



# **APTA Connecticut Annual Meeting**

**A Year in Review**

**President: Stefanie Bourassa November 17, 2021**

# Thank you!

- Keynote Speaker: Annual Conference
- Outgoing Board Members, Committee Chairs
  - Board of Directors, Executive Committee, SIG Chairs
- Membership



**A Year of Growth**

# Recognition

- Emerging Leader Award:  
Meg Thibodeau PTA
- (6) CT Students Nominated  
to the Assembly Slate
- Michael Gans: Delegate
- Joanna Fisher: Nominating  
Committee
- APTA Nominating  
Committee:
  - Stephanie Weyrauch

# Recognition: Membership Milestones

## **75 Years:**

MARCHANT, MARILYN

## **55 Years:**

CONNAL, RUTH

50 years:

ABRAHAM, JUDITH.    ROBERTS, PAMELA

45 Years:

LEARD, JOHN

RILEY, JEAN

# Recognition: Membership Milestones

## 40 Years:

BERNIER, PEGGY      COOPER, BARBARA      GRIFFIN, STEPHEN      MEZZOMO, JUDITH  
RICH, DIANA      SNOWDON, DONNA      SWEENEY, THOMAS      WILCOX, BERNARDINA

## 35 Years:

JULIANO, KAREN      MORGAN, MICHAEL      PAOLILLO, MARY

## 30 Years:

ANSELMO, LOUISE      DAHL-BUSBY, BENTE      DRISCOLL, JENNA  
GIANNI-RHOADES, DANIELA      KANYA, KATHLEEN      KELLEY, KATHLEEN  
WILKOWSKI, TODD      ZIELINSKI, PETER

# Recognition: Membership Milestones

## 25 Years:

BLANCHARD, YVETTE    BURNS, CHRISTOPHER    DE REGT, PAUL    LANGLAIS, COLLEEN    LIBBY, DONNA    MILES, JEAN  
MORRISON, RACHEL    NOLE, ROBERTA    RAO, CHRISTINA    YUNG, EMMANUEL

## 20 Years:

GRIMES, JASON    LOMBARDO, KARI    LYONS, LAUREN    O'KEEFE, ELIZABETH    PACILEO, ANNE  
PURDY, RICHARD    SAAVEDRA, SANDRA    TOLHURST, PAM    VIGNEAULT, JEREMY

## 15 Years:

BERNHARDT, CHRISTINA    CAMERON, SCOTT    DEGRAY, NOEL    DURANT, TIMOTHY    GRABICKI, JOSEPH  
GREVELDING, PETER    MORAN, LAUREEN    RODRIGUEZ, SUZANNE    SCHECTER, SHERRI    STEARNS, ERIC  
WALL, TRACY    WALSH, ERIN

## 10 Years:

ANDERSON, MELANIA    BOHN, SUZANNE    BOUTAGY, MELISSA    BREITE, SHALE  
BRUNEAU, MICHELLE    CONTE, KELLY    DAINGERFIELD, MAGGIE    DORUNDA, JENINE  
FEDA, MARC    GREVELDING, KATHERINE    HARASIM, BEATA    LAMPRON, ERIN  
LEE, JULIA    MARTIN, REBECCA    MISSIMER, REBECCA    MORRIS, COLIN  
PELLETIER, CLAIRE    SLOCUM, REBECCA    STRASSGUETL, LAURA    WEYRAUCH, STEPHANIE  
WINKS, VIKKI

# Recognition: Membership Milestones

## 5 Years

ALI, MUHAMMAD  
BIRDSALL, JACQUELINE.  
CORREIA, JAY  
DONNELLY, DAVID  
EMLAW, SARAH  
GIUNTA, CHRISTOPHER.  
HAYES, ANN MARIE  
JERSEY, STEPHEN.  
KOSIOR, KENNETH  
LEACU, PAMELA  
MCPHERSON, BAILEY  
NOVAK, GABRIELLE  
RIGDON, EMMA  
STRONG, STEPHEN  
TODD, VERONIKA  
WELLS, CHELSEA

BAKER, CATHERINE  
BLANUSA, MEGHAN  
CURRY, ALIAH  
DREHOFF, ANDREW  
FAGERHOLM, ABIGAIL.  
GRAHAM, GARRETT.  
HOERST, JEFFREY.  
JORDAN, JOSHUA.  
KURIMAI, ELIZABETH  
LEARY, KAREN  
MENDOLA, JONATHON  
NOWAKOWSKA, ALLY  
RIVIECCIO, JOSEPH  
STURM, MICAELA  
VELASQUEZ, MICHAEL  
YOUNG, KATHRYN

BAKER, TIFFANY  
CLARK, CORINNA  
DIMARZIO, HEATHER  
DUNGAN, BRIDGET.  
FILOMENO, MADELYN.  
GRAY, SABRINA.  
HUBENY, JASON.  
KADAM, MANALI  
LAISO, JAMES  
MACDONALD, MATTHEW  
MONTEFUSCO, MICHAEL  
PAOLINO, CARA  
ROBILLARD, LENORE  
SZEMENYEI, SCOTT  
VOSE, LINDSAY

BECKMANN, RACHEL  
CLARKE, ALYSON  
DONE, EMILY.  
EHRlich, JULIE  
FOLEY, SHANE  
HARRIS, JENNIFER.  
JAISWAL, PAVAS.  
KINSELLA, PATRICK  
LAVADO, BRIAN  
MCGEORGE, JOHN  
NOVAK, DANIELLE  
REINER, JULIE  
ROMAN, DYLAN  
TIGHE, ASHLEY  
WADSWORTH, GARRETT



**Congrats: 2021 Board  
Certified Specialists**

# National Updates

- New Leadership:
  - President: Roger Herr (NY)
  - Vice President: Susan Appling
- Board:
  - Cindy Armstrong
  - Zoher Kapasi
  - Kim Nixon-Cave
- Nominating Committee:
  - Stephanie Weyrauch



# National Updates

- Foundation for Physical Therapy Research:
  - Center on Health Services Training and Research (CoHSTAR)
    - Funding support for diverse/equitable healthcare research and mentoring program launched
- Campaign for Future Generations supporting DEI in the physical therapy profession grew by \$100K
  - Based on investments from BOD
- Col. Deydre Teyhen PT, PhD was appointed Chief of the Army's Medical Specialist Corps
- Monthly Dues payment option

# Choose to Move:



# National Updates

- APTA recognized Internationally for advocacy: Public Affairs Council
  - #fightthecut campaign
- WHO recognizes PT in Pediatric Chronic Pain Guidelines
- VA increased pay levels for PTA
- Suspension of Sequester cut through 2021
- AOTA, APTA, ASHA joint statement on COVID-19 Vaccine and Education
- APTA Moves Me Campaign
  - State Ambassadors submitted (More in DEI update)
- Woodruff Lecturer: Challenged our profession to be Brave and Honest about DEI

# Advocacy strategy 2021-2022 released

- Improve patient outcomes by eliminating barriers to health care services.
- Enact policies that empower all people regardless of where they are born, live, learn, work, play, worship, and age to live healthy and independent lives.
- Improve patient outcomes and patient satisfaction by improving health services delivery.
- Prioritize research and clinical innovation to advance the science, effectiveness, and efficacy of physical therapist evaluation and management to optimize patient health, well-being, and recovery.

