

# AASRT TIMES

(Alamo Area Society of Radiologic Technologists) – March 2008

**next meeting – March 20 at the TNI (IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND, PLEASE RSVP NOW!)** We'll be meeting on Thursday evening (March 20) in the first floor conference room of the TNI Building, 4410 Medical Drive. Park in the garage or ground-level parking lot. Attendants are gone by the time we conclude, so the parking is free. Dr. Stephanie Kelley, M.D. will be our speaker on the topic, Radiofrequency Ablation of Hepatic Tumors. This meeting will be 1.5 CE credits with the speaker starting at 6:15 pm. Refreshments and sign-in will be available at 5:45 pm in the TNI Conference Room. New members are always welcome. For food planning purposes, RSVP **not later than Tuesday noon** (03/18/08) to John Mayes by phone at (210) 656-6185 or email: johnbmayer[at]yahoo[dot]com. (If you RSVP, we expect you to attend!)

**January 17** - Steve Wilcox, RT(R) did a great job with his 1.5 CE lecture on Positioning External Fixation Devices. 61 members and two guests were present.

**St. Philip's College Radiologic Technology Club** 6 CE Seminar is Saturday, March 8 in the Heritage Room. Cost is for advance registration is \$35 or \$45 at the door. Contacts are student representative Amber Logan or faculty sponsor, David King (210) 531-3450.

**FSH 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Seminar** was filled less than two weeks after it was announced and registrations opened at the January AASRT meeting. There is now a long waiting list. If you have a seat, but have now discovered that you are unavailable, please notify ARMY AMEDD officials so that your seat may be released to the next person on the waiting list. As always, if your seat is confirmed, you are expected to honor that reservation. No-shows from 2008 will be INELIGIBLE for 2009's event.

**YEARLY AASRT CALENDAR** for the 07/08 season: Dates indicated below represent 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday evenings of their respective months. Mark your calendar with this season's dates:

Sep-20	Mar 20
Nov-15	Apr 17 (we've found a place & spkr)
Jan-17	May (Saturday 5 hr CE Seminar)
	—(Seminar FREE to AASRT members)

As always, we frequently need assistance with upcoming meetings. Please contact any officer if you can help with a speaker or to help with refreshments / supplies.

**Does your facility have job openings?** The AASRT will happily run a 1-month listing free of charge on our website. Call John at 656-6185 or fax job listing details to 210-320-7025.

**The AASRT website** will keep anyone with computer access current on happenings in the community. Webmaster Sam Vargas volunteers his time in support of our website. Recent newsletters, links to other professional groups, and AASRT news can always be found at [www.aasrt.org](http://www.aasrt.org). This website also has a page with a current membership list. If you have forgotten when your membership expires, check the site. If your name is NOT listed, you are no longer current. Dates should match what is on your membership card. Please call or email John Mayes if you think you've found an error.

**CHECK YOUR MAILING LABEL or Membership Card:** If your membership expiration is noted as 02/29/08, this will be your last newsletter unless you renew. Applicants may renew (or join) at any time. Annual dues are \$25 per year and you're getting lots of 'bang to the buck' with CE and meals with a newsletter in any month there is a meeting, and the website that is available to all technologists with computer access. For anyone whose membership is current, renewing simply adds 12 months to that renewal date. Anyone can join (or re-join/renew) at any time using the renewal form below (or equivalent): **(Please answer ALL the questions!)**

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Application (or renewal): Cost = \$25 for 12 months, payable to AASRT. (PLEASE PRINT & answer ALL questions)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ mail to: AASRT  
STREET: \_\_\_\_\_ PO Box 340507  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ TX Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Ft. Sam Houston TX 78234-0507  
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I want my newsletter by email: yes / no If yes, format: \_\_ pdf (**suggested** - Acrobat reader) or \_\_ rtf (MS WORD) or \_\_html (looks like a webpage)

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Upcoming Events:

Regular meetings:

Sep. 20      Nov. 15      Jan. 17      Mar. 20  
 Apr. 17      May (Saturday 5 CE Credit Seminar)

Pass this newsletter along  
 to a friend or have them  
 log onto the website:  
[www.aasrt.org](http://www.aasrt.org)

Other local events:

March 8 – SPC Radiologic Technology Club 6 CE Seminar (Heritage Room) \$35 advance or \$45 at the door  
 May 17 - FSH 23rd Annual Seminar (6 CE) - ***is FULL***

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