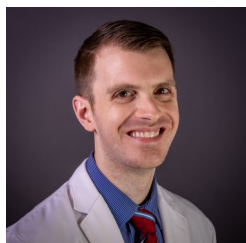




# Snohomish County DENTAL SOCIETY

## Next SCDS Meeting –You're Invited!

RSVP to attend our Society's first meeting of the New Year!



**Dr. Sean McGuire**

**DATE:** Wed. February 19th, 2020

**PROGRAM:** 2 Credits

**SPEAKER:** Dr. Sean McGuire

**PLACE:** Mill Creek Country Club

**TIME:** 6:00PM – Meet & Greet

Followed by dinner meeting & program, ending by 8:30PM

**RSVP REQUIRED:**

Please RSVP by NOON, Friday, February 14th which is when Mill

Creek Country Club needs our meal count. Meals and CE Program are *complimentary* for SCDS members as a membership benefit; Guests are \$40.

Call or TEXT: 360-419-7444 or Email: [info@scdentists.org](mailto:info@scdentists.org)

The **entrée** is **Roasted Chicken Breast** with Basil Pesto. *Vegetarian option* by advance request only when you RSVP.

**COURSE: Dermatology & Dental Related Issues**

The purpose of this course is to raise awareness and detection of pre-malignant and malignant skin changes affecting the lips and perioral areas through dental professionals. Patient-specific risk factors, biologic basis of malignancy, and treatment options will be reviewed.

For full details on all of our courses and speakers, please visit our website calendar at: [www.scdentists.org](http://www.scdentists.org)

## SCDS SPRING MEETING DATES

- Wednesday, February 19th**— SCDS General Membership Meeting (2 Credits). Mill Creek C.C.
- Friday, February 28th**— Annual SCDS Seminar at the Lynnwood Convention Center (7 Credits). See details and register online at [www.uwcd.com](http://www.uwcd.com) or Call (206)543-5448
- Wednesday, March 18th**— SCDS General Membership Meeting (2 Credits). Mill Creek C.C.
- Wednesday, April 15th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (2Credits). Mill Creek C.C. Invite your hygienists!
- Friday, April 24th**— CPR Pro & First Aid Courses
- Wednesday, May 20th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (2 credits). Mill Creek C.C.

## President's Letter

By Dr. Alexis Apatoff



Happy New Year! It seems like so long since we were last together for our annual gala, but so short at the same time. I suppose that's a thinly veiled metaphor for how the marching of time feels regarding life in general.

As I hope you all have heard, the Pacific Northwest Dental Conference (PNDC) is coming up May 28-30 in Seattle. The dates are a bit earlier this year than in the past, so make sure you get it on your schedule now and register early so you don't miss the excitement!

Remember, there are new CE requirements for us that you may not have had the chance to complete yet, and this year's PNDC is the perfect opportunity to ensure you are compliant. A suicide prevention course will be offered again this year, as well as a course satisfying the opioid prescribing requirement.

One of the most important ways to ensure that the PNDC can thrive in Seattle and continue to secure space at the convention center is to have attendees occupy hotel room nights. With that in mind, there is a new pilot program that will offer a limited number of attendees who book their stay at a PNDC partner hotel the chance to upgrade to VIP status for just \$99. VIP benefits include: access to the VIP Lounge each day you attend PNDC with complimentary breakfast and lunch, an invitation to the President's Private Reception, and an option to upgrade your entire team to VIP status for just \$99 per person (saving you the stress of trying to make group restaurant reservations). Since this is a pilot program, there are only 100 spots available (VIPs will be chosen at random from eligible participants). See the WSDA website in February to find out how to register for this pilot program.

Register for PNDC now and secure a room in one of the partner hotels; it will keep you from fighting traffic every day of the conference and allow you to enjoy some of what downtown Seattle has to offer!

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### Dress Code Reminder For Mill Creek Country Club

Business Casual Attire —  
No hats, T-shirts or scrubs in the meeting room.