# Advocacy strategy 2021-2022 released

## Patient Access and Care

**APTA urges Congress and the Administration to improve patient outcomes by eliminating barriers to health care services. To this end, APTA will advocate with federal policymakers and collaborate with stakeholders to:**

1. Ensure appropriate payment for physical therapist services in the Medicare Physician Fee Schedule.
2. Guarantee access to a comprehensive health benefit package for all Americans, with no arbitrary limits placed on people with preexisting conditions.
3. Advance policies that address current and future needs for rehabilitation services, including physical therapy, for individuals affected by COVID-19 and other acute and chronic conditions.
4. Expand the definition of primary care services providers to include physical therapists.
5. Expand opportunities in public programs for direct access to physical therapist services.
6. Increase the health provider workforce in rural and medically underserved areas by adding physical therapists to federal student loan repayment programs.
7. Advance policies to increase transparency to patients regarding costs of health care services and financial interests in the delivery of health care services.
8. Advance payment, coverage, and broadband and technology infrastructure policies that will increase patient access to rehabilitation services delivered via digital health and telehealth.
9. Reduce patient out-of-pocket costs for nonpharmacological pain prevention, treatment, and management services, including physical therapy.
10. Advance policies to recognize the role of physical therapist assistants in the delivery of quality health care.
11. Enact legislation to allow physical therapists to privately contract with Medicare beneficiaries.

# Advocacy strategy 2021-2022 released

## Population Health and Social Determinants of Health

**APTA urges Congress and the Administration to enact policies that empower all people regardless of where they are born, live, learn, work, play, worship, and age to live healthy and independent lives. To this end, APTA will advocate with federal policymakers and collaborate with stakeholders to:**

1. Support funding for prevention and wellness services in public health insurance programs and coverage for prevention and wellness services in commercial insurance programs.
2. Increase funding for the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act state grant programs so that eligible children receive the supports they need to learn and thrive.
3. Preserve and protect services provided under Medicaid and Medicare.
4. Advance policies to increase knowledge about physical therapist services for individuals of all ages who live with pain, activity limitations, and/or participation restrictions.
5. Support programs that increase physical activity and exercise among all individuals.
6. Advance policies that support diversity and inclusion in the physical therapy workforce including passage of the Allied Health Workforce Diversity Act.



# Advocacy strategy 2021-2022 released

## Value-Based Care and Practice

**APTA urges Congress and the Administration to improve patient outcomes and patient satisfaction by improving health services delivery. To this end, APTA will advocate with federal policymakers and collaborate with stakeholders to:**

1. Facilitate and support the development of demonstration projects to validate public and private insurance-based alternative payment models that increase administrative efficiency, promote effective patient outcomes, and expand interprofessional collaboration among health care providers, including physical therapists.
2. Advance policies that reduce administrative burden across all public and commercial insurance programs.
3. Advance financial and operational incentives for the physical therapy profession regarding the use, certification, and interoperability of electronic health records and other health information technology.

# Advocacy strategy 2021-2022 released

## Research and Clinical Innovation

**APTA urges Congress and the Administration to prioritize research and clinical innovation to advance the science, effectiveness, and efficacy of physical therapist evaluation and management to optimize patient health, well-being, and recovery. To this end, APTA will advocate with federal policy-makers and collaborate with stakeholders to:**

1. Increase funding for prevention and rehabilitation research across federal agencies.
2. Increase funding for health services research that includes physical therapist services as part of solutions to advance desired outcomes in population health.
3. Secure partnerships with public and private insurance providers to drive the delivery of high-quality, cost-effective rehabilitation services as measured by the Physical Therapy Outcomes Registry.

# National Updates

## House of Delegates Recap:

- Commitment to taking on systemic racism
  - In a statement adopted overwhelmingly by delegates, APTA is "committed to being an anti-racist organization"
- Addition of Inclusion as a Core Value
- Productivity Standards:
  - how acceptable standards must strike a balance between patient experience and outcome, respect for clinical judgement, adherence to the code of ethics for the physical therapist, economics of care delivery models, and improved provider work experience
- PT as essential to Covid Recovery:
  - The charge instructs APTA to launch a media campaign to promote physical therapist services "as essential and integral providers in the interprofessional team of health providers for management of individuals affected by the multisystem impact of COVID-19 and post-acute sequelae of SARS CoV-2."
- Closer look at specialization



# APTA<sup>SM</sup> 100 Years 1921-2021

## APTA's Founders Meet At Keens Chophouse In New York City.

1921



APTA's founders met at Keens Chophouse in New York City. The participants decided to create an association with the name American Women's Physical Therapeutic Association. Dues were established at \$2.

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1921

## Mary McMillan Is Elected The First President Of The American Women's Physical Therapeutic Association.

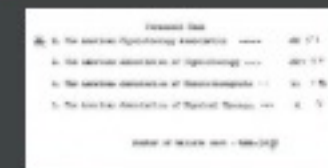


World War I had just ended. Throughout the war, reconstruction aides, the predecessors to modern physical therapists, worked tirelessly to do their part, treating the many casualties of war and getting soldiers back on their feet. These strong women had proven their value as medical professionals – war heroes

–..Read More

1922

## The AWPTA Becomes The American Physiotherapy Association.

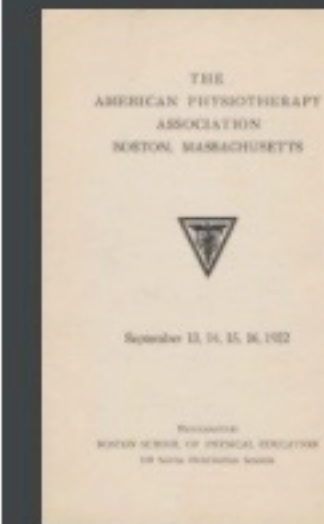


The AWPTA had closed out its first year, which was a busy one. The members were planning for their first annual

convention that summer. They also were seeking official recognition from the American Medical Association, were working to lay a strong foundation for the profession, and emphasizing the need to..Read More

## First Annual Conference Held In Boston.

1922



The association's first annual conference was held in Boston, September 13-16, at the Boston School of Physical Education. Sixty-three reconstruction aides attended. The association's name was changed to American Physiotherapy Association to be more

inclusive.

