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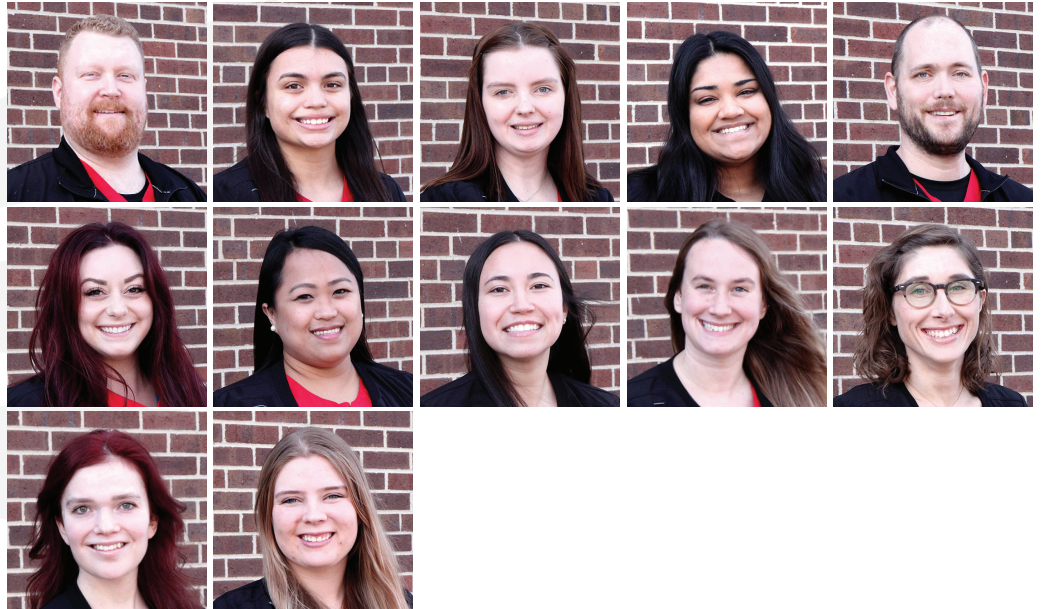
THURSDAY
DECEMBER 15, 2022
6:00 PM

FALL 2022
PRACTICAL NURSING
GRADUATION & PINNING CEREMONY

PRACTICAL NURSING GRADUATES

EVENING

Alvord, Jake, Alexandria
 Bartz, Marissa, Glenwood
 Cassell, Kaitlyn, Montevideo
 Kaatz, Emily, Alexandria
 Lovrien, Robert, Milwaukee, WI *
 Morton, Kirsten, Glenwood ***
 Narveson, Aiza Grace, Alexandria ***
 Olson, Vanessa, Glenwood *
 Parkos, Katie, Osakis ***
 Sodomka, Jennifer, Osakis *
 Uhlenhoff, Elsa, Glenwood
 Wieggers, Zoe, Kensington



DAY

Bergerson, Lilah, Brook Park
 Blake, Megan, Parkers Prairie *
 Burrows, Kara, Brandon
 Carlson, Joran, Albany *
 Carrigan, Madison, Hutchinson
 Carter, Madison, Alexandria
 Fenske, Darius, Dawson ***
 Frederick, Angela, Villard *
 Fuchs, Kendra, Garfield
 Gahlon, Ashton, Paynesville
 Gilsdorf, Shelby, Kensington
 Haggemiller, Joan, Miltna
 Hincapie Santa, Valentina, Alexandria *
 Kampsen, Karsee, Belgrade *
 Loeffler, Isaac, Alexandria **
 Meyer, Hannah, Sauk Centre
 Mirieri, Diana, Blaine
 Quinn, Sydney, Alexandria *
 Randall, Alexis, Osakis
 Schirmers, Miah, Sauk Centre *
 Strandskov, Trevor, Alexandria
 Swenson, Madison, Alexandria



* Honors Graduate

** Phi Theta Kappa Member

*** Honors Graduate & Phi Theta Kappa Member

CEREMONY

WELCOME

Elsa Uhlenhoff
Trevor Strandskov

Michael Seymour
President, Alexandria College

STUDENT SPEAKERS

Ashton Gahlon, Day Cohort
Emily Kaatz & Vanessa Olson,
Evening Cohort

GUEST SPEAKERS

Joanna Girard
Kellie Weisel

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Merilee Retzloff
Dean of Educational Services

CEREMONIAL TRADITIONS

Andrea Swenson

PRESENTATION OF NURSING GRADUATES

Sara Homelvig
Joanna Girard
Kellie Weisel
Merilee Retzloff

NURSING PLEDGE LIGHTING OF NIGHTINGALE LAMP

Christina Nessman

CLOSING REMARKS

Jamie Jaspersen

NURSING FACULTY

PRACTICAL NURSING FACULTY

Joanna Girard, BSN, RN
Sara Homelvig, MSN, RN
Cinnamon Lancaster, BSN, RN
Christina Nessman, BSN, RN
Mary Roers, MSN, RN
Jamie Shelley, BSN, RN
Andrea Swenson, DNP, APRN, AGCNS-BC
Kellie Weisel, MSN, RN

SIMULATION TEAM

Jamie Jaspersen, MSN, RN
Vicky Jenson, BSN, RN

NURSE TUTORS

Doreen Hanson, BSN, RN
Amy Sands, MSN, RN
Sharon Slack, RN
Holly Wambeke, RN
Kathy Werk, RN

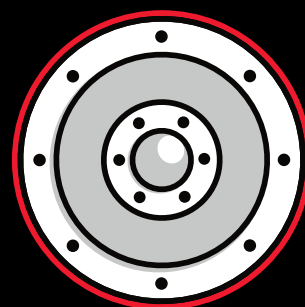
ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Yvette Halvorson, BA
Merilee Retzloff, MSN, RN

A special **THANK YOU...**

*...to families and friends for the support,
patience, and understanding we received
from you throughout our journey.*

WE ARE GRATEFUL.



A MODERN NIGHTINGALE

PLEDGE

With full knowledge of the responsibilities I am undertaking, I pledge to care for my patients with all of the knowledge, skills, and understanding that I possess, without regard to race, color, creed, politics, or social status.

I will spare no effort to conserve meaningful life, to alleviate suffering, and to promote health.

I will refrain from any action which might be harmful to the quality of life or health of those I care for.

I will respect, at all times, the dignity and religious beliefs of the patients under my care, and hold in professional confidence all personal information entrusted to me.

I will endeavor to keep my professional knowledge and skills at the highest level and give my support and cooperation to all members of the health team.

With full awareness of my qualifications and limitations, I will do my utmost to maximize the potential of the nursing profession and to uphold and advance its standards.

Plonien, Cynthia. Texas Organization for Nursing Leadership, January 2016, www.texasnurse.org

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Alexandria Clinic, Alexandria
Alomere Hospital, Alexandria
Bethany on the Lake, Alexandria
CentraCare Health System, Long Prairie
CentraCare Health System, Melrose
CentraCare Health System, Sauk Centre
Community Nursery School, Alexandria
Evansville Care Campus, Evansville
Galeon, Osakis

Glacial Ridge Health System, Glenwood
Glacial Ridge Homecare/Hospice, Glenwood
Glenwood Retirement Village, Glenwood
Knut Nelson, Alexandria
Minnesota Veterans Home, Fergus Falls
Sanford Clinic, Alexandria
St. Williams Living Center, Parkers Prairie