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# SPOKANE DISTRICT DENTAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

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President— S. Tyler Shoemaker, DMD

## 2012-2013 Officers

**President**—Tyler Shoemaker  
**President-Elect**— Jared Evans  
**Secretary/Treasurer**—Jonathan Judd  
**Past-President**—Chad Collins

### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

|                    |      |
|--------------------|------|
| Molly Gunaulis     | 2013 |
| Joseph Luchini     | 2013 |
| Mark Paxton        | 2013 |
| Christopher Herzog | 2014 |
| Grant Rodkey       | 2014 |
| Nicholas Velis     | 2014 |
| Steven Aeschliman  | 2015 |
| Neal Curtis        | 2015 |
| Jeffery Henneberg  | 2015 |

### ALTERNATES

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| 1st Joel Blake      | 2013 |
| 2nd Spencer Sautter | 2013 |
| 3rd Randy Stephens  | 2013 |

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### SDDS Foundation Officers

**President**—Mark Paxton  
**President-Elect**—Amir Ganji  
**Secretary**—David Engen  
**Treasurer**—Susan Kohls  
**Past President**—Sue Weishaar

### Board Members

Brooke Cloninger  
Brandy Richey  
Tyler Shoemaker  
Nick Velis  
Stephen Woodard

[www.sddsfoundation.org](http://www.sddsfoundation.org)

## President's Message

*By Dr. S. Tyler Shoemaker*

We are off to a great start for the 2012-13 SDDS Calendar! Wendy Wilson, our new Director, has infused her energy into our new website and has lined up some exciting speakers for our general membership meetings. Also, thanks to the leadership of SDDS Foundation President, Mark Paxton, and many volunteers, the IDEA Clinic is up and running. I encourage each of us to get involved in offering our time and ideas to improve our Society and Foundation.

I recently returned from a dental conference in Tahoe where a world recognized speaker said that we are seeing unprecedented paradigm shifts in dentistry and that what we need right now is leadership. I agree, but we don't just need the traditional leadership of an inspired individual; we need the collective leadership of everybody's ideas. Innovative ideas are the new leaders!

An example of the potential pitfalls of traditional leadership is the Tenerife airplane collision of 1977 which was the deadliest accident in aviation history killing 583 people. Captain JaKob von Zanten was the leader of KLM Airline's safety program and yet he cast aside his training when he found himself in a stressful situation. His copilot, blinded by his perception of Von Zanten's leadership, didn't stop him. Some have argued that both individuals were overcommitted to traditional patterns of leadership which led to the disaster.

I have seen these traditional patterns this past year in private meetings with legislators in Olympia during Dental Action Day. I have witnessed them at the WDS special meeting in Seattle. They were present at our House of Delegates at Suncadia. We, the copilots of this dental plane, need to stand up and let our ideas be heard. Traditional patterns can be broken with innovative ideas and each of us has the capacity to lead with them.

Perhaps Susan Easton Black said it best, "Small people talk about people. Medium-sized people talk about events. Great people talk about ideas."

I look forward to an exciting year and welcome your time and ideas.

# ~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

## New SDDS Executive Director

Dear SDDS Member,

As your new Executive Director, I join the Society with high enthusiasm and eagerness to set goals and implement changes to make 2012-2013 a great year.

I come to the Society from the Washington State Dental Association as their Membership Manager and liaison to the University of Washington's School of Dentistry. I thoroughly enjoyed my time at WSDA and immediately knew I wanted to pursue this position when I received Connie's announcement of retirement. Upon entering the dental industry, I quickly recognized the emphasis set on fostering relationships. My goal is to build on the Society's foundation and set a platform for us to grow and succeed together. We have a very exciting year ahead with a strong, dedicated leadership.

I welcome and encourage your thoughts and suggestions and look forward to meeting and working with you all.

With warm regards and unbridled excitement,

Wendy Wilson  
Executive Director

## EFDA TRAINING

Spokane Community Colleges  
Enroll now for upcoming  
Fall 2012  
EFDA Program

**Begins September 24, 2012**

Questions?

Pat Norman at 509-533-7301  
Donna Phinney at 509-533-7300

## CyberSecurity Now Available Through WDIA

As a dental office moves to digital record keeping, the more the possibility exists for cyber theft of personal patient records. A theft of client information involves a large amount of time taken by an office to contact patients as well as the expenses of possible lawsuits and state and federal fines. The CyberSecurity coverage available through WDIA will cover the expenses of notifying affected clients as well as fines, penalties and lawsuits associated with the security breach.