# Connecticut Updates

- Northeast PT Conference:
  - Continued regional collaboration for this year
  - Virtual due to fluidity of Pandemic
- Fox-Thompson Form
- Membership GROWTH
- Dry Needling
- CT Compact
- Telehealth
- Continuous Communication: Newsletter
- Access to more SIGs/Journal Clubs/ presentations with adaptation to virtual platform
- Dashboard Implementation

# **Committee and SIG Updates**

# Connecticut Delegation

A MOCK HOD was held on 06/15/2021. Hosted by the CT HOD Team, UCONN, QU, and SHU.

- 2021 National Advocacy Dinner with CT Student Assembly, CT APTA President and Chief Delegate as guest speakers (05/11/2021).
- CT APTA hosted the HOD North-East Caucus Virtual Meeting (08/14/2021).
- CT Delegates voted in 2021 elections for President, VP, 3 Directors, and 1 Nominating Committee Member (congrats Stephanie Weyrauch!)
- Members attended the APTA Centennial Celebration in Washington DC (09/10/2021).
- Delegates and an Alternate Delegate participated in the APTA HOD on 09/11/2021 and 09/12/2021. 77th House session included adopting revised bylaws that, among other things, expand the role of PTAs in governance, and passing motions to address systematic racism, unethical productivity standards and promote the role of physical therapist services in recovery from COVID-19.
- Our Federal Advocacy Liaison and members participated in the APTA March on the Capital (09/13/2021)

# Pediatric SIG

- launched its 2021-2022 educational series on pediatric neuromuscular diseases in September with a pediatric neurologist's lecture.
- The SIG Planning Committee continues to follow a format that has proven successful in recent years, providing four or more educational offerings annually organized around a topic selected by pediatric therapists.
- The Pediatric SIG has brought in physicians, therapists, and inter-professional teams to address the topics of Cerebral Palsy (2019 – 20) and Autism (2020 – 21).
- We have two lectures on Spinal Muscular Atrophy set for the Northeast Conference in November, and two sessions planned for 2022 on Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.
- The number of member and non-member participants in our events has continued to expand, and for some events, has included attendees of other disciplines (e.g., occupational therapists, teachers).



# Neurology SIG

- 1) Created annual goals to address education and quality, communication and engagement and public policy.
- 2) Established four new leadership positions within the SIG and filled them with amazing new volunteer leaders!  
(3 new PT members and 1 new student member)
- 3) Community Engagement:
  - a) APDA CT Optimism Walk (Sherwood Island State Park, Westport), 10/2/21
    - i) Provided fall screenings and led warm up
  - b) Email sent out to approximately 30 rehabilitation facilities in CT to introduce the Neuro SIG, share goals and plans for the year, promote involvement
- 4) Communication:
  - a) Increased social media presence on Instagram by 72 followers from May 2021-November 2021.
- 5) Survey provided to Neuro SIG members to inform leadership of how to best serve our members and provide meaningful educational content and improve engagement.
  - a) Survey results have informed planning efforts for this coming year

# Neurology SIG: Continued

- **Subcommittee Chairperson Position Descriptions: APTA CT Chapter Neurology Special Interest Group (SIG) :**
  - *Education and Quality Chairperson(s): Laura Simaitis & Marielle Handley*
  - *Communication Chairperson(s): Allie Southam*
  - *Community Engagement Chairperson(s): Dhimitri Stojko- SPT*
  - *Public Policy Chairperson(s): Open*

# DEI Committee

Re-established the committee (June 2020)

- i. Name change from Minority Affairs committee to DEI committee
- ii. Organized leadership
- iii. Created Mission and Vision and goals
- iv. Increased members (currently 14 members)
- v. Connected with student and faculty of Quinnipiac University active in DEI
- vi. Connected with student active in DEI at Sacred Heart University
- vii. Met with APTA CT Nom Com to increase diversity of leadership at component level
- viii. Identified awareness, educational barriers to profession: decided to focus activity on increasing awareness of PT/PTA in underrepresented populations

What Social Justice Lessons Did We Learn from Roger Williams? (2/25/21)

1. Presentation and listening session (by CCS, TK, LR)
2. Attendance: 16

Toy Drive for CCMC rehabilitation facilities (Summer 2021)

Collected representative toys for pediatric physical therapy facilities

# DEI Committee: Continued

Presentation to Hartford Boys and Girls club: Injury Prevention (8/12/21)

Attendance: 10-15 adolescent male youth

Presentation was shared with the female group who was unable to attend live

PT Moves Me Ambassadors (9/21)

Collaboration and connection with APTA National

Cristina and Hector to serve as ambassadors

Re-establish Minority scholarship (10/21)

Natalee and Christina M. to review applications and select awardee

Initiate social media presence for the committee (10-11/21)

Create Twitter and Instagram accounts

Social Media chairs designated (Hector and Victoria)

Career Fair at UConn, "Wildest Dreams" (11/6/21)

Cristina and Hector to present PT/PTA to high school seniors in Bridgeport, Waterbury, Hartford, New Britain

# Public Policy Committee

Telehealth- We testified in support of Telehealth and got it extended by 2 additional years to allow PTs to continue to provide care due to barriers that prevent them from attending in person.

State Compact- We testified in support and have cleared the 1st stage of PTs being added to the list of professions being considered to join the State Compact. We are hopeful next year the DPH will finalize this. This would allow PTs to practice in ANY state that is also part of the State Compact and reduce barriers to practice.

Dry Needling- We have passed the initial review and are pending an appeal that is still being decided. But we are hopeful that the DPH will rule that Dry Needling is within the Scope of Practice of PTs.

Background work for preparation for Scope of practice expansion; collaboration with other groups to highlight opportunities such as Imaging orders

Reduction in Lobbying Fund support to help with balancing of the P&L and budget for 2021

# Public Policy Committee

## 2022 Targets:

- Adding Physiotherapy to protected use of title proportion of our practice act
- Assessing submitting legislation consistent with “Maine S.P. 423 - L.D. 1317 an Act to Regulate Insurance Carrier Practice or Facility wide Pre-payment Review
- Reassess asset allocation capabilities based on financials for re-establishing Lobbying efforts
- Continued work from 2021

# Centennial Committee:

- Centennial Scholar: Kayla Gomes
  - Successful (2) Presentations with attendees from ALL over the country
    - A total of 150 people attended the two separate courses
    - Presented with Matthew Calendrillo
- Shoe Drive: Centennial Ambassador Emily Calabrese
  - Over 1000 shoes donated to local shelters
    - All counties of the state were represented
  - Some shelters include:
    - South Park Inn (Hartford)
    - Holy Family Shelter (Willimantic)
    - Willimantic's No-Freeze Shelter
    - Windham Area Interfaith Ministry
    - Columbus House (New Haven)
    - Friendship Center (New Britain)

# Ortho/Manual Therapy SIG

## 2020-2021 Events

- Residency and Fellowship Panel Q&A

Interactive event targeted towards students and novice clinicians wishing to pursue residency and fellowship to enhance their clinical skills. Expert panel shared their experience and provided advice on the residency and fellowship path.

