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Dr. Carmichael's Antiques

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President's Message

Kevin Sweeney, MD, DDS LCDS President

Happy New Year!

Every new year feels like a fresh start. It is a chance to reflect on the past year and set goals for the coming year. 2021 began with a huge glimmer of hope as vaccines rolled out. LCDS advocated for our community and gained access to vaccines for all members and their staff during a time when supply was limited. In the midst of economic uncertainty, we continued to secure sponsorship to keep LCDS financially sound for years to come. Additionally, despite being unable to meet in person, we have continued to provide CE to help maintain our licenses. We are also hopeful that we will return to in person CE in the Spring!

Looking ahead, LCDS will try to bring members back together again within a safe, friendly, and fun environment! We are working to find ways to hold social events, informative CE, and new ways to bring together the dental community. Should new problems arise, LCDS remains in a position to act quickly to ensure our members are well taken care of.

We are excited to see all that 2022 will unveil!

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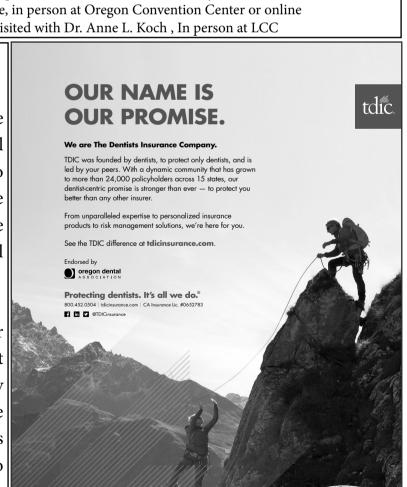
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Your ideas Matter! - Visit lanedentalsociety.org and complete our membership survey February 15, 2022 - Infection Control Webinar with Cindy Hull/LCDS Business Meeting during break February 17, 2022 6:00 pm - 2022 ODA Virtual Dental Day April 7-9 - Oregon Dental Conference, in person at Oregon Convention Center or online April 22, 2022 - Endodontics Revisited with Dr. Anne L. Koch , In person at LCC

Quotes from our Newer Members: What are your hopes for the future of dentistry?

"I hope the future of dentistry brings more access to care in general, but namely in rural and indigenous areas. I look forward to more preventive measures and an increase in dental education so that fewer people have to spend so many hours in the dental chair!" - Dr. Adriana C. Reppell, DMD

"My hope for the future of dentistry is for the continuous improvement of patient education and preventative dentistry techniques as a whole. The strides made in dental technology over recent years has made me only more excited for what is to come." - Dr. Ryan Land, DMD



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Member Spotlight: Dr. Robert A. Carmichael

Nissa Newton



When I walked into Dr. Carmichael's dentist's office, I was immediately aware of the fun, friendly atmosphere that can make clients and visitors feel at home. I was greeted

warmly by the office manager, Janet, who gave me a walk through the office that Dr. Carmichael decorated with a nautical theme. His collection of antique and historical dentist equipment includes electric toothbrushes from far back as



the 1940's, bottle openers, a pump drill and antique dental furniture, including a 1928 dental X-ray machine that was used before the dangers of radiation were known.

Dr. Carmichael is the third dentist to take over his

practice. The first dentist was Dr. York and he was followed by Dr. Tye. The original Lane County Dental Society started in 1913 with 12 dentists, including Dr. York. Dr. Tye joined Dr. York's practice and became a society member in 1919. This was the same year every member of the society pledged to take care of one indigent child every month. These members would also volunteer their services at the Elk's Dental Clinic and later at the Woman's League Dental Clinic.

Before joining the practice in 1968, Dr. Carmichael served in Vietnam working in a forward area dental tent. While I was at his office, he let me examine a piece of shrapnel from a Russian rocket that hit his tent, as well as a picture of the crater outside the tent where the rocket hit.

