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MISSION STATEMENT

To maintain a cohesive organization that serves its membership by promoting the art, science and professionalism of dentistry, and by communicating the value of optimal oral health to the community.

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President's Message

by George H. Arch Jr., D.D.S. – NODA President



Dear NODA Members,

I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the opportunity to serve you over the past year. It has been an honor and a privilege to work with so many of our members who have made the commitment to serve the Association. I have to extend my gratitude to each and every Board Member who has dedicated their time and effort over the course of this year.

To our staff at the NODA office, Mr. Andrew Hale, Mrs. Normalee Ward, and Yolanda Romero, you are truly an asset to each and every member of the Association. Thank you for helping me in so many ways over this past year.

Next, I would like to thank the members of the Conference Committee and all of the volunteers who have made our Conference the success it has become. It is because of this success that we are able to lower dues collection by \$100 for 2013. Please consider applying that dues reduction to LADPAC or the Dental Lifeline Network.

A special thank you to Dr. Kenneth Schott who has been there at every meeting and helped out in so many ways with his knowledge

and experience in organized dentistry. Dr. Schott has been a valuable resource for myself and many of our past Presidents.

This next year, we will have Dr. Darrell Bourg, Jr. as the President of our Association. I know you will continue to support him and the next Board of Governors in the manner that you have supported me. Please continue to support our Continuing Education events. Last month's General Membership Meeting had the highest attendance in years. We ask that you continue to RSVP by 5:00PM on Monday prior to Meeting, but please do not RSVP and then not attend.

Happy Holidays to everyone and I look forward to seeing you in 2013!

SAVE THE DATE!

DECEMBER 19, 2012

General Membership Meeting
Chateau Golf & Country Club

JANUARY 16, 2013

General Membership Meeting
August Moon

FEBRUARY 20, 2013

General Membership Meeting

MARCH 23, 2013

President's Installation Banquet

MARCH 20, 2013

General Membership Meeting

MAY 15, 2013

General Membership Meeting

DECEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

December 19, 2012 • 7:00pm

Chateau Country Club
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Programs for New Dentists

The ADA's annual National Conference on the Young Dentist offers special programs for new dentists on clinical, practice

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Election on December 19th for NODA Officers & Directors

by Darrell P. Bourg, Jr., DDS – NODA Nominating Committee Chair



The NODA Nominating Committee presented the following list of nominations

for NODA's open elective offices and board positions for the 2012 administrative year at the November 14th General Membership meeting. Election of officers and board members by the membership will take place at the December 19th General Membership meeting being held at Chateau Golf & Country Club.

Position)	Name	Year(s)	Term
President	Dr. Darrell P. Bourg, Jr.	2013	1 year
President-Elect	Dr. Claudia A. Cavallino	2013	1 year
1 st Vice President	Dr. Raymond J. Unland, Jr.	2013	1 year
2 nd Vice President	Dr. Vincent L. DiLeo, Jr.	2013	1 year
Secretary	Dr. Christopher E. Brown	2013/2014	2 years
Treasurer	Dr. Byron C. Ganuchau *	2012/2013	2 years
At-Large Board Member	Dr. Gustavo M. Coutin	2011/2012/2013	3 years
At-Large Board Member	Dr. Erin A. Fontenot **	2012/2013/2014	3 years
At-Large Board Member	Dr. Kristopher P. Rappold	2013/2014/2015	3 years
Director to LDA	Dr. Kevin J. Collins	2012/2013	2 years
Director to LDA	Dr. David J. Hildebrandt	2013/2014	2 years
Immediate Past President	Dr. George H. Arch, Jr.	2013	1 year
Alternate Director to LDA	Dr. Mark S. Chaney	2013	1 year
2 nd Alternate Director to LDA	Dr. Laurie F. Moeller	2013	1 year
Delegate to ADA	Dr. Robert E. Barsley	2011/2012/2013	3 years
Delegate to ADA	Dr. Mark S. Chaney	2012/2013/2014	3 years
Alternate Delegate to ADA	Dr. Kristi M. Soileau	2013	1 year
LDS Director	Dr. David C. DeGenova	2013	1 year
LDS Director	Dr. Maria R. Burmaster	2013	1 year

*fulfilling 2nd year term of Dr. Raymond J. Unland, Jr. **fulfilling 2nd & 3rd year term of Dr. Vincent L. DiLeo, Jr.

