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Message from the Executive Director



CNTA Executive Director
James C. Marra

I am happy to write this year's note with a feeling that 2022 was a year of being back to normal (or at least a "new normal"!). CNTA was able to host our usual in-person events and at least participate in some in-person educational outreach events.

We hosted the Teller Lecture with the program held at the Amentum Center for the Performing Arts followed by a reception at Newberry Hall. Dr. Kathryn Huff provided an enlightening lecture on nuclear and technology advancement with ties back to Dr. Teller himself.

We held our annual golf tournament at Houndslake Country Club with the preferred shotgun start and after golf lunch and awards ceremony. The Young Professionals hosted the Oyster Roast and Low Country Boil at the Palmetto Golf Club. This event raised funds to offset membership fees for young professionals to join CNTA and to support future "Tap into Nuclear" mentoring events and educational outreach.

In 2022, CNTA awarded over \$10,000 in scholarships to deserving high school and college students. We also continued our Educator Grant program by awarding five \$500 grants to middle and high school teachers for innovative activities in their classrooms.

We supported several in-person STEM events and a few virtual ones including sponsorship of the Future City competition and the Science Education Enrichment Day (SEED) at USCA. We also were able to get back into a few classrooms and hope to get back into many more in 2023!

On the financial front, our organization is in great shape. Despite dealing with the inflation bug, we were able to show a small profit for fiscal year 2022. We plan to use these funds to expand our educator grants and student scholarships. However, not everything was rosy, as with all investments, our endowment fund took a bit of a hit in 2022. But the fund will rebound, right?

As I close this note, I would like to thank all our sponsors and volunteers for a great year. And, as always, thanks for all your support of CNTA!

Jim

CNTA Advocacy

In addition to the highly acclaimed Nuclear Science Week Insert, CNTA was published in local press 17 times in 2022.

Articles included a column written by CNTA's Executive Director on SRS and their cleanup record.

"So, despite the challenges of the pandemic, the successes of waste and environmental cleanup at SRS are numerous. This provides confidence that legacy wastes will be cleaned up and that environmental health and safety will be at the forefront of new missions.

I'm glad we can count on the SRS workforce to continue to rise to the occasion, even in the face of a pandemic."

CNTA's Executive Director was also chosen as a "Sunday's Best" in the *Aiken Standard* in July.

CNTA members attended local community meetings, including the Citizens Advisory Board, the SRS Retirees Association meetings, Aiken Chamber of Commerce events, local government and committee meetings, and dozens of other activities.

CNTA supported other area non-profits and the community through its Night of Giving back, supported events at Habitat for Humanity, the Cumbee Center, the SRS Museum and more.

We have been a part of the CSRA for 31 years, and are proud to support our community as we continue to be the voice of truth on nuclear matters.

CNTA Outreach

Education Outreach

CNTA participated in the 2021-2022 SC Future City Regional competition as a Platinum Sponsor. The competition challenges middle school students to design a city of the future. Not only does Future City enhance students' imagination and creativity, but also fosters increased interest in science, technology, engineering and math. This year's theme was "sustainability." As a Platinum Sponsor, CNTA selected a "Best Use of Nuclear Technology" award winner.

The team from Merriweather Middle School from North Augusta was the winner of the Best Use of Nuclear Technology award. Their city, Whitestunville, included nuclear as a power source in both large-scale and small-scale for electrification and transportation within the city.

CNTA members Paul Ebel and Jim Marra taught a summer course on Research Methods, and Frank Heckendorn taught a course on Robotics to a group of young engineers through the DOE Minority Serving Institutions Field Station at SRS. These students came to Aiken from across the country to participate in this summer program hosted at USC Aiken.



The South Carolina Junior Academy of Science held their Fall 2022 workshop. This year, the event was held at Furman University. There were 150 students and teachers that participated in varying STEM activities. This is the largest number of participants in 10 years. Jon Guy and William Wabbersen participated and presented a Nuclear Science session to a mix of teachers and high school students. Many thanks to them for representing nuclear to these teachers!