The CyberSecurity policy includes the following coverages:

- Privacy notification expenses, including the cost of health care records and credit-monitoring services for affected customers, even when state law doesn't require notification
- Crisis management and reward expenses, including the cost of public relations consultants, media releases
- Fines and penalties
- Written records and files
- Business Income loss and Extra Expense coverage for data breaches

For more information or a quote for coverage, please contact  
WDIA at

1-800-282-9342 or [info@wdiains.com](mailto:info@wdiains.com)



# ~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

## SDDS Foundation IDEA Clinic Volunteers

SDDS members who wish to treat patients at the IDEA Clinic **must be credentialed** to do so. Our Yakima Valley Farm Workers partners have agreed to process all submitted credentials application packets and notify each applicant when privileges have been granted. If you plan on volunteering your services, but haven't yet received or completed a credentials packet, call Bob Achterberg at InCyte Pathology:

**(509) 892-2732**

He will ensure you receive a packet and answer any questions you may have.

## New SDDS Web site!

We are excited to announce that the new Spokane District Dental Society web site will be available soon to all SDDS members as well as the public. Keep an eye out for an email announcing the new site going live!

## *New SDDS Members*

### **Ann-Marie Monson, DMD**

General Practice

Univeristy of Connecticut

524 E Francis

Spokane, WA 99208

509.590.2421 Office

### **Chet Hymas, DMD**

General Practice

Case Western Reserve University

420 N Evergreen Rd, Suite 400

Spokane Valley, WA 99216

509.922.1360 Office

### **John Turner, DMD**

General Practice

424 S Sullivan Rd, Suite 400

Spokane Valley, WA 99037

509.922.4500 Office

## **Please remember....**

It's time again to update the annual membership roster. Please submit the form provided on page 8 along with an updated picture. The second form is the patient referral form. This is very important as I am new and most of the forms in the SDDS office are quite dated. Having up-to-date information allows me to give accurate information to those seeking a referral. Forms and updated pictures can be emailed to [spodistdent@aol.com](mailto:spodistdent@aol.com) **no later than August 15.**

## *Did you know?*

The Department of Health has announced dental assistants, dental hygienists and expanded function dental auxiliaries (EFDAs) can now renew their licenses online. The DOH anticipates dentists will be able to renew online by the end of 2012.

**PRIZES  
for Men &  
Women**

Long  
drive and  
closest  
to Pin



You are invited to the 2nd Annual  
Aurum Ceramic/Dirne Community Health Centre  
Charity Golf Tournament

**PRIZES**

Top  
3 net team  
scores

Ton of Great  
Doorprizes  
and Giveaways

Golf Cart, unlimited  
range balls, green  
fees and awesome  
gifts included in  
registration fee



The  
Coeur d'Alene  
Golf & Spa Resort

## Dirne Charity Golf Tournament

Sponsored by  
Aurum Ceramic Dental Laboratories

**Friday, October 5, 2012**

Coeur d'Alene Golf Resort

900 Floating Green

Tee Time: 12:30 pm (modified shotgun)

Fee: \$150.00 per Golfer

(Includes green fees,  
registration package and great prizes.)



50% of total revenue will  
be donated to the  
Dirne Community Health Center

**1-800-363-3989**

or email [golf@aurumgroup.com](mailto:golf@aurumgroup.com)  
to register today! Space is Limited!

# Save the Date

Friday  
February 15, 2013  
6 p.m.



Northern Quest  
Resort & Casino



3rd Annual  
Spokane District Dental Society Foundation  
"Pop A Cork For A Cause"



Invitation to follow—Questions call 509-534-4600 Plan ahead: 4th annual event will be Feb. 14, 2014