2013 Membership Update

by Gustavo M. Coutin, D.D.S. - NODA Membership & Orientation Committee Chair



Dear NODA Members,

The Board of Governors of the New Orleans Dental Association

would like to express our deep appreciation for the outstanding support we have received from our membership these past few years. We feel truly privileged to represent you and are happy to report that we have been able to provide you with added value for your membership by only collecting half of your local dues for next year (2013), as NODA will subsidize the other half on our member's behalf. Currently, the New Orleans Dental Association

represents approximately 70% of the New Orleans area dentists.

Please attend our general membership meetings. Invite a colleague (member or particularly a non-member), you will be pleased with our scientific presentations, enjoy the camaraderie, benefit from continuing education hours and enjoy the venue and dinner on us (advance notice of attendance is required). By increasing our membership, we have a more effective voice in addressing all of the issues that affect our profession.

We as a board will continue to manage the affairs of the New Orleans Dental Association in the most efficient, transparent and beneficial manner in order to

represent you in the best way possible and at the same time promote our mission.

NODA News is published every month with the exception of June and August. Deadline for ads and editorial material is the 10th of the month preceding publication. Ads and news should be sent to: info@nodental.org

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2012 ADA Annual Session Update

by Kristi M. Soileau, D.D.S., M.Ed.



The American Dental Association held its 153rd Annual Session in San Francisco on October 18-21, 2012. It was very well attended, and was a very successful, busy meeting.

The House of Delegates had several items of importance on its agenda, and NODA was represented by Delegates Dr. Mark Chaney, Dr. Bob Barsley, and Alternate Delegate Dr. Kristi Soileau. Dr. Barsley will also serve as Local Arrangements Chairman of the 2013 ADA Annual Session in New Orleans.

The following were highlights of discussion at the HOD:

- 1) Dues - Although the proposal was for a \$30 dues increase, it was limited to \$10, raising the dues to \$ 522. Also, Active Life members, were previously paying 50% dues will now pay 75% as of January 1, 2013.
- 2) Governance - A bill was introduced to reduce the size of the House, mainly for financial reasons; this would have required a 2/3 vote, and failed.
- 3) Dental Anesthesiology as a New Specialty - This also would have required a 2/3 vote, and failed.

- 4) The ADA Library - The HOD voted not to support Resolution 159, which would have closed the ADA Library, and instead places its future in the hands of the Board of Trustees.

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DR. MARVIN CAVALLINO IS RETIRING:

AFTER 40 YEARS OF PROVIDING ORAL HEALTH CARE TO NEW ORLEANS' CHILDREN, DR. MARVIN CAVALLINO IS RETIRING. DR. CLAUDIA CAVALLINO IS THRILLED TO BE CONTINUING IN HIS TRADITION OF PROVIDING EXCELLENT PEDIATRIC DENTAL CARE.



NEW LOCATION:

MOVING TO LAKEVIEW IN 2013. STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFO.

New Member Update

by Gustavo M. Coutin, D.D.S. -
NODA Membership & Orientation
Committee Chair



The following applicants were approved as members of the New Orleans Association at the November General Membership Meeting held at Metairie Country Club. Congratulations to all of you!