Community Highlights from 2022:

CNTA members were back in the classrooms and at STEM festivals across the region in 2022. A few of the highlights are:

- USC Aiken Career/Internship Fair
- Fox Creek High School Career Fair
- Bettis Academy Middle School Science Classes
- Dreams Imagination Gift STEM Festival
- SC State STEM camp
- USC Aiken Science Education Enrichment Day
- JROTC Summer Camp at South Carolina State University
- ARTS ALIVE at the Aiken Center for the Arts
- 2nd Baptist Aiken STEM
- Future City 2023 Teacher Training
- SEED (Science Education Enrichment Day) at USC Aiken
- SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities in Greenville, SC
- Leavelle McCampbell Middle School "EEE Committee"
- Aiken County Public School District's FIRE (Fueling Instructional Rigor for Educators) Teacher Conference
- Williston DIG Future City workshop with teams of students
- Riverside Middle School- Social Studies classes on radiation and Chernobyl
- Future City workshop on 'future energy'
- CNTA also had the opportunity to present to the Aiken Newcomers Club in October

2022 Lifelong Learning Class

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) recently taught a class at the University of South Carolina Aiken Center for Lifelong Learning to give insight to participants about the Savannah River Site (SRS) and its economic impacts to the region.

Titled "Savannah River Site: Supporter of the Nation and Regional Economic Engine" and led by CNTA Executive Director Jim Marra, this course featured speakers from across the Site, including both Federal and contract employees. Approximately 30 people attended this three-day course for an hour each day.

The first session featured an overview of SRS by Manager of the Savannah River Operations Office for the Department of Energy Michael Budney and a summary of results from a recent economic impact study from President/CEO of the SRS Community Reuse Organization Rick McLeod.

Other speakers included Dennis Carr, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer for SRS managing and operating contractor Savannah River Nuclear Solutions (SRNS); Dave Olson, President and Program Manager for SRS liquid waste contractor Savannah River Mission Completion; Sharon Marra, Deputy Director of Operations for the Savannah River National Laboratory; Joyce Hopperton, Director of Environment, Safety, Health and Quality for SRS protective force contractor Centerra; and Charles Munns, past SRNS President /CEO and President of Munns Advisement.

Awards and Scholarships

2022 Essay Contest Winners

Six area high school students won scholarships resulting from their winning entries in the 2022 Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) High School Essay Contest.

The winners of the 16th annual writing contest were:

\$1,000 Winners

- Dillon Hammell, Aiken High School, for “Isotopes in Medicine: How They are Used and Where we get them”
- Adam Wallace, Richmond County Technical Career Magnet School, for “Nuclear Energy and Space Exploration”

\$750 Winners

- Matthew Miller, Spring Valley High School, for “Uses of Radioisotopes in Medicine and U.S Dependence on Foreign Supply”
- Tyler Sims, Davidson Fine Arts Magnet School, for “The battle for power: Nuclear energy vs. fossil fuels”

\$500 Winners

- Kaytlin Sturkey, Richmond County Technical Career Magnet School, for “Nuclear Technology and Space Exploration”
- Azaria Martin, Richmond County Technical Career Magnet School, for “How electricity generated from nuclear power versus fossil fuels can impact global warming.”

The goal of the CNTA Essay Contest is to increase high school student awareness of nuclear technologies and their impact on society.

ATC Nuclear Scholarship

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) awarded the Aiken Technical College (ATC) Nuclear Scholarship for 2022 to Brodee K. Stewart.

The recipient of this annual award, funded by CNTA, is a deserving second year student enrolled in a nuclear program at Aiken Technical College (ATC). The award was started in celebration of CNTA's 25th Anniversary in 2016. This scholarship is one of many CNTA provides to students and educators to support STEM education across the region.



