



# BSNA OCTOBER NEWSLETTER



**THE MEERKATS ARE  
READY FOR BOO AT  
THE ZOO!**

## **BOO AT THE ZOO! OCTOBER 27TH, 2019**

*BSNA will be volunteering at Boo at the Zoo on October 27th. Coordinators will be sending out more detailed information to those who signed up to help out with the event. Can't wait to see you there! If you have any questions or would like to get involved, please email Grace Benskin at [gbenskin@uccs.edu](mailto:gbenskin@uccs.edu).*



## NSNA MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

*BSNA will be having a NSNA membership drive at the November meeting. We'll be raffling some amazing prizes, so you won't want to miss it!*

## COOL SCIENCE DAY RECAP

*Cool Science Carnival Day is a free event run by a non-profit science company. It is a day where families can bring children of any age and activities are geared towards Science, Technology, Engineering, Math and Carnival Day brings close to a hundred exhibitors to UCCS. The activity stations are anywhere from demonstration shows, talks, lab tours, demos, rockets, drones, animals, bugs, medical, solar energy, electric race car, slime, liquid nitrogen ice cream, and more. Three volunteers gratefully were from BSNA; some helped with pediatric mannikin, Hal, with Simulation Center staff teaching kids about heart and lung sounds and what the mannikin can do. Others helped out with an activity station that helped children get more comfortable with science activities such as building small boats out of aluminum foil and seeing if it can float with weighted objects. This helped them to try out small science experiments.*



## ATTENTION ALL FRESHMAN/PRE-NURSING AND SOPHOMORE NURSING STUDENTS

BSNA is offering a mentor/mentee program for freshman/pre-nursing and sophomore nursing students. If you are a pre-nursing student and would like help with preparing for the HESI, you can be paired with a sophomore/junior nursing student who has taken the HESI to help prepare you to take your exam! If you are a sophomore nursing student, you can be paired with a junior/senior nursing student to help you navigate your first nursing classes and clinicals! Please contact (719-321-1200) or [vanessa.roggie@uccs.edu](mailto:vanessa.roggie@uccs.edu) with your year in the nursing program so she can match people up.

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## MERCHANDISE

The sweatshirts are \$25 and the long sleeves are \$20. Sarah is also selling nursing clipboards for \$30, and they can be personalized for an extra price (\$13). Order forms can be picked up from Shellie Harden or from Sarah Scott (sscott9@uccs.edu). Payment will need to be attached to the form.



Sweatshirt



Long-sleeve T shirt



# Employment Opportunity!

Tait Berge, a man with cerebral palsy is looking to hire a CNA to help with his care. Please email him at [taitberge@gmail.com](mailto:taitberge@gmail.com) if you are interested in this employment opportunity. In addition, any nursing students who have passed NURS 2200 can apply for their CNA license.

Our next BSNA meeting is November  
4th!

Mark your calendars for our next meeting date!





National Student Nurses' Association

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What is NSNA? NSNA is a national organization of nurses, leaders, and student nurses who strive to grow in professional development and provide educational resources for members. What are the benefits of being an NSNA Member? NSNA members get special discounts on scrubs, shoes, NCLEX materials, hotels, conferences, access to educational resources and portfolio services, and more! Cost: Becoming a new member is only \$35 for one year. Want more Information? Go to <http://www.nsna.org/Membership.aspx> or email Michael Ramirez ([mramire3@uccs.edu](mailto:mramire3@uccs.edu))

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Visit the BSNA website at <http://www.uccs.edu/~bsna/> Beth-El encourages you to join the National Student Nurse Association (NSNA) at <http://www.nsna.org> Friend us on Facebook, Follow us on Twitter @UCCS\_BSNA Board of Directors

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