- Dr. Muhammed S. Ismail
- Dr. Jared P. Harris
- Dr. Brian J. Olivier
- Dr. Jennifer A. Rome

Upcoming Scientific Programs

by Darrell P. Bourg, D.D.S. - NODA Scientific Program Committee Chair

DATE LOCATION TIME	SPEAKERS TOPICS OBJECTIVES	SPONSORS
December 19, 2012 Chateau Golf & Country Club 3600 Chateau Boulevard Kenner, LA 70065 504/467-1351 www.chateaugcc.com Check in: 6:30pm Start time: 7:00pm	Speaker – Ankur A. Gupta, D.D.S. Topic – “The 10 Most Profitable Changes I Made To My Private Dental Office” Course objectives: 1) To create enthusiasm amongst the handful of lecture participants who may be feeling a level of burnout, apathy, or plateau in their current situation. 2) To offer several concepts, centered around new patient acquisition, case/fee presentation, and efficient team workflow, that practice owners and office managers can easily bring back to their offices for implementation and improvement. 3) To provide participants with a thorough, yet simple formula for determining the exact daily collection needed in their office to provide a sustainable small business and home life. 4) To provide lecture participants with a very easy bonus system to implement in their office, including why it is important and beneficial for the practice owner.	3 Points Dental Solutions 440/822-7028 www.3pointdentialsolutions.com
January 16, 2013 August Moon Restaurant 875 Manhattan Boulevard Harvey, LA 70058 504/302-7977 www.moonnola.com Check in: 6:30pm Start time: 7:00pm	Speaker – Corky Willhite, D.D.S. Topic – “Practical Techniques for Opening Vertical Dimension and Restoring Anterior Guidance Using Composite” So much of our success in restorative dentistry depends on occlusion. Yet this topic is one of the most confusing in day-to-day practice. Learn a practical system for restoring worn teeth, rebuilding anterior guidance, and increasing vertical dimension. Especially for complex situations—although equally valuable in simpler cases—this significantly increases the chance of achieving long-lasting results. Course objectives: 1) A method of opening Vertical Dimension that is practical and effective. 2) What materials work best in non-compliant patients. 3) Practical occlusal principles for maximizing longevity. 4) How to build anterior guidance for severe wear cases.	Blue Box Dental Laboratories, Inc. 107 North Brooks Street Pelahatchie, Mississippi 39145 Andy Woods President 601/854-5554 877/825-1690 andy@blueboxdental.com www.blueboxdental.com

Accepting Nominations for NODA Honor Dentist Award

by Kenneth G. Schott, D.D.S. - NODA Honors & Awards Committee Chair

December 12th is the deadline for submission of nominations for the NODA Honor Dentist Award. This award is presented to a member in good standing "in recognition of outstanding contributions and exemplary conduct in the profession of dentistry."

Please mail your nominations and reasons for your

recommendations to the attention of Dr. Kenneth G. Schott, Honors and Awards Committee Chairman, c/o NODA, 2121 N. Causeway Blvd., Suite 153, Metairie, LA 70001, fax to 504-838-6909, or e-mail to andrew@nodental.org. Please remember the deadline for nominations is December 12th.

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Children's Dental Health Month 2013

by Nicole Boxberger, D.D.S. and Kellie Axelrad, D.D.S.

NODA Children's Dental Health Month Committee Co-Chairs



Dr. Nicole Boxberger Dr. Kellie Axelrad

Happy Fall NODA members! November brings cooler weather, autumn leaves, fall festivals and Thanksgiving; Fall is also the time of year that we begin planning our activities and events for Give Kids A Smile Day! Although Children's Dental Health Month is celebrated in February each year, this year we are kicking off our festivities a little earlier, due to conflicts with the Super Bowl being held in New Orleans and Mardi Gras.

We have partnered with NFL Play 60 via the Saints organization to host a fun, half-day event at LSU School of Dentistry aimed to educate children about the common risk factors shared by childhood obesity and dental caries. Inside, the children will attend an interactive seminar on proper dental hygiene and the importance of a healthy diet, not only for a healthy smile, but for a healthy body, too. They will also receive a prophylaxis, examination, fluoride and oral hygiene instruction in the clinics. Outside, the Saints youth coordinators will run their Junior Training Camp, which includes a "huddle" discussion on proper diet and exercise, the importance of education, teamwork and leadership. They will also pass out

prizes to the kids in a round of trivia. Then, the kids will go through various stations of physical challenges and football drills.