Dr. Carmichael said the biggest change during his time in dentistry is that dentists used to stand to work on patients and they only had one dental assistant who did a number of jobs in the office. Today, each dentist can sit while they work on their patients and they need several staff members to run their office.

One of the biggest honors Dr. Carmichael received in his career was when he was awarded the Lane County Glen Purdy Distinguished Dentist Award, which honors one's dental career as well as service to the community. Dr. Carmichael served as LCDS' president in 1985. When he does finally retire, he will continue to do volunteer work.



In Memoriam Dr. Douglas Earl Whittaker July 23, 1949 - October 16, 2021. After graduating from University of Oregon's dental school and marrying the love of his life, he took over dental office of his father, Dr. Verne Whittaker, and practiced dentistry in Eugene until age 39. He left his practice due to spinal problems and severe pain.

Dr. Tom Macready May 12, 1947 - October 25, 2021. Served as LCDS President in 1997and practiced dentistry for over 40 years. He retired five years ago. Dr. Macready volunteered for a children's dental clinic in Guatemala since 2005. He also was a longtime scoutmaster and a broke a record of mentoring the most Eagle Scouts in Oregon.

White Bird Dental Clinic Report Kim Freuen

The pandemic keeps rolling along. We had some furloughed employees waiting to finish their vaccine series. Now we are getting booster doses. We are seeing some supply disruptions. We finally raised enough money to change out the old dental chair with the very stationary light arm that worked well on short patients. Although we ordered the chair in June, we will not receive the new chair until February 2022.

Thanks to Dr. Ken Jones and Dr. Seth Holland for the donations of dental supplies. Thanks also to Dr. Jan Halvorson for volunteering to provide chart reviews for our team.

Dr. Michael Kelley is retiring after twenty years at White Bird Dental. Dr. Kelley provided the bulk of our emergency care during his time at White Bird Dental. Sometimes he was the only dentist. As our dental director, he gently guided our new dentists in the realities of Public Health. He also worked many years at Lane Community College teaching in the hygiene During the last department. eleven years he helped mentor the student dentists from Arizona and OHSU dental schools. He helped with the design and fund raising for our new location at 1415 Pearl Street. We will miss him.

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With the schools open we are providing school screenings and sealant/ fluoride clinics at Bethel Schools. We are expecting a big need for restorative/ urgent care in children. Photo on pg. 6



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Executive Director Message

Nissa Newton

I am looking forward to a great 2022 here at LCDS! I am happy to announce that we will be having our first in person meeting, Endodontics Revisited, in April at Lane Community College. We are hopeful that we will be able to start

having more opportunities to gather.

There is a member survey on our web page lanedentalsociety.org. Filling this survey out can help our Executive Council find new ways to increase your membership value. If you would rather talk to me about your ideas, I would love to schedule a time to visit with you. Receiving input from you is important and would contribute greatly to our society as we move forward.

We are also looking for candidates for our upcoming election. Getting involved on the council can be rewarding and is a great way to volunteer in your dental community. We have several positions that need filled including President-Elect, Secretary, and Members-At-Large. If you are interested, please contact me for more information. This year's membership meeting is during our Infection Control webinar on February 15.

There is a lot of history here at LCDS. In my office, I found a treasure trove of old clippings of old dental comics from the funny pages, including the front page of MAD magazine from March 1967 with Alfred E. Neuman brushing his teeth with MAD toothpaste. There are also many news articles that testify to the changes

that have occurred in the field of dentistry, as well as an article about a dog who got dentures.

As I am getting to know our current membership, our society's history, and more about the field of dentistry, I enjoy this new position even more. The council has been great to work with and I am looking forward to getting to know more society members.