2022 Educator Grant Winners

The grants, each about \$500, are used to fund projects that promote an increased understanding of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM); atomic and nuclear fundamentals; radiation and nuclear materials safety; and applications of nuclear technology.

The 2022 grant winners were:

- Jayne Andrews, 6th grade, Riverside Middle School
- David Kassner; 10th-12th grade, Lakeside High School
- Donita Legoas, 6th grade earth science and STEM, A.R. Johnson Health Science and Engineering Magnet School
- Nasiba White and Anna Reed; 2nd-8th grade, Savannah River Academy
- Kristina Istre, 8th grade physical science and STEM, A.R. Johnson Health Science and Engineering Magnet School

2022 Robert Maher Memorial Scholarship Winner

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) and Savannah River Mission Completion (SRMC) awarded University of South Carolina student Robert Demuth the 2022 Robert Maher Memorial Scholarship.

Demuth, who is from Gray Court, S.C., is a senior pursuing a bachelor's degree in aerospace engineering with a minor in nuclear engineering. He is also pursuing an accelerated Master of Science in nuclear engineering.

CNTA Executive Director Jim Marra said CNTA is proud to award this \$5,000 scholarship to such an ambitious, enthusiastic, and deserving student.

“Robert has a great passion to pursue nuclear research and grow his knowledge and experience in the field,” Marra said. “All these go-getter qualities make him the ideal candidate to receive this scholarship. No doubt Robert will be an exemplary addition to the nuclear industry.”



Information on all of CNTA's Awards and Scholarships can be found online at:

<https://cntaware.org/scholarships-and-awards/>

2022 Teller Lecture

Over 200 attendees enjoyed the evening at our 31st Teller Lecture. Our distinguished guest speaker was Dr. Katherine Huff. Dr. Huff serves as the Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy with the U.S. Department of Energy. Prior to this role, she served as the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for the Office of Nuclear Energy. Before joining the Department of Energy, Dr. Huff was an Assistant Professor in the Department of Nuclear, Plasma, and Radiological Engineering at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign where she led the Advanced Reactors and Fuel Cycles Group.



Several award and scholarship winners were recognized at the event. These included the Nuclear Service Award, the 2022 Distinguished Scientist Award, the Robert Maher Memorial Scholarship, the Aiken Technical College Scholarship, the CNTA High School Essay Contest scholarship winners, and Educator Grant recipients.



With the support of our members and sponsors, this event raised over \$10,000 to support CNTA's mission to be the voice of truth on nuclear matters.

2022 Distinguished Scientist Award Winner

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) announced Dr. M. John Plodinec as the 2022 Fred C. Davison Distinguished Scientist Award winner.



Dr. Plodinec is an internationally recognized expert in nuclear waste characterization and disposition. He influenced every aspect of the Defense Waste Processing Facility (DWPF) from waste characterization, canister closure proof testing, and the facility's \$40 million product qualification program. He prepared the technical case used by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to declare vitrification the Best Demonstrated Available Technology for High Level Waste (HLW) and authored the Waste Acceptance Product Specifications governing all HLW glass products in the United States. He regularly consults with the Department of Energy (DOE) and the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.

Dr. Plodinec received his B.A. in Chemistry from Franklin and Marshall College in 1968 and his Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry from the University of Florida in 1974. At the Savannah River Site, he held various positions from 1974 to 1997 including Manager and Senior Advisory Scientist in charge of the Glass Technology Group. From 1997 to 2005 he was the Director of Diagnostic Instrumentation and Analysis Laboratory at Mississippi State University. From 2005 to 2010 he was a Science Advisor at the Savannah River National Laboratory. Most recently, he served as the Vice Chair for the National Academies of Science and Engineering committee supporting the DOE Environmental Management waste cleanup program and as a Technical Director for the Alliance for National and Community Resilience.

The Distinguished Scientist Award is presented annually to recognize regional scientists and engineers who have made exceptional lifetime scientific achievements. The award is in honor of Dr. Fred C. Davison who was Chairman of CNTA's Board of Directors from 1994 until his death in 2004.