The actual date of the event will depend on the Saint's making the playoffs this year. Tentative dates are the mornings of Tuesday, January 15, 2013 (if they DO make playoffs) and Friday, January 18, 2013 (if they do NOT make playoffs). We have invited children from schools in Plaquemines and St. John the Baptist parishes and are awaiting confirmation that we will have children in attendance from

these areas devastated by Hurricane Isaac.

Dr. Janice Townsend has invited the senior dental students to help with our screening examinations, and the hygiene students to help with our seminar. Of course, the pediatric dental residents and support staff will be on hand as they do each year. We would love to have volunteers to help facilitate duties in the clinics, in Auditorium C and on the field outside. Please contact us via email

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25 Attend Bruxism Workshop at Dental School

by Darrell P. Bourg, Jr., D.D.S. – NODA Scientific Program Committee Chair



NODA the 2014 New Orleans Dental Conference/Louisiana Dental Association's Annual Session. Be sure to join us December 19th at Chateau Country Club in Kenner, as we swear in your 2013 Officers and Directors and receive quality CE at the last general membership meeting of the year.

present to its membership on the topic of bruxism and sleep apnea at Metairie Country Club for our November meeting. The meeting, sponsored by Patterson Dental, was well received. 87 members and guests were in attendance.

This meeting was special for a different reason, however. Dr. Spencer offered a special hands-on workshop at no cost to attendees the following evening at the LSUSD simulation lab. 25 NODA dentists took him up on the offer and were treated to a complimentary Silent Sleep™ bruxism appliance, which they fabricated on each other.

NODA would like to thank Dean Henry Gremillion, D.D.S. for graciously allowing us use of the facility on short notice and Dr. Christopher Brown for helping organize the event.

If you are interested in further information on the topics of TMDs, bruxism, snoring, or sleep apnea; Dr. Spencer welcomes you to contact him through his website www.jamisonspencer.com. If you missed the opportunity to learn from Dr. Spencer, you will have another opportunity to hear him at

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if you are interested in volunteering. Please keep in mind that this event is for the children who have been invited, and we will not be able to include friends and family members at this event.

We will continue to visit the inpatients at Children's Hospital, as we do every year, one day in February, TBA in a future update. Volunteers will hand out toothbrushes, toothpaste and posters to the kids staying in the hospital. We will also do a screening examination and ensure every patient has a dental home. More information to follow in a future update!

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“Looking Back, Moving Forward”

NODA News will be featuring retirees in this series



Dr. Susan M. Felder

Hobbies

I worked part-time awhile as Clinical Asst. Instructor for Junior and Senior Dental Students in the Operative Dentistry Department at LSU Dental School. I have been on the school's Gratis Faculty since I graduated in June 1976. The students were so welcoming and friendly to me. I was one of the first women dental students, as well as Drs. Judi Kiker Ellender and Darlene Bassett. The students told me I was a wonderful instructor. I love that! I work part-time currently for the United Cerebral Palsy Clinic in Kenner, LA as a

volunteer dentist where Dr. Frank Martello has done such a great job directing the program. He is great inspiration to me and his patients. It's a challenge to work on handicapped patients. Since my children and grandchildren are grown, I spend a lot of time with them and love it. They've had honors in their education and do well in school and work. I'm so proud of them. I'm so fortunate that they visit me every summer, and holidays. I visit them, also, in Dallas and here. I miss babies, so I volunteer at my church in New Orleans rocking babies. They're precious! I have been taking classes in piano, computers, digital cameras, and guns. "Essential for life in the wilderness where there's copperheads, rattlesnakes, black bears and mountain lions." I am a dual member of Kenner North Kiwanis and Hot Springs Village Arkansas Kiwanis. I have spent a lot of time with Ralph getting our second (beautiful) gated Hot Springs Village home in the midst of trees

and hills. Since retirement, my husband has become a good artist and sculptor. I plan to also work part-time at the Arkansas Jolly Dental Group where I worked after Katrina. It was wonderful to be associated with such talented and community leaders in Arkansas. I have been active in supporting Romney for President as a Conservative Statesman.