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LCDS Balance Sheet 12/	21/2021	ICDS 2022 Approv	Ieeting by Reviewing LCDS' Finances LCDS 2022 Approved Budget		
ASSETS	31/2021	Income			
Current Assets					
Checking/Savings 1020 · Columbia Bank (formerly PCB)	34,810.07		41 100		
1060 · Columbia Bank MM (form PCB)	47,786.73	CE Program Revenue	\$1,100		
Total Checking/Savings	82,596.80	Sponsorship Advertising Income Membership Income			
Total Current Assets	82,596.80	Interest	\$41,000 \$5		
Fixed Assets		Miscellaneous Income			
1510 · Office Equipment	9,441.99	wiscenarieous meome	\$500		
1700 · Accumulated Depreciation	-9,388.42				
Total Fixed Assets	53.57	Total Revenue	\$87,910		
TOTAL ASSETS	82,650.37				
LIABILITIES & EQUITY Equity		Expenses			
3010 · Retained Earnings	82,650.37	Devroll Exponence			
Total Equity	82,650.37	Payroll Expenses	\$41,560		
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	82,650.37	CE Program Expense	\$17,500		
LCDS Profit and Loss	$\frac{1}{2021}$	Communications	\$10,698		
LCD3 I Iolit allu L033	Jan - Dec 21	Admin Office \$10,225			
Ordinary Income/Expanse	Jan - Dec 21	Rent & Insurance	\$6,170		
Ordinary Income/Expense Income		Membership Expenses	\$1.000		
4020 · SERVICES revenue	1,725.00	Governance	\$757		
4010 · CE PROGRAMS revenue	1,125.29				
4050 · SPONSORSHIPS INCOME 4090 · MEMBERSHIP INCOME	36,000.00 46,000.00	Total Expenses	\$87,910		
4130 · INTEREST	4.80				
4150 · MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	57.00		1.1		
Total Income	84,912.09	Did you know LCDS	Did you know LCDS did not raise		
Gross Profit	84,912.09	its dues this year?			
Expense 6500 · PAYROLL EXPENSES	26,539.65	We understand that we have been unable to have in			
6001 · ADMINISTRATION OFFICE	7,642.48				
6101 · ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	11,386.98	person events since March 2020 and know that this has			
6150 · CE PROGRAM EXPENSES	5,625.96	impacted our membership. We are looking forward to			
6200 · COMMUNICATIONS	5,513.10	starting in-person events this Apr	starting in-person events this April and want to start		
6700 · TAXES OTHER	451.15				
6950 · MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	3,299.66	scheduling social events and networking opportunities			
Total Expense	60,458.98	thereafter. Let us work togethe	thereafter. Let us work together to make 2022 an		
Net Ordinary Income	24,453.11	amazing year for LCDS!			
Net Income	24,453.11				

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Executive Council Meeting Minutes November & December 2022

Executive Council Meeting Minutes November 2, 2021

- Attending: Elizabeth Vivona Dow,
- Kevin Sweeney, Andrew Dow, Carly
- Peterschmidt, Dan Fredrickson, Ivan
- Paskalev, Jordan Lentfer, Vilija Hud-
- son, Casey Thein
- Absent: Matt Bahen

Meeting called to order: 5:30pm by Kevin Sweeney

- Reading of the anti-trust policy
- Introduction of New Executive Direc-

tor, Nissa Newton

Approval of Minutes from October Meeting

Financial update

- Budget to Actual Year to Date: Nissa will keep this up to date monthly
- Profit and Loss Comparison By Year:
- Surplus this year, largely due to COVID and our inability to meet in person
- Discussion regarding establishing petty cash or debit card
- A rechargeable card or separate checking account with its own debit card
- Carly to call Columbia about a separate debit card; and rechargeable card; or debit card with a limit and can that limit be increased/ decreased as needed?
- Kaci will continue for a few months. Eventually Nissa will take QuickBooks over in January 2022.
- Kaci will simply reconcile eventually.

CE Reports

- Upcoming CE
- Lane County Risk management -Moved to December 14 5pm
- Nissa to reach out to Chris Verbi-

est to finalize program details Future CE

• Evidence-based Clinical Practice Guideline for the Management of Acute Dental Pain: RESPITE Study from ADA - advertise in the newsletter; Nissa to find out more details how OR dentists can take advantage of this free class.

