



Snohomish County

DENTAL SOCIETY



NEXT MEETING:

Wed., March 21st, 2018

PROGRAM— 1 Credit

Infection Control & Maintenance of Dental Handpieces & Related Instruments

SPEAKER:

Mr. Doug Mayer

PLACE:

Mill Creek Country Club

TIME:

6:00–6:45PM Social Hour
6:45–7:30PM Dinner
7:30PM–8:30PM Program

RSVP REQUIRED:

Please RSVP by NOON, Friday, March 16th which is when Mill Creek CC needs our meal count. FREE for SCDS members; Guests \$35. Call 844-355-0519 or email scdentists@comcast.net

The entrée is Petite Sirlolin with Red Wine Reduction Sauce & whipped potatoes. A vegetarian option is available by advance request only (Portobello Mushroom stuffed with spinach, tomato, onion and mozzarella).

ABOUT THE PROGRAM & SPEAKER

Please take a minute to view full details on our website:

www.scdentists.org and click on our Calendar of Events.

Hope to see you there!

President's Letter

By Dr. Jae Hong

For this month's president's letter, I'd like to bring a couple of things to your attention. Many of you have noticed that we now have more sponsor tables at our monthly meetings. We've invited vendors and companies who have fantastic goods and services that will most likely be of value to you, and are taking their time and effort to make you aware of their products. All applications are carefully screened by the Executive Committee to make sure that they are reputable and ethical. Their contributions make our meetings possible with the best contents and speakers that make us one of the best and most successfully attended dental societies in Washington. So when you're attending the meetings, I would encourage everyone to drop by their tables to say hello...And grab one of their raffle tickets— perhaps you could be a lucky winner!

The other issue is a petition that is being forwarded by our state dental association. It is an effort to remove the CEO of Delta Dental, Jim Dwyer, from his position immediately. The WSDA has formed a petition citing that we have lost confidence in the leadership of Mr. Dwyer and is calling for a successor who should focus on core values of patient care, responsive governance, and transparency. I would strongly urge everyone to go to www.wsda.org and **sign the petition by March 15th**. It is a good thing for us and our patients.

Our next SCDS meeting is on Wednesday, March 21st, 6PM, at the Mill Creek Country Club, where Mr. Doug Mayer will discuss infection control and maintenance of dental handpieces and related instruments. Thanks to Burkhart for sponsoring our speaker. And... if you haven't done so already, it's not too late to sign up for our annual seminar on Friday, March 9th at the Lynnwood Convention Center. Dr. Michael Fling will be discussing Methods, Materials & Madness. It should be a fantastic all day educational event.

REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

For General Membership Meetings please RSVP by Email or Phone. If you need a registration form for other meetings and courses, you may print one on our website. Or just contact our office.

- Friday, March 9th— It's not too late!** Register for Annual Seminar, Lynnwood Convention Center. 165+ are already registered, PLUS 23 Vendors. Co-sponsored with Seattle King Co. Dental Society & UW School of Dentistry. Dr. Michael Fling will present TWO topics. Go to www.skcds.org for details or call SKCDS to register (206)448-6620. **DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS GREAT MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT** providing high quality CE close to home. **7 Credits. Walk ins welcome if space available.**
- Wednesday, March 21st** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (1 Credit). Mill Creek C.C. Mr. Doug Mayer, Infection Control & Maintenance of Dental Handpieces & Related Instruments.
- Wednesday, April 18th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (1 Credit). Mill Creek C.C. Roger Lucas, DDS, More Chocolate: The Fun Biochemistry of Cavity Prevention. This is also our annual joint meeting with Snohomish County Dental Hygiene Component.
- Friday, April 27th**— CPR Pro & First Aid Courses. REGISTER NOW : Are you & your staff up-to-date? CPR Pro: 8:30AM–11:30AM (3 credits) First Aid: Noon–3PM (3 credits).
- Wednesday, May 16th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (1 credit). Mill Creek C.C. WSDA President Dr. Cynthia Pauley & Executive Director Bracken Killpack will give an update on current dental-related issues in Washington State. Plus, our Special Recognition Award!