# Mark Your Calendar

## General Membership Meetings

*(Locations to be announced at later date.)*

### 2012

September 11  
October 9  
November 13

### 2013

January 8  
March 12  
April 9  
May 14

## Executive Council Meetings

*(Locations to be announced at later date.)*

*~Open to all members~*

### 2012

August 28  
September 25  
October 23  
November 27

### 2013

January 22  
February 26  
March 26  
April 23  
May 28

## ~ Upcoming CE ~

**September 21, 2012    Experiencing your Endodontic Excellence**

**Dr. John West - The Spokane Club - 7 CE Credits**

**November 2, 2012    Pharmacology Update for the Dental Professional**

**Dr. Mark Donaldson - Location TBD - 4 CE Credits**

**January 11, 2013    Staff Training Day (OSHA/WISHA, BLS/1st Aid, HIPPA, HIV)**

**Renee Bancroft, Dr. Brian Hutto, Maxine Davis, John Giampeti - CenterPlace**

**January 11, 2013    Medical Emergencies-Emergency Procedures**

**Dr. Bart Johnson - Davenport Hotel**

**March 22, 2013    Practice Management**

**Dr. Jim Howard - Location TBD**

**April 18-19, 2013    Inland Northwest Dental Conference**

**Spokane Convention Center**

**DENTIST**

Planning to sell your practice or seeking an associate? The SDDS office frequently receives inquiries and is willing to pass this information along. Call 509-838-0436

2007 Univ of Maryland grad wanting to purchase in Eastern WA. 5 yrs experience and can handle almost anything. Email: fillinggroovy@hotmail.com or 406-210-9699

2010 Univ of Minnesota grad relocating from Colorado. Looking for opportunity in Northern ID or Eastern WA. Matthew Hawn at 715-864-6559 or mjhawn@gmail.com

Fill in Dentist needed periodically June, July and August. First dates are June 5-8. If interested contact Denise, 509-926-1500

Associate Dentist Needed w/potential to purchase. Start 2 days a week going to 3-4 within 1 yr. Must be open minded and willing to learn. Coeur d'Alene mu\_dds@yahoo.com

Motivated seller-Missoula, MT. Dentist owned building in good location. Lease \$1,500/mo. or purchase option of \$150,000 with poss. owner financing. No agent involvement. Practice includes everything, including office mgr. of 20 yrs. & 3 generations of patients—3 ops, panelitse, training/staff room, equipment fairly current. Current volume \$180,000 on 2 days per wk. Motivated seller. Scott McPherson—509-954-5165 smacpherson@ultimatetruck.com

Part-time Dentist needed-North Spokane. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. GP with ability to work independently with strong leadership skills. 2+ consecutive years experience preferred. Additional information or email resume: info@libertylakefamilydentistry.com

Graduating 2012 from UWSOD and a RIDE Program participant. Seeking associateship or other opportunity in Eastern WA. Ron McHargue, 509-989-7545 or rom3@u.washington.edu

Kalispel Tribe of Indians seeking on-call general dentist at Health & Wellness Center located in USK, WA. Choice of urban/rural living. Competitive compensation & benefits. WA license with current DEA number. Must pass background check and credentialing

**DENTIST**

Locum Tenens

**Doug Daehlin, DDS**  
509-838-2206  
Dentist "Kelly Guy" provides dental coverage in Montana & Washington.

**Josh Cochran, DMD,**  
rivercochran@gmail.com or 206-755-6436.  
Professional & cheerful. Implants, 3rds, RCTs. Available M-Thurs. Eastern WA and Northern Idaho.

**Patti Bowen, DDS,**  
509-595-3847  
General dentist licensed in WA and ID, 30 yrs. experience. Contact to schedule.

**DENTAL ASSISTING**

Dental assistant with 16 yrs experience. Hygiene assistance, digital x-rays, digital scanner, cleaning/sterilizing. Deborah 509-926-9076

Dental assistant with 3.5 yrs. exper. in perio office & 1 yr. with dental lab seeking PT, temp. or fill-in position. Casie Schennum at 509-701-2241 or cschennum@zagmail.gonzaga.edu

Dental Asst. with 4 yrs. exper. seeking position. FT preferred. Brittany Everman, 509-475-4321.

Dental Asst. / Treatment Coordinator with 25 yrs. exper. seeking PT opportunity with mutual reward. Lorelei Herzog, 509-924-9297.

Seeking dental asst. position. 6 yrs. exper., registered with State. Amy Anderson, 360-840-7081.

Seeking dental asst. position. Recently completed 10 week course. Contact Kylee King, 509-847-8739.

Dental asst. with 30 yrs. exper. seeking position. FT preferred. Contact Michelle Matthews, 208-667-6267.