Presenters: JOANNA FISHER, PT, DPT, OCS, FAAOMPT, Mike Laviolette PT, DPT, OCS, BILLY MARRONE PT, DPT, SCS, CSCS

- Resident's and Fellow's Case Study

-“The Differential Diagnosis and Treatment of a Patient with Concurrent Cervicogenic Headache, Concussion and Hyperlaxity”. VLADIMIR SMOLGOVSKIY, PT, DPT, OCS, CSCS

-“An Orthopedic Manual Physical Therapy Approach to Thoracic Outlet Syndrome” JOANNA FISHER, PT, DPT, OCS, FAAOMPT

An interactive event that covered clinical reasoning and management of two unique patient cases



# Ortho/Manual Therapy SIG

## 2020-2021 Events

- Self-Management Strategies for the Upper Quarter

This virtual presentation and interactive discussion covered self-management strategies for the upper quarter. Presenters shared patient cases and management strategies that include manual therapy, exercise prescription, and how to effectively communicate with patients

-Presenters: STEVEN LAGASSE, PT, DPT; RAFAEL OZDEMIRER, PT, DPT, FAAOMPT; DYLAN ROMAN, PT, DPT; YARDEN TEPPER, PT, DPT

- Words Matter: The Power of Language

This virtual presentation and interactive discussion covered the verbiage that healthcare providers use when discussing diagnosis, prognosis, and interventions with their patients. We discussed patient perceptions on language that healthcare providers use and strategies on how to communicate effectively with patients.

Presenter: Eric Sokolowski, DPT, CSCS, CMPT

# Ortho/Manual Therapy SIG

## **Special Thank You!**

We would like to extend our gratitude to outgoing chair Jay Myerson, DPT, DMT, OCS, FAAOMPT, CMTPT and Board Member Kate Grevelding, PT, EdD, DPT, OCS, ATC for their leadership, expertise and helping to promote orthopedic and manual therapy throughout the state of CT. During their time with the CTAPTA, Jay and Kate assisted in numerous education, networking and leadership events to ensure quality and growth of our profession.

## **New Board Members Needed!**

-The OMTSIG Board is looking to add new members. Please contact the co-chairs if you are interested in joining the Board.

Michelle Bruneau: [michelle.bruneau@uconn.edu](mailto:michelle.bruneau@uconn.edu)

Phil Silverio: [psilverio@gaylord.org](mailto:psilverio@gaylord.org)

# Student SIG

- Held National Advocacy Dinner to promote student advocacy in CT in May: over 100 attendees
- Held student social for CT PT and PTA students at Stonebridge in July, see picture attached
- Sponsored a team for the American Parkinson's Disease Association "CT PTs to Be", top 3 donation teams with over 30 people who attended, see picture
- 3 Student SIG members nominated for SA BOD positions, CT Core Ambassador nominated for SA BOD position
- Overall, 6 CT APTA members nominated for SA BOD positions (6 out of 22 candidates slated!)

# Geriatric SIG

## Current leadership:

Co-Chairs: Suzanne Rodriguez & Michael Catuccio

Secretary: Karen Blood

Program Coordinators: Leigh Ronald, Paul de Regt, Ronald Perreault, Emily Polakowski

## Goal of the Geriatric SIG is to offer quarterly events for its membership:

- 2021 Quarterly Events:
  - Educational session Wednesday, January 27<sup>th</sup>
    - Successful Physical Therapy for People with Dementia – A Practical Approach
      - Presented by Jean Miles
      - 25 in attendance

# Geriatric SIG: Continued

- Journal Club with Annual Business Meeting Wednesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>
  - High Intensity Walking Training in Frail Older Adults
    - Presented by Jaclyn Dias, Jennifer Santiago, and Bonnie Brunckhorst
- Roundtable discussion
  - Hip Fracture Clinical Practice Guideline – Wednesday, June 9<sup>th</sup>
    - Facilitated by Mike Catuccio.
    - Roundtable participants: Katie Wing, Corey Andrews, Amie Stevens
- Representation at Northeast Physical Therapy Conference in November
  - Presentations:
    - High Intensity Functional Training in Older Adults
      - Presented by: Suzanne Rodriguez and Leigh Ronald
    - Are We Doing Enough? The Importance of Musculoskeletal Health Across the Care Continuum and Lifespan: A Cross SIG Collaboration.
      - Presented by: Karen Blood, Stephanie Gardner, Rachel Kilburn, Brendan McGreevy, and Kristin M. Carroll

# Geriatric SIG: continued

- Representation by Geriatric SIG board members at New England Student Conclave April 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> for breakout sessions to answer questions and promote SIG
- Leadership transition will be happening shortly for the January 2022 year!

# Goals & Objectives

## Goals for 2021

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### Education:

- Annual Conference: with teaser presentations
- Journal Club participation
- Cross Association combination/presentations
- SIG/Committee collaboration with joint presentation

### Finances:

- Pay off Lawyer bill
- Update paperwork reflecting leadership changes
- Investigate portfolio changes
- Successfully garner (3) grants
- Increase reserves by 10%

### Leadership:

- Increase nomination pool/recruit newer clinicians
- Improve Communication
- Increase collaboration with other associations and within regional APTA
- Centennial Scholar
- Investigate LAMP

### Membership:

- Increase membership by 5%
- Create ideas to retain membership
- Launch the “My Why” campaign

### Public Policy:

- PT Compact
- Telehealth Permanence
- Scope of Practice review: add imaging, spinal manipulation, direct access increase
- Dry Needling ruling
- Grassroots campaign for improved Advocacy Day

### Engagement:

- DEI/Minority Affairs
- Increase PT/PTA awareness for community
- Potential 5K walk/run sponsorship
- Re-engage CSMS partnership
- Grassroots with State legislators

