

Sunday Update Bulletin

October 4, 2026

ThyCa Conference 2026

Welcome!

We are glad you are with us, either in Cary, North Carolina or over Zoom. We hope you will find a sense of community this weekend, meeting new friends and seeing old friends.

Session Choices

Attend any sessions you like. In Q&A time, you are welcome to share your questions or experiences. Please limit your comments so others also can share.

You're welcome to move quietly from session to session within the same time slot.

Cell Phones

Please turn off your cell phones as these can make it difficult for others to hear. Thank you for helping make things go smoothly.

Name Badges

If you're with us in Cary, please wear your nametag to help us get to know each other.

Virtual Conference Webpage

Whether you're with us in-person or virtually, the **virtual conference webpage** (<https://www.thyca.org/support/conferences/>) puts key information at your fingertips including the up-to-the-minute schedule and speaker information. It also allows you to evaluate sessions from your device.

Session Updates

We need to announce the following room changes:

- All sessions that originally had a location of Cape Hatteras are now meeting in Smith.
- All sessions that originally had a location of Smith are now meeting in Biltmore.

Survey Form

Please take a moment to "Rate This Presentation" using the online evaluation form associated with each session you attend. Your feedback helps us plan future conferences. Thank you!

Dinner/Auction Raised Much-Needed Funds for Thyroid Cancer Research

Thank you to:

- Everyone who donated items,
- Everyone for their generous contributions,
- Aaron, our auctioneer who got us all giving,
- Suzann, Colleen, and Matt for their tireless effort!

Last night's Auction was great fun, including: the silent auction, the Heads & Tails game, the inspiring presentation by Aime Franco, PhD, the live auction, the Croatia trip raffle, and finally the Fund-a-Cure!

Saturday night's auction raised net proceeds of more than \$50,000 for thyroid cancer research! And the raffle raised an additional \$24,000+! Congratulations to all of us!

The Trip to Croatia!

The amazing trip to Croatia was won by Marilyn from Arizona! Congratulations to Marilyn.

Thanks to DJ Outlet!

Our DJ, DJ Outlet rocked out the house tonight from 9 pm – midnight!

Auction Follow-up

Please stop by Conference Central (Kitty Hawk Ballroom) to settle your account or if you need to pick up your item(s). Please check if you aren't sure if you won any items.

A big thank you to all our volunteers!

We greatly appreciate your wonderful efforts.

Thank you for coming! Have a safe trip home! We hope to see you next year!