Do you have new ventures?

I plan to continue the above part-time work as a Dentist. I loved Dentistry and miss it. I plan to become very active again in both Kiwanis groups (that help people). Family is extremely important and I will stay active in their life as much as possible. I plan to stay active in my new church in the Village, and as a Republican volunteer. MOST IMPORTANT: I plan to write a book, and have started it with short narratives. My emphasis will be on how conservative people of faith have made America great!



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November General Membership Meeting

Metairie Country Club

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Drs. Kenneth Belanger and Ronald Bertucci.



Drs. Philip Kahn and James McCall.



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Normalee Ward, Mitzi Schott, Yolanda Romero and Dr. Kristi Soileau.



Drs. George Arch, Jr., Darrell Bourg, Jr. and Christopher Brown.

November General Membership Meeting - Con't.

Metairie Country Club

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Drs. Chase Dronet, Jacob McInnis and William Schmidt, Jr.



Dr. Van Himel, Regine Dyer, Aundra Murphy, Victor Caronna, Trent Lally and Derek Peek.



Drs. Ronald Britsch, Jr., Sammy Tom and Daniel Harris.



Drs. Raymond Najolia, Philip Haik, Jr. and David Raphael.



Kathy Martello, Dr. Frank Martello and Dr. Frederic Querens.



Drs. Kenneth Schott, F. Thomas Giacona, Jr., and Charles McCabe.

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Dr. Dennis Henry, Bobbi Henry and Mandy Roberts.



Drs. Jeffry Leeson, Kevin Collins and Mark Chaney.



LSUSD Senior Dental Students: Michael Tufton, Adam Quartano, Mickey Adragna and Nicole Russo.



Dr. Jay Jayanetti, Dr. Ronald Liuzza, Dr. Laurie Moeller and Kathy Martello.



Drs. Peter Tufton, Gustavo Coutin, L. Jamie Toso and Vincent DiLeo, Jr.



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January 25 – 26 Friday – Saturday New Orleans Interprofessional Course IPC	TMD Disorders: Current Concepts w/Drs. Gremillion, Ehrlich, et al This is 1 of 5 courses in the LSU Orofacial Pain Continuum ♦1/2 price when attending with Dentist/MD/Therapist	Dentist/MD/ Physical Therapist Team Mbr./ Assistant♦	\$750 \$375♦	14 L C
February 15 – 19 Friday – Tuesday New Orleans	36th Annual Perio Review Course – Literature Review & Mock Exams with Drs. Yukna, Cordell, Rapley, Shaklee, Serio, Greenwell, Fowler, MacNeill, MacDonald, Drury, Xenoudi, O'Brien and Glick at LSUSD AGD #490	5-day Early Bird (prior to 12/15)	\$2,095 \$1,995	Approximately 34 L/P C
February 15 – 17 Friday – Sunday New Orleans	Perio Literature Review w/Drs. Yukna, Cordell, Rapley, Shaklee, Serio, Greenwell, Fowler, MacNeill, Xenoudi, O'Brien and Glick at LSUSD AGD #490	3-day Early Bird (prior to 12/15)	\$1,595 \$1,495	Approximately 21 L C
February 15 Friday New Orleans	Oral Medicine w/Dr. Michael Glick and Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office w/Dr. Michael O'Brien at LSUSD AGD #730 & #754	Dentist Hygienist Assist/Other	\$295* \$175* \$95*	07 L C
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