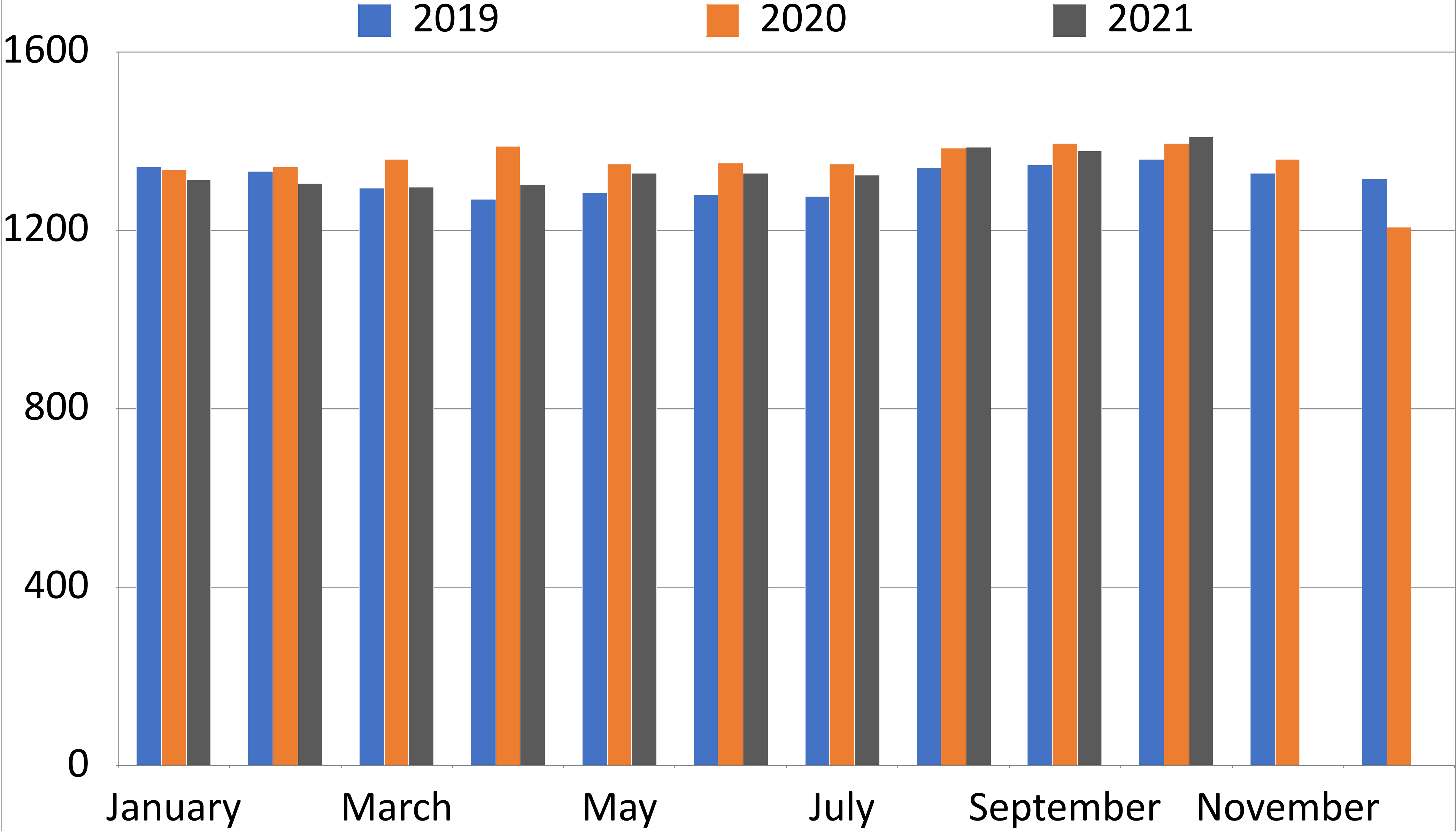
### Quality:

