000 people in the United States are diagnosed with a venous thromboembolism every year. Patient assessment, management and treatment of this potentially life threatening illness will be discussed.*

9:00 am - 10:00 am

## **Pulmonary Embolism Update**

*Sam Goldhaber, MD*

*Brigham & Women's Hospital, Boston, MA*

10:00 am – 10:15 am

Coffee Break

10:15 am – 11:15 am

## **GENERAL SESSION X**

10:15 am - 10:45 am

## **Wound Management**

*Virginia Capasso, PhD, APRN*

*Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA*

10:45 am - 11:15 am

**RN Evaluation and Treatment of Patients With Lower Extremity Wounds In the Vascular Surgery Outpatient Setting: Issues, Challenges and Solutions**

*Suzanne O'Hare, RN, MSN, RVT  
Baystate Health Systems Heart and Vascular Program & Springfield Technical Community College, Springfield, MA*

*RN assessment and treatment options for peripheral arterial ulcers and peripheral arterial disease will be described. Nursing considerations (including lifestyle, education, comorbidities, and risk factors), which affect the patient's treatment plan will be reviewed.*

11:15 am – 11:30 am

Coffee Break

11:30 am – 12:00 pm

**CLOSING SESSION**

**Stress and Humor In Nursing**  
*Angel Rentas, NP-C, MSN, CCDS  
Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT*

12:00 pm – 12:30 pm

Award Presentations

12:30 pm

Adjourn



## Scientific Posters

**P1**

**Perioperative Management and Postoperative Follow-Up In Patients Treated With Cryopreserved Arterial Homografts For Vascular Graft Infections of the Abdominal Aorta**

*Arne Stachmann, RN, Theodosios Bisdas, MD, Omke Teebken, MD - Hannover, Germany*

**P2**

**A Prospective Analysis of Vacuum Assisted Closure Therapy For Surgical Site Infections In Vascular Surgery**

*Arne Stachmann, RN, Theodosios Bisdas, MD, Omke Teebken, MD - Hannover, Germany*

**P3**

**Exercise Interventions In PAD: "One Size" May Not Fit All**

*Laura Kirk, PhD, RN & Diane Treat-Jacobson, PhD, RN, FAAN - Minneapolis, Minnesota*

**P4**

**Differences Between Diabetic and Non-Diabetic Patients With Claudication In Patterns of Change In Walking Ability Following Exercise Training**

*Diane Treat-Jacobson, PhD, RN & Sonia Pond, RN, BSN - Minneapolis, Minnesota*

**P5**

**Scrubbing Surgical Site Infection To Zero**

*Katie Scaggs, RN, MSN, CNOR - St. Louis, Missouri*

**P6**

**Antimicrobial Scrub In Preoperative Holding**

*Sandra Filla, BSN, RN, CCRN, CPAN, Elizabeth Govero, MSN, RN, CNSRN, JoEllen Fowler, RN & Janelle Holthaus, BSN, RN - Ballwin, Missouri*

**P7**

**The Growing Demand For Cardiovascular RNFA's**

*Cathy Jurak-Hoffman, BSN - O'Fallon, Illinois*

**P8**

**Developing An Approach To Managing Vascular Problems In A Comprehensive Cancer Center**

*Guillermina Verduco, MSN, RN, FNP-C, Sherry Wright, ANP-BC, AOCN & Tam Huynh, MD - Houston, Texas*

**P9**

**"It's A 10!" Pain Management**

*Brenda Hensley, AND, Jodi Grossman-Rose, RN, BSN - Greenville, South Carolina*

**P10**

**Utilizing A Seven Step Approach To Policy Development: Does It Improve Performance Measures In the Stroke Population?**

*Susan Blankenship, RN, BSN, MS, Sandra Sayre, RN, MSN, APRN, CVN, Kathy Robertson, RN, MSN & Amy Lucas, RN, BSN, RNII - Roanoke, Virginia*

**P11**

**Reduced Vascular Surgery Post-Operative Site Infections As A Result of Interdisciplinary Collaboration At A Large Academic Medical Center**

*Diane Voeller, RN, MN, FNP-BC, Tiffany Culbertson RN, MSN, ANP-BC & Yvonne Swift RN, CNOR - Portland, Oregon*

**P12**

**Surgical Management of Chronic Mesenteric Ischemia: Nursing Implications**

*Tanghua Chen, BN(Hons), MPH - Sydney, Australia*

**P13**

**Realigning the Vascular Team Vision**

*Linda Denekamp, MS & Kerry Carnevale, MS - Boston, Massachusetts*



## SVN Fun Night 2013

Each year during the Annual Convention, the SVN hosts a Fun Night for all attendees. This is a great opportunity for attendees to unwind, mingle with colleagues and enjoy what the area has to offer. This year, the Fun Night will take place at the Boston Tea Party Museum where visitors don't just learn - they reenact!

The Boston Tea Party Museum is an entirely new kind of museum where you'll not only view artifacts of historical importance, you'll also have an all-encompassing, multi-sensory experience. At the Boston Tea Party Ships and Museum, our museum experience will transport you on an incredible journey back in time as you take part in the famous event that forever changed the course of American History!