**FRONT OFFICE**



Seeking front office position. 12 yrs. exp. in general & perio offices—Dentrix, SoftDent, Eagle, PerioVision. Lisa Durham, 509-701-3769 or ldurham303@gmail.com

Seeking front office position. Spokane/Cheney area. Experience in large dental office. Contact Atosha Granger, itsatosha@aol.com

Seeking receptionist position, 20 yrs. exper. chairside and front mgmt. Kathi Hoffman, 509-251-1761.

Seeking front office position—16 yrs. exper. Dentrix & Easy Dental. Christina Decker at 425-533-5742 (cell) or Christina.decker38@gmail.com

Seeking position in dental office (N. Spokane, Newport, Priest River or Sandpoint). Familiar with ins. billing & coding. Contact Susie Nees at NEES2@hotmail.com



**HYGIENE**

Hygienist seeking FT, PT or temporary position. My husband will be starting the RIDE program in Aug. We are both excited to move to the east side. Stacy at 509-969-4964

stacy.lynn.mckay@gmail.com

Hygienist new to Spokane. Looking for permanent position. Also interested in temping. Carissa at 740-516-4981 or carissa585@gmail.com

Hygienist looking to work Fridays 4-8 hours. General or Perio office. Lin at 509-979-7025

Hygienist licensed in WA & ID with 8.5 yrs. exper. seeking position. Heather Anderson, heeter\_mama@yahoo.com or 425-501-3702.

Hygienist with 13 yrs. exper. seeking PT/FT position. Cindy Carroll, 509-991-8376.

Hygienist w/10 yrs. exper. seeking position—FT/PT or temp. , available Tues-Thurs. Contact Gina Williamson, 208-683-0598.

Seeking FT/PT position. 5 yrs. exper., licensed in WA & ID. Nicole Hall, 208-818-4248 or nicolehall@21goldchoice.com

Seeking PT or temp. position (available M-Tu-Fri). Licensed ID & WA. Jennifer Evans, evanjenn@isu.edu or 208-241-5094.

Hygienist available PT. Lisa Ferris, 509-465-0308.

Hygienist with 13 yrs. exper., seeking permanent PT or FT position, or temp. position Tu, Wed, Th. Call Marggo Price, 509-939-5405.

## CLASSIFIED SECTION

Free to good home: 1 Dentrax dental chair in good condition. You pick up. 509-325-5454

Northside Dental Suite available—1,300 sq. ft. dental space with 4 ops. Recently remodeled, fully plumbed and ready. Located on busy intersection at Five Mile Shopping Center. Call 509-326-2621.

For sale: Two Dentsply 25k SL1 10 S Cavitron inserts, brand new. \$160 each or both for \$220. M. Torrey, 509-332-4711.

For Sale: Designs for Vision fiber-optic headlight set with two light source boxes. \$500 / OBO. Robert Smith, 509-397-4141.

For sale: Two (2) Belmont Model 096 dental x-ray units. \$1,500 each. Call 509-466-2099 and leave message for return call.

Donating: Autoclave (Harvey) daylight load developer and other items. If interested, contact Marcus Torrey, 509-332-4711.

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For Sale: 20 ft. camouflaged duck hunting boat with over 70 decoys, trailer and frame for blind. Asking \$3,500. Wil Lynch, 509-747-6655.

## Dental Waste

Many of the hazardous wastes generated in dental offices are subject to special disposal requires.

Those wastes include: amalgam, fixers, developers, chemiclave chemicals, x-ray film packets, and waste mercury. A few local resources for disposal include:

Able Clean Up Technologies 509.466.5255

Safety-Kleen 509.928.8353

Chem-Safe Environmental Inc. 509.968.3973

Please note that with all hazardous waste, the generator is legally responsible for any material from the time it is generated. Please investigate any company prior to entrusting them with your waste transportation/disposal. Also, be sure to properly label containers in which your waste is stored and include a description, write a date on the container and maintain records of any waste sent or delivered to a recycling/disposal entity and be sure to request a certificate of recycling or disposal.

## Suggestions?

Is there something you would like to see in the Newsletter? If so, please direct your suggestions to Wendy at [spodistdent@aol.com](mailto:spodistdent@aol.com) or 509.838.0436.