2022 Nuclear Service Award Winner



Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) announced that the winner of the 2022 Nuclear Service Award was Donald (Don) Zecha.

Don Zecha's contributions to the Savannah River Site (SRS) span nearly 40 years, and during that time, he became and continues to be a champion of nuclear technology. Through his work at SRS and interactions with the public, members of the Nuclear Security Enterprise, and the next generation of engineers he mentors, Zecha's passion for nuclear technology is apparent to all.

Zecha started his career at SRS working in waste management. With direct technical responsibility for the treatment, storage and disposal of hazardous waste, low-level radioactive waste, mixed waste and sanitary waste, he served as an ambassador to regulators, government officials and the public.

The Nuclear Service Award is presented annually to recognize accomplishments in applying nuclear technology, advancing education in nuclear technology, increasing public awareness of the benefits of nuclear technology, and in promoting and defending the safe and effective use of nuclear technology.

Young Professionals Updates

Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil

The 4th Annual Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil, hosted by the Young Professionals Committee on October 15th, was a huge success. Attendees enjoyed the food, the atmosphere of Palmetto Golf Club, and the music by Keith Gregory. The event raised over \$9,000 to support free young professionals memberships to CNTA and the Tap Into Nuclear series.

Over 180 people attended the event, which would not have been possible without the support of our sponsors and volunteers. Thank you to all those who helped with this event, and thank you to all our sponsors!

Tap Into Nuclear

- April 21, 2022 The presentation was “Contract Changes & the Proposal Process” presented by Jeff Leita, Vice President, Business Development with Amentum. This event was held at Café Scientifique in Aiken, SC.
- June 16, 2022- “CNTA Night out at the Ballpark” with the Augusta Greenjackets at SRP Park!
- The Tap Into Nuclear Series closed out 2022 with a “Night of Giving Back” at the SRS Museum on December 15th. Donations to area non-profits serving those in need were collected.



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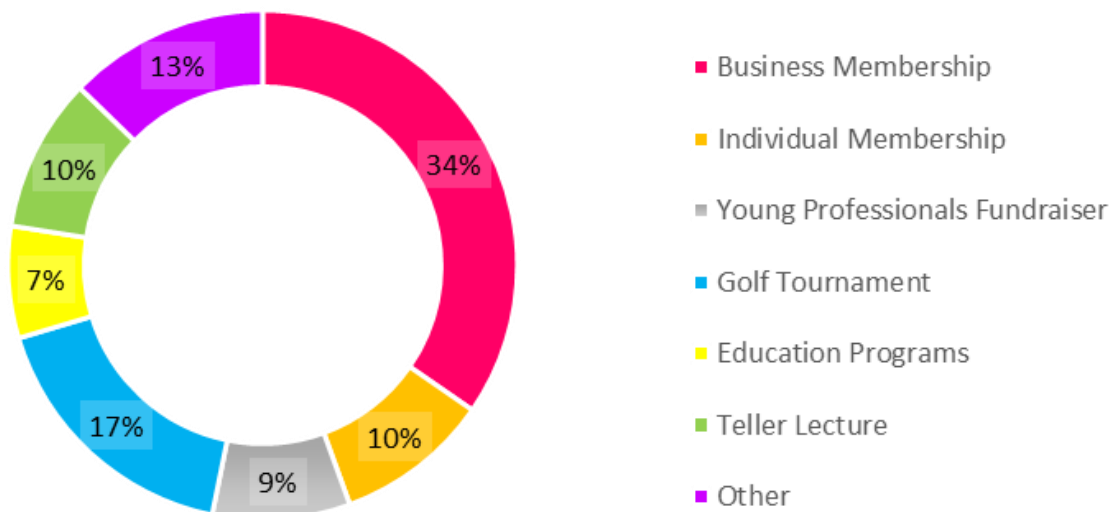
Up & Atoms

