NEWSLETTER OF MAY 2018





Dr. Cynthia Pauley

### **NEXT MEETING:**

Wed., May 16th, 2018 Final meeting until Sept.

### PROGRAM— 1 Credit

WSDA Update & Current Issues, including Premera, Medicaid options, & more! Bring your questions! Plus, Special Recognition Award Recipient Dr. Gary Heyamoto.

#### **SPEAKERS:**

Dr. Cynthia Pauley—WSDA President, & Bracken Killpack, WSDA Executive Dir.

#### PLACE:

Mill Creek Country Club

### TIME:

6:00—6:45PM Social Hour 6:45—8:30PM Dinner, Sponsor Raffle, Program, Installation of SCDS Officers, and Special Recognition Award. Ending at 8:30PM.

### **RSVP REQUIRED:**

Please RSVP by NOON, Friday, May 11th, to 360-419-7444 or email scdentists@comcast.net FREE for SCDS members; All guests are \$35 payable by Cash or Check at door.

The entrée is Roasted Lemon & Herb Chicken Breast. A vegetarian option is available by advance request only . See you there!

# **President's Letter**

By Dr. Jae Hong

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at the Mill Creek Country Club. It will be the last meeting before the long summer break, and also my last meeting before Dr. Peter Pellegrini takes over as president of our society. I want to thank everyone for allowing me to serve my term, as it has been an absolute privilege and pleasure to do so. It gives me a challenge and motivation to try something new that takes me away from the everyday routine of full-time dentistry.

Everyone has a comfort zone. Everyone wants to stay in that comfort zone. But the people who break through and make drastic changes in their lives are ones who force their way out of their safety net and do things that they might not particularly feel comfortable doing. So I implore everyone to make a change and form their own challenges. Join the Executive Committee for the dental society. Participate in the lobbying process in Olympia with the WSDA. Take a few days out of your schedule and give your services to a free charitable dental clinic. Jump in and get that new piece of technology that you've been thinking about. Learn a new procedure, whether it be Invisalign, placing dental implants, treating sleep apnea or Botox. If you don't try it, you won't know. And if it doesn't work out, the experience itself will be worth it.

If you've never been to the Pacific Northwest Dental Conference, be sure to check it out. It will be on June 21 – 23 at the Hyatt Regency and Meydenbauer Center in Bellevue. Earn up to 20 continuing education credits, participate in fun events and a chance to connect with colleagues you haven't seen for a long time. Register by May 4<sup>th</sup> for Early Bird savings. For more info go to wsda.org/pndc. Looking forward to seeing everyone at our May meeting. And if you can't make it, here's to a fantastic summer and we'll see you in September.

### Congratulations to our 2018 Special Recognition Award Recipient



Dr. Gary

Each May our Society recognizes one member dentist for his or her outstanding volunteer activities and community service. We are proud to announce Dr. Gary Heyamoto has been selected to receive the 2018 award. Come to the May 16th meeting and help us honor him for his inspiring service to dentistry and the community.

Dr. Heyamoto is a 1980 UWSOD Graduate, and has received professional recognition from the L.D. Pankey Institute, the Academy of General Dentistry, the Pierre Fauchard Society, and so much more!

He is currently involved with the Washington State Oral Cancer/HPV Awareness Coalition. Outside of dentistry, Dr. Heyamoto is active in the Seattle sports scene — coaching youth programs, and as statistician for the Seattle Seahawks, UW Huskies and Rose Bowl Games. In 2014 he used his forensic background in helping identify victims of the Oso, WA mudslide, and received an award for his participation. We applaud Dr. Heyamoto for his service to organized dentistry and the community!

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### **CLASSIFIEDS**

■Mukilteo Waterfront Practice
For Sale. Gorgeous views, 3op
(plumbing for 4op). Large Botox
clientele as well as established
patients ready for treatment.
DDS relocating out of state.
Contact: Rod Johnson
(206)979-2660 or email:

rod@omni-pg.com

■SHIKOSHA DENTAL LAB is a certified, full-service dental laboratory serving the greater Seattle and Portland areas. Visit us at www.shikosha.com for information about our products and services. 1-800-547-8539.

# Save the Date! SCDS Annual Gala

& Staff Appreciation Night
Thurs. November 15th
5:30PM-8:30PM at the
Lynnwood Convention Ctr.
Watch for details in June newsletter
Jet City Improv will perform.

### YOUR SCDS OFFICERS:

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President Dr. Jae Hong Pres-Elect Dr. Peter Pellegrini Secretary Dr. Alexis Apatoff Treasurer Dr. Thomas Natale

### **Executive Committee:**

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**■Hughes Dental Group** is adding Prosthodontist (buy-in) to expand our One-Stop-Shop for patients. Experienced in AO4, overdentures, F/, RPD, and dental implant placement and related surgeries. Large patient base from which to diagnose and present ideal treatment. Digital radiography, CBCT. Waiting for your input to add scanner and 3D printer. Office has professional street presence, outstanding visibility, and high traffic count. Silverlake area of Everett. Check out website, FB presence, then contact DrBob@HughesDentalGroup.com

■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 experi-

enced 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.

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 allowances. 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

■See our website for employment opportunities & more.

■To advertise in the classifieds contact the SCDS office. For rates & availability. For 2018 the same classified ad will be included on our website at no additional charge.

### **APRIL PAID INSERTS**

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Physicians & Dentists Credit Bureau WSDA

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ▶ REMINDER: Help Snohomish County Dental Foundation Earn Cash!
- 1) 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 an easy way to support our Foundation!

### 2) SHOP 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!

- ► Member Recruitment Incentives —You know the value of membership—now earn rewards for sharing it with others! You can attend the <u>2018 Pacific Northwest Dental Conference</u> for free and earn up to \$500 in gift cards from the ADA for recruiting eligible non-member dentists to membership. Learn more at <u>wsda.org/recruit</u>.
- ▶ Do you have **Medicaid-Related Questions?** Members may contact WSDA Director of Government Affairs Mellani McAleenan at <a href="mellani@wsda.org">mellani@wsda.org</a> or Government Affairs Associate Emily Lovell at <a href="members">emily@wsda.org</a>. Watch for WSDA email & blog posts for more info, or come to the May 16th meeting for an update!

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.