From: James L. Cook DVM, PhD, Secretary-Treasurer Date: January 11, 2021

Barry J. Gainor MD, Honorary Secretary-Treasurer

To: Members of the University of Missouri Orthopedic Association

RE: Updates and Dues Invoice

Happy New Year! We hope everyone is staying safe and healthy. Here are some updates from the UMOA that will bring some positivity to your day:

 The shift for UMOA Research and Education Funding to programmatic funding for all Resident Research Projects and Educational Opportunities rather than individual funding for specific grants or courses has been a great investment. Check out what our residents having been doing with your support!
 https://medicine.missouri.edu/departments/orthopaedic-surgery/residency/current-residents/resident-research-projects

- Dr. and Mrs. Gainor have continued to significantly build the <u>Barry J. Gainor Resident</u>
 <u>Research & Scholarship Endowment Fund</u> such that it is making incredible impact on
 resident research and educational opportunities. Please consider a significant donation
 to this fund along with your dues payment University of Missouri School of Medicine,
 Office of Advancement, One Hospital Drive, DC 205.00, Columbia, MO 65201
- The Mizzou Department of Orthopaedic Surgery has **41 presentations accepted** for the 2021 Orthopaedic Research Society (ORS) Annual Conference.
- The ORS selected Dr. Jimi Cook and the Mizzou Thompson Lab for Regenerative Orthopaedics Team for the 2021 Marshall R. Urist Award.

<u>Your UMOA dues for 2021 are \$75</u>. Please draft the check to the University of Missouri Orthopedic Association and send it to Dr. Cook's attention at:

UMOA

Attn: Dr. Jimi Cook 1100 Virginia Avenue MOI 4028A

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These funds are used to support resident research and education. Check out the completely revamped UMOA website at https://medicine.missouri.edu/departments/orthopaedic-surgery/orthopaedic-association to see what all has been accomplished with these funds.

We hope you are all doing well and would love to see you when possible – if you are in Columbia, please contact us for a visit!

James L. Cook, DVM, PhD, OTSC

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