



Dutchess County Dental Society

Tuesday, April 9th, 2024

“Oral Medicine: Oral Health Issues of Female Patients”

Speaker: Dr. Mahnaz Fatahzadeh

Dr. Fatahzadeh is a professor and director of the Division of Oral Medicine at Rutgers School of Dental Medicine. This course will focus on diagnosis and treatment of oral pathology that is common in the female patient population.

Jason Patrick's on 44

1112 US Route 44

Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

Sliced Steak

Chicken Francese

Salmon with Thai Chili

Cash Bar 6:30PM Dinner Meeting 7:00 PM

\$60-Active, Active Life, Associate and Retired Life member

\$70-Retired, Honorary, Applicants

\$70-Students, Residents, Non-Dentist Staff of DCDS member

\$120-non-members

Non-DCDS Member Lecture Only—\$50

IMPORTANT- PLEASE NOTE CAREFULLY

If you intend to dine at this meeting, your advance reservation must be received by the Steward on or before 4/2/2023 If your reservation is not received by that date the availability of a meal is not guaranteed. If a non-reserved meal is available it will be subject to a surcharge. PLEASE NOTE THIS VENUE IS FIRM ON HEAD COUNT SO KINDLY BE SURE TO SEND IN YOUR RSVP ON TIME!

You may bring your payment to the meeting or send it in advance. Mail, or E-Mail reservation to our Steward [Dr. Michael Wiener mail: DCDS PO BOX 3748 Poughkeepsie, NY 12603](mailto:DCDS@GMAIL.COM).

RSVP email address to ONLY DCDSMEALS@GMAIL.COM

DO NOT make your reservation with the restaurant!

Your reservation guarantees your meal and payment is due once the meal count is given to the restaurant. Cancellations must be received by the above date. Please check in at the Stewards table on arrival and pick up your place card and sign in for CE credit. Your place card is the record of your reservation and it shows your meal choice. Your place card at your seat is needed for proper service from the wait staff.

APRIL 2024 BULLETIN

DCDS EXECUTIVE BOARD 2022-2023

President	Dr. David Chung	845-221-7064	briarcliffoms@hotmail.com
Vice President			
Secretary	Dr. Tamara Kroboth	613-836-3997	Tamarak219@gmail.com
Treasurer	Dr. Richard Rosenbloom	845-471-1186	richrsnblm@gmail.com
Immed. Past President	Dr. Ali Payami	914-245-6642	Dr.payami@gmail.com
Bulletin Editor	Dr. Joseph Blondin	845-473-3636	joseph.blondin@gmail.com
Membership Chair	Dr. Michael Smith	845-462-8485	michaelsmithdmd@gmail.com
9th District BOG	Dr. Kole Miller	845-896-1184	kolemiller@aol.com
9th District BOG	Dr. Ali Payami	914-245-6642	Dr.payami@gmail.com
Steward	Dr. Michael Wiener	845-226-1000	mwienerdds@gmail.com
Member at Large	Dr. Jeffery Valenti	845-657-1572	jjv840@gmail.com

CLASSIFIED ADS / INFORMATION

Classified ads available free to members

\$40 for the first two lines, \$20 each additional line for non-members

Please contact Bulletin Editor, Dr. Joseph Blondin, for advertisement placement

Dr. Julie Abrahamson, who had to close her practice in Fishkill, NY is selling various types of Dental equipment including a compressor, a vacuum, 2 autoclaves, 4 overhead Pelton and Crane lights, 2 x-ray machines and 3 rolling carts.

Please call or text if interested: 914-391-6205.

Check out the Ninth district

Calendar of events at:

[https://www.ninthdistrict.org/
meetings-events/calendar-of-
events](https://www.ninthdistrict.org/meetings-events/calendar-of-events)

Upcoming DCDS

Meetings

6/11/24

DCDS Executive Board Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, November 28th, 2023

Aroma, Wappingers Falls, NY

6:30 PM

Call to Order/Determination of Quorum (5=quorum). Time: 7 pm

Attending Members: Dr. Chung, Dr. Rosenbloom, Dr. Smith, Dr. Blondin, Dr. Wiener,

Guest: Dr. Schwartz

Messages from Absent Members:

There were no messages from absent members.