- Outcome measures/Registries
- Annual Conference

**MEMBERSHIP:**



# Membership

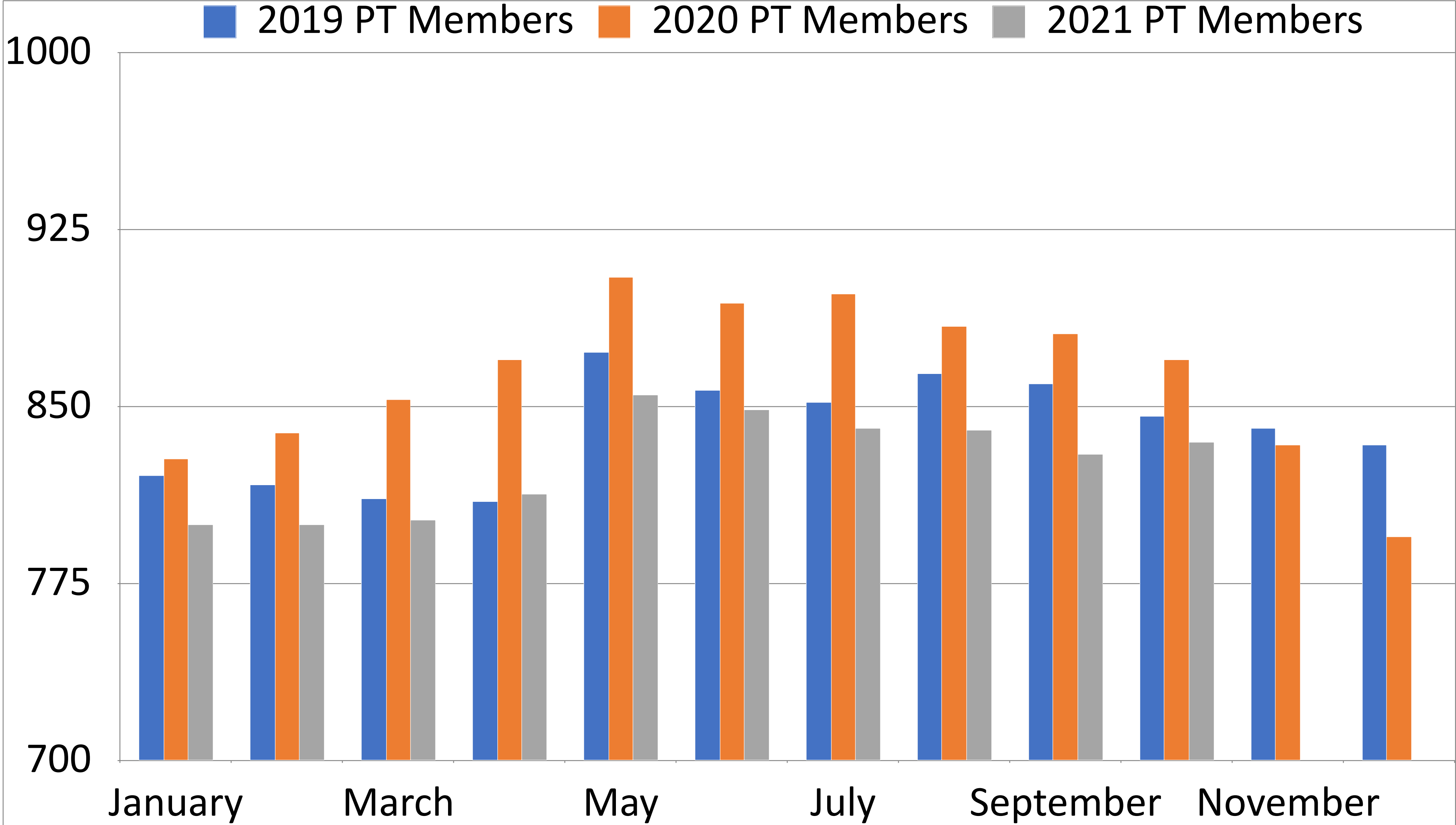


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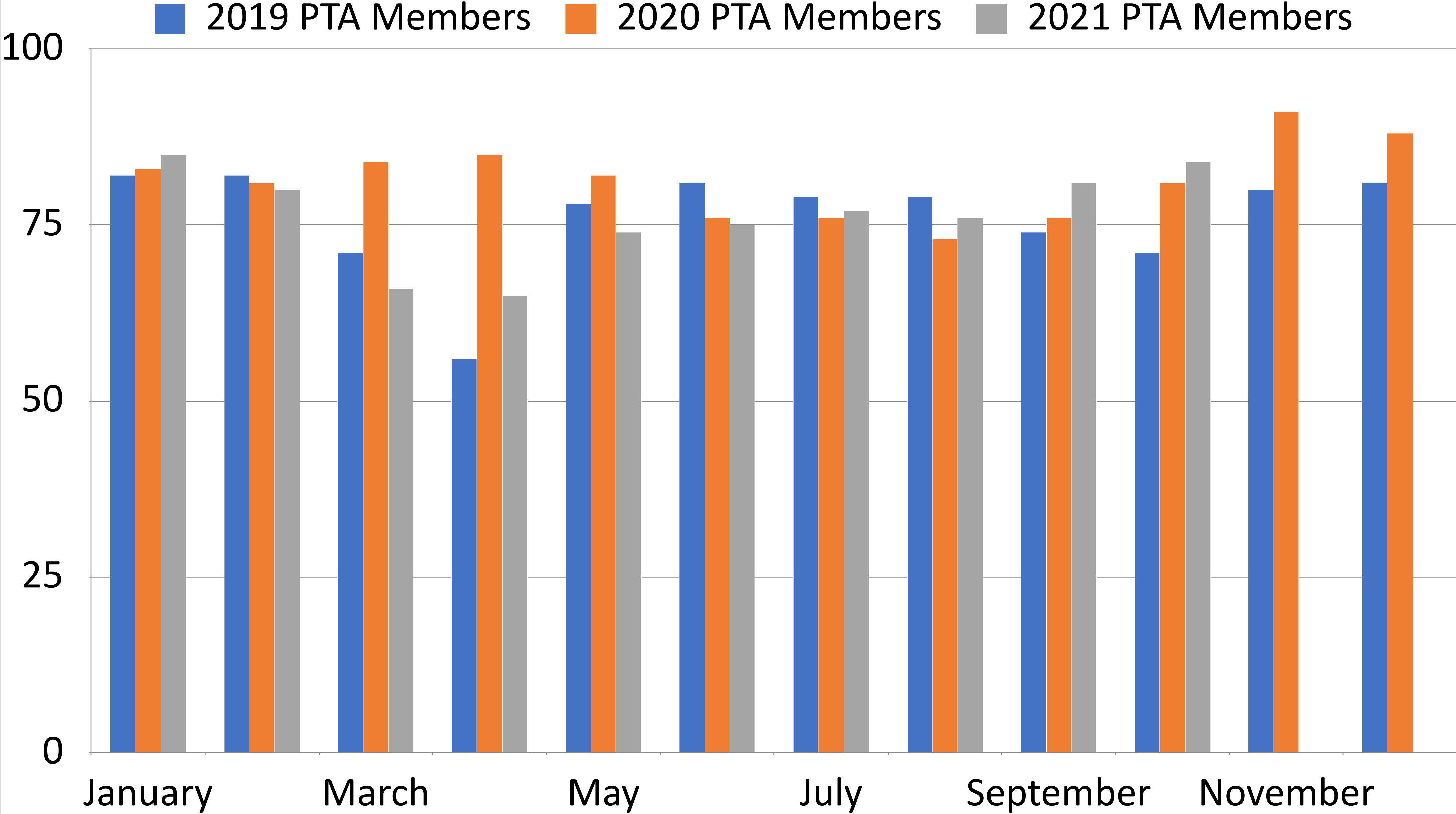
## Yearly Comparisons

Months	2019	2020	2021	Difference
January	1341	1336	1313	-23
February	1331	1342	1304	-38
March	1294	1358	1297	-61
April	1270	1388	1302	-86
May	1283	1349	1328	-21
June	1279	1350	1328	-22
July	1275	1348	1323	-25
August	1340	1384	1386	2
September	1346	1394	1377	-17
October	1358	1395	1408	13
November	1327	1358	0	-1358
December	1315	1207	0	-1207