**ROSTER UPDATE FORM**  
SPOKANE DISTRICT DENTAL SOCIETY  
202 E. Pacific Avenue, Spokane, WA 99202-1520  
Telephone: 509-838-0436 Fax: 509-838-5040

In an effort to keep information current, please review the listing under your name to confirm that all information is correct. Return this form to the central office with any changes.

**If this form is not returned, it will be assumed information currently in the roster is correct.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DDS \_\_\_\_\_ DMD \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address #1: \_\_\_\_\_  
*\*\* please include suite number and zip + 4 \*\**

Office Address #2: \_\_\_\_\_  
*\*\* please include suite number and zip + 4 \*\**

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_ Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**If you do not have a photo in the roster, please provide one. If your photo is more than 10 years old, you are encouraged to submit a new one. Black & white is preferred, but color is acceptable. Digital is great.**

The **deadline** for directory changes & new photo is **AUGUST 15, 2012**

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Volunteers are needed for the following standing committees - **please indicate your preference, or area of interest (1, 2, 3 etc.)**. The president has the option of appointing committee members. **This is one means of being active in YOUR society.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Continuing Education

\_\_\_\_\_ Membership

\_\_\_\_\_ Constitution & Bylaws

\_\_\_\_\_ Public Relations

\_\_\_\_\_ Government / Legislative

\_\_\_\_\_ Visitation & Surviving Spouse

\_\_\_\_\_ Legal Affairs / Peer Review

**Assist the Nominating Committee - Are you interested in running for an elected position?** Terms begin May 2013 (Committee information is listed on pages 49-50 of the 2011/2012 roster.) If you have any questions, please call 838-0436.

Secretary/Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_

Executive Council \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Budget & Finance Cte. \_\_\_\_\_

House of Delegates \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return your committee interests and/or elected position even if you do not have any changes for the roster.**

**Thank you for supporting your Society.**



# PATIENT REFERRAL FORM

If you would like to participate in the referral service offered by the Spokane District Dental Society, please complete this form and return to the SDDS Office.  
202 E. Pacific, Spokane, WA 99202-1520 Fax 509-838-5040 or scan and email to spodistdent@aol.com

**YOUR NAME WILL NOT BE GIVEN AS A REFERRAL UNLESS THIS FORM IS RETURNED.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE HOURS: Mon \_\_\_\_\_ Tues \_\_\_\_\_ Wed \_\_\_\_\_ Thurs \_\_\_\_\_ Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_  
**(Be Specific)**

SPECIALTY \_\_\_\_\_ FOREIGN LANGUAGE \_\_\_\_\_

HOSPITAL PRIVILEGES (where) \_\_\_\_\_ NO. OF YEARS IN PRACTICE \_\_\_\_\_

DSHS/PA COUPONS - *The need is greater than the services available. Will you accept any new patients?*

\_\_\_ Adults \_\_\_ emergency care (abscess, pain, etc.) \_\_\_ extractions \_\_\_ restorative \_\_\_ dentures

\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_ emergency care \_\_\_ routine care \_\_\_ restorative \_\_\_ ABCD Program

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS:** Is your office willing to work with low income, seniors, or other individuals to develop financial arrangements within their budget? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate with a check mark the services provided by your office:**

- |                        |                         |                              |                       |
|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ___ ABCD               | ___ dentures            | ___ laser (cavity detection) | ___ root canals       |
| ___ air abrasion       | ___ digital x-rays      | ___ laser (other)            | ___ sealants          |
| ___ bonding            | ___ emergencies         | ___ latex-free               | ___ sign language     |
| ___ bus line           | ___ extractions         | ___ lumineers                | ___ Senior discount   |
| ___ cash discount      | ___ general anesthesia  | ___ nitrous oxide            | ___ SSI disability    |
| ___ children           | ___ geriatric           | ___ nursing home             | ___ TMD               |
| ___ conscious sedation | ___ handicapped         | ___ on-site lab              | ___ veneers           |
| ___ cosmetic dentistry | ___ implants            | ___ orthodontics             | ___ wheelchair access |
| ___ credit cards       | ___ implant restoration | ___ partials                 | ___ workmens comp.    |
| ___ crowns             | ___ Intra-oral camera   | ___ payment plans            | ___ WSDA Outreach     |
| ___ crowns (in-house)  | ___ IV sedation         | ___ periodontics             |                       |

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Provider for: \_\_\_\_\_

I PREFER NOT TO DO (extractions, dentures, children, handicapped, etc.)