This floating Boston museum is unlike anything you've ever experienced before. Live actors, high-tech, interactive exhibits, authentically restored tea ships and the stirring, multi-sensory documentary "Let It Begin Here," are just a taste of what you'll see, hear and feel.

Meet the colonists, explore the ships and dump tea overboard just as the Sons of Liberty did on that fateful night of December 16, 1773. Stop in at Abigail's Tea Room for teatime and visit the Gift Shop for special souvenirs. It's educational, entertaining and enlightening — an experience not to be missed by adults and children of all ages.

Transportation will be provided by the Old Town Trolley. This event will include a buffet dinner following the tour.

REGISTRATION FEE      \$75/per person

DATE & TIME              Friday, May 10 @ 6:30 pm  
Please Note: Tour To Depart Hotel @ 6:15 pm







# Meeting Registration Form

Register online at [www.svnnet.org](http://www.svnnet.org)!

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

## A. Convention Registration

|                                                      | Pre-Registration<br>Before 4/8/2013 | Onsite Registration        |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SVN Member</b>           | <b>\$375.<sup>00</sup></b>          | <b>\$425.<sup>00</sup></b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SVN Member (Thursday Only)  | \$160. <sup>00</sup>                | \$185. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SVN Member (Friday Only)    | \$160. <sup>00</sup>                | \$185. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SVN Member (Saturday Only)  | \$85. <sup>00</sup>                 | \$95. <sup>00</sup>        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Non-Member*</b>          | <b>\$500.<sup>00</sup></b>          | <b>\$550.<sup>00</sup></b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member* (Thursday Only) | \$210. <sup>00</sup>                | \$230. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member* (Friday Only)   | \$210. <sup>00</sup>                | \$230. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member* (Saturday Only) | \$110. <sup>00</sup>                | \$120. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Student</b>              | <b>\$300.<sup>00</sup></b>          | <b>\$350.<sup>00</sup></b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (Thursday Only)     | \$135. <sup>00</sup>                | \$135. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (Friday Only)       | \$135. <sup>00</sup>                | \$135. <sup>00</sup>       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (Saturday Only)     | \$75. <sup>00</sup>                 | \$75. <sup>00</sup>        |

Subtotal A: \_\_\_\_\_

## B. Fun Night Ticket

☐ SVN Fun Night      \$75.<sup>00</sup>/each      # Tickets \_\_\_\_\_

Subtotal C: \_\_\_\_\_

## C. Membership

|                                                                          |                                                                |                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Active (\$110. <sup>00</sup> )                  | <input type="checkbox"/> New Member                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associate (\$110. <sup>00</sup> )               | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Nurse (\$55. <sup>00</sup> ) |                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Active International (\$125. <sup>00</sup> )    | <input type="checkbox"/> Student (\$55. <sup>00</sup> )        |                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associate International (\$125. <sup>00</sup> ) | <input type="checkbox"/> Military (\$95. <sup>00</sup> )       |                                  |

Subtotal D: \_\_\_\_\_

## RSVP

Please indicate if you will attend any of the following events to help us get an accurate count for the hotel.

|                                                       |                                |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Welcome Reception            | Wednesday, May 8 <sup>th</sup> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Member Business Mtg Luncheon | Thursday, May 9 <sup>th</sup>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> President's Luncheon         | Friday, May 10 <sup>th</sup>   |

\*Non-members may register at the member price by including annual membership dues with their registration fee. Please be sure to include a membership application.

## Important!

Please indicate which concurrent breakout sessions you are interested in attending. Please circle one session letter for each column.

### Breakout 1 (3:30 pm - 4:15 pm)

- ☐ 1A. Writing For Publication  
☐ 1B. The Pretty Side of Vascular Surgery (Sclerotherapy)  
☐ 1C. Preventing Post-Operative Respiratory Depression

### Breakout 2 (4:30 pm - 5:15 pm)

- ☐ 2A. Exploring Peripheral Arterial Disease  
☐ 2B. Diabetes Management: The Whole Picture  
☐ 2C. Discussion of SSI and Heel PU

## Calculate Your Total Fees

Add subtotals from the previous sections:

|    |                         |          |
|----|-------------------------|----------|
| A. | Convention Registration | \$ _____ |
| B. | Fun Night Ticket(s)     | \$ _____ |
| C. | Membership Dues         | \$ _____ |

Total Amount Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment Method

Payment Method: ☐ VISA      ☐ MasterCard      ☐ AMEX  
☐ Check      Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_      CVV Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Bill City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Name On Card: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE FAX COMPLETED FORM TO 978-927-7872.**

If paying by check, please make checks payable to the SVN and mail with this form to:

SVN National Office  
 100 Cummings Center, Suite 124A  
 Beverly, MA 01915



Society for Vascular Nursing  
National Office  
100 Cummings Center, Suite 124A  
Beverly, MA 01915

[www.svnnet.org](http://www.svnnet.org)