Credits for Dental Esthetics Discussion

- Issue: Some registered participants were not able to log in due to not having the appropriate program downloaded prior to the CE. Do we award CE credits? Are we under any violation with CERP and PACE to give CE credits to those who were registered and trying to log in? Do we try to re-offer the course? Nissa will look into this.
- Columbia Bank dinner: Kevin, Jordan, Carly and perhaps Nissa to meet with them.
- Jim and Nissa are reaching out to all sponsors and advertisers in this transition to see what LCDS needs to do to fulfill our agreements.
- Ivan spoke with DSI: Let them know what has been going on and that Nissa will be reaching out to Trish soon. Ivan to send out an introduction email.
- General discussion of how to accommodate all sponsors and advertisers

Social

• Not an appropriate time to begin organizing socials yet due to COVID.

Publications

- Newsletter updates: Only 2 so far in 2021 (of 6).
- Get an abridged newsletter (8 pag-

es) out ASAP, then back on regular schedule.

- Column from Kevin, Nissa, Carly and new executive council members + ads
- Nissa to look into advertisers (not sponsors): How are the contracts written? Do they pay per news-letter issue? Or for advertising for the year? Jim has been speaking with them about publishing what they've already paid for before renewing any contracts.

E News

- White Bird Clinic request for email blast for a dental position open
- All in agreement

Newsletter

- Newsletter is a priority, then membership directory
- Perhaps include extra ads to help accommodate for ads already paid for; Nissa and Jim to look into cost analysis to add additional pages.

Community

Volunteer Opportunity

- Impact your Health: November 13, 14: Call 541-937-2786
- Nissa to go and take pictures for newsletter
- Nissa to do an email blast to promote this event
- Nissa to discuss with Randy that we could better promote this in future years if we had more advanced notice

Office Hours Discussion

- Mon, Thus, Fri: 11am 5pm
- Nissa can check emails and voicemails from home

Setting Priorities for Nissa:

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Upcoming Continuing Education Opportunities

February 15, 2022 5:30-8:00 PM 2 CE Credits

Cindy Hull Senior Compliance Officer - Oregon



Participants will discuss the importance of education and training, discuss vaccination, management of pre and post exposures, discuss sop's and evaluation of current programs, review standard precautions and infection prevention (control) coordinator. Participants will be able to privately assess good practices they currently demonstrate, observe common infection control breaches often found, obtain updates in federal and state guidelines for compliance, compile action plans to make changes in their offices and understand that staff complies when they know the "whys".

FECTION

During Break: LCDS Business Meeting

Cindy Hull has been a senior compliance advisor with Smart Training for over 6 years. Smart Training is a compliance company with over 30 years of experience assisting over 14,000 dental professionals with their OSHA and HIPAA compliance needs.

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Endodontics Revisited with Dr. Anne L. K BRASSEL 6



April 22, 2020 Lane Community College 9am-4pm 6 CE credits Bagged lunch provided Limited Space Available

LCDS' FIRST IN PERSON PROGRAM SINCE 2020!

Dr. Koch is back ... and better than ever! In this new all-day course, Dr. Koch begins with a review of generic endodontics. Topics such as how to achieve profound anesthesia and properly accessed molar teeth will be introduced right at the beginning. The second half of the morning is dedicated to instrumentation and Dr. Koch will explain why the EndoSequence Blend is, in her opinion, the best rotary protocol ever created! It is because the Blend Technique is intuitive. The "Blend" employs both heat-treated and non-heat treated files and allows them to work to their maximum safety and allows them to work to their maximum safety and effectiveness.