**BASIC LIFE SUPPORT & FIRST-AID COURSES**

**Register Now!**

If you missed the last set of courses, the next offering will be on **Friday, April 24th, 2020**. BLS is 8:30-11:30AM, and First Aid is Noon-3PM.

Anyone in your office who provides direct patient care needs the BLS, and consider having at least one person in your office at all times with valid First Aid training.

A registration form was included with the January SCDS newsletter, and you can also print one from our website calendar. Or contact the SCDS office to request one.

**TOOTHAPALOOZA**

**At the Museum for GKAS**

We have a full slate of volunteers scheduled to do mini-exams for the community free night at Imagine Children's Museum (ICM) on Feb. 21st in Everett. This is our Society's 12th year partnering with ICM for Give Kids a Smile activities during the month of February.

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**YOUR SCDS OFFICERS:**

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■ **Mid-town Everett practice for sale.** 4 operatories. Easy access with on-site parking. Legacy practice - This location has been a dental office for over 60 years. Practice for sale has been at this location since 1988. If interested in learning more, call Rod Johnston at OMNI (877) 866-6053.

■ **FREE Massage for the Whole Office.** 1-Hour free chair massage event brought to your office. You supply the staff, we supply the relief. (425)-338-5537. [Chirobody.com](http://Chirobody.com), Located in Everett, WA

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

■ **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.

■ **10% Off Handpiece Repair for SCDS Members.** 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.

■ **Looking for an associate dentist position** FT/PT King/Snohomish county area. Can perform molar endo, surgical extractions, implants, restorative, CAD/CAM, 3D printing etc., part of Spear and Seattle study clubs. Have more than

1500+ hours in CE. Please contact 646.833.5637 for further information. Priya Sridhar DMD.

■ **Looking for an Associate or to find an Associate position? Or to Buy/Sell A practice? Or for Employees? Or coverage for vacation or medical leave?**

Be sure to let Judy at the SCDS office know as we are often a first point of contact and would love to make connections. Also—a reminder you can post on our Society's Facebook page. Just the basics, never specifics of pay or benefits. If you haven't joined our FB page yet, just visit our website for the link or search our name on FB.

■ **To advertise** in the classifieds contact the SCDS office. Up to 30 words is just \$10 for SCDS Members, \$15 for non-members. For 2020 the same classified ad will be included on our website at no additional charge. Paid newsletter corporate sponsorships are also available if space is available.

**Snohomish County Dental Foundation News**

It couldn't be easier to donate to the *Snohomish County Dental Foundation*...Just link your everyday shopping venues to the Foundation. Here are two ways to give that only cost a few minutes time to do:

**1) Do you shop Amazon? Go to: [www.smile.amazon.com](http://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.

**2) Fred Meyer Community Rewards** – Link your Rewards card and earn a donation to our foundation every time you shop. **Go to [www.fredmeyer.com/community-rewards](http://www.fredmeyer.com/community-rewards)** – search by our name or non-profit # **UJ743** . This is a great way to support our Foundation!

**3) Donate on your WSDA Dues statement** — New for 2020! You can make a tax-deductible donation on your WSDA dues statement to our Society's Foundation. **100% of the donation comes directly to us** to support dental-related programs here in Snohomish County. (Toothapalooza at the Children's Museum, Dental Assistance League/Operation Schoolbell, Sno-Isle Tech dental assisting program, low cost clinics and more —click the Foundation tab on our website for details). SCDS members can be proud our small Foundation has donated over \$269,000 for community programs. Thank you!

**ADA Humanitarian Award Recipient**

Congratulations to Snohomish County Dental Society member **Dr. Loree Bolin** for receiving the ADA's 2020 Humanitarian Award. Dr. Bolin, selected in 2016 for our Society's Special Recognition Award, and also WSDA's 2016 Citizen of the Year, was named as the ADA's 2020 Humanitarian Award recipient. See full details on our website News tab.

Also, nominations are being accepted for our Society's 2020 Special Recognition Award. Do you know a member dentist going above and beyond? The deadline is April 1st to make a nomination. Simply send an email stating why you think the member dentist should be nominated to: [info@scdentists.org](mailto:info@scdentists.org) The Award is presented each May.