**SCDS SPECIAL
RECOGNITION AWARD
Nominate a SCDS Member!**

Each May our Society recognizes one member dentist for volunteer activities or community service — either local and/or foreign. **WHO DO YOU KNOW?**

If you are aware of a dentist who is making a difference, please contact the SCDS office with his or her name and why you think they should be nominated. **The deadline is April 1st, and the recipient will be honored at our May meeting.** See a list of past recipients by clicking the News tab on our SCDS website.

NOMINATIONS

Interested in serving on the SCDS Executive Committee, Foundation Board, or the WSDA Board? Please contact the SCDS office for open leadership positions.

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YOUR SCDS OFFICERS:

- President Dr. Jae Hong
- Pres-Elect Dr. Peter Pellegrini
- Secretary Dr. Alexis Apatoff
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■**Silver Lake, Everett** General Dental Office looking for a caring and knowledgeable **general dentist** to work Mondays and Tuesdays at a well-established practice with wonderful staff and patients. Please email: andrew.sholudko@gmail.com

■**Retiring dentist selling** a 1000 sq. ft. fully equipped 3 operatory practice in Lynnwood, WA. Very experienced manager - assistant to remain with new buyer if desired. Ideal for new dentist starting a practice with a minimal cost and the ability to build this practice by working more hours. Please contact dirk1@msn.com for details.

■**NO NEED TO MAIL OR WAIT FOR HANDPIECE REPAIR** —

We come to you! We're **MOBILE** — Best Service and Prices, serving Snohomish County and surrounding areas. Campbell's Handpiece Rescue, Call (425)303-9822.

■**Need help with your high fear patients?** I have treated over 4000 patients with IV Sedation. I am local, flexible and can accommodate your schedule. You can also refer your patient if you choose not to treat them. Aubrey Carter Jr., DDS (425)501-9555.

■**DENTAL PRACTICE SALES** — Buyers Representative C. Dirk Peterson, DDS, Dental Consultant. Will work with both buyers and sellers in practice transitions in North King, Snohomish, Island, Skagit and Whatcom counties. Contact: Dirk1@msn.com

■**3000 sq/ft space close to** Swedish Edmonds Hospital. Ideal for a dental specialist. Building already has GP, Endodontist, and Pediatric Dentist. Favorable TI allow-

ances. Space available immediately. Contact Grace at 425-220-0564.

■**Mukilteo general dental practice seeking dentist** for Wednesdays and Thursdays, Minimum 3 years experience. Established practice with long term staff and patients. Please email: soundfamilydentistry@frontier.com

■**Are you interested in collaborating on community efforts?** The dental Access Coalition (DAC) is looking for dentists & hygienists, retired or practicing, to become active members, addressing such issues as the opioid crisis in Snohomish County. DAC meets quarterly on the 4th Friday of each month. Contact Carol Furness at cfurness@snohd.org or call 425-339-8652.

■**To advertise in the classifieds contact the SCDS office.** The deadline is 20th of month for following month.

**MARCH PAID INSERTS
WDIA & WSDA**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

►**AMEN Everett Dental Clinic** —Volunteers needed! Fri. April 20th & Sun. April 22nd, 2018, at Xfinity Conference Center in Everett. Dental, Medical, Vision AND General volunteers needed. For details go to: ameneverett.org, or email everettvolunteers@gmail.com, or call (425)835-2068.

►**Evidence-Based Dental Pain Care Half-Day Conference** — New Opioid prescribing guidelines. Fri. April 20th, at UofW Campus. Free but advance registration required. For details go to: <http://www.agencymeddirectors.wa.gov/news.asp> or WSDA.org CREDITS: 4

►**REMINDER: YOU SHOP — THEY GIVE! Help our Foundation Earn Cash! Thank you!**

1) **Do you shop Amazon? Go to: www.smile.amazon.com**
Next time you place an Amazon order, simply search & select *Snohomish County Dental Foundation*. Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the charitable organization of your choice. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service. Thanks to everyone already donating!

2) **Fred Meyer Community Rewards** – Take 2 minutes to link your Rewards card and earn a donation to our foundation every time you shop. **Go to www.fredmeyer.com/community-rewards** search by our name or non-profit #87932 . This is a great way to support our Foundation!

All SCDS General Membership meetings are held at the Mill Creek Country Club starting at 6PM with a Social Hour, followed by dinner at 6:45PM, and a 1 credit CE Program at 7:30PM, ending at 8:30PM. The dinner & programs are always complimentary for SCDS member dentists, \$35 for guests.