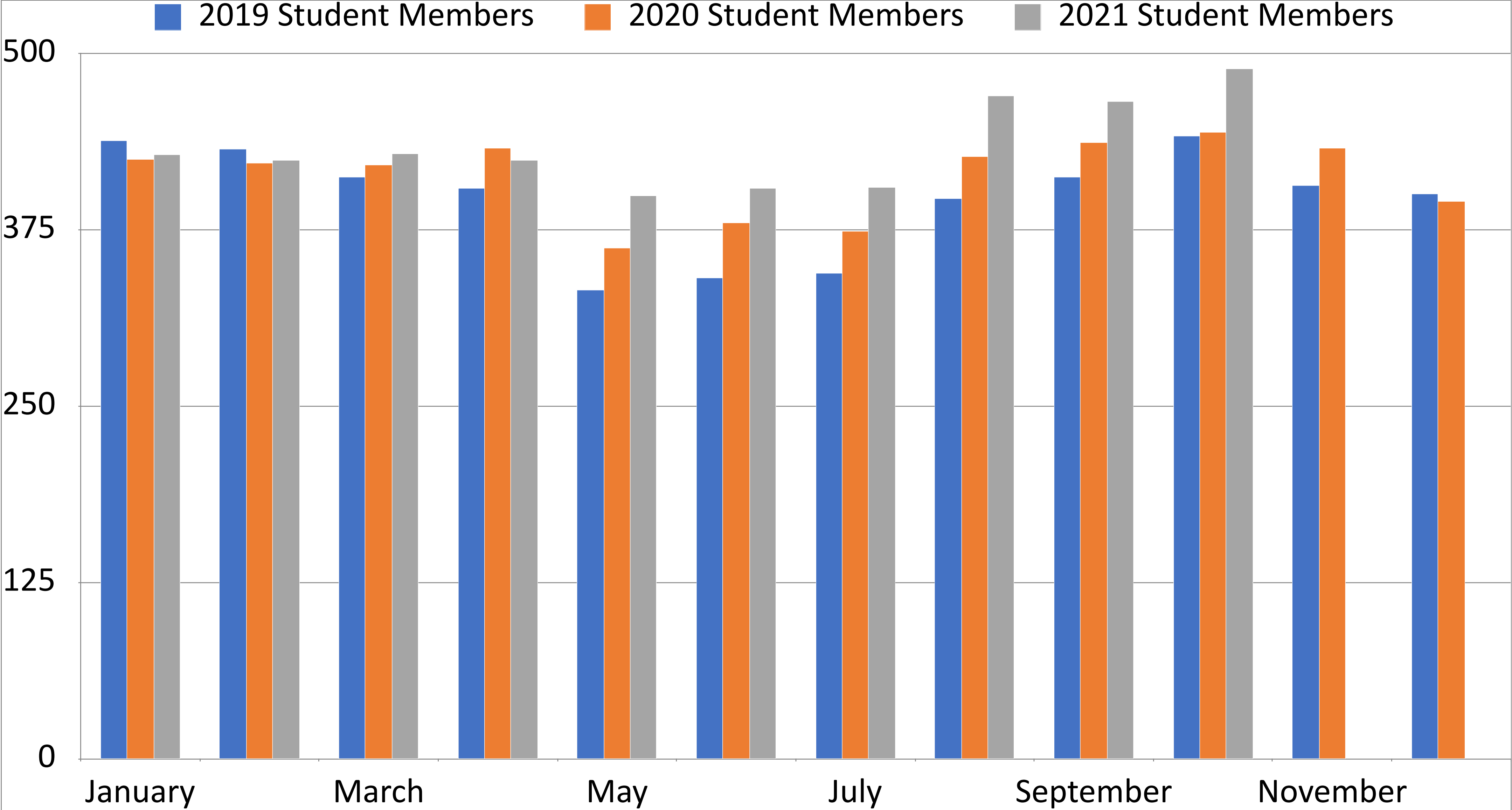
# Membership: PT year to year



# Membership: PTA year to year



# Membership: SPT/A year to year

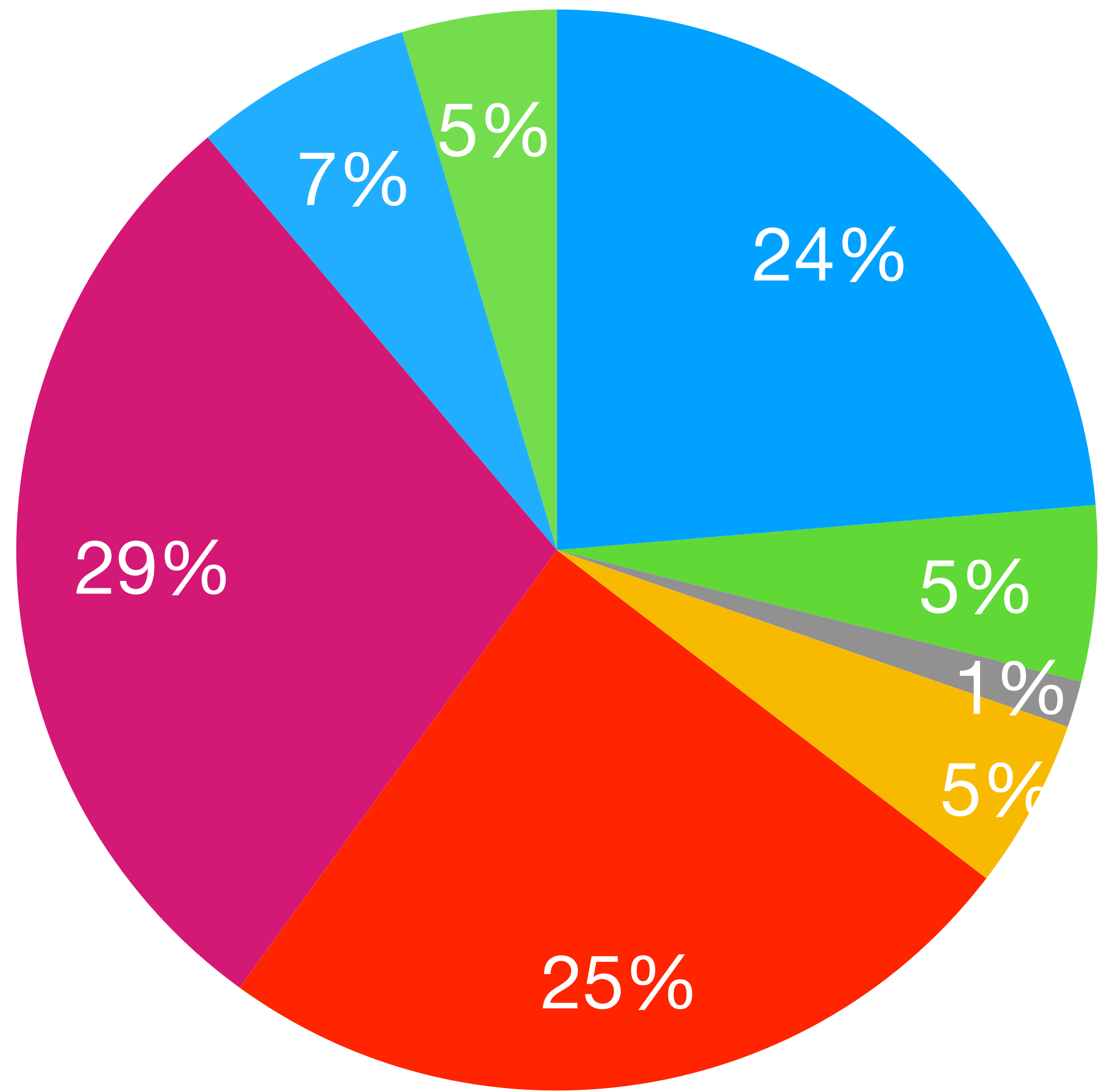


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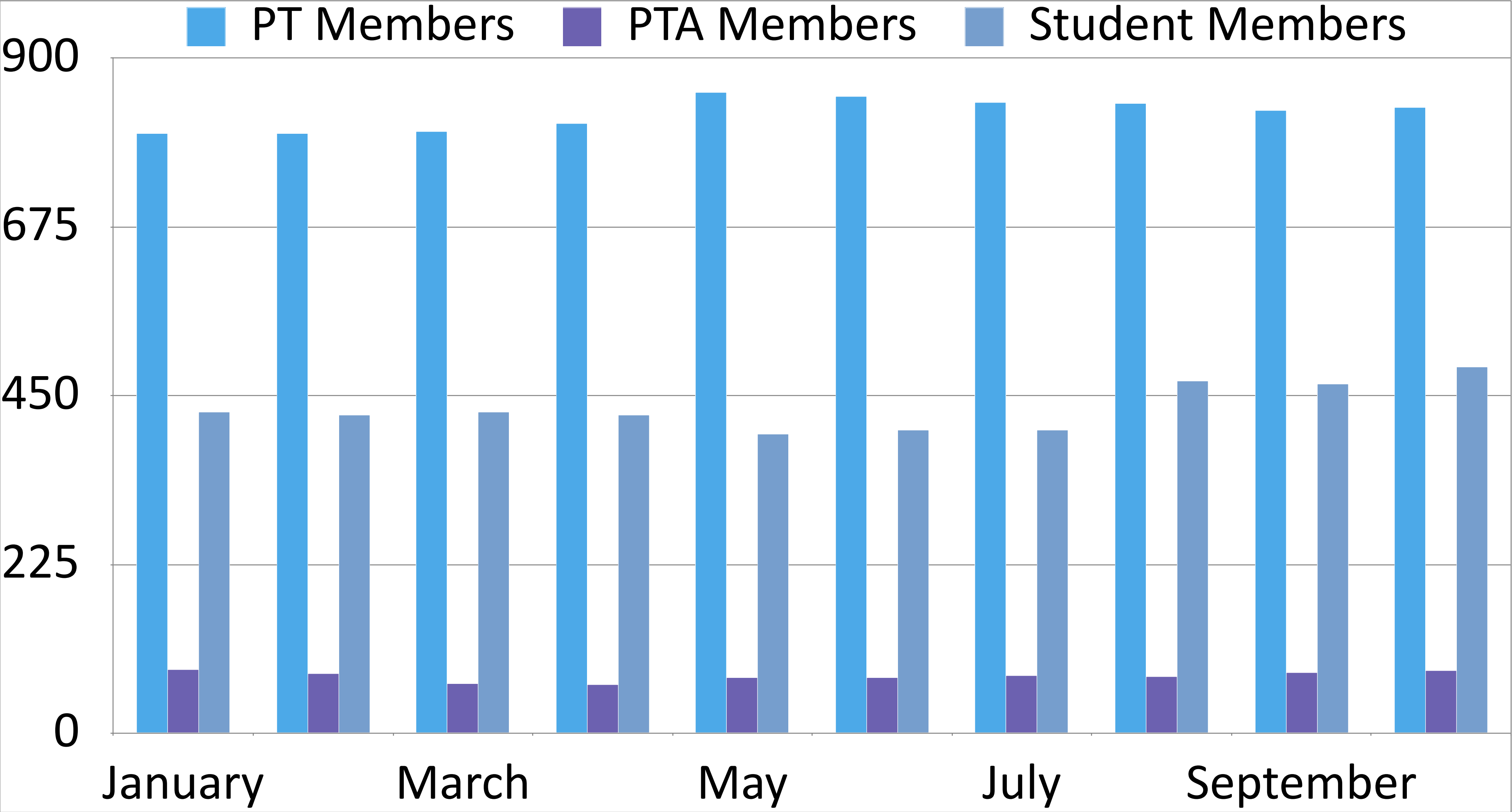
- Hartford
- Fairfield
- Litchfield
- New Haven
- Windham
- Middlesex
- Tolland
- New London

Table 1

Counties	Number of Members
Hartford	304
Litchfield	63
Windham	12
Tolland	53
Fairfield	316
New Haven	367
Middlesex	79
New London	51



# Membership: 2021 Distribution



# **Awards**

## **Scholarships**

- DEI
- PTA
- PT



# **Awards**

## **Scholarships**

- DEI: Hector Rivera Jr
- PTA: Heidi Bridge
- PT: Victoria De La Rosa

# Financials

- Reduced funds for lobbying this year to help bolster reserves and our P&L
- The CT Delegates significantly reduced their reimbursements for House of Delegates; money was also saved with the reduction in the number of days for the house of delegates
- Increased non-dues revenue:
  - Continuing education approvals
  - Virtual Conference with expense share between 4 states
  - Increased Vendor representation

# Financials

	<u>Jan – Sep '21</u>
<b>Income</b>	
Investment Income	1,693.22
Advertising	99.75
Career Center	1,059.25
CEH Approvals	2,696.75
Fall Conference	3,681.61
Membership Dues	61,272.81
Programs/Courses	1,355.00
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<b>Total Income</b>	<b>71,858.39</b>
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<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>71,858.39</b>
<b>Expense</b>	
Gala Table	2,666.00
Centennial Scholar	2,250.00

# Financials

<b>Committees</b>	
Public Relations	
Website	757.00