This program is sponsored by:

After lunch, "Annie" will focus on bioceramic technology in both endodontics and pediatric dentistry. She will fully explain why bioceramics have become the New Gold Standard of obturation sealers. Following the obturation discussion, Dr. Koch will introduce participants to a completely drill-free post system. The day concludes with a robust hands-on session wherein Dr. Koch will work will every single individual at the hands-on. She will also employ the Koch Teaching Method in which every attendee will instrument a bloc or tooth while not looking directly at the bloc or tooth.

Dr. Anne L. Koch received both her DMD and Certificate in Endodontics from the University of Pennsylvania. She is the founder and past Director of the Postdoctoral Program in Endodontics and Microsurgery at the Harvard School of Dental Medicine and is also the founder and past CEO of Real World Endo.

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- Get newsletters back on track
- Reach out to advertisers and sponsors and get back on track with them; begin discussing renewals for 2022

Membership directory

- Ensuring CE events are ready to go
- Tie up all loose ends that are needed before finally taking over Quick Books

Meeting adjourned at 6:30

Minutes respectfully submitted by,

Elizabeth Vivona Dow, DDS

Secretary, LCDS

Executive Council Meeting Minutes December 7, 2021

Attending: Elizabeth Vivona Dow,

Kevin Sweeney, Andrew Dow, Carly Peterschmidt, Dan Fredrickson, Ivan Paskalev, Jordan Lentfer, Vilija Hud-

son, Matt Bahen

Absent: Casey Thein

Meeting called to order: 5:30pm by Kevin Sweeney

Reading of the anti-trust policy: Kevin Approval of minutes from November meeting

Financial Update

- Strong membership revenue: we did not raise local component fees this year
- Budget surplus due to pandemic / not meeting in person:
- Reviewed P&L
- All financial reports approved
- Reviewed actual 2021 budget and preliminary proposed 2022 budget

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- Will review and finalize the budget in January meeting
- Nissa cited a need to work 30 hours: council approved a 30-hour work week as long as our budget supports the hours.

Sponsors and Advertisers

- M. Lynch & DSI ads were missed; LCDS will offer next year at no charge to compensate
- Nissa will reach out to former sponsors
- Potential sponsor: Lab in Albany -Ivan has the contact info

CE

- 12/14/21: Risk Management:
 5:30pm 8:30pm
- 1/11/21: Infection Control try to move to February to hold our annual membership meeting: Kevin to send that info to Nissa
- 1/18/21: Dental Esthetics: Redo class for those who missed the lecture due to tech difficulties
- April?: Endodontics Revisited:
 Dr Koch at UPenn sponsored by
 Brassler hands-on course (in-person)Didactic morning portion
 followed by 30-person hands on
 course. Nissa to look into potential
 venues for this in-person event;
 bag-lunches if in-person eating is
 still not advised.
- TBD: Evidence-based Clinical Practice Guidance for Management of Acute Dental Pain
- Seattle Study Club to give their



dates to Nissa so there is no overlap

Socials

- Postponing until after April for now
- Nissa will send out a survey of how we can provide value to our members during this time when we can't meet / socialize in person
- Next newsletter: early February
- Suggested content: Member spotlights, retirements, new practices etc...
- Membership directory: Fall publication
- E-blasts: how often? Council determined only when we have important information to send
- Social Media: working on getting our accounts more active

Community

- The Way Home needs toothpaste and toothbrushes for the unhoused
- LCC is currently hiring for a parttime contract dentist

Website Updates

- Officers and Directors page created
- Carly and Vilija noted typos in their names/credentials Nissa will correct
- Classifieds are now posted
- Newsletter is now posted
- Information page for potential sponsors was created
 Next meeting: Tuesday, January 4,

2021 at 5:30 via ZOOM

Meeting adjourned at 6:30.

Minutes respectfully submitted by,

Elizabeth Vivona Dow, DDS Secretary, LCDS

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> Andrew Dow, DMD Dan Fredrickson, DMD Vilija Hudson, DMD Casey Thein, DMD Matt Bahen, DMD



Nissa Newton