- **March 23, 2022-** “WORC is Working.” Presenters were: Mindy Mets (SRSCRO), Crystal Ratliff (Aiken Technical College), and Brooke Stagich (SRNL)
- **May 12, 2022-** “National Laboratory Management and Operations at Battelle.” Dr. Mark Peters, Executive Vice President for National Laboratory Management and Operations at Battelle
- **June 15, 2022-** “Fast Times at SRS.” Stuart MacVean, President & CEO of Savannah River Nuclear Solutions LLC
- **July 19, 2022-** SRS Interns- Interns from SRNS & SRMC spoke on their summer experiences
- **August 17, 2022-** “Manhattan: The View from Los Alamos of History’s Most Secret Project.” Alan Carr, Los Alamos National Laboratory Historian
- **September 29, 2022-** “The Road to Completing the SRS Liquid Waste Mission.” Dr. David Olson, President and Program Manager for Savannah River Mission Completion
- **October 20, 2022-** “Apprenticeship- the Pipeline from the SC Technical School System to SRS.” Presenters were: Dr. Dorian Newton (SRNS), Aherial Polite (Aiken Technical College), and BooBoo Roberts (SRNS)
- **December 6, 2022-** “Capturing History: The Legacy of Savannah River Plant’s Early Photographers.” Mary Beth Reed, President of New South Associates.



CNTA Finances at a Glance

2022 Sources of Income



CNTA Assets (as of 12/31/2022)

Endowment Fund	\$	100,871.20
Money Market	\$	24,059.65
Checking	\$	39,181.63
Total:	\$	165,432.48

Profit & Loss Statement 2022

Income	\$	197,120.86
Expense	\$	191,899.21
Total:	\$	5,221.65

2022 Expenses



20th Annual CNTA Charity Golf Tournament

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA) held our 20th Annual CNTA Charity Golf Tournament on May 6, 2022, at Houndslake Country Club in Aiken, SC.

Executive Director of CNTA, Jim Marra, said the event was a great success.

"We had 26 teams participate in a fantastic day of golf," Marra said. "This tournament is one of CNTA's most important fundraisers and is a fun, competitive event for participants. Our net proceeds were over \$20,000, and will help CNTA promote and educate the public on nuclear technology."

The winning contest participants and their teams include:

- First Low Net – Savannah River Ecology Laboratory
- Second Low Net – Holli's Heroes
- Third Low Net – Southern Nuclear, Plant Vogtle
- Low Gross – BWXT Team 2

Marra added that CNTA was greatly appreciative of the volunteers and donors who helped make this year's golf tournament a tremendous success. "CNTA exists as a grassroots organization, and events like these would be impossible without our community's support."

More photos and information available at: <https://cntaware.org/annual-golf-tournament/>



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<p>Many thanks to all who chose to remain anonymous & donated!</p> <p>Your support helped raise over \$19,000 today!</p> <p>Thank you all for your participation and contributions. Visit our Website to learn more about CNTA (www.cntaware.org) and follow us on Facebook, Twitter & Instagram (@CNTATeam). Remember- CNTA is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. If you would like a receipt please email cnta@bellsouth.net</p>		

21st Annual Charity Golf Tournament



The 21st Annual CNTA Charity Golf Tournament will be held May 12, 2023, at Houndslake Country Club! This is a great opportunity to network, promote your business, and enjoy a day on the course!

This is CNTA's largest fundraiser of the year and provides essential funds for our education outreach initiatives. Registration is closed for teams, but there are still ways you can help!

- Donate your time the day of the event! Even if you have never been on a golf course before, we can use your help. All volunteers receive lunch and a CNTA Golf Shirt.
- Donate items to the raffle, or money to the community gift card program online. Donors to the raffle will be entered to win two tickets to the fall Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil.

Information on the tournament and the player registration form can be found at: <https://cntaware.org/annual-golf-tournament/>

To donate to the raffle, simply go to: <https://cntaware.org/about-us/> and click the donate button!

