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President's Message:

Finally, spring! We now look forward to new beginnings and opportunities after the cold winter. Many notable events have already happened this year. The annual NCRA educational conference was held April 5-8 in Washington, DC. It was a fun week of learning and networking. I was happy to see many TRAC members were able to attend. TRAC donated a basket to the NCRA state raffle. Thank you to those who contributed items and their time, especially our coordinators Brooke and Michele. National Cancer Registrars Week was celebrated April 10-14. I hope everyone had a special week. Finally, the Education Committee and Hospital of Central Connecticut planned our next TRAC meeting. I hope to see everyone there!

I thank members for joining TRAC this year. I am also grateful to our Board and committees who give their time to make our organization better. It is through their efforts that we remain strong.

Vice President's Report/Education Committee:

The next TRAC meeting will be held May 25th at the Hospital of Central Connecticut in New Britain. The Education Committee is proud to announce that, once again, we will offer a national speaker. Wilson Apollo, MS, CTR, RTT will lecture on abstracting radiation therapy. Other interesting and valuable topics will be presented, as well. Please refer to the agenda that was recently emailed. Thank you to Judy Keating for hosting this event.

TRAC is planning to award a scholarship to the annual CRANE meeting in October. As most people know, the meeting will be held in Mystic, Connecticut. We expect a good turnout from TRAC members because it is an exceptional opportunity to attend a regional meeting.

Treasurer/Membership Committee:

TRAC provided a beautiful basket that contained items from Connecticut to the NCRA raffle. Congratulations to new CTR, Sarah Almodovar, from St. Vincent's Hospital. If anyone has not yet joined TRAC, please feel free to contact me for a registration form.

That is all for now.

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NCRA meeting—view of National Harbor, Maryland

Connecticut state basket