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Total Public Relations	757.00
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Total Committees	757.00
<b>General Administration</b>	
Teleconference	448.61
Office Supplies	1,739.97
Bank/CC Fees	690.13
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Total General Administration	2,878.71
<b>Government Relations</b>	
Grassroots	500.00
Lobbying	5,000.00
Sales Tax/Ethics Reg	817.50
Government Relations – O...	0.00
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Total Government Relations	6,317.50

# Financials

Management Fees	35,250.03
Professional Expenses	4,970.00
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>55,089.24</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>16,769.15</b>

# Financials

	<u>Sep 30, '21</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Citizens Bank	10,292.95
Fidelity Investments	33,785.68
PayPal	143.18
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>	<u>44,221.81</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u>44,221.81</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u>44,221.81</u>

<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	
Accounts Payable	5,000.00
<b>Total Accounts Payable</b>	<u>5,000.00</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>5,000.00</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	5,000.00
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	168,553.56
Retained Earnings	-146,100.90
Net Income	16,769.15
<b>Total Equity</b>	<u>39,221.81</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQ...</b>	<u>44,221.81</u>

# 2022 Candidate Slate

- Positions Open:
  - Vice President
  - Secretary
  - Board of Directors (3)
  - Delegate

# Centennial Celebration





# In Closing

Thank you!