If you want to help with the tournament, or would like more information, email cnta@bellsouth.net.

Many thanks to our teams and sponsors who have committed to helping make this the best tournament yet!

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Mission of CNTA

Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness, Inc., is an education and advocacy group promoting the safe and effective use of nuclear power, nuclear research and nuclear medicine.

We provide education, networking, and a voice of understanding from a technical perspective in a world often influenced by ***inaccurate and unwarranted fear***.

CNTA membership encompasses individuals, families, and businesses who support the use of nuclear science and technology for many applications, including: energy, national security, nuclear medicine and diagnostics, and industrial applications.

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CNTA is a grassroots organization, which means “we” are the members, supporters, & volunteers. CNTA does not exist without the membership and CNTA could not function without our volunteers.

We rely on volunteers for educational outreach, to host and organize the many CNTA events throughout the year, for the press releases and Nuclear Science Week Insert that get our message into the public sphere, and for the behind the scenes committee work.

- Over 100 members currently serve on CNTA committees.
- In 2022, over 125 volunteers helped with CNTA’s activities.
 - From judging essays to volunteering at events– we have something that can fit your time and interests!
- The education outreach events that CNTA participates in each year require hundreds of volunteer hours.
- As we enter our 32nd year we recognize the thousands of individuals who have committed time and resources to CNTA’s mission over our history, and say thank you for helping us continue to succeed.

Many Thanks to Our Event Specific Sponsors

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2023 Early Involvement

- Awarded the 2022 Educator Grants Program to 5 deserving area teachers
- Evaluating the 2022 Essay Contest Applications
- Taught a Lifelong Learning class at USCA that provided an overview of nuclear energy
- Held two Up & Atoms:
 - February 2nd with NNSA Principal Deputy Administrator Frank Rose & DOE Senior Advisor for Environmental Management Ike White (event was sold out!)
 - March 8th with Dr. Fred Beranek, Director of Engineering & Fusion Program Manager for Fluor Nuclear Power
- Plan to teach classes at USCA for the Department of Energy's Minority Serving Institutions program
- Sponsored the Future City Competition and presented a special award for "Best use of Nuclear Technology"
- Are sponsoring Aiken Earth Day & the Williston DIG STEM Festival
- Have been in area schools over 10 times already!

As a charitable, non-profit organization, CNTA can ALWAYS use help.

Opportunities include:

- Donate Items for Raffles/Auctions
 - Donate to Our Community Gift Card Program!
 - Donate to CNTA as a charitable non-profit (<https://cntaware.org/about-us/>)
- Volunteer your time
 - Get involved with a CNTA Committee
 - Help the CNTA Education Committee update our educational outreach
 - Help CNTA expand their reach on social media
 - Volunteer to help in our Office (there is always work to be done there!)
 - Be an event-specific volunteer
 - Be an education committee contest judge or outreach volunteer
- Sponsor a 2023 Event or Education Outreach!

For information, email Allison at office@cntaware.org

CNTA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **March 30, 2023-** Tap Into Nuclear. 5:30-7pm at Café Scientifique in Aiken SC.
- **April 20, 2023-** Up & Atom "Vogtle 1-4: Soon-to-be America's Largest Reactor Site." Joel Leopard, Communications Coordinator, Plant Vogtle. 7:30am at Newberry Hall in Aiken SC.
- **May 12, 2023-** 21st Annual CNTA Charity Golf Tournament! Shotgun start at 8:30am. Held at Houndslake Country Club in Aiken SC.
- **June 15, 2023-** CNTA Night at the Ballpark. 7:05 game start at SRP Park in North Augusta SC.
- **July 19, 2023-** Up & Atom "SRS Summer Interns." 7:30am at Newberry Hall in Aiken SC.
- **October 7, 2023-** 5th Annual Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil (Young Professionals Fundraiser). 6:30-9pm. Palmetto Golf Club in Aiken SC.

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