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April 2014 Email Update

IMPORTANT BYLAW ADVISORY

At the 2014 AGM Members will be asked to vote on <u>Fee Bylaw 2014</u>. The only change to fees are the late fees and a re-licensing fee. These apply only to PT's that fail to renew by the February 28 deadline. These additional fees are entirely avoidable. Members were informed of this proposal in the **March 2014 Email Update**.

MEMBERS/SCPT123 LOGIN IS GONE

The SCPT Members' website is now public. It is no longer necessary to use the "members/scpt123" login. Simply go to www.scpt.org and click on "Members' Area".

The general site login was frequently confused with the Members' Profile login. When you go to www.scpt.org you will have access to the SCPT Members site by clicking on "Members Area" on the tool bar. The only SCPT Members sites that requires login information are the PT's individual Profile and the Committee and Council sites.

Another advantage of this change to the website is transparency. The SCPT exists to protect the public and the site is now open to the public.

PLEASE USE THE WEBSITE

This change to the login will make it easier to access the Members' site. The rest is up to you. The website contains the most up to date and accessible information from the SCPT. Please ensure you use this site in two ways:

- 1. Check the Members' main page every week or two. This contains the headlines and helps you monitor the latest events.
- 2. Refer to this site when you need to refer to information provided by the SCPT. If you look for something and it is not there, use the link on the Members main page to contact the SCPT.

AGM - MAY 3RD, 2014 - PLEASE RESERVE NOW!

Have you signed up for the AGM? Here are the links to information for the **REGINA** and the remote **SASKATOON** site.

CHAIR NEEDED FOR THE PCC

The Professional Conduct Committee (PCC) requires an individual to put their name forward to serve as Chair. This is a statutory committee that is mandated in the Physical Therapists Act of 1998. The Committee meets via teleconference once a month. There are experienced Members and legal counsel on the committee to assist a new Chair as they learn what is required to lead this very important committee. If you are interested or have questions **please contact the SCPT.**

COUNCIL & PRESIDENT-ELECT FOR 2014

Nominations for these positions closed midnight April 3^{rd.} There were four Council positions up for election. Because it is en even calendar year, the position of President – Elect must be determined.

ELECTION RESULTS - all positions acclaimed

- President Elect Sarah Sarauer (this will create a one year vacancy on Council)
- Council
 - Cathy Cuddington
 - o Brandy Green
 - Stacey Lovo Grona one year position
 - Tasha Thornhill
 - Jodie Yathon

Thank-you to all that nominated Members for these positions and to Kim Becker and the Nominations Committee for once again providing a full slate of candidates.

NEW FORMAT FOR THE EMAIL UPDATE

This Email update is being sent using a new process. It will ensure that the messages get through. By sending a limited number of emails every fifteen minutes, it will not be thwarted by most firewalls.

PLEASE NOTE: this a personalized Email Update sent to all Members of the SCPT