



# Snohomish County

## DENTAL SOCIETY

*Welcome Back Everyone!*

### NEXT MEETING:

Wed., Sept. 19th, 2018

### PROGRAM— 2 Credits

Dental Digital World

### SPEAKER:

John E. Marks, DentalROI

### 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, Sept. 14th which is  
when Mill Creek CC needs  
our meal count. FREE for  
SCDS members; Guests \$35.  
Call 360-419-7444 or email  
scdentists@comcast.net

The entrée is Salmon.  
Vegetarian entrees must be  
ordered in advance.

### ABOUT THE PROGRAM:

Dental Digital World is designed to be a digital check-up. It will give you tactics and techniques to help maintain and improve your Google positioning, Social Media mgmt., Digital Reputation, and all other aspects of Digital Marketing. The goal is to provide knowledge you can put to immediate use in your practice. For full course description & speaker Bio please visit our website calendar.

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### DRESS CODE REMINDER For Mill Creek Country Club

It's Business Casual Attire —  
No hats, T-shirts or scrubs in  
the meeting room.

## President's Letter

By Dr. Peter Pellegrini



DR. PETER PELLEGRINI

Greetings Snohomish County dentists, and welcome to our society's 67th year! The abundance of sunshine and warm weather will soon blend into the splendid colors of autumn. School's back in session. Back to routines! I encourage you to make a monthly habit of our society's monthly dinner meetings (mark your calendars for the 3rd Wednesday each month). Each meeting now offers 2 CE credits! Where else can you find such a value for continuing education, in addition to all the benefits offered to our SCDS members.

Later this month, September 20-22, the WSDA HOD (House of Delegates) meeting will take place in Tacoma, WA. The HOD is the dental equivalent of the House of Representatives, with each county having dental delegates representing their respective constituencies, discussing and voting on the issues that affect and shape dental care in Washington State. Our delegates are: Dr. Alexis Apatoff, Dr. Greg Fjeran, Dr. Naghmeh Izadi, Dr. Peter Pellegrini, Dr. Andrew Sholudko and Dr. Michael Whelan. If you are interested in any of the issues (Resolutions) that will be discussed or have ideas, questions or concerns, please reach out to any of the delegates. Please be sure to thank these delegates for their service!

A reminder that new Opioid Rx measures will take effect, January 1st, 2019. Are you prepared? Look for more information on our website/SCDS FB page and in my next newsletter.

Also on the horizon, just before Thanksgiving, is our annual staff appreciation dinner. The SCDS "Gala" will take place on Thursday, November 15th with Jet City Improv as our entertainment. This is a great opportunity to show thanks to our team members. Treat your team to an evening out and connect outside of work. Consider donating a raffle item, which is always a highlight of this fun evening.

I look forward to seeing you at our next meeting on Wednesday, September 19th.

Warm Regards,  
Pete Pellegrini, DDS, MS

## REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

- Wednesday, Sept. 19th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (2 Credits). Mill Creek C.C.
- Wednesday, Oct. 17th** — SCDS General Membership Meeting (2 Credits). Mill Creek C.C.
- Friday, Oct. 26th** — CPR Pro & First Aid Courses, in Everett. **REGISTER NOW!** A form was mailed with the June SCDS newsletter. Need a new one? Contact the SCDS office or print one at our website calendar. CPR Pro: 8:30AM—11:30AM (3 credits) First Aid: Noon—3PM (3 credits).
- Thursday, Nov. 15th**— Annual Gala & Staff Appreciation Night. **REGISTER NOW! Form Enclosed.**
- Friday, March 1st, 2019** —Annual SCDS Seminar at the Lynnwood Convention Center. 7 Credits. Speaker: Karen Baker, BS, MS. Topic: Homecare, Herbals & Opioid Crisis. **Form Enclosed with all details. REGISTER SOON** for Early Bird Rates. Co-sponsored with Seattle King Co. Dental Society & UW School of Dentistry. **DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS GREAT MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT** providing high quality CE close to home.

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

Each May our Society recognizes one member dentist for volunteer activities or community service.

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

**■To advertise in the classifieds contact the SCDS office. The rate for up to 30 words is only \$10 for SCDS Members, and \$15 for others. In 2018 the same classified ad will be included on our website at no additional charge.**

**September Newsletter Sponsor  
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**YOUR New SCDS OFFICERS**

- President Dr. Peter Pellegrini
- Pres-Elect Dr. Alexis Apatoff
- Secretary Dr. B. Ardi Pribadi
- Treasurer Dr. Shahin Etemadi
- Past-President: Dr. Jae Hong

**Executive Committee:**

- Dr. Dan Brady
- Dr. Jennifer Heming
- Dr. Clio Samia-Lindenauer
- Dr. Jennifer Meader
- Dr. Andrew Sholudko

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Judy Bangs

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**■Dentist available for Temp work:** Dr. David Cheng is available for a temporary position on Tues., Wed. or Thursdays. For details contact: [david\\_chengd1@gmail.com](mailto:david_chengd1@gmail.com)

**■ IDEAL practice start-up with minimal cost—** 2 of 3 operatories FULLY-equipped, 1000 SF, professional and medical center near Swedish Hospital-Edmonds. Dentist is transitioning. Contact: [onondaga67@hotmail.com](mailto:onondaga67@hotmail.com)

2018-2019 Meeting Dates

- Wed., Sept. 19th — 2 credits SCDS General Meeting
- Wed., Oct. 17th — 2 credits SCDS General Meeting
- Fri., Oct. 26th — CPR & First Aid courses, In Everett, 3 credits each, presented by *I Know CPR.*
- Thurs., Nov. 15th — Annual Gala & Staff Appreciation night. TIME: 5:30PM—8:30PM. Bring your staff! Fun, Fun, Fun!!
- December/January— There are no SCDS Meetings.

2019

- Wed., Feb. 20th— 2 Credits SCDS General Meeting
- Fri., March 1st— 7 Credits Full day Seminar with **Karen Baker**—Homecare, Herbals, Opioid Crisis & more
- Wed, Mar. 20th— 2 Credits SCDS General Meeting
- Wed, April 17th — 2 Credits SCDS General Meeting
- Wed., April 26th — CPR & First Aid courses, in Everett, 3 credits each, presented by *I Know CPR.*
- Wed., May 15th, 2 credits WSDA Update & Special Recognition Award (make nominations anytime thru April 1st by emailing the scds office).

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

► Volunteer Dentists & Assistants are still needed on Sat. Sept 29th, to work on MTI dental van from 8-2PM in Mill Creek. Free Dental & Health Day sponsored by Hope Creek Foundation. 5 CE credits available for dentists. For more info or to volunteer, email: [andrea.higgins1973@gmail.com](mailto:andrea.higgins1973@gmail.com)

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**HEY EVERYONE — Help our Society's Foundation earn FREE cash!**

*\$1 Reward = 1 Dental Kit for 1 child!*

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](http://www.fredmeyer.com/community_rewards) search by our name or non-profit # **UJ743** . This is an easy way to support our Foundation!

2) **SHOP [www.Smile.Amazon.com](http://www.Smile.Amazon.com)** *Don't forget to order at [smile.amazon.com](http://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!

**All SCDS General Membership meetings are held at the Mill Creek Country Club starting at 6PM with a Meet & Greet, followed by dinner meeting and CE program, ending at 8:30PM. The dinner & programs are always complimentary for SCDS member dentists, and \$35 for guests.**