1. Acceptance of previous minutes from Dr. Tamara Kroboth, Recording Secretary. Due to Dr. Kroboth's absence Dr. Blondin will serve as the Recording Secretary for this meeting.

President. Dr. David Chung

Welcoming remarks

Announcements: no new announcements

Correspondence: no new updates

REPORTS AND DISCUSSIONS

Membership Committee – Dr. Michael Smith: There were no new applicants at this time. The board discussed placing index cards at each seat at the next meeting for suggestions for improvements, topics, and ways to get new members to help increase membership and attendance.

Treasurer – Dr. Richard Rosenbloom: The board reviewed the profit/loss sheet for 2023. The board moved to lower the season ticket price for 2024 to \$125, the resolution passed. The board voted to keep membership dues at \$0 for 2024 and to review the membership dues/season tickets prices in 1 year.

Bulletin Committee and Website – Dr. Joseph Blondin, Editor

Date for next planned DCDS Bulletin: Dr. Blondin would like to have the next bulletin ready for March to distribute for the April meeting. Dr.

Blondin discovered that if you update the website on Firefox it does not

save, but if you update the website on Edge it will save. Dr. Blondin reports he will pass that information to the next website editor.

Advertiser's status: Dr. Rosebloom discussed reaching out to the current advertiser on the bulletin to see if they would like renew their membership. The board decided to not change the fees for placing an advertisement in the bulletin. The board discussed having a sponsorship for a meeting, the board was not opposed to having a sponsor and encouraged anyone to reach out if they have someone who would like to sponsor a meeting.

All-Day Seminar. Dr. Michael Smith: The All-Day Seminar is not being planned for this upcoming year.

Steward – Dr. Michael Wiener

1. New Venues and review of last meeting venue. The board complemented Dr. Wiener on his choices for the meeting and his excellent planning. The board thought the meeting went well and the food was fantastic.

Program Committee. Dr. Payami

Upcoming speakers and topics: The next meeting is on 12/5/23. The board complimented Dr. Payami on his excellent speaker choices thus far.

Audio-Visual/Media Committee. Dr. Wiener reports the venue has a screen.

Dr. Blondin reports he will bring everything but the screen.

Website: The board discussed the website. The board will continue to use the current website and will review their choice if there are any changes.

Out On A Limb: The board discussed picking a new writer for the out on a limb column. Dr. Blondin offered to write it. Dr. Smith reported that he will send Dr. Blondin all the information. Dr. Blondin asked for anyone with any interesting topics they would like him to write about to please send him a message.

NINTH DISTRICT AND NYSDA REPORTS

Ninth District Executive Committee: Dr. Smith discussed 9th district updates.

Old Business: N/A

New Business: Dr. Schwartz discussed the Walter Wallace Stevens Award. Dr. Schwartz discussed previous winners and the meaning of the award. Dr. Schwartz asked about the current state of the award. After much discussion, the board decided that at the first board meeting each Calander year, any DCDS member in good standing is welcome to present a candidate to the board for consideration of the award. The board will then review the candidate. The board wanted to make it clear the award is not an annual occurrence and will only be given if the board feels that there is an applicant that is deserving. The board discussed creating criteria in the future for the award. The board thanks Dr. Schwartz for his continued involvement even in retirement from his position on the board.

Good and Welfare

Other announcements

Adjournment: 8:30 pm.

Please visit our mobile friendly website at www.dcdsny.com for meeting information, recent minutes, the latest Bulletin and lots more in-depth information about our Society

MLMIC Insurance Company provides New York dentists from Buffalo to the Bronx with localized risk management guidance, claims protection, and underwriting support. Our policyholders enjoy benefits and expertise not found anywhere else - supported by concierge-level service every step of the way.

For dental malpractice insurance in New York, **nothing compares to MLMIC.**

Learn More at MLMIC.com/dentists or call 1-800-ASK-MLMIC.



a Berkshire Hathaway company

MLMIC
is New York's #1
Dental Professional
Liability Insurance.

