

Medical People

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Dr. Jay Mulaney, a practicing ophthalmologist in Lakeland since 1990, was installed as the 100th president of the **Polk County Medical Association in a Jan. 16 meeting at the Lakeland Yacht Club.** Dr. Sergio B. Seoane, family practice and lung specialist in Bartow, was installed as president-elect. Dr. Pedro Ruiz, Bartow internal medicine specialist, was installed as vice president and **Dr. Brian Jurbala, Lakeland orthopedic surgeon, as secretary/treasurer.** Dr. Ralph J. Nobo, Jr., Bartow obstetrician, was the outgoing PCMA president. Dr. Dennis Agliano, president of the Florida Medical Association, attended the meeting, as did some previous PCMA presidents.

Bill Dolen was installed Jan. 29 as 2005-2006 president of the Lakeland Regional Medical Center Auxiliary. Other officers are President-Elect Sharon Lakin, First Vice President Vesta Hudson, Second Vice President Pat Gilen, Recording Secretary Marie Lofgren, Corresponding Secretary JoAnn Estroff and Treasurer Dick Schaw.

Marie Figari, a Lakeland Regional Medical Center Auxiliary member, received an award Jan. 29 for 20 years in the auxiliary. Marjorie Brooks and Mildred Petrin received awards for 15 years of service each. Ten-year awards were presented to Allan Adams, Marilyn Barron, Nancy Cummings, Ruth Edwards, Dale Fisk, Wanelle Fleming, Virginia Kelly, Doris Mathews and Arlene Sauls.

These LRMC Auxiliary members received five-year awards: Al Allaire, Lou Allaire, June Cochran, Marcia Equizi, John Gordon, Bob Hayes, Norris Hayford, Lois Helmkamp, Lorraine Houghton, Stan Marino, Geri Moon, Mary Patrick, Eleanor Patterson, Nancy Roy, Eldon Wadsworth, Eva Wadsworth and Rosa Ward.

New chairman of LRMC Auxiliary standing committees are Eileen Berman of by-laws; Polly Dombrock, historian; Jeanne Frederick, holiday favors; Betty Davis, hospitality; Richard Bauman, membership; Geri Moon, nominating; John Olson, policy; and Eleanor Bradley, scholarship. New chairman for service committees are Walter Billingsley, for arts in healthcare; Catherine White, cancer center; Lillian Plemon, critical care; Nancy Roy, escort; Barbara Janzen, flowers; Penny Schaw, gift shop personnel; Vesta Hudson, junior auxiliary; Marcia Equizi, pediatrics; Don Woodington, pharmacy; Hugh Powell, special services; Meredith Cordes, surgery waiting room; Nancy Cummings, tram service; and Cleo Kohlhof, morning visitor